DETERMINATION OF NONSIGNIFICANCE (DNS)

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: A non-project proposal to amend Skagit County Code 14.02.040 Appendix A by adopting various municipal code updates from the cities of Mount Vernon and Sedro-Woolley, for implementation within their unincorporated Urban Growth Areas.

PROPONENT: Skagit County Planning and Permit Center, 200 W. Washington Street, Mount Vernon, WA. 98273.

PROJECT LOCATION: Skagit County

LEAD AGENCY: Skagit County Planning and Permit Center.

The lead agency for this proposal has determined that it does not have a probable significant adverse impact on the environment. An environmental impact statement (EIS) is not required under RCW 43.21C.030(2)(C). This decision was made after review of a completed environmental checklist, and other information on file with the lead agency. This information is available to the public on request. The city/town codes proposed for adoption within the respective UGAs are also available to the public, for review within the Planning and Permit Center or per other arrangements.

This DNS is issued under WAC 197-11-340(2). The Lead agency will not act on this proposal for 15 days from the date below.

Comments must be submitted by August 23, 2002.

You may appeal this threshold determination by addressing those criteria as set forth in Skagit County Code 14.06 and 14.12.210 and then by filing such with the Skagit County Planning and Permit Center for service to the SEPA responsible official. Appeals must be submitted within 14 days of the substantive decision.

Appeals must be submitted by September 9, 2002.

RESPONSIBLE OFFICIAL: Planning and Permit Center Director CONTACT PERSON: Tom Karsh, Director ADDRESS: 200 West Washington Street, Mount Vernon, WA. 98273. PHONE: (360) 336-9410

Date <u>8-6-02</u> Signature <u>Kirk Johnson</u> for: Tom Karsh

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