



SEPA NOTICE OF DETERMINATION OF NONSIGNIFICANCE (DNS)

File Name: Parks and Recreation Master Plan Update
File Number: PLN #1042
Applicant: City of Arlington
Location: Citywide
Date of Issuance: May 28, 2024
Publication Date: May 30, 2024
Lead Agency: City of Arlington Community and Economic Development Department
Lead Agency Contact: Amy Rusko, arusko@arlingtonwa.gov, 360-403-3550

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: The City of Arlington has proposed the adoption of the Parks and Recreation Master Plan, The Parks and Recreation Master Plan gives an overview of parks and recreation planning in the Arlington urban growth area – identifying a system of parks, open spaces, trails, and special facilities. The plan identifies benefits of the parks systems, lists park goals, objectives, and policies, and proposes a 6-20-year schedule of park projects. The purpose of the plan is to identify a parks system throughout the Arlington area that addresses citizens’ needs and interests and environmental concerns. The plan focuses on providing urban parks and facilities within walkable distances of residential areas.

HOW TO VIEW THE PROJECT: The Notices and project documents are available for review on the city’s website at www.arlingtonwa.gov under public notices or at the Community and Economic Development Department, located at 18204 59th Avenue NE, Arlington, WA 98223.

SEPA THRESHOLD DETERMINATION: 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 reviewing a completed environmental checklist and other information on file with the City of Arlington. This information is available to the public on 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 published. Comments must be submitted to Amy Rusko, Planning Manager, arusko@arlingtonwa.gov by 5:00 PM on Thursday, June 13, 2024. Please reference file number PLN#1042.

SEPA Responsible Official: Marc Hayes, Director of Community and Economic Development


Marc Hayes (May 29, 2024 09:02 PDT)
SIGNATURE OF SEPA RESPONSIBLE OFFICIAL

May 28, 2024
DATE

TO APPEAL A DECISION: An agency or person may appeal the City’s procedural compliance with WAC Chapter 197-11 (SEPA) for issuance of this DNS. The DNS is appealable to the Hearing Examiner. An appeal shall be considered filed when a written notice of appeal, specifying the grounds and arguments, therefore, is delivered to the Department of Community and Economic Development by 5:00 PM on Thursday, June 13, 2024, and the appeal fee as set by resolution is paid.