

**APPENDIX B**

**CITY OF OLYMPIA**

**SEPA CHECKLIST**

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## SEPA Determination of Nonsignificance (DNS)

**Description of Proposal:** City of Olympia Wastewater Management Plan for 2007-2012, by the City of Olympia Public Works Staff, dated September 2006. The plan recommends a proactive approach to planning and managing the future development of the wastewater system within Olympia and its growth area for the next fifty years, with specific actions to be taken within the next six years. The three main goals for the long-term are: maximize the gravity sewer system as efficiently as possible; replace STEP systems through extension of gravity sewers where feasible; and, replace onsite sewage systems through extension of gravity sewers where feasible. Short term goals include repair and replacement of existing infrastructure, extension of sewer mainlines, prohibition of new onsite sewage systems within the City and conversion of existing systems with financial assistance, increased management of existing onsite systems, and confirmation of the 2005 decision to not allow any new STEP systems in the service area.

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**Location of proposal:** City-wide

**Lead Agency:** City of Olympia

The lead agency for this proposal issued a Determination of Significance (DS) and Request for Comments on Scope of Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) on March 12, 2004, regarding a proposed update to the City of Olympia Sewage Disposal Master Plan (SDMP). No comments were received by the comment deadline. That DS has been withdrawn.

The SDMP has been revised, updated, and renamed the City of Olympia Wastewater Management Plan. After review of the Draft City of Olympia Wastewater Management Plan dated September, 2006, the lead agency has determined that this proposed Wastewater Management Plan would 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); the lead agency will not act on this proposal for 14 days from the date below. Comments must be submitted by 5:00 p.m., October 26, 2006.

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**Date:** October 12, 2006

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

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