

DETERMINATION OF NONSIGNIFICANCE

Issued with a 14-day comment period

Description of Proposal:

This threshold determination analyzes the environmental impacts associated with the following actions, which are so closely related to each other that they are in effect a single course of action:

1. The adoption of the Fife School District's 2022-2027 Capital Facilities Plan by the Fife School District No. 417 for the purposes of planning for the facilities needs of the District; and
2. The amendment of the King County and Pierce County Comprehensive Plans to include the Fife School District's 2022-2027 Capital Facilities Plan as part of the Capital Facilities Element of each County's Comprehensive Plan. The cities of Fife, Edgewood, and Milton may also amend their Comprehensive Plans to include the Fife School District's Capital Facilities Plan as part of the Capital Facilities Element of each jurisdiction's Comprehensive Plan.

Proponent: Fife School District No. 417

Location of the Proposal:

The Fife School District includes an area of approximately 10 square miles. The cities of Fife, Edgewood, and Milton and parts of unincorporated King County and Pierce County fall within the District's boundaries.

Lead Agency: Fife School District No. 417

The lead agency for this proposal has determined that the proposal does not have a probable significant adverse environmental impact on the environment. An environmental impact statement (EIS) is not required under RCW 43.21C.030(2)(c). This decision was made after a review of the completed environmental checklist and other information on file with the lead agency and incompliance with Fife School District Policy 6890. This information is available to the public upon request.

This Determination of Nonsignificance (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 issue. Comments must be submitted by 4:00 p.m., July 22, 2022. The responsible official will reconsider the DNS based on timely comments and may retain, modify, or, if significant adverse impacts are likely, withdraw the DNS. If the DNS is retained, it will be final after the expiration of the comment deadline.

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