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**DETERMINATION OF NONSIGNIFICANCE**

**Description of proposal:** The proposal is for a new Surface Mine Reclamation permit (#70-013289) for a 22.03-acre mine. The proposed operations will remove aggregate material to a depth of 165 feet. Approximately 1.8 million cubic yards of onsite generated and imported clean fill will be used to reclaim slopes and backfill to near original contours. The site will be reclaimed to a rural residential subsequent use.

**Proponent:** Discovery Materials, LLC

**Location of proposal, including street address, if any:** The proposed site is located at 281240 Highway 101, Port Townsend, WA, within a portion of Section 13, Township 29 North, Range 2 West, Willamette Meridian, in Jefferson County.

**Lead agency:** Department of Natural Resources

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.

- There is no comment period for this DNS**
- This DNS is issued under 197-11-340(2); the lead agency will not act on this proposal for 14 days from January 3, 2024 . Comments must be submitted by January 17, 2024.**

**Responsible official:** Casey R. Hanell

**Position/Title:** State Geologist and Director

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**Date:** 1/2/2024

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

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There is no DNR administrative SEPA appeal.