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Skamania County Department of Planning and Community Development

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Stevenson, Washington 98648
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Administrative Decision

**APPLICANT/
PROPERTY
OWNER:**

SDS Lumber Company

FILE NO.:

NSA-06-25

PROJECT:

Install a second pre-fabricated equipment shed (approximately 12'x20') to provide storage for a new tenant, and a generator in steel housing (approximately 30" wide x 76" long x 36" tall) and a 150 gallon fuel tank (approximately 3'x9') on a 4'x20' concrete slab to provide back-up power at an existing communications tower facility within a fenced compound that was approved under a previous NSA decision (NSA-05-32).

LOCATION:

Off of Scoggins Road, Underwood Mountain; Section 17 of T3N, R10E, W.M. and identified as Skamania County Tax Lot #03-10-00-0-0-0300-00.

LEGAL:

See attached page 8.

ZONING:

General Management Area - Commercial Forest (F-1).

DECISION:

Based upon the record and the Staff Report, the application by SDS Lumber Company, described above, **subject to the conditions set forth in this Decision**, is found to be consistent with SCC Title 22 and is **hereby approved**.

Although the proposed development is approved, it may not be buildable due to inadequate soils for septic and/or lack of potable water. These issues are under the jurisdiction of Skamania County's Building Division and the Skamania County Health Department.

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

CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL:

The following conditions are required to ensure that the subject request is consistent with Skamania County Code Title 22. **This document, outlining the conditions of approval, must be recorded by the applicant in the deed records of the Skamania County Auditor** in order to ensure notice of the conditions of approval to successors in interest. SCC §22.06.120(C)(2).

- 1) As per SCC §22.06.120(C)(2), this Administrative Decision **SHALL BE RECORDED** by the applicant in the County deed records prior to commencement of the approved project.
- 2) All developments shall be consistent with the enclosed site plan, unless modified by the following conditions of approval. If modified, the site plan shall be consistent with the conditions of approval. (See attached)
- 3) All structures, except fences, including eaves, awnings and overhangs shall meet the following setbacks: **Front yard:** 45 feet from the centerline of the street or road or 15 feet from the front property line, whichever is greater. **Side yard:** 5 feet. **Rear yard:** 15 feet.
- 4) Only that grading which is necessary for site development (building pads, utilities, etc.) is permitted. All graded areas shall be re-seeded with native vegetation prior to final inspection by the Planning Department.
- 5) The applicant and/or future owner shall be responsible for the proper maintenance and survival of any planted vegetation required under this chapter.
- 6) The applicant shall retain all existing trees that are located within 250 feet of the development site on the east, south and west aspects screening the development from key viewing areas, except as is necessary for site development or safety purposes.
- 7) The exterior of the proposed equipment shed shall be composed of non-reflective materials or materials of low-reflectivity. The condition of approval number 12 in the Administrative Decision for file number NSA-05-32 requiring brown vertical slating in the approved chain link fence shall be complied with, prior to issuance of a building permit by the Planning Department.

- 8) The roof of the proposed pre-fabricated equipment shed shall be the dark green color. If the applicant chooses different colors or materials, then material and color samples must be submitted to the Planning Department prior to issuance of a building permit.
- 9) All exterior lighting shall be hooded and shielded at a 90-degree angle. Hoods/ shields shall be made of nonreflective, opaque material, which does not allow light to pass through.
- 10) The applicant shall meet all conditions of approval enacted to achieve visual subordination prior to final inspection by the Planning Department. The applicant is to coordinate all inspections with the Building Division. A final inspection approval will not be issued until compliance with all conditions of approval; including visual subordination criteria have been verified.
- 11) The Planning Department will conduct at least two site visits during construction, one to verify the location of the structures as stated by the Administrative Decision and a second to be conducted after all foundation excavation has been completed including framing footers, but prior to pouring the foundation. A site visit for Final Inspection shall also be conducted. Each inspection may take up to four business days from the time of calling for the inspection. Inspections should be arranged by calling the Building Division at 509-427-3920.
- 12) 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 Administrator and the Gorge Commission within twenty-four (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 twenty-four (24) hours.
 - c) Survey and Evaluations. The Gorge Commission shall survey the cultural resources after obtaining written permission from the landowner and appropriate permits from the DAHP. (See Revised Code of Washington 27.53) It shall gather enough information to evaluate the significance of the cultural resources. The survey and evaluation shall be documented in a report that generally follows the provisions in Section 22.22.030 of this Chapter. Based upon the survey and evaluation report and any written comments, the Administrator shall make a final decision on whether the resources are significant. Construction activities may recommence if the cultural resources are not significant.
 - d) Mitigation Plan. Mitigation plans shall be prepared according to the information, consultation and report provisions contained in Section 22.22.050 of this Chapter. Construction activities may recommence when conditions in the mitigation plan have been executed.
- 13) The following procedures shall be effected when human remains are discovered during a cultural

resource survey or during construction. Human remains means articulated or disarticulated human skeletal remains, bones or teeth, with or without attendant burial artifacts.

- a) Halt of Activities. All survey, excavation and construction activities shall cease.
- b) Notification. Local law enforcement officials, the Administrator, the Gorge Commission, and the Indian tribal governments shall be contacted immediately.
- c) Inspection. The county coroner, or appropriate official, shall inspect the remains at the project site and determine if they are prehistoric/ historic or modern. Representatives of the Indian tribal governments shall be contacted immediately and have an opportunity to monitor the inspection.
- d) Jurisdiction. If the remains are modern, the appropriate law enforcement official shall assume jurisdiction and the cultural resource protection process may conclude.
- e) Treatment. The procedures set out in RCW 27.44 and 68.05 shall generally be implemented if the remains are prehistoric/ historic. If human remains will be reinterred or preserved in their original position, a mitigation plan shall be prepared in accordance with the consultation and report requirements set out in Section 22.22.050 of this Chapter. The mitigation plan shall accommodate the cultural and religious concerns of Native Americans. The cultural resource protection process may conclude when conditions set forth in Section 22.22.050(C) of this Chapter are met and the mitigation plan is executed.

Dated and Signed this 2 day of August, 2006, at Stevenson, Washington.


Nicole Hollatz, Associate Planner
Skamania County Planning and Community Development.

NOTES

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

As per SCC §22.06.150(A), this Administrative Decision 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.

APPEALS

The Director reserves the right to provide additional comment and findings of fact regarding this decision, if appealed.

This Administrative Decision shall be final unless reversed or modified on appeal. A written Notice of Appeal form must be filed by an interested person within 20 days from the date hereof. Appeals are to be made to the Skamania County Board of Adjustment, P.O. Box 790, Stevenson, WA 98648. Notice of Appeal forms are available at the Planning Department Office and must be accompanied by a \$500.00 nonrefundable filing fee.

WARNING

On November 30, 1998 the Columbia River Gorge Commission overturned a Skamania County Director's Decision 18 months after the 20 day appeal period had expired. You are hereby warned that you are proceeding at your own risk and Skamania County will not be liable for any damages you incur in reliance upon your Administrative Decision or any amendments thereto.

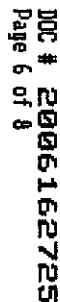
A copy of the Decision was sent to the following:

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
Cowlitz Tribe
Office of Archaeology and Historic Preservation
Columbia River Gorge Commission
U.S. Forest Service - NSA Office
Board of County Commissioners
State of Washington Department of Community Trade and Economic Development - Dee Caputo
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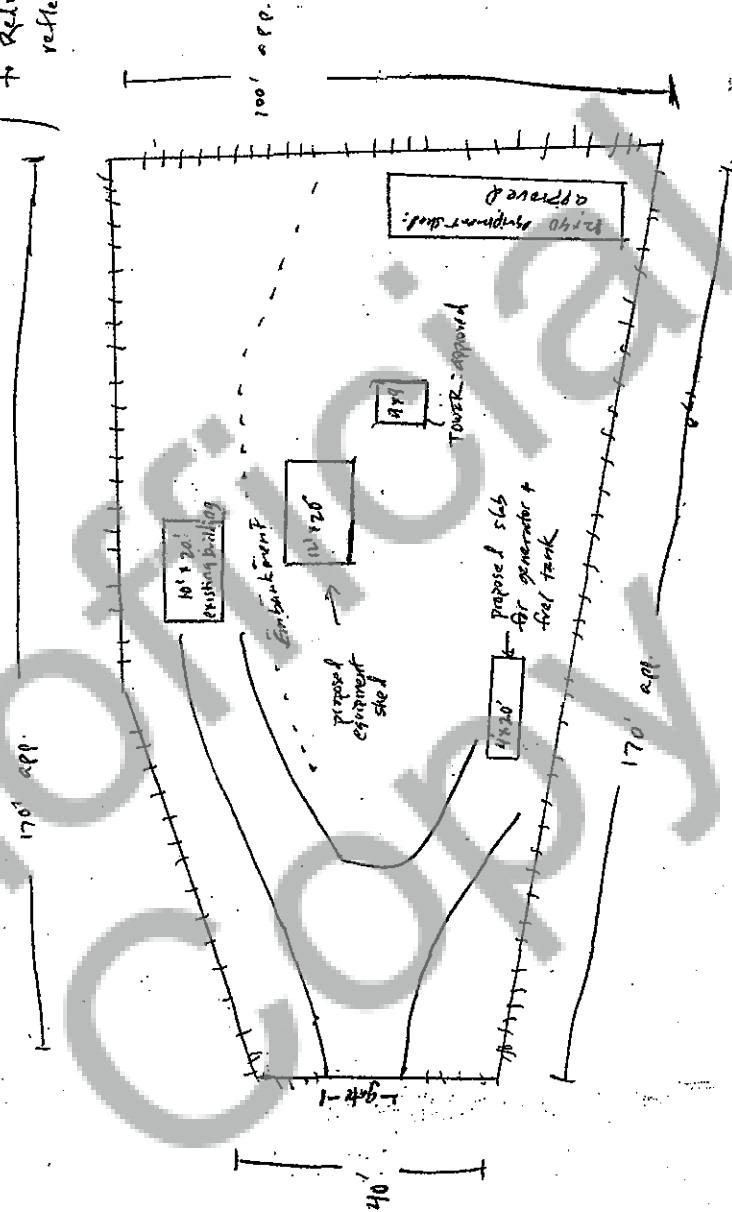
EXHIBIT



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8' chain link fence w/
3 strands of barbed
wire surrounded by
dark brown
vertical slating
to reduce
reflectivity



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THE GRANTOR S, PETER H. GROVE and AVA E. GROVE, husband and wife,

For and in consideration of

Ten and no/100ths (\$10.00) DOLLARS,

in hand paid, convey and warrant to WALLY STEVENSON, BRUCE STEVENSON AND FRANK DAUBENSPECK, doing business as S. D. S. Lumber Co., A PARTNERSHIP, the following described Real Estate

The West Half of the Southwest Quarter of Section Seventeen (17), Township 3 North, Range Ten (10) East, W. M., containing Eighty (80) acres, more or less, and

The East Half of the Southwest Quarter and West Half of Southeast Quarter of Section Seventeen (17), Township 3 North, Range 10 East W. M., containing 160 acres, more or less;

LESS one (1) acre deceded to the Department of Highways of the State of Washington, located in the E $\frac{1}{2}$ of SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of Sec. 17, Tsp. 3; North, Range 10 East W. M.

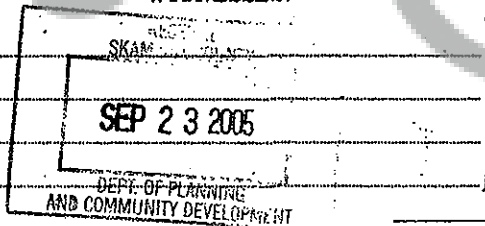


Situated in the County of SKAMANIA

State of Washington.

Dated this 26th day of June, 1950

WITNESSES:



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STATE OF WASHINGTON

County of Klickitat

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PERSONAL CERTIFICATE
OF ACKNOWLEDGMENT

This is to Certify that on this day personally appeared before me PETER H. GROVE AND

AVA E. GROVE, husband and wife