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I would be hesitant to come up with such large zones for the RMZ and such a large RMZ for western WA. While this may be "guidelines" that are not required, they will affect funding sources for agencies that help landowners address resource concerns. If these agencies have to abide by the guidelines, it will limit the amount of actual work that gets implemented. It would be better to actually get projects completed that do help address resource concerns and work with the landowner objectives rather than have impractical goals or guidelines that will decrease the work that is done. Getting landowners to agree to such large zones will prove to be difficult and is already difficult to limit ag activities in smaller buffer zones.