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DATE: November 21, 2018

TO: Dave Williamson, Hordan Planning Services, Adjoining Property Owners, and Interested Agencies

FROM: Lynn Deitrick, AICP—SEPA Responsible Official

SUBJ: Final Determination of Non-significance:
LRN2018-00003/SEP2018-00006 Williamson/Miocene Resource, LLC.

Issuance of the Final Threshold Determination (DNS)

Enclosed is the Final Determination of Non-significance (DNS) for the proposed site-specific comprehensive plan map amendment and rezone. This is a non-project plan amendment and rezone. We have retained the Threshold Determination and determined that it will not have a probable significant adverse impact on the environment. Please review the attached documents for information regarding appeal options.

A public hearing is scheduled before the Board of Yakima County Commissioners on the proposed amendment on **December 11, 2018 at 10:30 am** at the Yakima Council Chamber, Yakima City Hall, 129 N. 2nd, Yakima, WA. 98901. Written comments for the hearing may be submitted to the Planning Division prior to the hearing, or provided at the hearing.

Site-specific Map Amendments and their related SEPA determinations are not subject to administrative appeal in accordance with 16B.03.030. The proponent's full submittal (including site plan, narrative information, and SEPA environmental checklist) is available for review in our office and online at www.yakimap.com/permits/ under Case Numbers LRN2018-00003 and SEP2018-00006.

If you have any questions on this proposal, please call Tua Vang, Project Planner, at (509) 574-2300 or 1-800-572-7354, ext. 2300.

Encl.: Final DNS, Agency Comments –Agencies, Parties of Record, APOs

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FINAL DETERMINATION OF NON-SIGNIFICANCE (DNS)

1. **Description of Proposal:** On January 31, 2018, the Yakima County Public Services Department received an application for the 2018 Biennial Comprehensive Plan Map Amendment from Hordan Planning Services to amend the Yakima County Comprehensive Plan – **Horizon 2040** Future Land Use Map. The applicant proposes the Mineral Resource Overlay designation on 186 acres of an approximate 610-acre parcel while retaining the underlying current Remote/Extremely Limited Development Potential (R/ELDP) zone and Remote/Extremely Limited Development Potential (R/ELDP) land use designation.
2. **Case Numbers:** LRN2018-00003/SEP2018-00006 Williamson / Miocene Resource, LLC.
3.

<u>Owner:</u>	<u>Proponent:</u>
Dave Williamson	Bill Hordan
Miocene Resource, LLC.	Hordan Planning Services
PO Box 1000	410 N 2 nd St
Naches, WA. 98937	Yakima, WA. 98901
4. **Location of Proposal:** The subject property is located north of Highway 410, approximately two miles west of Highway 410 and Highway 12 intersection, and approximately six miles west of the town of Naches. The subject property is identified as Assessor's Parcel 161527-11001.
5. **Lead Agency:** Yakima County Planning Division
6. **Determination:** The lead agency for this proposal has determined that it will not have a probable significant adverse impact on the environment and an Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) is not required under RCW 43.21C.030(2)(c). The lead agency has determined that the requirements for environmental analysis, protection, and mitigation measures have been adequately addressed in the development regulations and comprehensive plan adopted under chapter 36.70A RCW, and in other applicable local, state, or federal laws or rules, as provided by RCW 43.21C.240 and WAC 197-11-158. Our agency will not require any additional mitigation measures under SEPA for this non-project action at this time, however additional environmental review will be required at the project permit phase.

These determinations were made after a careful review of the completed environmental checklist, and other information on file with the lead agency. This information (including all environmental documentation) is available to the public on request and can be examined in our offices during regular business hours or online at www.yakimap.com/permits/ under Case Numbers LRN2018-00003 and SEP2018-00006.
7. **Comment and Appeal Information:** This Final DNS is issued under WAC 197-11-340(2). There is no further comment on it. Site-specific Map Amendments and

their related SEPA determinations are not subject to administrative appeal in accordance with 16B.03.030. For information relating to this proposal, contact Tua Vang, Project Planner, at (509) 574-2300 or 1-800-572-7354, ext. 2300.

8. **SEPA Responsible Official:** Lynn Deitrick, AICP

9. **Designee:** Thomas Carroll
10. **Address:** 128 N. 2nd St.
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11. **Date:** 11/21, 2018