Determination of Non-Significance
(DNS)

Proposal: Adoption of an interim ordinance to change "day care II facilities" (defined in AMC 19.44.010) from a Type 4 conditional use permit to an outright permitted use, which requires no discretionary land use review. A City Council public hearing would be scheduled and held within 60 days. The interim ordinance is valid for six months unless extended by City Council before expiration. The Planning Department would begin work on a proposal for a permanent code change to facilitate childcare in the R4 zone, which would address parking requirements and the requirement for child drop-off/loading zones.

Documents are available for review on the city's website:

https://www.anacorteswa.gov/1352/Day-Cares

Applicant /Proponent: City of Anacortes

Location of Proposal: City limits of the City of Anacortes

Lead Agency: City of Anacortes, Planning, Community, & Economic Development Department

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 of file with the lead agency. This information is available to the public on request.

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 regarding this DNS must be submitted by July 7, 2021 at 5:00 PM.

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Date of Issuance: June 23, 2021

Appeals of this environmental determination may be made per the procedures outlined in AMC 18.04 and Ch. 19.20 by July 7, 2021, at 5:00 PM. Additional information regarding the appeal process may be obtained from the City of Anacortes PCED Department, 360-299-1984.