



**DETERMINATION OF NON-SIGNIFICANCE (DNS)
Peterson Rezone (File # 2019-020-ZON)**

Description of proposal: The city of La Center issued a SEPA Determination of Nonsignificance (DNS) for the rezone of 9.29-acres owned by Rodney Peterson. Upon annexation the city will rezone the three properties Medium Density Residential-16 (MDR-16). The Clark County Assessor's Office issued a Certification of Sufficiency for the annexation of the three properties on July 9, 2019.

Proponents: Rodney Peterson, P.O. Box 106, La Center, WA 98629, 360.263.3353, rodman@tcds.net and Minister and Glaeser Surveying, Inc., 2200 E Evergreen Blvd., Vancouver, WA 98661, Contact: Chris Avery, 360.694.3313, csa@mgsurvey.com

Location of proposal, including street address, if any:


- 34214 NW Pacific Highway, La Center, WA 98629, #151 & # 161 Sec 33 T5N R1E WM 4.63 A, PIN #258766000
- 34100 NW Pacific Highway, La Center, WA 98629, #153 Sec 33 T5N R1E WM 0.61A, PIN 258768000
- No situs, NW Pacific Highway, La Center, WA 98629, #8, #11 Sec 33 T5N R1E WM 4.37A, PIN 258631000

Lead agency: City of La Center

The lead agency for this proposal has determined rezoning the property consistent with the city's comprehensive plan 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 upon request. This DNS is issued under WAC 197-11-340(2); the lead agency will not act on this proposal for 14 days from the date of issuance of this notice (July 17, 2019).

Comments regarding the SEPA DNS must be submitted by **5:00 PM on July 31, 2019**. The La Center City Council will conduct a **public hearing** on the annexation and rezone request beginning at **6:30 PM on Wednesday, August 14, 2019** at La Center City Hall, 214 W 4th St. La Center, WA. The public is welcome to testify in orally or in writing.

Responsible Official: Greg Thornton
Position/Title: Mayor
Address: RE: SEPA Comments – Peterson Rezone
305 NW Pacific Highway
La Center, WA 98629

Date: 7-15-19 Signature: 

The city contact person and telephone number for any questions on this review is Eric Eisemann, Consulting City Planner, 360.750.0038, e.eisemann@e2landuse.com

Issued: July 17, 2019



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Attached is an environmental determination of Non-Significance (DNS) and associated environmental checklist issued pursuant to the State Environmental Policy Act (SEPA) rules (WAC 197-11). The enclosed review comments reflect evaluation of the environmental checklist by the lead agency as required by WAC 197-11. You may comment on this determination within fourteen (14) days of the DNS publication date of July 17, 2019. The lead agency will not act on this proposal until the close of the **14-day comment period, which ends at 5:00 PM on July 31, 2019**.

Please address any correspondence to: Mayor Greg Thornton
ATTN: SEPA COMMENTS – Peterson Rezone
c/o 305 NW Pacific Highway
La Center, WA 98629

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Town of Yacolt (Email)

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C-TRAN (Email)
Lower Columbia Fish Recovery Board
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Southwest Washington Regional Transportation Council

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Other Interested Parties: Audubon Society, Vancouver (Mail)
Clark County Natural Resources Council (Email)
NW Natural (Mail)
Vancouver Wildlife League (Mail)