Chapter 132M-325 WAC
STATE ENVIRONMENTAL POLICY ACT

WAC 132M-325-010 Introduction.
When the office of administration or another unit on campus begins to consider taking an action which might affect the environment (e.g., revising the master plan, constructing a new building or recreation facility, adding to an existing facility, landscaping, utilities modification or installation, or adopting or revising grounds maintenance policies), the college shall follow the steps outlined in WAC 132M-325-010 through 132M-325-060.

WAC 132M-325-020 State Environmental Policy Act compliance.
It is the policy of Lower Columbia College that capital projects proposed to be developed by the college and other similar type activities shall be accomplished in accordance with chapter 43.21C RCW, the State Environmental Policy Act (SEPA) and in accordance with chapter 197-10 WAC, guidelines for State Environmental Policy Act implementation. To this end, Lower Columbia College hereby adopts by reference to the following sections or subsections of chapter 197-10 of the Washington Administrative Code (the "SEPA guidelines" adopted by the state of Washington, council on environmental policy):

WAC 132M-325-030 State Environmental Policy Act "responsible official.

Information center and register distribution.

Publication of notice of action.

Time limit for completion of EIS process.

WAC 132M-325-050 Publication of notice of action.

WAC 132M-325-060 Time limit for completion of EIS process.

WAC 132M-325-010: Lead agency designation—Private projects for which there is only one agency

WAC 132M-325-020: Lead agency designation—Private projects, licenses from more than one agency when one is city/county

WAC 132M-325-025: Lead agency designation—Private projects, license from more than one state agency

WAC 132M-325-0230: Lead agency designation—Specific proposals

WAC 132M-325-0235: Local agency transfer of lead agency status to a state agency

WAC 132M-325-0240: Agreements as to lead agency status

WAC 132M-325-0245: Agreements between agencies as to division of lead agency duties

WAC 132M-325-0260: Dispute as to lead agency determination—Resolution by CEP

WAC 132M-325-0270: Assumption of lead agency by another agency with jurisdiction

WAC 132M-325-0280: Threshold determination requirement

WAC 132M-325-0290: Recommended timing for threshold determination

WAC 132M-325-0295: Threshold determination procedures—Environmental checklist

WAC 132M-325-0296: Threshold determination procedures—Initial review of environmental checklist

WAC 132M-325-0297: Threshold determination procedures—Information in addition to checklist

WAC 132M-325-0298: Threshold determination procedures—Negative declarations

WAC 132M-325-0299: Assumption of lead agency status by another agency with jurisdiction—Prerequisites, effect and form of notice

WAC 132M-325-0300: Affirmative threshold determinations

WAC 132M-325-0301: Form of declaration of significance/nonsignificance

WAC 132M-325-0302: Threshold determination criteria—Application of environmental checklist

WAC 132M-325-0303: Environmental checklist

WAC 132M-325-0304: Withdrawal of affirmative threshold determination
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WAC 197-10-375: Withdrawal of negative threshold determination
WAC 197-10-390: Effect of threshold determination by lead agency
WAC 197-10-400: Duty to begin preparation of a draft EIS
WAC 197-10-410: Predraft consultation procedures
WAC 197-10-425: Organization and style of a draft EIS
WAC 197-10-440: Contents of a draft EIS
WAC 197-10-442: Special considerations regarding contents of an EIS
WAC 197-10-444: List of elements of the environment
WAC 197-10-450: Public awareness of availability of draft EIS
WAC 197-10-455: Circulation of the draft EIS—Review period
WAC 197-10-460: Specific agencies to which draft EIS shall be sent
WAC 197-10-465: Agencies possessing environmental expertise
WAC 197-10-470: Cost to the public for reproduction of environmental documents
WAC 197-10-480: Public hearing on a proposal—When required
WAC 197-10-485: Notice of public hearing on environmental impact of the proposal
WAC 197-10-490: Public hearing on the proposal—Use of environmental document
WAC 197-10-495: Preparation of amended or new draft EIS
WAC 197-10-500: Responsibilities of consulted agencies—Local agencies
WAC 197-10-510: Responsibilities of consulted agencies—State agencies with jurisdiction
WAC 197-10-520: Responsibilities of consulted agencies—State agencies with environmental expertise
WAC 197-10-530: Responsibilities of consulted agencies—When predraft consultation has occurred
WAC 197-10-535: Cost of performance of consulted agency responsibilities
WAC 197-10-540: Limitations on responses to consultation
WAC 197-10-545: Effect of no written comment
WAC 197-10-550: Preparation of the final EIS—Time period allowed
WAC 197-10-570: Preparation of final EIS—When no critical comments received on the draft EIS

WAC 197-10-580: Preparation of the final EIS—Contents—When critical comments received on draft EIS
WAC 197-10-600: Circulation of the final EIS
WAC 197-10-650: Effect of an adequate final EIS prepared pursuant to NEPA
WAC 197-10-652: Supplementation by a lead agency of an inadequate final NEPA EIS
WAC 197-10-660: Use of previously prepared EIS for a different proposed action
WAC 197-10-690: Use of a lead agency’s EIS by other acting agencies for the same proposal
WAC 197-10-695: Draft and final supplements to a revised EIS
WAC 197-10-700: No action for seven days after publication of the final EIS
WAC 197-10-710: EIS combined with existing planning and review processes
WAC 197-10-830: Responsibilities of agencies—SEPA public information center
WAC 197-10-835: Regional SEPA public information centers
WAC 197-10-840: Application of agency guidelines to ongoing actions

[W Statutory Authority: Chapter 43.21C RCW. WSR 78-04-072 (Resolution No. 78-1), § 132M-325-020, filed 4/3/78.]

WAC 132M-325-030 State Environmental Policy Act"responsible official." In compliance with chapter 197-10 WAC, the president of Lower Columbia College or an individual designated to act for and on behalf of him shall be the "responsible official" for carrying out this policy.

[W Statutory Authority: Chapter 43.21C RCW. WSR 78-04-072 (Resolution No. 78-1), § 132M-325-030, filed 4/3/78.]

WAC 132M-325-040 Information center and register distribution. The SEPA public information center required by chapter 197-10 WAC, shall be maintained in the office of administration of Lower Columbia College. Copies or updates of the registers required by WAC 197-10-830(3) shall be sent as required by WAC 197-10-830(4) to those individuals and organizations who make written request therefore.

[W Statutory Authority: Chapter 43.21C RCW. WSR 78-04-072 (Resolution No. 78-1), § 132M-325-040, filed 4/3/78.]

WAC 132M-325-050 Publication of notice of action. Any action, as defined in WAC 197-10-040, undertaken by Lower Columbia College, shall be publicized as prescribed in RCW 43.21C.080.

[W Statutory Authority: Chapter 43.21C RCW. WSR 78-04-072 (Resolution No. 78-1), § 132M-325-050, filed 4/3/78.]

WAC 132M-325-060 Time limit for completion of EIS process. As soon as possible after a proposal for action has been formulated and its scope defined the responsible

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official or his designee shall establish the date by which the EIS process for the particular project must be completed.

[Statutory Authority: Chapter 43.21C RCW. WSR 78-04-072 (Resolution No. 78-1), § 132M-325-060, filed 4/3/78.]