

## PRELIMINARY DETERMINATION OF NONSIGNIFICANCE

**Description of Proposal:** Full-scale update of the Comprehensive Plan for the Town of Coupeville. The Town's current Comprehensive Plan was adopted in 1994, with plan amendments related to existing conditions, population forecasts, re-configuration of the future land use map, the shoreline master program, critical areas ordinance and general land use approved in 1997, 1998, 1999, 2000, 2003, 2005, 2009 and 2011. The Town's proposed Comprehensive Plan Update includes formatting and organizational improvements, revised goals and policies in all elements, revised future land use maps and incorporation of a climate change theme throughout. The revised Plan will be relevant to issues facing Coupeville today and will remain so until the next GMA mandated update in 2025.

**Proponent:** Town of Coupeville

**Location of Proposal:** Town of Coupeville municipal boundary

**Documents Being Adopted:** The SEPA determination and environmental review documents for previous Town Comprehensive Plan amendments and the Town of Coupeville's Comprehensive Plan 2023-2045 Update.

**Lead Agency:** Town of Coupeville

The lead agency for this non-project proposal has determined 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 Town. This information is available upon request.

This DNS is issued under 197-11-340(2); the lead agency will not act on this proposal until 15 days from the date of publication (June 21, 2023). **Comments must be submitted by July 6, 2023 at 5:00 PM.**

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Consistent with CTC 16.36, appeals of an environmental determination must be filed in writing within fifteen (15) days, by **July 6, 2023 at 5:00 PM**. Additional information regarding the appeal process is available in section 16.36.070 of the Town Code or by contacting the Planning Department.