SEPA DETERMINATION OF NON-SIGNIFICANCE (DNS) SEATTLE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION (SDOT) GREENWOOD AVENUE N PEDESTRIAN IMPROVEMENTS PROJECT

Description of proposal: The Seattle Department of Transportation (SDOT) proposes to construct a new sidewalk, planting strip, curb and gutter along the west side of Greenwood Avenue N, between N 145th and N 137th Streets. Other improvements include Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA)-compliant curb ramps at each intersection in the project area, crosswalk improvements, and compliance with the Seattle Stormwater Code. Pipes and inlets would be installed between N 144th and N 136th Streets as part of drainage improvements. A retaining wall would be installed between N 138th and N 137th Streets partially outside of right-of-way. An estimated 34 temporary construction easements and one permanent easement would be required for the project.

Proponent: City of Seattle Department of Transportation (SDOT)

Seattle Municipal Tower 700 Fifth Ave, Suite 3800

P.O. Box 34966 Seattle, WA 98124

Location of proposal including street address, if any: The project would extend along the west side of Greenwood Avenue N from N 145th Street to N 136th Street in the Bitter Lake/Broadview neighborhoods.

Lead Agency: SDOT

SDOT has determined that this proposal would 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 may be examined in the Seattle Department of Construction and Inspections Public Resource Center at 700 5th Avenue, Suite 2000, Seattle, WA, 98104. Documents are also at the Seattle Central Library, at 1000 4th Avenue, Seattle, WA, 98104.

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☐ This DNS is issued after using the optional DNS process in WAC 197-11-355 and Seattle Municipal Code (SMC) 25.05.355. There is no further comment period on the DNS.

☑ This DNS is issued under WAC 197-11-340(2) and Seattle Municipal Code (SMC) 25.05.340; the lead agency will not act on this proposal for 14 days from the issue date below. Comments must be submitted by 5:00 p.m. July 9, 2018.

Issue Date: June 25, 2018

SEPA Responsible Official: Goran Sparrman, Interim Director, SDOT

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Any interested person may appeal this DNS by submitting a Notice of Appeal and a \$85.00 filing fee to the Office of the Hearing Examiner located at 700 5th Avenue, Suite 4000, Seattle; mailing address: P.O. Box 94729, Seattle, WA 98124; telephone: (206) 684-0521. **The appeal must be filed no later than 5:00 p.m. July 16, 2018.** The appellant should be prepared to make specific factual objections. See SMC 25.05.680 A(2)(a)(ii) for SEPA appeal procedures.