

City Of Anacortes
Determination of Nonsignificance

Description of proposal: The City of Anacortes is considering updates to its Community Forest Lands Comprehensive Plan (the Plan). The Anacortes Community Forest Lands (ACFL) contain approximately 3,000 acres of some of the most unique and complex living environments in the Puget Sound Region. The Plan contains descriptions, goals, and policies for ACFL geographic management areas, forestlands stewardship, and management of recreational areas. In an effort to develop a plan that works to conserve and enhance the unique environment, the Anacortes Community Forest Lands Advisory Board began discussing the process and updating the Plan in 2014.

Proposed amendments are available for review on the city's website:

<https://www.anacorteswa.gov/528/Comprehensive-Master-Plans>.

Project File #: PLN-2019-0003

Proponent: City of Anacortes

Location of Proposal: City limits of Anacortes

Lead Agency: City of Anacortes Planning, Community & Economic Development Department

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.

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 below. **Comments regarding this DNS must be submitted by March 27, 2019.**

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Appeals of this environmental determination may be made per the procedures outlined in AMC Ch. 18.04 and Ch. 19.20. Additional information regarding the appeal process may be obtained from the City of Anacortes PCED Department, 360-299-1984.