

**State Environmental Policy Act  
NOTICE OF DETERMINATION OF NON-SIGNIFICANCE (DNS)**

**Description of Proposal:** The Port of Longview (Port) is proposing to renovate Willow Grove Park, on the Columbia River (at River Mile [RM] 60), in Longview, Washington. The proposed Project will address aging and failing infrastructure, as well it will upgrade elements to ADA compliance standards.

Project elements include:

- Replace existing 3-foot wide paved path along waterfront with an 8-foot wide path and develop an 8-foot wide crushed gravel walking Path(s) around park perimeter, and accessing amenities
- Install up to 12 new covered picnic structures
- Site furnishings, including picnic tables, benches, and trash receptacles
- Construct a viewing platform along waterfront path
- Educational signage
- Entry signage
- Renovate 2 existing restrooms inside and outside
- Tree, Shrub or vegetation may be established

Project elements will be completed no later than June 30, 2022 with the exception of 6 picnic structure to be completed no later than December 31, 2030.

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**Proponent:** Port of Longview  
10 Port Way  
P.O. Box 1258  
Longview, WA 98632-7739

**Location of Proposal:** Project will occur at Willow Grove Park in Cowlitz County, Washington, in Sections 17 and 18, Township 8N, Range 3W of the Willamette Meridian.

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**Lead Agency:** Port of Longview

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) and the comment period will end on **January 29, 2020**.

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Port of Longview - Commission Meeting Notification List  
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