



Seattle School District No. 1

SEPA Checklist

John Rogers Elementary School Athletic Field Improvements

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To: Recipients of the Environmental Checklist
and Determination of Non-Significance Statement
for the John Rogers Elementary School Athletic Field
Improvements

From: Ronald J. English, SEPA Official

This Environmental Checklist and Determination of Non-Significance (DNS) discusses the potential environmental impacts that could result from the John Rogers Elementary School athletic field improvements project. The project is proposed to be constructed during Spring/Summer 2006.

The proposed project would modify the existing natural grass field and weathered asphalt surface, currently occupying approximately 164,500 square feet (3.8 acres), into a school and community amenity that will continue to be used for community baseball, softball, and tee-ball games. It will also be used for Parks Department sponsored soccer and/or lacrosse events. The project is located at John Rogers Elementary School, 4030 NE 109th Street, Seattle, Washington.

The District has completed an environmental checklist evaluating the various elements of the environment affected by the project. In the Determination of Non-Significance, the District's Environmental Officer has determined that the project probably will not have a significant impact on the environment.

Comments on the Checklist and DNS are due not later than October 28, 2005. Appeals are due not later than October 28, 2005. They should be submitted to:

Ronald J. English
Seattle School District SEPA Officer
MS 32-151, P.O. Box 34165
Seattle, Washington 98124-1165

DETERMINATION OF NONSIGNIFICANCE
WAC 197-11-970
JOHN ROGERS ELEMENTARY SCHOOL
ATHLETIC FIELD IMPROVEMENTS

Description of proposal. The proposed project would improve the existing playfield located on the southern portion of the John Rogers Elementary School property in the Lake City neighborhood of Seattle.

Proponent. Seattle School District

Location of proposal, including street address, if any. John Rogers Elementary School is located at 4030 NE 109th Street, Seattle, WA 98125.

Title of document being adopted. John Rogers Elementary School Athletic Field Improvements SEPA Checklist

Date adopted document was prepared. August 2005

Description of document (or portion) being adopted. A SEPA Checklist discussing short- and long-term environmental impacts resulting from the proposed improvements at the John Rogers Elementary School athletic field.

If the document being adopted has been challenged (WAC 197-11-630), please describe. The document has not been challenged.

The document is available to be read at (place/time). John Rogers Elementary School, 4030 NE 109th Street, Seattle and John Stanford Center, 2445 Third Avenue South, BTA Project Office, Seattle.

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 WAC 197-11-355. There is no further comment period on the DNS.

This DNS is issued under WAC 197-11-340(2); the lead agency will not act on this proposal for 14 days from the date below. Comments must be submitted to the Environmental Officer at the address below by October 28, 2005. Appeals must be submitted to the address below by October 28, 2005.

We have identified and adopted this document as being appropriate for this proposal after independent review. The document meets our environmental review needs for the current proposal and will accompany the proposal to the decision-maker.

Name of agency adopting document. Seattle School District

Responsible official Ronald J. English

Position/title Seattle School District Environmental Officer

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Date 10/3/05

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