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**WASHINGTON STATE ENVIRONMENTAL POLICY ACT  
DETERMINATION OF NONSIGNIFICANCE  
CITY OF CLE ELUM, WASHINGTON  
May 7, 2026**

**PROJECT DESCRIPTION:** The City of Cle Elum proposes adoption of a Stormwater Plan (SWP) to guide management, maintenance, and improvement of the City's stormwater system. The SWP is a non-project action that evaluates existing system conditions, identifies deficiencies and capacity needs, and outlines conceptual capital and maintenance projects to support future growth and regulatory compliance. Adoption of the SWP does not authorize construction of specific projects. Individual projects will be subject to future environmental review and permitting, as required.

**LOCATION:** City Limits  
**PARCEL NUMBERS:** N/A  
**APPLICANT:** Dean Smith, P.E. HLA, on behalf of the City of Cle Elum  
**LEAD AGENCY:** City of Cle Elum  
**FILE NUMBER:** SEP#2026-002

**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 43.12C.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.

- There is no comment period for this DNS.
- This DNS is issued after using the optional DNS process in WAC 197-11-355. There is no further comment period on the DNS.
- 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 must be submitted by May 21, 2026.

**Responsible Official:** Rob Omans  
**Position/Title:** SEPA Responsible Official  
**Phone:** 509-674-2262  
**Address:** 119 W First Street, Cle Elum, WA 98922

**Date:** May 7, 2026

**Signature:**  \_\_\_\_\_

You may appeal this determination to Rob Omans; City Administrator; at 119 West First Street, Cle Elum, WA 98922. No later than: May 21, 2026, by method described here: [https://cleelum.municipal.codes/CEMC/14.30.230\(B\)\(5\)](https://cleelum.municipal.codes/CEMC/14.30.230(B)(5))