



King County

Permitting Division

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Notice of SEPA Non-Project Threshold Determination of Non-Significance

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Project Location: **Non-Project Action, legislation could apply throughout unincorporated King County**

Project Description: **Proposed Ordinance 2019-0437 renewing and extending a six month moratorium prohibiting the establishment of new or expansion of existing major fossil fuel facilities.**

Proposed 6-month extension of a moratorium previously adopted that prohibits the acceptance of applications for the establishment of new or expansion of existing major fossil fuel facilities. The ordinance establishes definitions and exceptions for Fossil Fuels and Major Fossil Fuel Facilities.

SEPA Threshold Determination: **Determination of Non-Significance issued October 30, 2019**

Comment/Appeal Procedure:

This Determination of Non-significance (DNS) is issued under Washington Administrative Code (WAC) 197-11-340. The Permitting Division has determined after review of the proposed legislation, an environmental checklist and associated documents, that existing State of Washington and King County regulations and codes are sufficient to address potential impacts associated with the proposed legislation. Therefore, An Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) is not required. The issuance of this DNS does NOT constitute approval or adoption of the subject legislation.

You may comment on this DNS by submitting comments to address or email below. Comments must be received no later than **4:00 pm on November 21, 2019**. The King County Council will not act until after the comment period.

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The DNS is for a non-project action. There is no administrative appeal to the King County Hearing Examiner.

Public Hearing: A public hearing on proposed Ordinance No. 2018-0437 is tentatively scheduled before the Metropolitan King County Council, Room 1001, King County Courthouse, Seattle, Washington, on the **11th day of June, 2019**. Information on the public hearing can be found here https://www.kingcounty.gov/council/clerk/ordinances_advertised.aspx

If you have any questions regarding this threshold determination or the proposed legislation, please contact the Project Contact or SEPA Official at the phone number or e-mail listed above.

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