

State Environmental Policy Act

DETERMINATION OF SEPA EXEMPT - SWCAA 22-017

Description of proposal:

Vancouver School District #37 submitted Air Discharge Permit (ADP) Application CL-3200 to the Southwest Clean Air Agency to approve several existing boilers and one water heater at Discovery Middle School. This project is exempt from SEPA requirements pursuant to WAC 197-11-800(3) since it only involves repair, remodeling, maintenance, or minor alteration of existing structures, equipment or facilities, and does not involve material expansions or changes in use. SEPA would have been initially performed in 1995 when the school opened with the Vancouver School District as the lead agency.

Proponent: Jason Ackley – Maintenance Supervisor

Location of proposal, including street address if any: 800 East 40th Street, Vancouver, WA 98663

Lead agency: Southwest Clean Air Agency

The lead agency for this proposal has determined that the proposed project is exempt from SEPA under WAC 197-11-800(3) as follows: "The repair, remodeling, maintenance, or minor alteration of existing private or public structures, facilities or equipment, including utilities, recreation, and transportation facilities involving no material expansions or changes in use beyond that previously existing; ...". The proposed project is identified as maintenance of existing facility and as such it does not have a probable significant impact on the environment. Neither an environmental checklist nor an environmental impact statement (EIS) is required under RCW 43.21C.030(2)(c). This decision was made by the lead agency after review of the proponent's proposal and the information on file with the lead agency. This information is available to the public on request.

This project/permitting action by SWCAA is SEPA exempt.

Responsible official: Clinton Lamoreaux.

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