

DETERMINATION OF NONSIGNIFICANCE "DNS"

FILE NO(S): Z20-035CUP3

PROPONENT: Avista
c/o Todd McLaughlin
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DESCRIPTION OF PROPOSAL: The applicant is proposing to relocate an existing substation on the same parcel, south of the existing station. This will require realigning transmission, distribution, and communication lines. All work is staying outside the Shoreline Jurisdiction. Avista plans to remove only the trees that are necessary for the substation relocation and to comply with overhead electrical vegetation clearance requirements. Plantings for screening purposes will be established around the new fence to be installed around the substation.

LOCATION OF PROPOSAL, INCLUDING STREET ADDRESS, IF ANY: The proposal is located at **3400 S Inland Empire Way** Parcel Number: 25361.0015 [Section 36 – Township 25N – Range 42]

LEAD AGENCY: City of Spokane

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 after using the optional DNS process in section 197-11-355 WAC. There is no further comment period on the DNS.
- This DNS is issued under 197-11-340(2); the lead agency will not act on this proposal for At least 14 days from the date of issuance (below).

Responsible Official: Tami Palmquist

Position/Title: Principal Planner **Phone:** (509) 625-6300

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Date Issued: February 20, 2020 **Signature:** 
