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Rulemaking for designating Type III waters needs to be halted until all environmental impacts of these designations have been identified and disclosed. Ecology is required by the State Environmental Policy Act (SEPA) to disclose impacts on land and shoreline use. Yet its SEPA decision does not acknowledge that the designation would likely prevent roads and public access for human activities adjacent to these waters. It also does not discuss potential impacts on forest management practices to prevent or fight catastrophic wildfires. These oversights need to be addressed before a designation that is at all beneficial can be assigned.