

## Skamania County Department of Planning and Community Development

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**Director's Decision** 

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123556 APPLICANT:

Charles Lawson

FILE NO .:

NSA-95-72

PROJECT:

Construction/replacement of an accessory structure (storage shed).

LOCATION:

Old Jemtegaard Road, in Section 17 of T1N, R5E, W.M., and identified

as Skamania County Tax Lot #1-5-17-500.

**ZONING:** 

Agricultural in the Special Management Area.

**DECISION:** 

FILED FOR RECORD SKANANIA CO. WASH BY Charles, Lawson Based upon the entire record before the Director, including particularly the Staff Report, the application by Charles Lawson, described above, subject to the conditions set forth in this Decision, is found to be consistent with Title 22 SCC and is hereby approved.

Oct 17 2 50 PH '95 DOWRY AUDITOR

Approval of the request does not exempt the applicant or successors in interest from compliance with all other applicable local, state, and federal laws.

GARY M. OLSON CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL:

The following conditions are required to ensure that the subject request is consistent with Skamania County Title 22. This document, outlining the conditions of approval, must be recorded in the deed records of the Skamania County Auditor in order to ensure notice of the conditions of approval to successors in interest. SCC §22.06.050(C)(2).

- 1. All existing vegetative screening, except that which is necessary for construction purposes, shall be retained and maintained in a healthy condition.
- 2. All existing screening that should die or is otherwise damaged, including that which is necessary for construction purposes, shall be replaced in kind. All replacement trees shall be planted to the south and within 15 feet of the storage shed.
- 3. The storage shed shall be painted the same color as the existing residence (dark brown) or a similar color.

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- 4. The following procedures shall be effected when cultural resources are discovered during construction activities.
  - a) Halt Construction. All construction activities within 100 feet of the discovered cultural resource shall cease. The cultural resources shall remain as found; further disturbance is prohibited.
  - b) Notification. The project applicant shall notify the Planning Department and the Gorge Commission within 24 hours of the discovery. If the cultural resources are prehistoric or otherwise associated with Native Americans, the project applicant shall also notify the Indian tribal governments within 24 hours.
  - c) Survey and Evaluations. The Gorge Commission shall arrange for the cultural resources survey.

Dated and Signed this Biday of September 1995, at Stevenson, Washington.

Harpreet Sandhu, Director

Skamania County Planning and Community Development.

## NOTES

Any new residential development, related accessory structures such as garages or workshops, and additions or alterations not included the approved site plan, will require a new application and review.

As per SCC §22.06.050(C)(2), the Director's Decision shall be recorded in the County deed records prior to commencement of the approved project.

As per SCC §22.06.050(C)(5), the decision of the Director approving a proposed development action shall become void in two years if the development is not commenced within that period, or when the development action is discontinued for any reason for one continuous year or more.

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## **APPEALS**

The decision of the Director shall be final unless a written Notice of Appeal is filed by an interested person within 20 days from the date hereof. Appeal may be made to the Skamania County Board of Adjustment, P.O. Box 790, Stevenson, WA 98648. Notice of Appeal forms are available at the Department Office.

A copy of the Decision was sent to the following:

Adjacent Property Owners w/500 feet of the subject property Skamania County Building Department Skamania County Assessor's Office

A copy of this Decision, including the Staff Report, was sent to the following:

Persons submitting written comments in a timely manner Yakama Indian Nation
Confederated Tribes of the Umatilla Indian Reservation
Confederated Tribes of the Warm Springs
Nez Perce Tribe
Columbia River Gorge Commission
U.S. Forest Service - NSA Office

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