

2019 Snohomish County Park Inventory Report



River Meadows County Park



Welcome to the 2019 Snohomish County Park Inventory Report. This document is prepared to provide information on properties managed by the Snohomish County Department of Parks, Recreation & Tourism (Parks) and to support long-range planning efforts. This document reflects Parks' inventory as of January 1, 2019 and consists of an overview map, a park amenities matrix as well as individual park pages, which provide more detailed information about each site.

The Snohomish County Parks system is incredibly diverse and boasts almost 12,000 acres of parks and open space; over 110 park properties; 100s of miles of trails and access to fresh and saltwater shorelines. Major regional park assets such as the Evergreen State Fairgrounds, Kayak Point Park, Lord Hill Park and the Centennial and Interurban Trail systems host local, regional and national events that draw over 4 million visitors each year to Snohomish County.

Parks play a critical role in building livable and sustainable communities. They contribute to the health and wellness of individual citizens and communities by providing safe places to walk, swim, ride, run, recreate and play. County parks, events, trails and open space are on the front line of regional economic development efforts. Each year the region receives more than 50 million dollars in positive economic impact through camping and overnight lodging, special events and tournaments, environmental education and tourism that take place in Snohomish County park and recreation facilities. The Snohomish County Parks, Recreation & Tourism Department is the largest land steward in county government and our parks, trails and open space contribute to the clean water, clean air, healthy forests and great beaches that we all enjoy.

We invite you to enjoy your Snohomish County Parks!



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Acronyms

BFP – Boating Facilities Program

BNSF – Burlington Northern Santa Fe

CF – Snohomish County Conservation Futures

DNR – Washington State Department of Natural Resources

HUD – Department of Housing and Urban Development

IAC – Interdepartmental Agency for Outdoor Recreation (now RCO)

ISTEA – Intermodal Surface Transportation Efficiency Act

LWCF – Land and Water Conservation Fund

NIP – Neighborhood Improvement Program

NRCS – Natural Resources Conservation Service

PSE – Puget Sound Energy

PUD – Snohomish County Public Utility District Number 1

RCO – Washington State Recreation and Conservation Office (formerly IAC)

REET – Real Estate Excise Tax

RZEDB – Recovery Zone Economic Development Bonds

SRFB – Salmon Recovery Funding Board

SWM – Surface Water Management, a division of the Snohomish County Department of Public Works

WDFW – Washington State Department of Fish and Wildlife

WWRP – Washington Wildlife and Recreation Program

WSDOT – Washington State Department of Transportation

WSU – Washington State University

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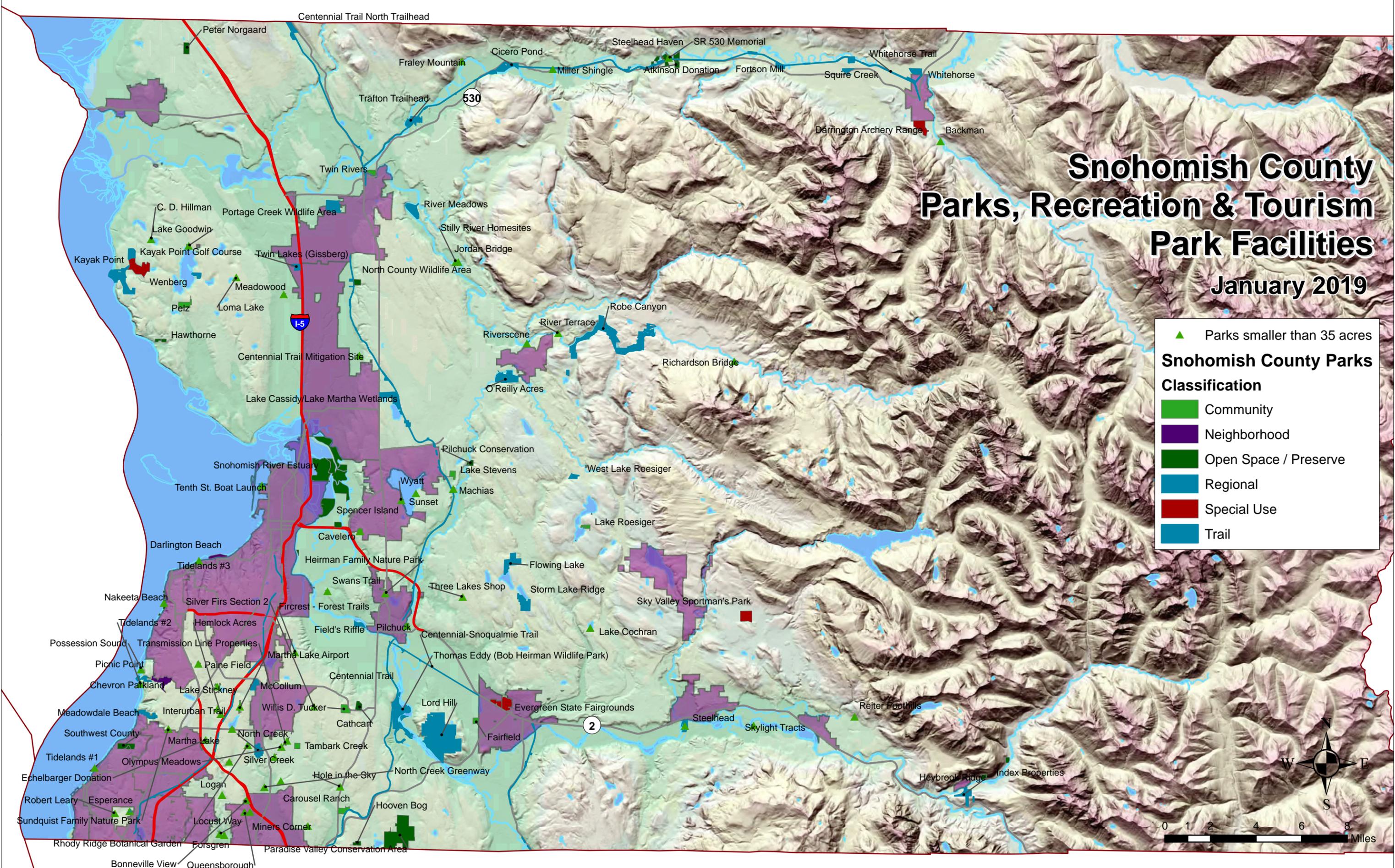
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▲ Parks smaller than 35 acres

Snohomish County Parks Classification

- Community
- Neighborhood
- Open Space / Preserve
- Regional
- Special Use
- Trail



Park	Classification	Athletic Fields	Biking	Boat Launch	Camping	Equestrian Access	Off-leash Dog Park	Picnicking	Playground	Restroom*	Skate Park	Swimming	Trails	Water Access	Wildlife Viewing
Atkinson Donation	Open Space/Preserve														
Backman	Regional			X				X		O				X	X
Bonneville View	Neighborhood														
Brentwood	Neighborhood														
Carousel Ranch	Community														
Cathcart	Open Space/Preserve														
Cavalero	Community						X			O					
Centennial Trail	Trail		X			X		X	X	X/O			X		X
Centennial Trail Mitigation Site	Open Space/Preserve														
Centennial Trail North Trailhead	Regional		X			X		X		O			X		X
Centennial-Snoqualmie Trail	Trail														
Chevron Parkland	Neighborhood												X		X
Cicero Pond	Regional														X
Darlington Beach	Neighborhood														
Darrington Archery Range	Special Use														
Echelbarger Donation	Open Space/Preserve														
Esperance Park	Community	X						X	X				X		
Evergreen State Fairgrounds	Special Use				X	X				X					
Fairfield	Community	X								O					
Field's Riffle	Regional												X	X	X
Fircrest - Forest Trails	Neighborhood														
Flowing Lake (Leckie's)	Regional			X	X			X	X	X		X	X	X	X
Forsgren	Community	X						X	X	O					
Fortson Mill	Regional												X	X	X
Fraley Mountain	Open Space/Preserve														
Grannis Hills	Neighborhood														
Hawthorne Property	Open Space/Preserve														
Heirman Family Nature Park	Neighborhood														
Hemlock Acres	Neighborhood														
Heybrook Ridge	Regional												X		
C. D. Hillman	Regional			X										X	X
Hole In the Sky	Community							X					X	X	X
Hooven Bog	Open Space/Preserve														
Index Properties	Open Space/Preserve														
Interurban Trail	Trail		X										X		
Jordan Bridge	Regional							X						X	X

Park	Classification	Athletic Fields	Biking	Boat Launch	Camping	Equestrian Access	Off-leash Dog Park	Picnicking	Playground	Restroom*	Skate Park	Swimming	Trails	Water Access	Wildlife Viewing
Queensborough	Neighborhood														
Reiter Foothills	Regional														
Rhody Ridge Botanical Garden	Regional												X		
Richardson Bridge	Open Space/Preserve														
River Meadows	Regional			X	X			X		X			X	X	X
River Terrace	Open Space/Preserve														
Riverscene	Regional													X	X
Robe Canyon	Regional									O			X		X
Shenandoah Woods	Neighborhood														
Silver Creek	Community							X	X				X		X
Silver Firs Section 2	Open Space/Preserve														
Sky Valley Sportman's Park	Special Use														
Skylight Tract	Open Space/Preserve														
Snohomish River Estuary	Open Space/Preserve														
Southwest County	Open Space/Preserve												X		X
Spencer Island	Regional							X		O			X		X
Squire Creek	Regional				X			X		X				X	X
SR 530 Memorial	Open Space/Preserve														
Steelhead	Regional														
Steelhead Haven	Open Space/Preserve														
Stilly River Homesites	Open Space/Preserve														
Storm Lake Ridge	Regional														
Sundquist Family Nature Park	Neighborhood														
Sunset	Neighborhood											X		X	X
Swans Trail	Community														
Tambark Creek	Community	X					x	X	X	X			X		X
Tenth St. Boat Launch	Regional			X				X		X				X	X
Thomas Eddy (Bob Heirman Wildlife Park)	Regional							X		O			X		X
Three Lakes Shop															
Tidelands #1	Neighborhood														
Tidelands #2	Neighborhood														
Tidelands #3	Neighborhood														
Trafton Trailhead	Regional									O			X	X	X
Transmission Line Properties	Neighborhood												X		
Willis D. Tucker	Community	X					x	X	X	X			X		X
Twin Lakes (Gissberg)	Regional							X		X		X	X	X	X

Atkinson Donation

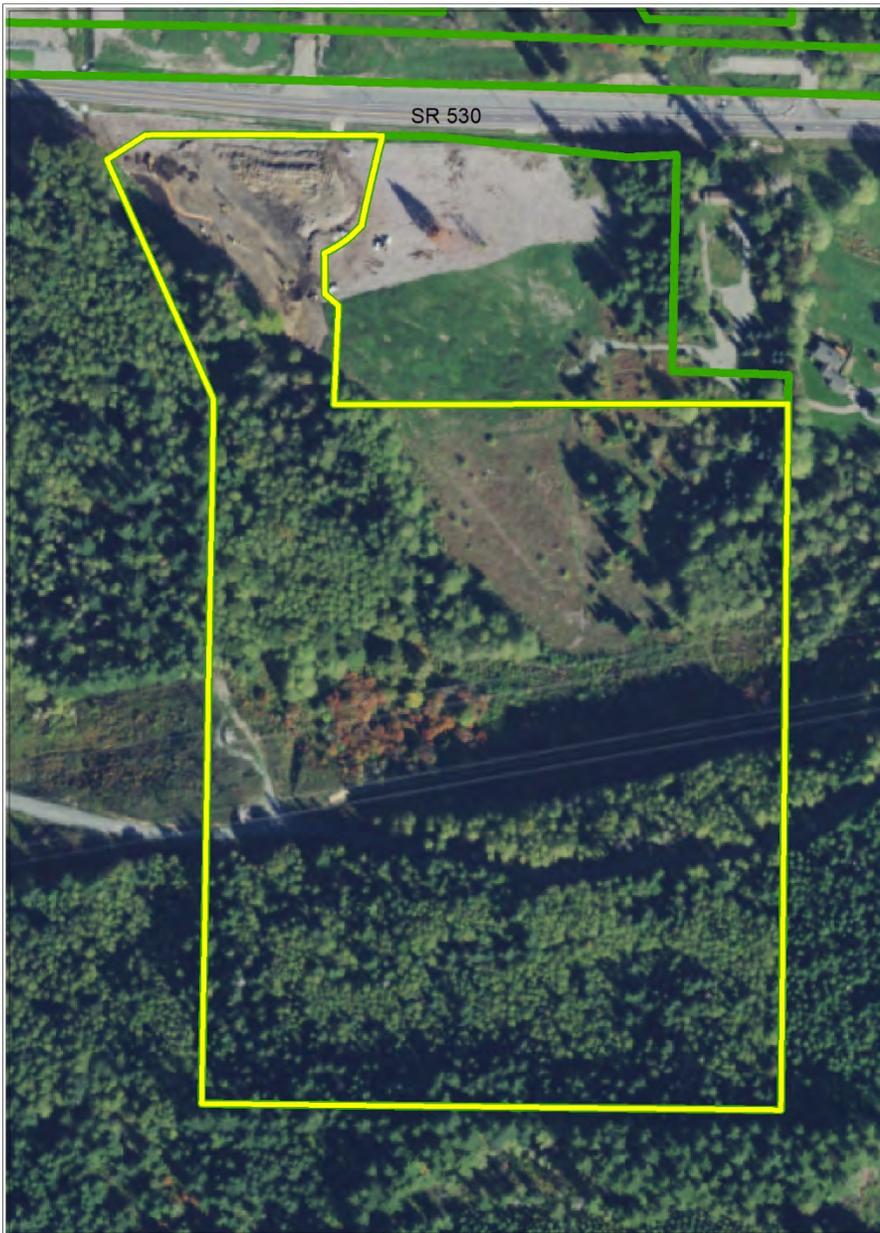
SR 530, Arlington, 98223

Type: Open Space/Preserve

Acreage: 36.3

Acquisition Date: 2016

Funding Source: Donated



Description: Open space parcel with native plant and creek restoration elements. The majority of the property is encumbered with a Critical Areas Protection Area.

History: This property was acquired by Guy F. Atkinson Construction LLC for the purpose of completing habitat improvements as mitigation for impacts associated with reconstruction of State Route 530, adjacent to the site. Following installation of mitigation features, the property was donated to Snohomish County for long term stewardship.

Features: Undeveloped

Future Plans: None

2015 Aerial

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Backman

2533 Clear Creek Rd., Darrington, 98241

Type: Regional
Acreage: 2.25
Acquisition Date: 1966
Funding Source: Deeded

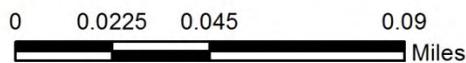


Description: This park is located 1.5 miles south of the Town of Darrington on Clear Creek Road. The primary use of this property is boating access to the Sauk River and picnicking. This site includes a small parking area, picnic tables and a non-motorized boat launch.

History: This property was transferred by Quit-Claim Deed from the Town of Darrington to Snohomish County in 1966.

Features: Boat launch, river access, picnicking, parking, and portable restroom

Future Plans: None



Bonneville View

W. Richmond Rd., Bothell, 98021

Type: Neighborhood

Acreage: 2.83

Acquisition Date: 1977

Funding Source: Dedication



Description: Wooded open space tract located in a residential development in the north Bothell area, near I-405.

History: This tract was dedicated to Snohomish County as part of the plat approval process for the Bonneville View development. The property was transferred for the purpose of providing common open space.

Features: Undeveloped

Future Plans: None



Carousel Ranch

SR 9, Woodinville, 98072

Type: Community

Acreage: 65.33

Acquisition Date: 2015

Funding Source: Mitigation



Description: A 65 acre holding, located east of Hwy 9 and west of the undeveloped portion of the Centennial Trail corridor. The property is currently undeveloped and is not open to the general public at this time.

History: This property was acquired in 2015 to satisfy active park provision requirements included in the 2005 Brightwater mitigation agreement with King County.

Following acquisition, efforts to develop a Preferred Plan for the park began and the site is envisioned to include parking, four artificial turf fields, an off-leash dog area, playground, trail system, open meadow, spray feature, future trailhead to the Centennial Trail and maintenance structure.

Features: Currently undeveloped

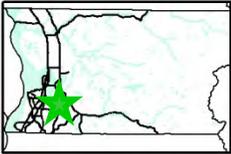
Future Plans: Completion of phase I park development, which is planned to include ballfields, an off-leash dog area, parking, playground, meadow area, trail system and maintenance building



Cathcart

Cathcart Way, Snohomish, 98296

Type: Open Space/Preserve
Acreage: 59.40
Acquisition Date: 2010
Funding Source: CF



Description: Undeveloped open space land located adjacent to the Snohomish County Public Works facility on Cathcart Way. The property is heavily wooded and functions as a passive conservation site.

History: The property was acquired in 2010 with funding approved by the Snohomish County Conservation Futures Advisory Board for the purpose of preserving land with high habitat value and also to provide additional buffering of Outcrop Creek.

Features: Undeveloped

Future Plans:



Cavalero

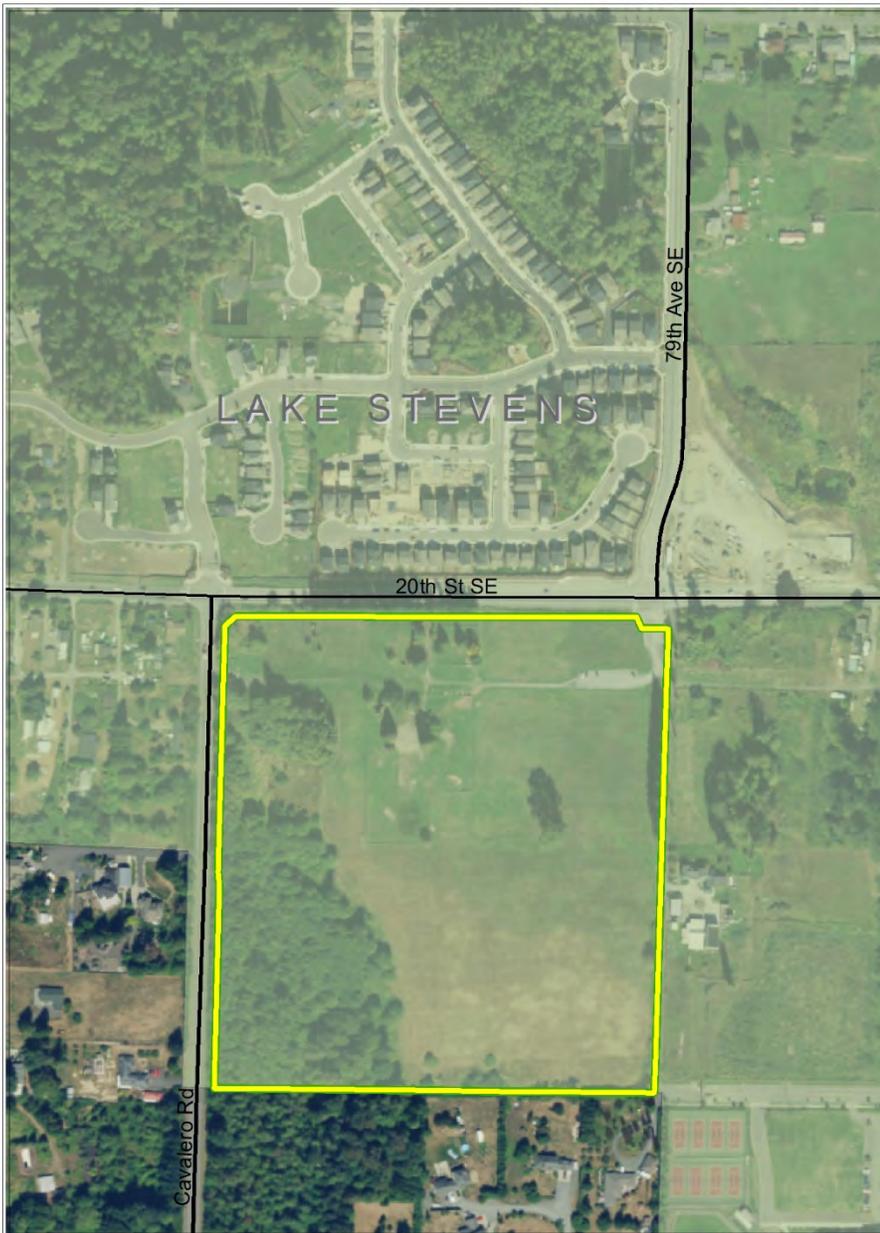
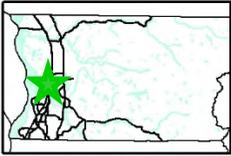
7708 20th St. SE, Lake Stevens, 98258

Type: Community

Acreage: 33.19

Acquisition Date: 2001, 2006

Funding Source: CF, NIP, REET



Description: This 33 acre site is located within the city limits of Lake Stevens at the intersection of Cavalero Rd. and 20th St. SE. The site is bordered by residential parcels, with Cavalero Mid-High School located to the southeast. This site currently includes two off-leash dog areas with one designated for shy dogs.

History: The property was used for agricultural purposes prior to acquisition. The park was acquired in two phases, with an initial Master Plan completed between phases. The Master Plan was updated in 2014 to reflect the new park extents and current public interests. This work was completed in partnership with the City of Lake Stevens

Features: Two off-leash dog areas, parking and a portable restroom

Future Plans: Phase I of the updated Master Plan improvements are planned to be completed in 2019. Partial funding has been secured from Washington State, with the balance coming from the City, County and donations from Lake Stevens Rotary.

Phase I improvements will include a skateboard park and new parking area.

2015 Aerial



Centennial Trail

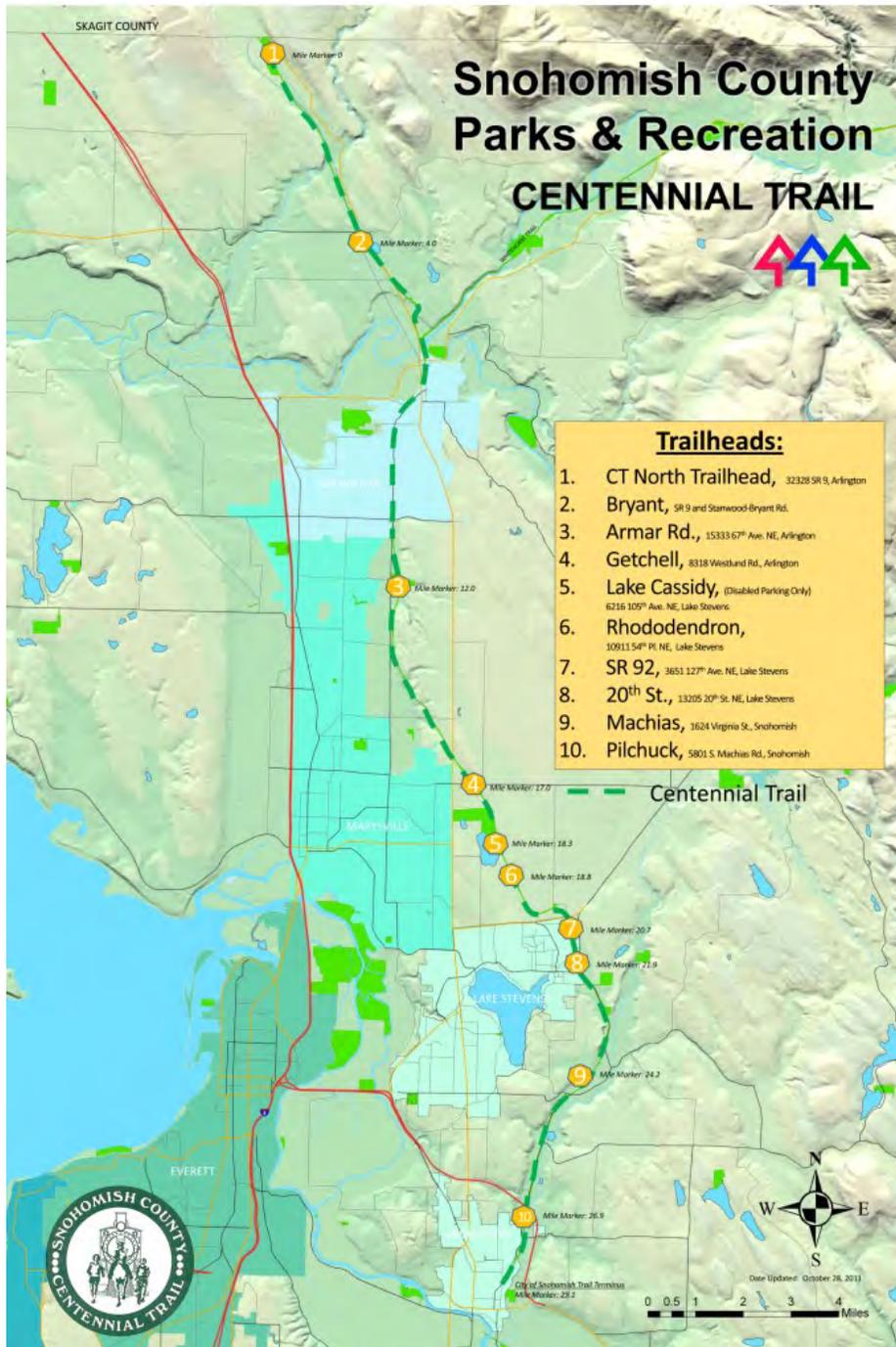
Developed – City of Snohomish to Skagit County

Type: Trail

Acreage: 585.76

Acquisition Date: 1990-2016

Funding Source: CF, Donation, IAC, Tax Title



Description: An enormously popular recreational trail for walking, bicycling, hiking, and horseback riding, which is accessible to people of all physical abilities. The trail provides a safe alternative transportation route connecting the Cities of Snohomish, Lake Stevens and Arlington, Skagit County and points between. The linear park also serves as a wildlife and conservation corridor protecting sensitive and important natural and cultural resources.

History: The right-of-way for the Centennial Trail was originally acquired for railroad use. The railway was built north of Snohomish by the Seattle, Lake Shore, and Eastern Railroad Company (S.L.&E.) in 1889. The S.L.&E. eventually connected Seattle north with Canada and linked Everett east with Stevens Pass.

Development of the rail corridor for trail purposes began in 1989, hence the name, Centennial Trail. To the south, in King County, a section of this same abandoned S.L.&E. line has become Seattle's heavily used Burke-Gilman Trail and King County's Sammamish River Trail.



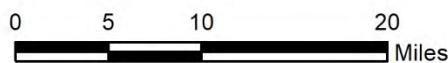
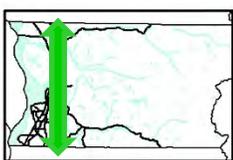
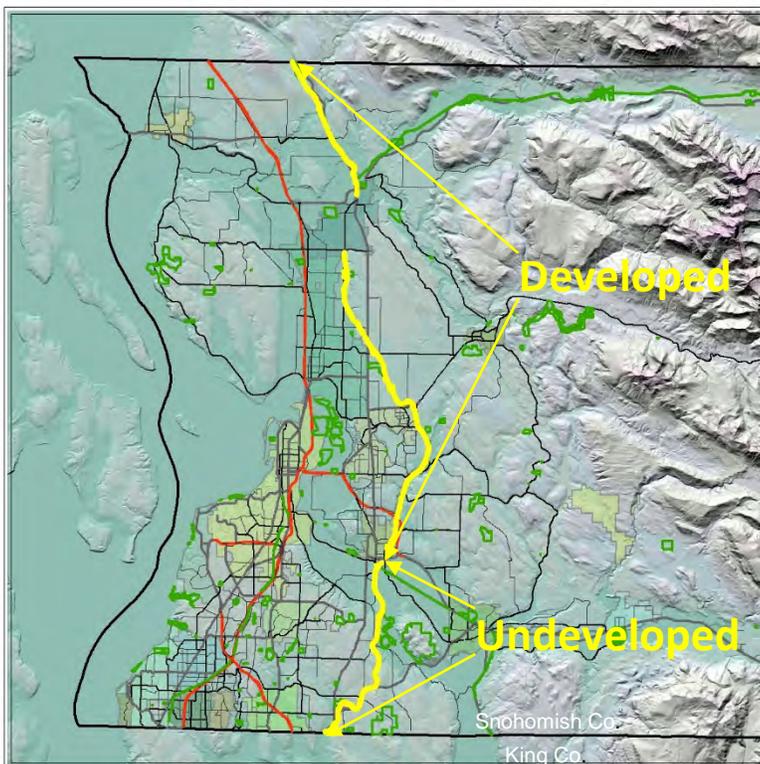
Centennial Trail



History (cont.): The railroad provided local and international mail, freight, and passenger service. It carried timber from the forests, lumber from the sawmills, and iron, copper, lead, silver, and gold from Mount Pilchuck and Monte Cristo mines. Tourists could ride in open rail cars to Monte Cristo and back for the day, winding through the steep canyons of the South Fork Stillaguamish River, or go to the Big Four Inn at the ice caves on the "Mountain Loop" to the east.

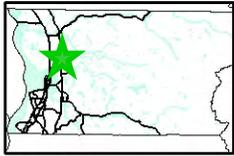
Features: The developed portion of the trail, starting in the City of Snohomish, features paved and parallel soft surface trail system that includes trailheads, portable restrooms, picnicking and wildlife viewing opportunities. A playground and restroom are located at the Machias Trailhead. That portion of the trail located south of the City of Snohomish is not yet developed but plans are currently being pursued for trail design and future construction.

Future Plans: Continued design of the trail south of the City of Snohomish, along with perfection of ownership and future development. On-going repairs are also planned, including pavement preservation, bank repairs and life-cycle replacement of the Machias playground.



Centennial Trail Mitigation Site

100th St. NE, Marysville, 98270



Type: Open Space/Preserve

Acreage: 10.37

Acquisition Date: 2003

Funding Source: CF

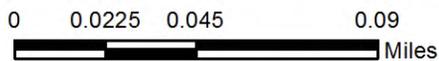


Description: An undeveloped parcel, which was acquired in 2003 to mitigate for development impacts associated with development of a portion of the Centennial Trail.

History: Acquired in 2003 for Centennial Trail development mitigation.

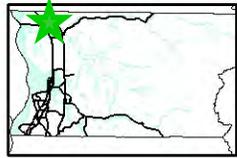
Features: Undeveloped

Future Plans: None

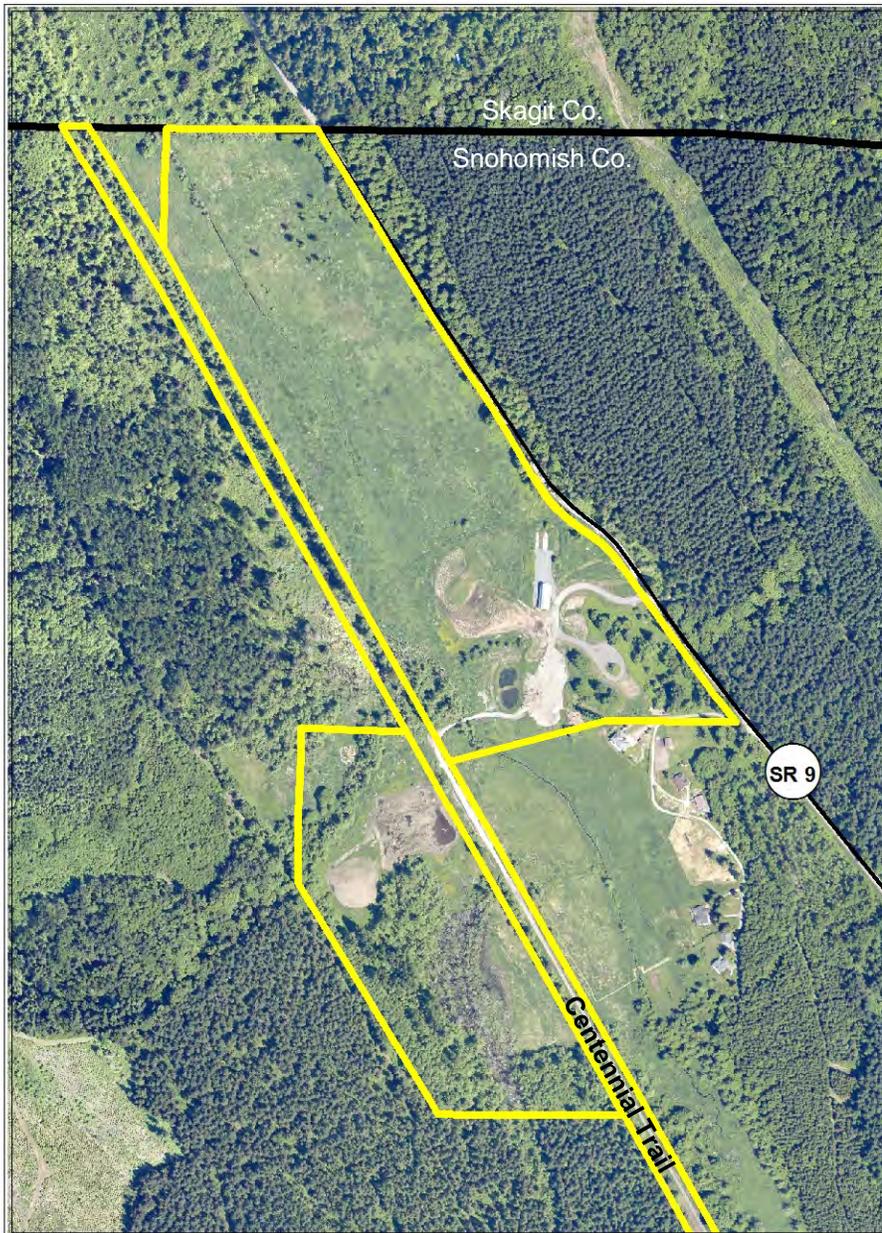


Centennial Trail North Trailhead

32528 SR 9 NE, Arlington, 98223



Type: Regional
Acreage: 84.00
Acquisition Date: 1997
Funding Source: CF

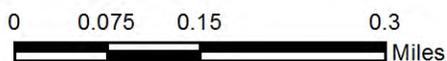


Description: This property, also known as Nakashima, is located on the Skagit/Snohomish County line and is the northern terminus for the Centennial Trail. Construction of the trailhead was completed in 2012. Parking is provided (standard and equestrian) as well as picnic tables and a portable restroom. Other portions of the property include open meadow and wetland areas.

History: Prior to purchase, this property was used for farming. The Nakashima family farmed the property from approximately 1937 to 1942. The property includes a barn which was built in 1919 and was placed on the Washington State historic register in 2007.

Features: Trailhead parking, picnicking, wildlife viewing, historical information and portable restrooms

Future Plans: Pavement preservation and repairs



Centennial-Snoqualmie Trail

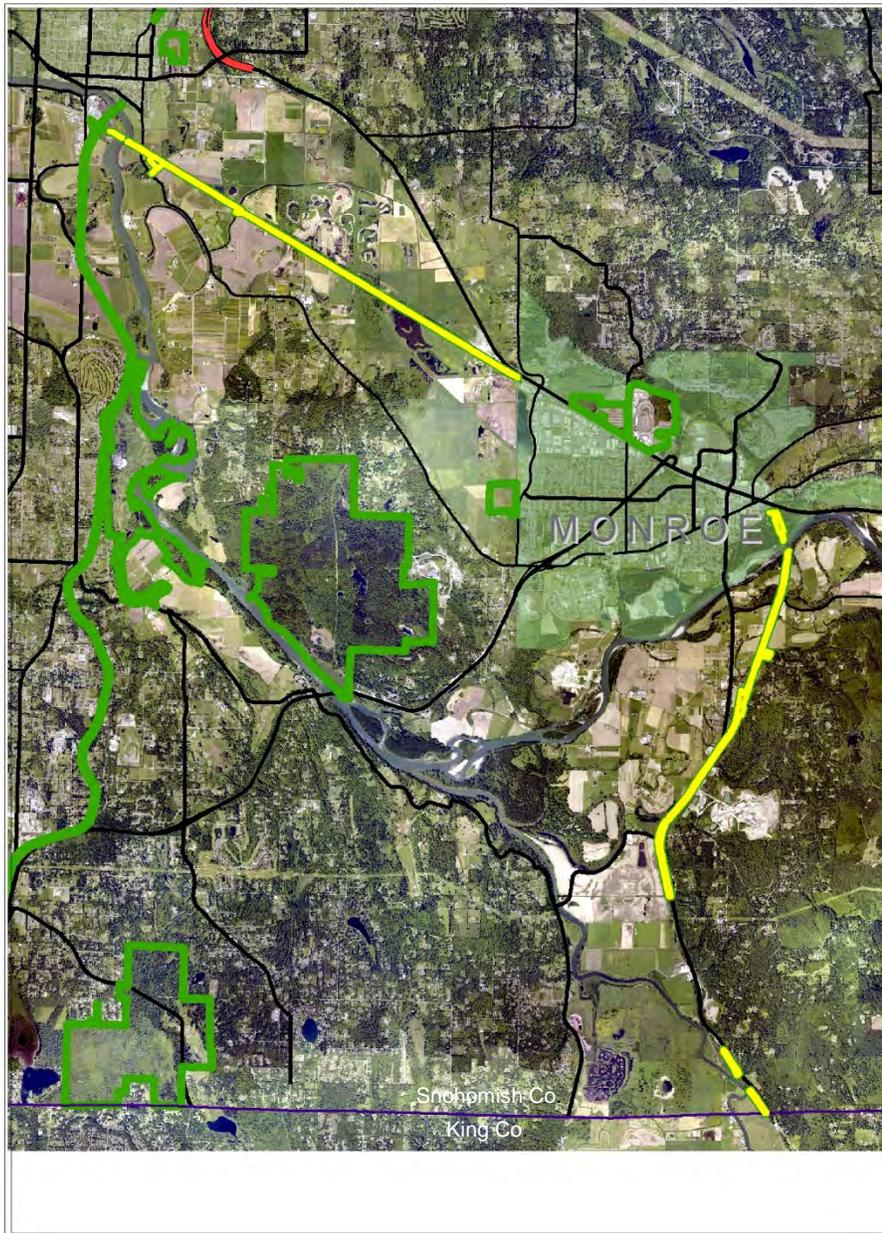
Snohomish to Monroe to King County

Type: Trail

Acreage: 98.87

Acquisition Date: 1992-2017

Funding Source: Donation, CF

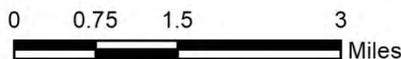


Description: A currently undeveloped trail corridor extending from the City of Snohomish to the City of Monroe and south to King County. That portion that runs between Snohomish and Monroe is located within a PSE corridor, while that portion running south from Monroe follows an old railroad alignment. The section south of the City of Monroe is missing a number of connections which would allow for trail development and extension into King County and the Snoqualmie Valley Trail system.

History: This property was acquired in multiple phases between 1992 and 2017 in order to provide an eastern link from the Centennial Trail and south to King County's regional trail system.

Features: Undeveloped

Future Plans: Design of City of Snohomish to City of Monroe section and continued exploration of options for completing the connection from Monroe south to King County.



Chevron Parkland

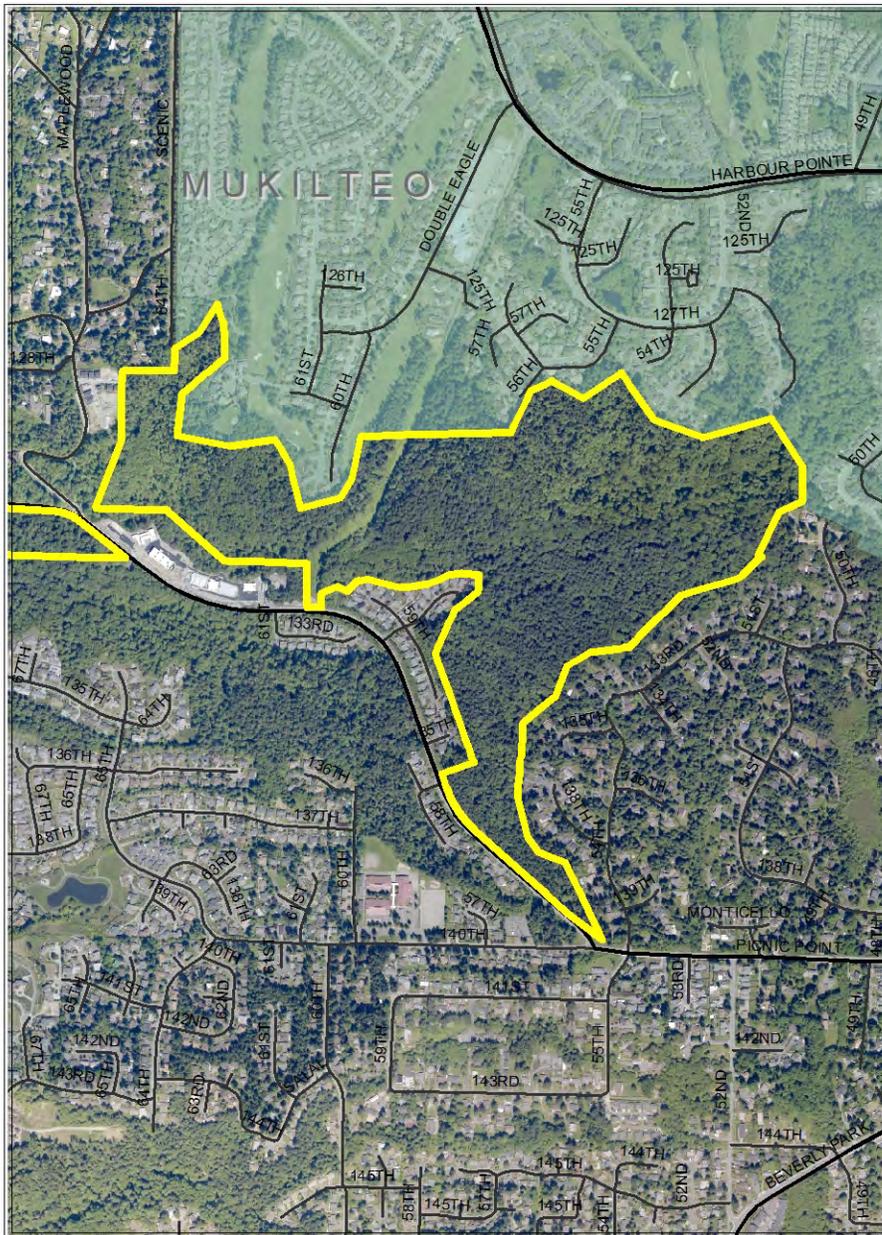
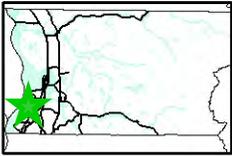
Picnic Point Rd., Edmonds, 98026

Type: Neighborhood

Acreage: 150.71

Acquisition Date: 1978-97

Funding Source: Deeded, Donation

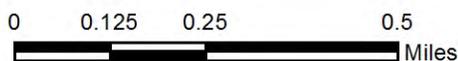


Description: A series of large open space tracts situated between residential neighborhood areas in the Harbour Point development, south of the City of Mukilteo. The property includes several heavily forested gulches, with a few walking trails and Picnic Point Creek, which flows to Puget Sound.

History: Deeded to Snohomish County by Chevron USA in 1978 as part of the Harbour Point residential development process. A portion of the Chevron Parklands holding was transferred to the City of Mukilteo as part of an annexation action in 2002.

Features: Trails

Future Plans:



Cicero Pond

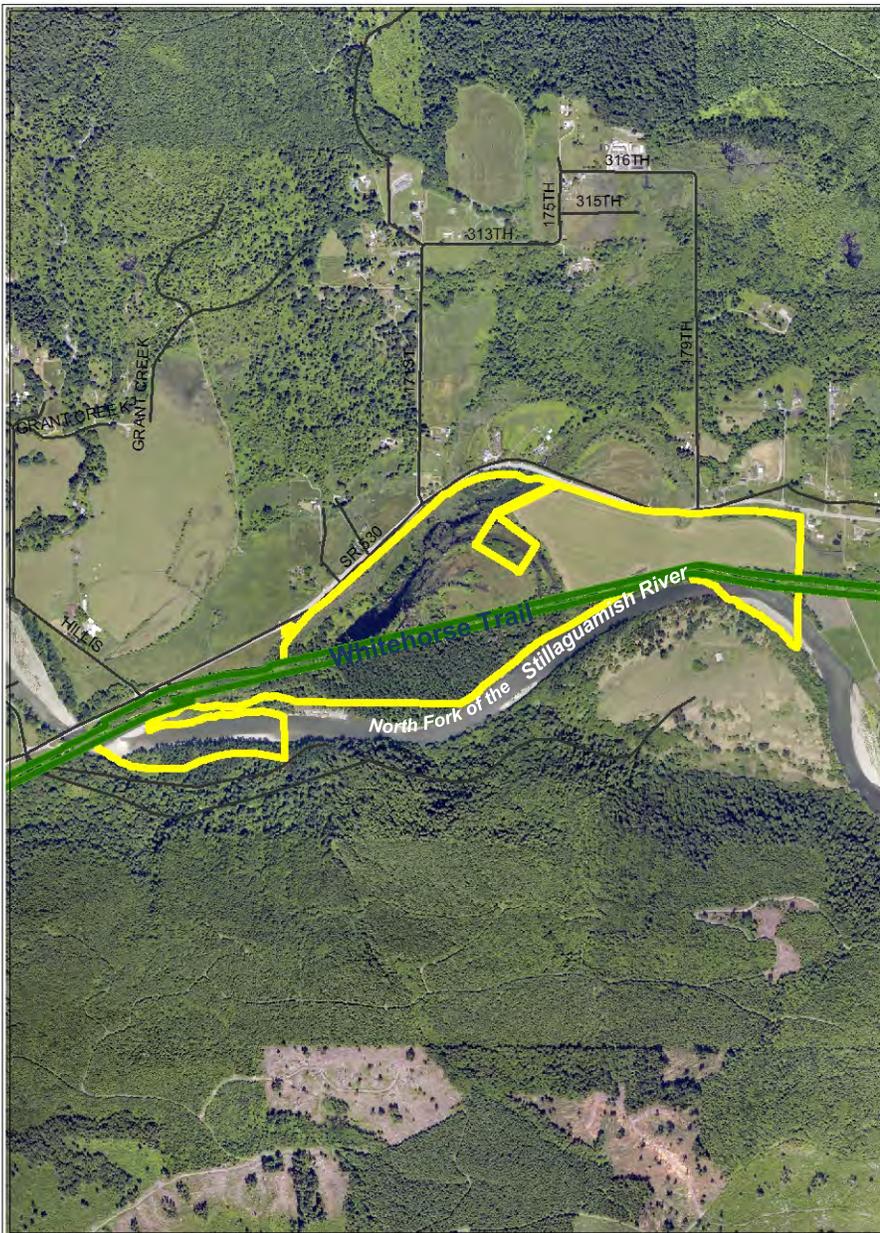
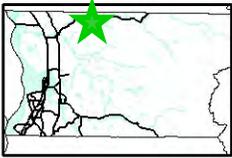
1826 SR 530, Arlington 98223

Type: Regional

Acreeage: 135.89

Acquisition Date: 1995-98

Funding Source: CF

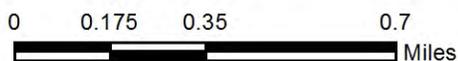


Description: Located six miles northeast of the City of Arlington on SR 530, this undeveloped park property is divided by the Whitehorse Trail and runs along the North Fork of the Stillaguamish River.

History: Prior to purchase, this property was used as a mill and for farming purposes. The property was purchased as a trailhead for the Whitehorse Trail and for river access.

Features: A portion of the property is accessible via the Whitehorse Trail and provides accessible wildlife viewing opportunities.

Future Plans: Habitat enhancements and trailhead development



Darlington Beach

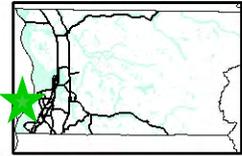
Gibson Road, Mukilteo, 98203

Type: Neighborhood

Acreage: 51.46

Acquisition Date: 1970

Funding Source: Tax Title

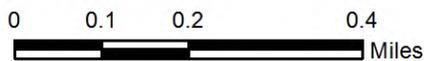


Description: A broad 51 acre property between the Cities of Everett and Mukilteo along Puget Sound. The property includes approximately .75 miles of tidal flat and beach area.

History: Acquired as Tax Title land in 1970.

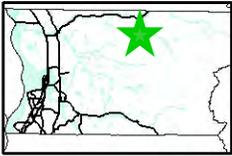
Features: Undeveloped

Future Plans: None



Darrington Archery Range

Mountain Loop Highway, Darrington, 98241

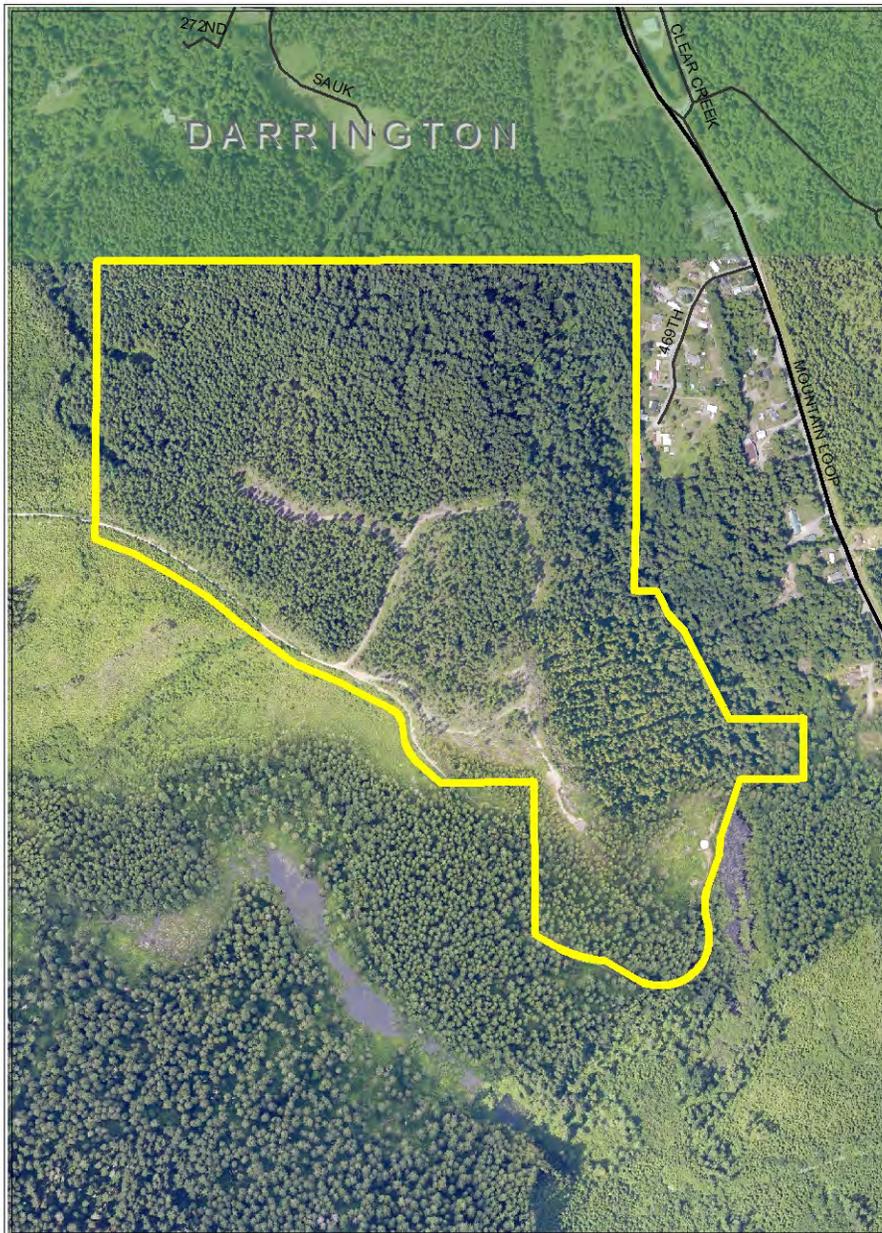


Type: Special Use

Acreage: 155.30

Acquisition Date: 1999

Funding Source: DNR Reconveyance

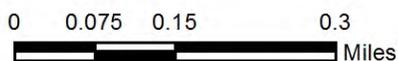


Description: A 155 acre site off the Mountain Loop Highway, south of the Town of Darrington. The property is largely forested with a few access roads. The property is currently being used for archery events by the Darrington Archers Club. The property is managed by the Town of Darrington through an Interlocal Cooperation Agreement.

History: Acquired by Snohomish County in 1999 through reconveyance from the Washington State Department of Natural Resources.

Features: Archery

Future Plans: None



Echelbarger Donation

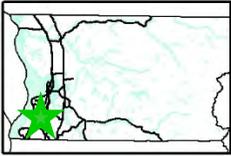
Ash Way, Lynnwood, 98037

Type: Open Space/Preserve

Acreage: 3.33

Acquisition Date: 2016

Funding Source: Donation



Description: A 3.3 acre site located north of the City of Lynnwood, in the Swamp Creek area.

History: Acquired by Snohomish County in 2016 as a donation from the Echelbarger family. Acceptance of the property was made for the purposes of retaining the property in open space and also for possible future recreation development.

Features: Undeveloped

Future Plans: None



Esperance

7830 222nd SW, Edmonds, 98020

Type: Community

Acreage: 9.55

Acquisition Date: 1986, 2016

Funding Source: RCO, CF



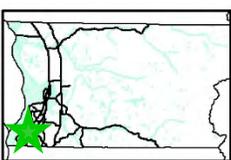
Description: Located at the intersection of 80th Ave. W and 222nd St. SW near Edmonds. The park includes a large grass meadow, a little league size baseball field and a playground. The northwestern portion of the park has a mature second growth forest with nature trails.

History: The property was formerly owned by the Edmonds School District and was planned to be surplus and sold for housing development. A community activist group, The Action Council for Esperance ('ACE'), petitioned Snohomish County to acquire the site for a Community Park and a portion of the property was acquired in 1986. The remainder of the school property was acquired and added to the park site in 2016.

Redesign of the park, to improve current park use and incorporate the newly acquired property into the park is currently underway and construction is planned to start in 2019.

Features: Little league field with multi-purpose outfield area, grass meadow, playground, forest trail, picnicking and portable restroom

Future Plans: Renovation of park to include off-leash dog area, little league field improvements, new playground, installation of viewing/play mound and forest play area



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Evergreen State Fairgrounds

14405 179th Ave. SE, Monroe, 98272

Type: Special Use

Acreage: 193.06

Acquisition Date: 1945-2010

Funding Source: CF, RZEDB, WA State

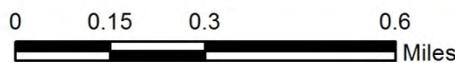
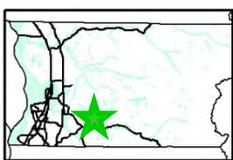
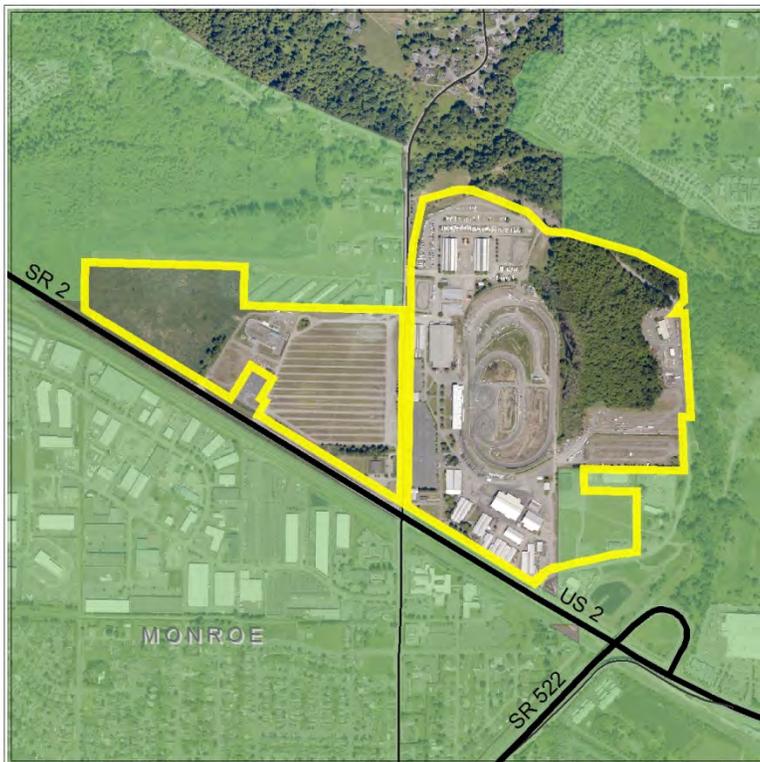


Description: The Evergreen State Fairgrounds is located adjacent to Highway 2 and the City of Monroe and covers 193 acres. The site is active year round with a variety of events, including the Spring Recreation Expo, 4H meetings and activities, equestrian events, races at the speedway and an annual twelve day fair. The fairgrounds includes a mix of buildings, parking, maintenance and administration areas as well as a large wetland and RV camping sites.

History: Although fairs have been held around the county since 1874, the Snohomish County Fair officially moved to the Evergreen State Fairgrounds in 1949 and was located on an original 40 acres. By 1956 the fairgrounds had expanded to 150 acres and continued to expand to its current size of 193 acres.

Features: Arena, speedway, equestrian facilities, RV camping, meeting space, extensive parking and maintenance and administrative offices

Future Plans: Continued development and renovations to implement the Evergreen State Fairgrounds Master Plan



Fairfield

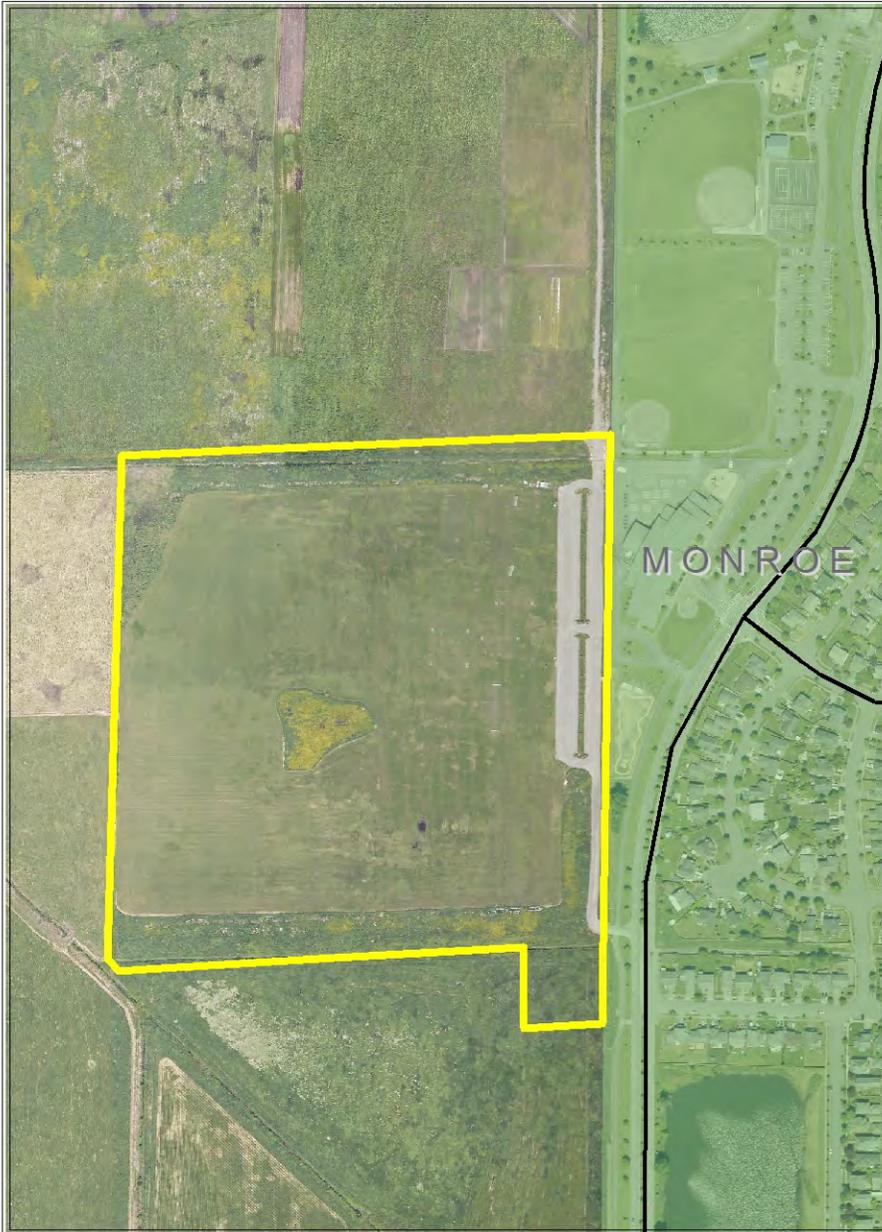
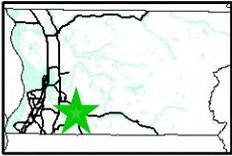
15532 Fryelands Blvd., Monroe, 98272

Type: Community

Acreage: 39.58

Acquisition Date: 2006 and 2008

Funding Source: RCO, REET

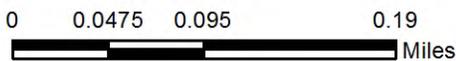


Description: A 40 acre site west of the City of Monroe that provides grass athletic fields and parking for 200 cars.

History: Acquired by Snohomish County in 2006, with an additional one acre purchased in 2008 to provide improved access.

Features: Grass athletic field area, capable of handling up to nine soccer fields, parking and portable restroom

Future Plans:



Field's Riffle

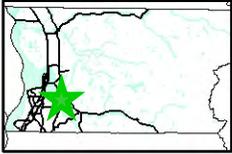
8121 Lowell-Snohomish River Rd., Snohomish, 98296

Type: Regional

Acreage: 62.28

Acquisition Date: 1999

Funding Source: CF



Description: A 62 acre property on the Snohomish River, west of the City of Snohomish and off of the Lowell-Snohomish River Road. The site has approximately 3,500 feet of river frontage with fishing access, an interior bay and wooded wildlife habitat. The river-orientated portion of the park is separated from the surrounding farmland by an extensive dike.

History: Acquired in 1999, the site was previously used for agricultural purposes and river access by local fishermen.

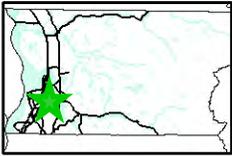
Features: River access and wildlife viewing

Future Plans:



Fircrest - Forest Trails

35th Ave. SE and 108th St. SE, Everett, 98208



Type: Neighborhood
Acreage: 2.99
Acquisition Date: 1978
Funding Source: Dedication



Description: A 3 acre parcel located at the corner of 35th Ave. SE and 108th St. SE, in the south Everett/Silver Lake area. The property is densely wooded and located within an established urban neighborhood.

History: Dedicated to Snohomish County in 1978.

Features: Undeveloped

Future Plans: None



Flowing Lake (Leckie's)

17900 48th SE, Snohomish, 98290

Type: Regional

Acreage: 194.71

Acquisition Date: 1968 - 2014

Funding Source: CF, IAC



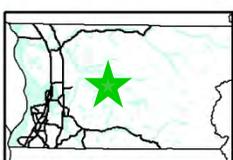
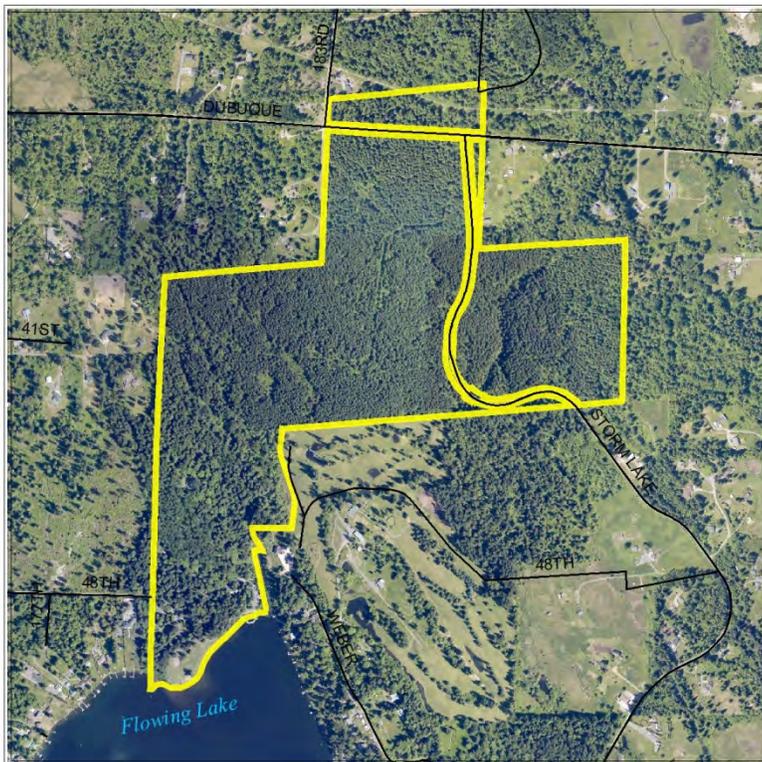
Description: Flowing Lake Regional Park offers a variety of recreation opportunities. The campground contains 48 campsites and four cabins. The park is extremely popular for day-use access to Flowing Lake and the swim area and boat launch are heavily used. A playground, shelter and picnic tables are available in the day-use area and a nature trail is located in vicinity to the campground.

History: Snohomish County acquired 38 acres of the park in 1968 from the Leckie family, which had run the property as a small resort. Park development began in the early 1970's and encompasses the currently used portion of the park now.

In 2014, an additional 157 acres was acquired north of the original holding and is planned for future development.

Features: Cabins, campsites, renovated playground, lake access, wildlife viewing, swimming, picnicking, shelter, Ranger office, boat launch, trail, small amphitheater, parking and restrooms

Future Plans: Entry reconfiguration, park renovation and incorporation/development of recent acquisition area



Forsgren

23709 Carter Rd., Bothell, 98011

Type: Community

Acreage: 13.48

Acquisition Date: 1954

Funding Source:

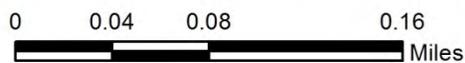
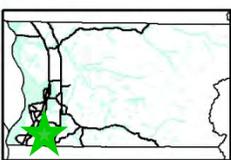


Description: Forsgren park is located in a heavily developed area of unincorporated Snohomish County, between the Cities of Bothell and Brier. The park provides two grass soccer fields, two little league fields and a playground.

History: The property was formerly a county gravel pit. It was reclaimed in the early 1980's and transferred to the Parks Department. The first development of the site was supported by a HUD grant in 1990. The grant provided for grading and seeding of the soccer fields. Later improvements were made by the North Shore Youth Soccer Association, including addition of a baseball field.

Features: Two little league baseball fields, two soccer fields, playground, picnicking, parking and portable restroom

Future Plans: General site improvements including playground replacement



Fortson Mill

30518 Fortson-Mill Rd., Arlington, 98223

Type: Regional

Acreage: 49.68

Acquisition Date: 2013, 2014

Funding Source: CF, Donation



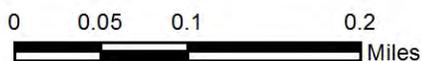
Description: The Fortson Mill property is located adjacent to the Whitehorse Trail and provides access to the trail and adjacent fish rearing ponds, managed by the Stillaguamish Tribe of Indians. The property is currently developed for trailhead use and is envisioned for additional future development.

History: The Fortson Mill property is located over a portion of the historic Fortson Shingle Mill and associated community of Fortson. The mill was in operation from 1905 to the 1950's, when it was sold and relocated to Darrington. When the mill was sold, workers moved from the area but remnants of the mill and community are still visible.

Acquisition of the property was supported by funding from the Conservation Futures Board in 2013 and the balance of the site was provided to the County in 2014 as a private donation. The donation area totals 33.5 acres.

Features: Whitehorse trail trailhead, fishing access and wildlife viewing

Future Plans:



Fraley Mountain

Grant Creek Rd., Arlington, 98223



Type: Open Space/Preserve

Acreage: 10.16

Acquisition Date: 2012

Funding Source: CF

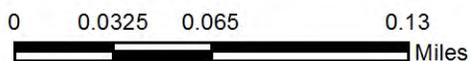


Description: Fraley Mountain is a wooded property which fronts the North Fork of the Stillaguamish River.

History: This property was acquired as a conversion site for replacement for RCO grant-funded land at River Meadows County Park, which was dedicated for road right-of-way as well as the widening of Jim Creek Bridge. The change of park use at River Meadows resulted in the need to acquire this substitution property and the site is encumbered by a Deed of Right, required by RCO. An easement dedication to the Washington State Department of Fish and Wildlife allows for fishing access along the river.

Features: Undeveloped

Future Plans: None



Grannis Hills

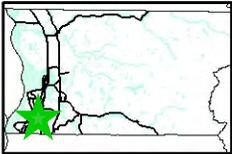
26th Dr. SE, Bothell, 98012

Type: Neighborhood

Acreage: .42

Acquisition Date: 1979

Funding Source: Donation

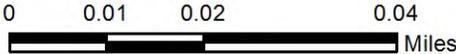


Description: An open space tract in a residential neighborhood south of the City of Mill Creek and east of SR 527. The property is a wooded ravine.

History: Dedicated to Snohomish County through the platting process.

Features: Undeveloped

Future Plans: None



Hawthorne Property

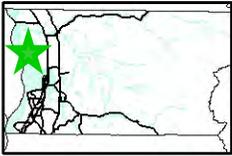
108th St. NW and Marine Dr., Tulalip Reservation, 98271

Type: Open Space/Preserve

Acreage: 35.14

Acquisition Date: 1994

Funding Source: Donation

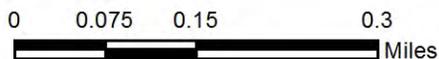


Description: A 35 acre property located on both the west and east sides of Marine Dr., on the Tulalip Reservation. The property is heavily wooded, comprised in large part of evergreen and deciduous species.

History: Donated to Snohomish County in 1994 for forest preservation.

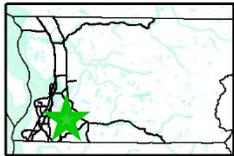
Features: Undeveloped

Future Plans: None



Heirman Family Nature Park

1402 66th St., Snohomish, 98290



Type: Neighborhood
Acreage: 3.59
Acquisition Date: 2018
Funding Source: CF



Description: A 3.59 acre property located within the city limits of Snohomish. The property is undeveloped and contains mature forest, wetlands and a creek.

History:

Features: Undeveloped

Future Plans: Demolition of on-site structures

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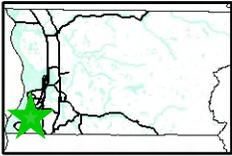
153rd St. SW, Lynnwood, 98087

Type: Neighborhood

Acreage: .22

Acquisition Date: 2000

Funding Source: Donation

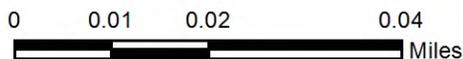


Description: An open space tract located in southwest Snohomish County off 153rd St. SW, in the plat of Hemlock Acres. The property contains a mixed species forest.

History: Donated to Snohomish County in 2000 for park purposes.

Features: Undeveloped

Future Plans: Potential volunteer driven site enhancements identified through public outreach process



Heybrook Ridge

Index-Galena Rd., Sultan, 98294

Type: Regional

Acreage: 148.4

Acquisition Date: 2008-2014

Funding Source: CF, Donation



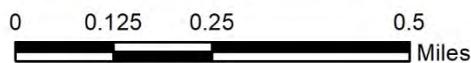
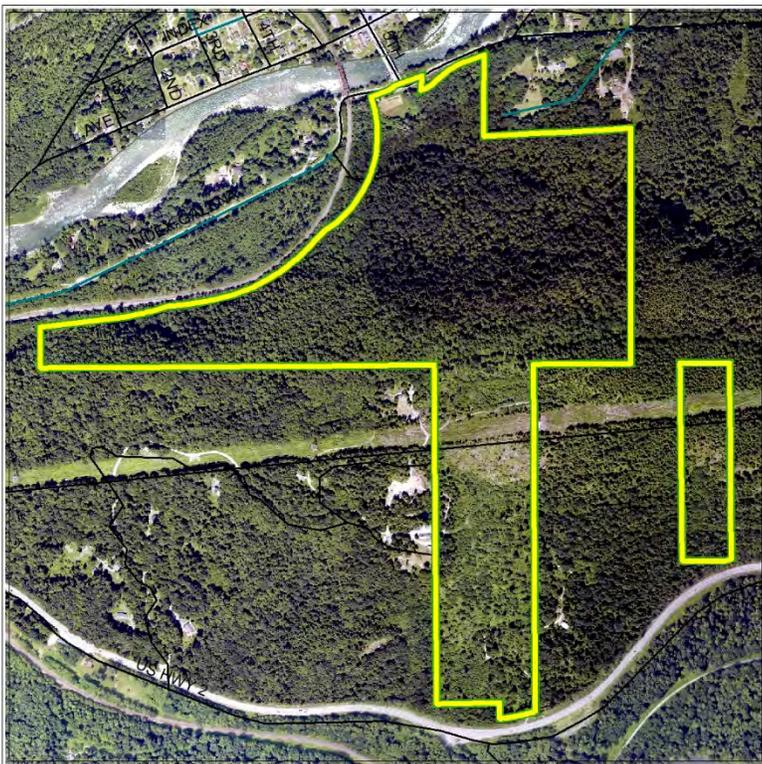
Description: A 148 acre property located on the ridge south of the Town of Index. The property is heavily wooded.

History: This property was acquired when residents of the Town of Index learned that the former timber site was planned to be logged. Interest in preserving the property for tourism and scenic views prompted the formation of the 'Friends of Heybrook Ridge' group. This group worked to raise private funds of \$550,000 and coordinated with the owner and County to achieve acquisition. In addition, the Friends of Heybrook Ridge purchased and donated another 9.91 acres of the park to Snohomish County in 2014.

In 2017 a 1.6 mile hiking trail was completed that leads from the trailhead to the top of Heybrook Ridge. This is an elevation gain of 760' to a spectacular view of Bridal Veil Falls and the Skykomish Valley.

Features: 1.6 mile trail system

Future Plans: Development of a lower elevation trail that will be accessible to those with disabilities



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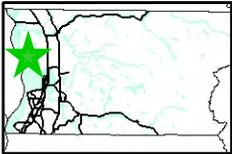
72nd Ave., Stanwood, 98292

Type: Regional

Acreage: .11

Acquisition Date: 1909

Funding Source: Dedication

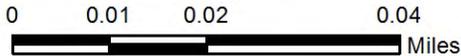


Description: Small tract located between community lots at the northwest corner of Howard Lake, near Lakewood Rd.. This lot provides lake access and is managed by Washington State Department of Fish and Wildlife, which owns a nearby lot that is used for parking.

History: Dedicated to Snohomish County in 1909.

Features: Non-motorized boat launch, wildlife viewing and water access

Future Plans: None



Hole In the Sky

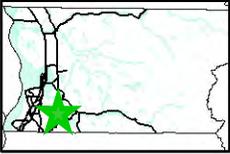
20032 SR 9 SE, Snohomish, 98290

Type: Community

Acreage: 11.53

Acquisition Date: 2007, 2009

Funding Source: Mitigation

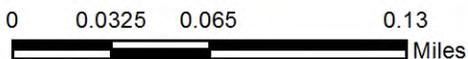


Description: This is a small park located off of SR 9. The property includes a mix of forested and field areas and contains a small pond. The park is currently undeveloped, but is scheduled for special events on a case-by-case basis.

History: Acquired in 2007 and 2009 for conservation, habitat and park purposes. Funding for the property was provided through Brightwater mitigation and the property is co-managed by SWM and Parks. Improvements at the site have largely occurred through Eagle Scout projects.

Features: Picnicking, wildlife viewing, trail, amphitheater and water access

Future Plans: Minor site improvements



Hooven Bog

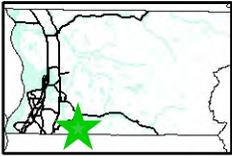
24131 75th Ave. SE, Woodinville 98072

Type: Open Space/Preserve

Acreage: 37.61

Acquisition Date: 2014

Funding Source: CF, RCO

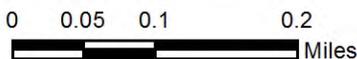


Description: This property is located in southeast Snohomish County, north of the City of Woodinville. It includes a Category 1 wetland, with a mature forested upland buffer. The wetland includes a 9,000 year old bog/fen system and is in the headwaters of Bear Creek.

History: The majority of this property had been planned for construction of 5 homes in the vicinity of the bog and was acquired in 2014 for preservation and protection purposes.

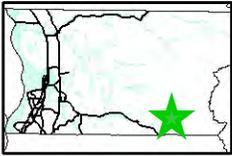
Features: Large category 1 wetland

Future Plans:



Index Properties

North Fork Skykomish River, Index, 98294



Type: Open Space/Preserve

Acreage: 60.92

Acquisition Date: 1967

Funding Source: Trade

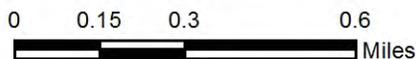


Description: Two large parcels, nearly equal in size, on the North Fork Skykomish River, east of the Town of Index. Both sites have narrow, rocky, river shorelines and thick forested, steep slopes.

History: Acquired in a land trade action between Snohomish County and the Washington State Department of Natural Resources.

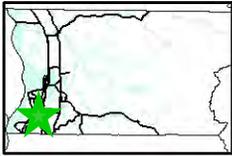
Features: Undeveloped

Future Plans: None

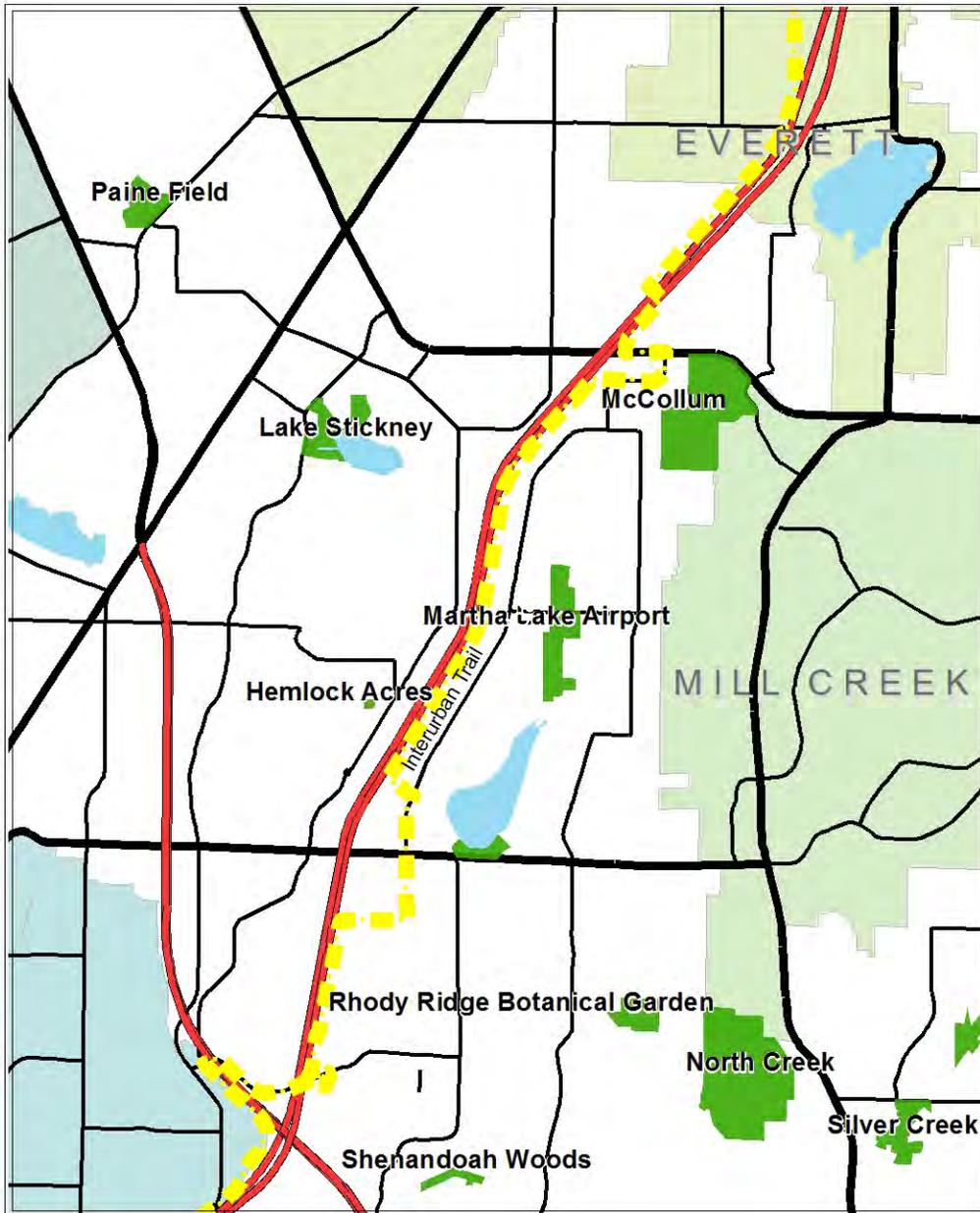


Interurban Trail

Between South Everett and North Lynnwood, adjacent to I-5 corridor



Type: Trail
Acreage: 9.64
Acquisition Date: 1994-2007
Funding Source: Easement and Dedication

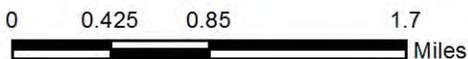


Description: Bike riders, walkers, joggers and others enjoy travelling the 18.8 miles of paved surface. This trail stretches between the Cities of Everett and Edmonds, with the portion south of Everett (approximately 116th St. SE) and north of Lynnwood (approximately Maple Rd.) maintained by Snohomish County. While most of the trail is separated from motorized traffic, there are several places where the trail consists of designated bike route on the road shoulder. The County maintains approximately 6 miles of the 18.8 mile trail.

History: The Interurban Trail follows the route once used by the Interurban Trolley that ran from Ballard to Bellingham in the early 20th Century. That portion of the trail maintained by Snohomish County is primarily located within PUD and WSDOT right of way, allowed by a 20' easement and lease.

Features: Paved, designated trail

Future Plans: Pavement preservation and reroute of a portion of the trail north of 128th and east of I-5



Jordan Bridge

16470 Jordan Rd., Arlington, 982230

Type: Regional
Acreage: 1.15
Acquisition Date: 1991-94
Funding Source:

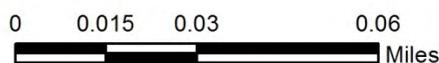
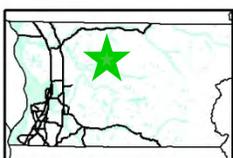


Description: The primary feature of this small park is a suspension bridge across the South Fork of the Stillaguamish River. A path leads to the river shore where visitors can swim and relax.

History: The Jordan Bridge was first constructed in the early 1900's. The swinging bridge was historically utilized as the northerly access to the Jordan community. The bridge was constructed to provide access for children to attend school at Jordan and to provide a shorter route to the City of Arlington. The bridge was condemned in November of 1972 due to its dilapidated condition. The bridge was conveyed to Snohomish County with adjacent property in 1974. A new suspension bridge was completed and dedicated as a pedestrian bridge in 1992.

Features: Water access, picnicking, wildlife viewing and limited parking

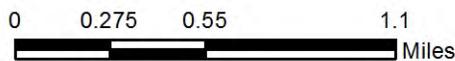
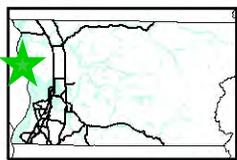
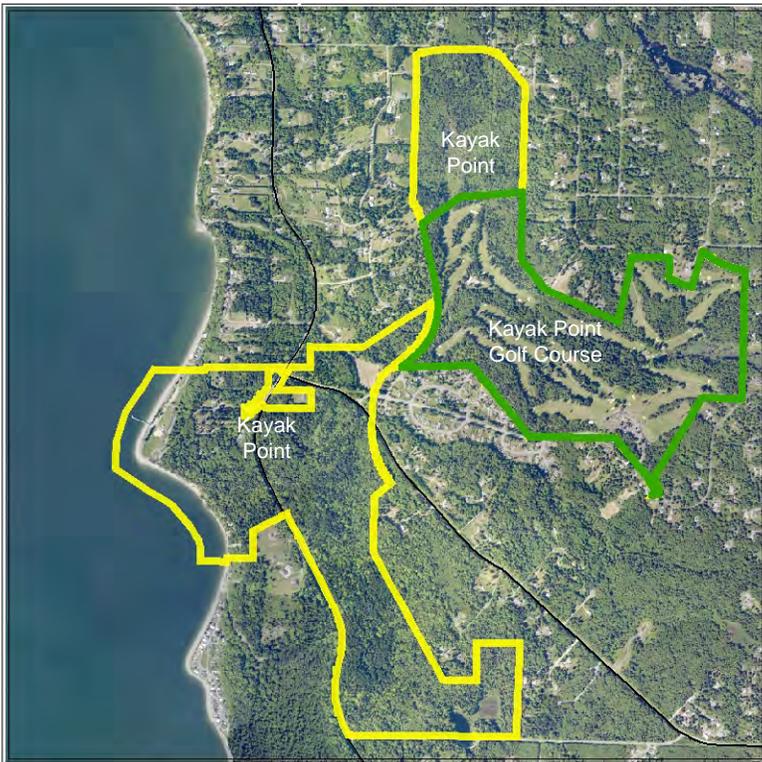
Future Plans:



Kayak Point

15610 Marine Dr., Stanwood, 98292

Type: Regional
Acreage: 420.84
Acquisition Date: 1972
Funding Source: IAC



Description: A spectacular 421-acre saltwater beach park located along the shores of Port Susan. From its 3,300-foot shoreline to its evergreen forest, Kayak Point Regional Park offers a rich setting for a variety of outdoor activities, including camping, pier fishing, crabbing, windsurfing, picnicking and hiking. This site also provides ten yurts.

History: This site was formerly a private resort with beachfront cabins, a fishing pier and store. The resort was purchased by Atlantic Richfield to be used as a refinery. Local citizens were concerned by the proposal and promoted acquisition of the property for public purposes. Snohomish County Parks purchased the site from Atlantic Richfield and developed the park with the county's first bond issue and IAC LWCF funding assistance.

Features: Saltwater access, boat launch, fishing pier, wildlife viewing, playground, shelters, picnicking, trails, camping, parking and restrooms

Future Plans: Complete renovation of the day-use area of the park, including installation of an elevated boat launch with two launch lanes and courtesy floats, reconfiguration of parking away from the shoreline, pier improvements, removal of northern restroom, renovation of southern restroom and overall site elevation to address anticipated sea level rise. Campground expansion is also planned.



Kayak Point Golf Course

15711 Marine Dr., Stanwood, 98292

Type: Special Use

Acreage: 270.27

Acquisition Date: 1972

Funding Source: IAC

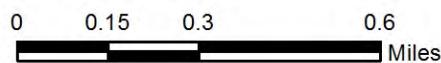
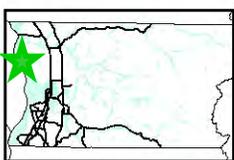
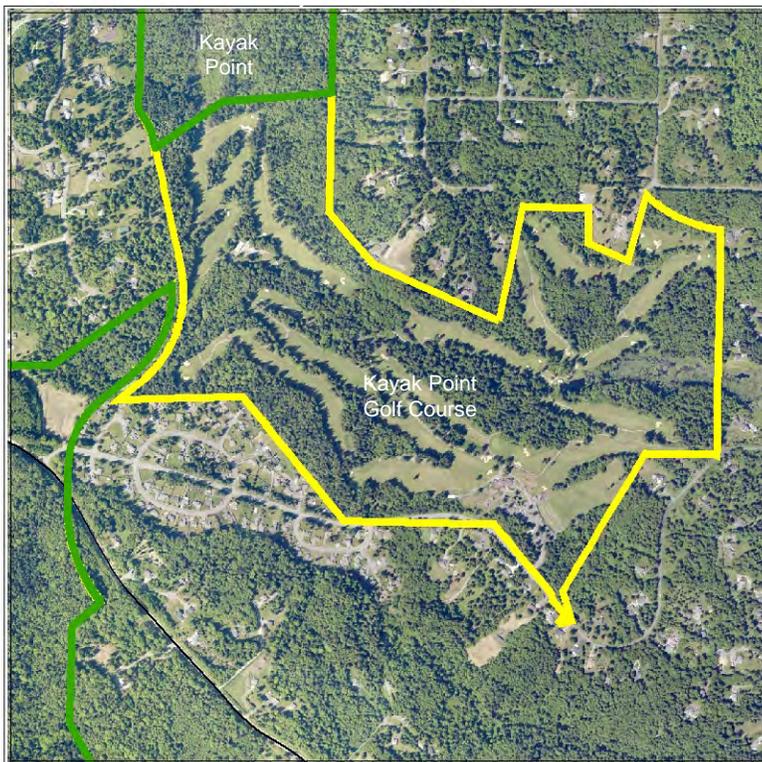


Description: A championship-level golf facility located just off of Marine Dr., twelve miles from the City of Marysville.

History: Acquired from Atlantic Richfield in 1972, with the rest of Kayak Point Regional Park, this property was originally dense forest land. The site was developed into a golf facility by Snohomish County has been leased for operation and maintenance. The facility is not currently open and the County is reviewing opportunities for property use.

Features: Eighteen hole golf course, driving range, putting course, pitch and putt course, pro-shop, restaurant and parking

Future Plans: Determination of facility use



Lake Cassidy/Lake Martha Wetlands

6216 105th Ave. NE, Lake Stevens, 98258



Type: Regional
Acreage: 195.61
Acquisition Date: 1993-1997
Funding Source: CF



Description: Located along the Centennial Trail, east of SR 9. This property contains extensive open and wooded wetlands and bog areas adjacent to the shores of Lake Martha and Lake Cassidy. Several rare and endangered plant species are found here. This site provides disabled parking only and serves as a trailhead for the Centennial Trail.

History: Acquired by Snohomish County between 1993 and 1997 with Conservation Futures funding assistance.

Features: Water access, wildlife viewing, picnicking, dock access, ADA parking and portable restroom

Future Plans: Pavement preservation and repairs

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Lake Cochran

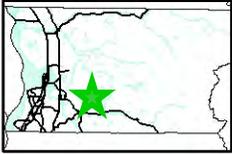
Woods Creek Rd., Monroe, 98272

Type: Open Space/Preserve

Acreage: .06

Acquisition Date: 1993

Funding Source: Tax Title

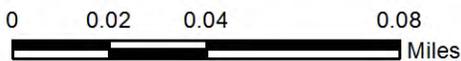


Description: Located at the south end of Lake Cochran, six miles northeast of the City of Monroe via Woods Creek Rd. This property is primarily an underwater lakebed holding.

History: Acquired by Snohomish County in 1993 through Tax Title action.

Features: Undeveloped

Future Plans: None



Lake Goodwin

4620 Lakewood Rd., Stanwood, 98292

Type: Community

Acreage: 15.15

Acquisition Date: 1996-2006

Funding Source: CF, IAC

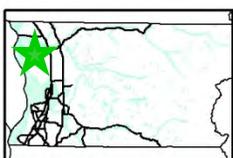


Description: A popular Community Park that provides access to Lake Goodwin. The park is located at the north end of the lake and consists of a mix of developed park area and retained forest. The park includes parking, a playground, trails, dock and swimming area. The swimming area is shallow for a significant distance into the water and is popular with young families.

History: Formerly operated as a resort and tavern, the site was initially acquired by Snohomish County in 1996 with Conservation Futures and State of Washington funding assistance. A later acquisition added another .23 acres to the park.

Features: Lake access, wildlife viewing, swimming area, playground, picnicking, trails, stream restoration, parking and restroom

Future Plans: Pavement preservation



Lake Roesiger

1608 S. Lake Roesiger Rd., Snohomish, 98290

Type: Community

Acreage: 38.30

Acquisition Date: 1938-1969

Funding Source: Dedication, IAC



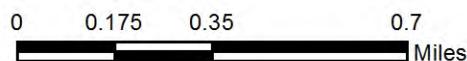
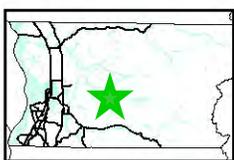
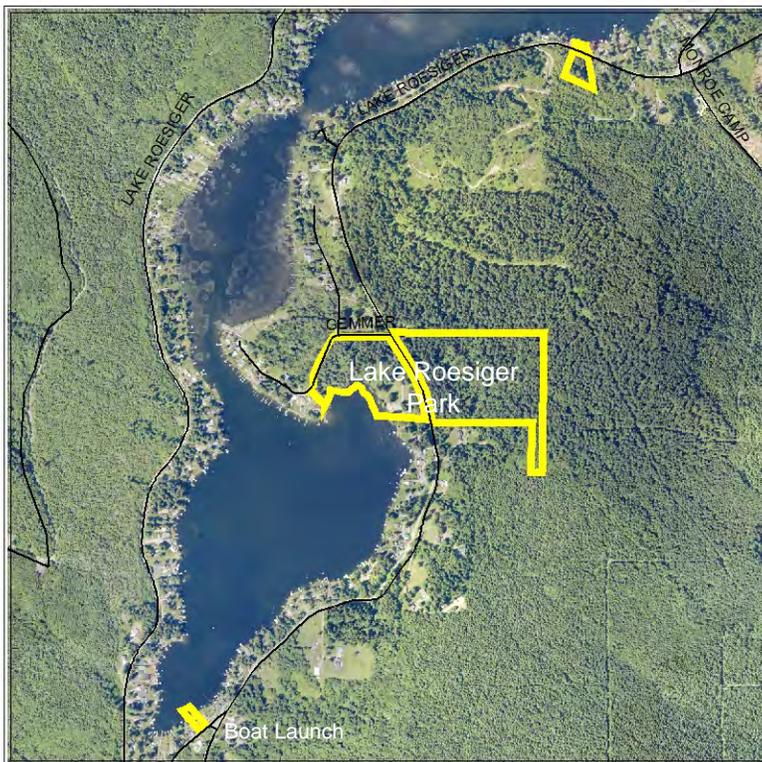
Description: Lake Roesiger Park is a 38 acre facility located on the eastern shore of Lake Roesiger. The park provides beach access and picnicking opportunities. Hiking trails meander through the wooded area in the northern portion of the park.

Two additional holdings on Lake Roesiger are owned by Snohomish County: a boat launch operated by the Washington State Department of Fish and Wildlife on the southern end, and an undeveloped parcel north of Lake Roesiger Park.

History: Lake Roesiger Park is the former pioneer homestead of Richard Roesiger, the lake's namesake. The site contained a boathouse and cabin. The family farmed the site and rented boats to lake visitors. The property was acquired through dedication and funding assistance from the State of Washington.

Features: Lake access, wildlife viewing, swimming, forested trails, picnicking, parking and restroom

Future Plans: Construction of a community built timber framed picnic shelter for community gatherings



Lake Stevens

1601 N Machias Rd., Lake Stevens, 98258

Type: Community

Acreage: 49.93

Acquisition Date: 1996-2018

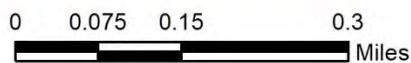
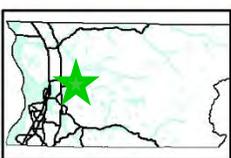
Funding Source: Donation

Description: This is a 50 acre park, located east of the City of Lake Stevens. The park was dedicated April 17th, 2010 and includes four soccer fields, three ballfields, playground, sport courts and a concession area.

History: The property was formerly a farm homestead and was used for timber harvesting. The majority of the property was purchased from the Roesler Timber Company in 1996. Later acquisitions were completed to perfect property access and a donation of 6.67 acres was added to the park in 2018.

Features: Soccer fields, baseball fields, picnicking, restroom/concession building, playground and parking

Future Plans:



Lake Stickney

13521 Manor Wy., Lynnwood, 98087

Type: Community

Acreage: 24.81

Acquisition Date: 2008 - 2016

Funding Source: CF, Donation

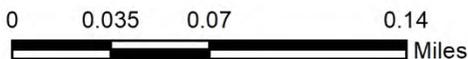


Description: A 25 acre park located on the western shores of Lake Stickney. The property is a mix of open and wooded areas with associated wetland vegetation.

History: With the support of the local community, this property was purchased with funding through Conservation Futures and also by private party donation. This park preserves vital wetlands and provides habitat for fish and wildlife at the northern headwaters of Swamp Creek while also providing recreation features for the public. Park opening occurred in December 2013 and Phase I improvements were completed in 2018. A second phase of improvements is also planned to be completed.

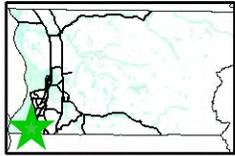
Features: Parking, trails, off-leash dog area, natural playground, viewing mound and open lawn space

Future Plans: Completion of Phase II improvements

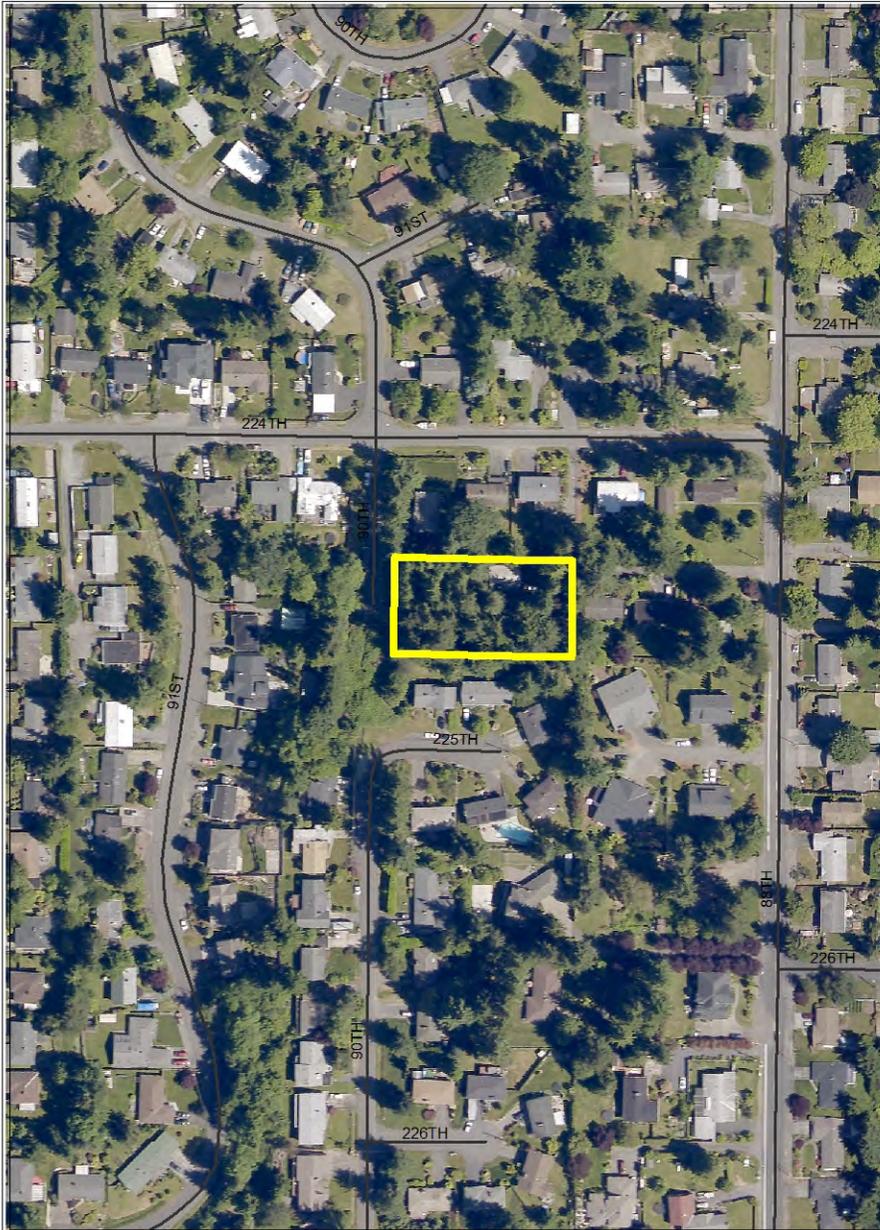


Robert Leary Park

22409 90th Ave., Edmonds, 98026



Type: Neighborhood
Acreage: .68
Acquisition Date: 2008
Funding Source: Donation

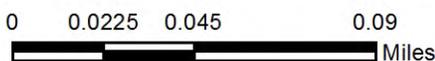


Description: A large lot located in unincorporated Snohomish County between the Cities of Edmonds and Mountlake Terrace.

History: The property was acquired in 2008 as a donation and was named for the donor, Robert Leary. Mr. Leary desired conservation of his property as green space by retention of the tree canopy located within this Neighborhood Park. The residence and out buildings were removed in 2013 and in 2014 and the property was opened to the public for passive use.

Features: Forest, short asphalt path and memorial rock with plaque

Future Plans: None



Locust Way

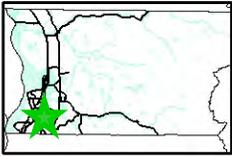
17th Ave. and Locust Wy., Bothell, 98021

Type: Neighborhood

Acreage: 7.08

Acquisition Date: 2003

Funding Source: NIP

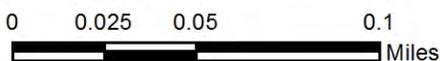


Description: A 'puzzle piece' park that contains a mix of mature deciduous trees and native firs as well as highly impacted areas. The park includes a gravel parking lot, picnic area and natural surface trail.

History: Acquired in 2003 through the Neighborhood Improvement Program (NIP). This property was selected for acquisition because of its value for riparian and wetland habitat protection as well as potential to provide recreational opportunities to a rapidly growing area.

Features: Trail, picnicking, views of Swamp Creek and wetlands and parking

Future Plans: None



Logan

1414 Logan Rd., Bothell, 98036

Type: Community

Acreage: 5.21

Acquisition Date: 1951

Funding Source:

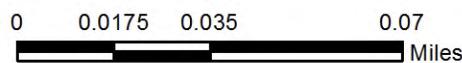
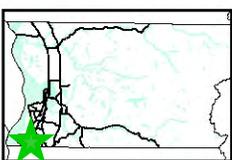


Description: This five acre park is located at the corner of Logan Rd. and Locust Wy., north of the City of Brier in the area generally known as Alderwood Manor. The park includes a ballfield, playground and a half court basketball court. A paved walking/jogging path surrounds the park. Renovation work on a portion of the playground was completed in 2012 and the remainder was upgraded in 2017.

History: The park was originally a sand and gravel pit and was developed during the 1970's with a parking lot, baseball field and play structures. The site was renovated in the mid 1990's with support from the surrounding neighborhood.

Features: Youth size baseball field, playground, picnicking, walking/jogging path, basketball court, parking and portable restroom

Future Plans: Ball field improvements and road widening in partnership with Public Works



Loma Lake

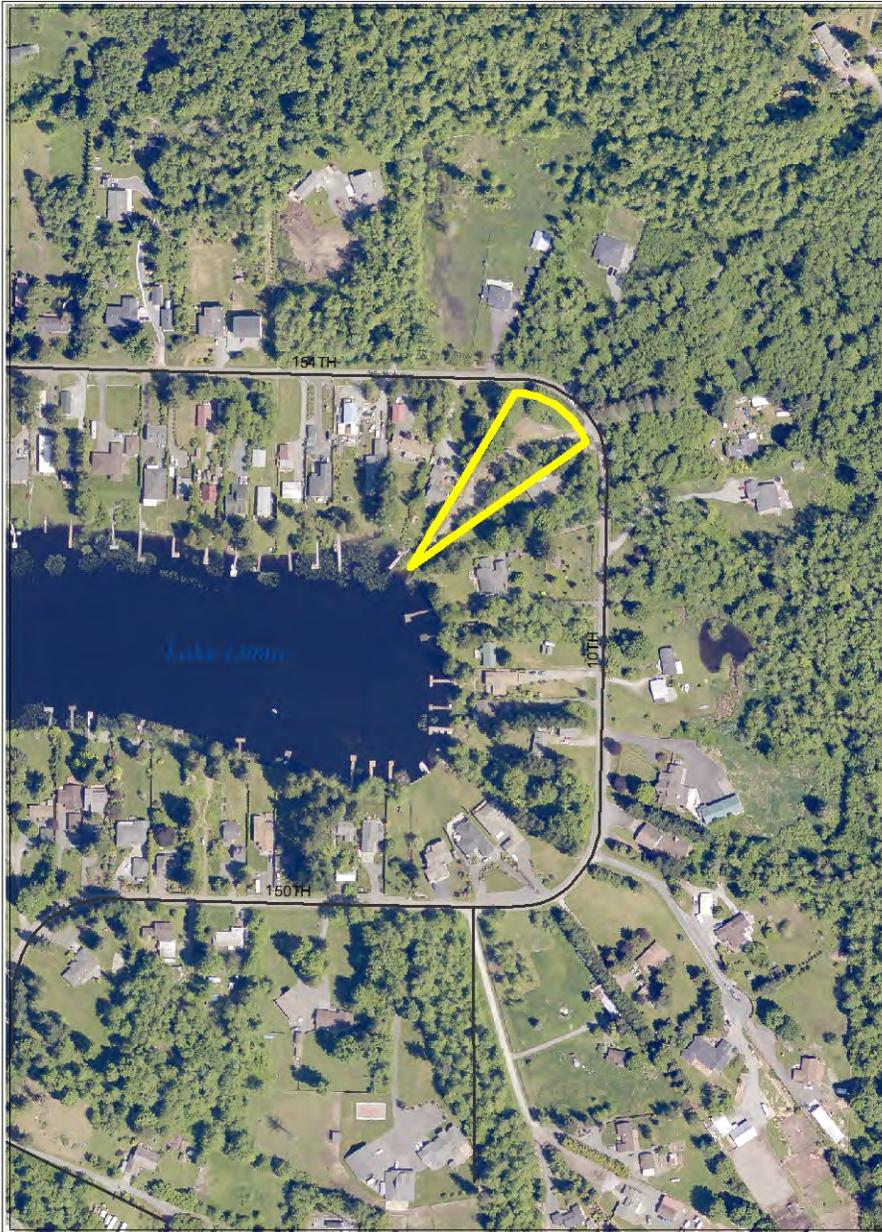
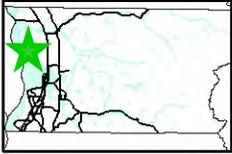
1024 154th St. NW, Marysville, 98271

Type: Regional

Acreage: 1.04

Acquisition Date: 1908

Funding Source: Dedication

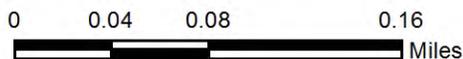


Description: A 1 acre tract on the northeast shore of Lake Loma, four miles west of I-5. This tract is managed as a boat launch by the Washington State Department of Fish and Wildlife.

History: Dedicated to Snohomish County in 1908.

Features: Non-motorized boat launch and wildlife viewing

Future Plans: None



Lord Hill

12921 150th St. SE, Snohomish, 98290

Type: Regional

Acreage: 1,463.31

Acquisition Date: 1985-2009

Funding Source: CF, Donation,
RCO, DNR Reconveyance, SRFB

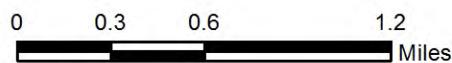
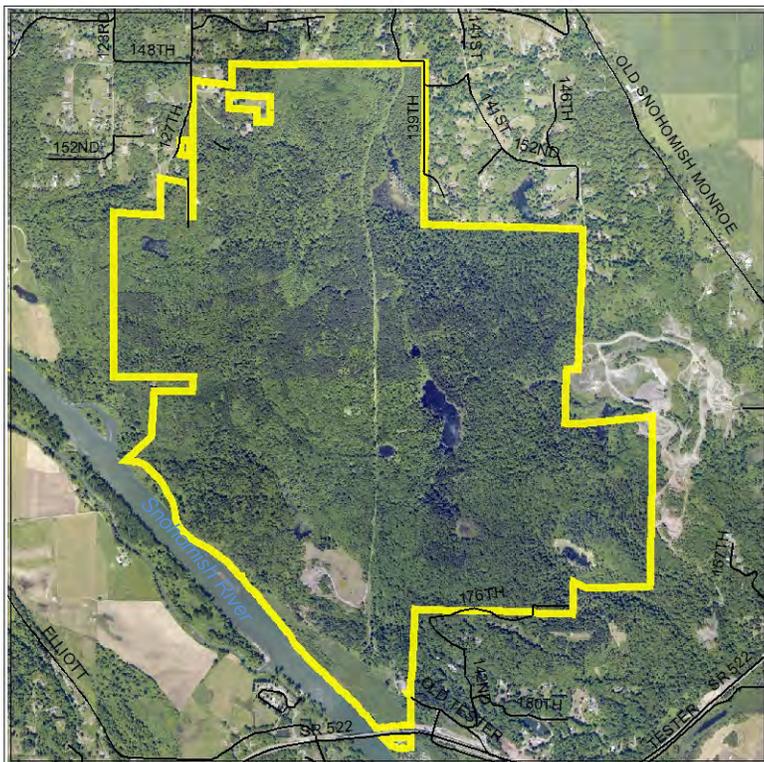


Description: Lord Hill is a large, diverse park that contains over thirty-one miles of designated trails. From the Rock Candy lookout, one can see panoramic views of the surrounding Snohomish River valley and distant mountain ranges. The park is extremely popular with equestrians, hikers and mountain bikers and an equestrian parking area has been added in recent years.

History: The hill was named after Mitchell Lord, who purchased eighty acres on the hill in 1879 and homesteaded in 1884. Beginning in 1985, Snohomish County Parks secured the majority of the property from the Washington State Department of Natural Resources and Washington State Parks through a reconveyance action.

Features: Trails, interpretive exhibits, river access, wildlife viewing, picnicking, parking (including equestrian) and portable restroom

Future Plans: Master plan update and trail improvements as well as new accessible entrance



Machias Pit

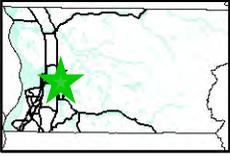
805 Machias Rd., Lake Stevens, 98290

Type: Community

Acreage: 12.88

Acquisition Date: 1936-44

Funding Source:



Description: A 13 acre, former County gravel pit site along Machias Rd., 1.5 miles southeast of the City of Lake Stevens. The property is currently being used by Snohomish County Public Works for material storage. The main portion of the site is a sandy, shallow bowl, flanked by high, steep slopes on the north and south sides.

History: Acquired by Snohomish County Public Works in 1944 for the extraction of sand and gravel for road purposes. The property was transferred to Parks in 1995 and a master plan for park development was completed in 1999.

Features: Undeveloped

Future Plans: Site improvements to allow for continued storage use and future trailhead/park development

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Martha Lake

16300 E. Shore Dr., Lynnwood, 98087

Type: Community

Acreage: 6.27

Acquisition Date: 1992

Funding Source: RCO, CF

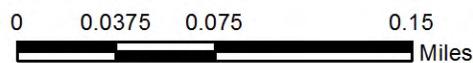
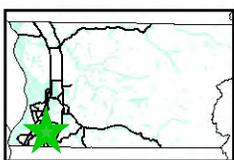


Description: This popular 6 acre park offers a natural setting within the heart of a fast-growing urban area. The park includes a fishing dock, boardwalk through wetlands, swim area and three reservable picnic shelters. A playground is located near the parking area and a second is located closer to the lake.

History: Before Martha Lake Park was developed, it was known as 'Martha Lake Tavern,' which offered the only public beach access to the lake. The previous owners of the property hoped to develop condominiums or a business park on the property. Community groups organized and requested that the property be developed into a public park. After the owner's development plans proved to be infeasible, the wishes of the community groups were realized and the Parks and Recreation Department acquired the property in 1992.

Features: Lake access, wildlife viewing, swimming, handicapped accessible swim area, fishing docks, picnic shelters, picnicking, boardwalk, playgrounds, parking and restroom

Future Plans: Playground improvements and pavement preservation



Martha Lake Airport

200 146th St. SW, Lynnwood, 98087

Type: Community

Acreage: 27.15

Acquisition Date: 2000-02

Funding Source: NIP, RCO

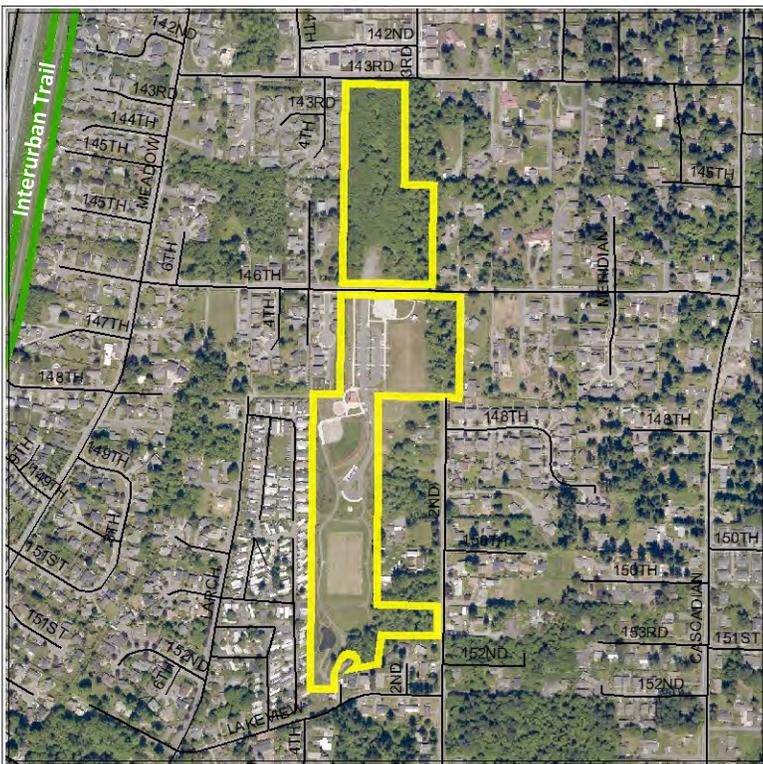


Description: A 27 property located north of Martha Lake and east of I-5, surrounded by residential development. This park was dedicated on October 11, 2010 and provides trails, soccer and softball fields, art pieces, playground, restroom and Parks' first skateboard park. The northern portion of this property includes a short trail section.

History: Acquired by Snohomish County in 2000 from private owners. The property had previously been used as an airfield, and design components reflecting this history have been integrated into park development and art features.

Features: Softball field, soccer fields, sculptures, playground, skatepark, walking trails, parking and restroom

Future Plans: Development of an off-leash dog area in the southern portion of the park and pavement repairs and preservation



McCollum

600 128th St. SE, Everett, 9820

Type: Regional

Acreage: 74.33

Acquisition Date: 1958-86

Funding Source: Bond



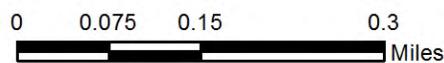
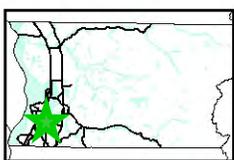
Description: McCollum Park is a 74 acre family-oriented park, providing ballfields, jogging/walking trails, a junior Olympic-sized, heated outdoor swimming pool and open lawn areas with picnic tables and shelters. WSU Extension and the Adopt-A-Stream Foundation have facilities that are located at this site.

History: In the early 1940's, the site served as the primary dumping facility for south Snohomish County. In the mid 60's, local residents and an association of county clubs known as the 'South End Federated Clubs,' in conjunction with the newly established Parks Department, began procedures to formally close the landfill and convert the property to park use. In 1968, the county passed a bond issue that in part funded the first phase improvements of McCollum Park, including closing of the landfill and construction of the swimming pool. In 1980, the Parks Department administrative offices were built on the site. Then, in 1984, the Washington State University Extension Services moved into the former Parks offices, and continue to occupy two large buildings for administrative headquarters and classroom use.

The area surrounding McCollum Park was at one time known as Emander. A group of individuals called the 'Pioneers of Emander' were involved in the early improvements of the park; most notably the design, funding and construction of the large picnic shelter. Park development was successful enough that July 20, 1996 was proclaimed by Governor Mike Lowry as 'McCollum Park Day' as the park was determined to be a "...shining examples of integration of recreation facilities..."

Features: Soccer and baseball fields, Adopt-A-Stream trout stream exhibit and offices, WSU Extension offices, trails, boardwalk system, swimming pool, bmx track, picnicking, playground, parking and portable restrooms

Future Plans: Park improvements, including playground replacement and pavement preservation, as well as connection of the park to the Interurban Trail. Long-term whole park renovation is also planned.



Meadowdale Beach

6026 156th SW, Edmonds, 98026



Type: Regional
Acreage: 107.86
Acquisition Date: 1971-94
Funding Source: Donation, IAC

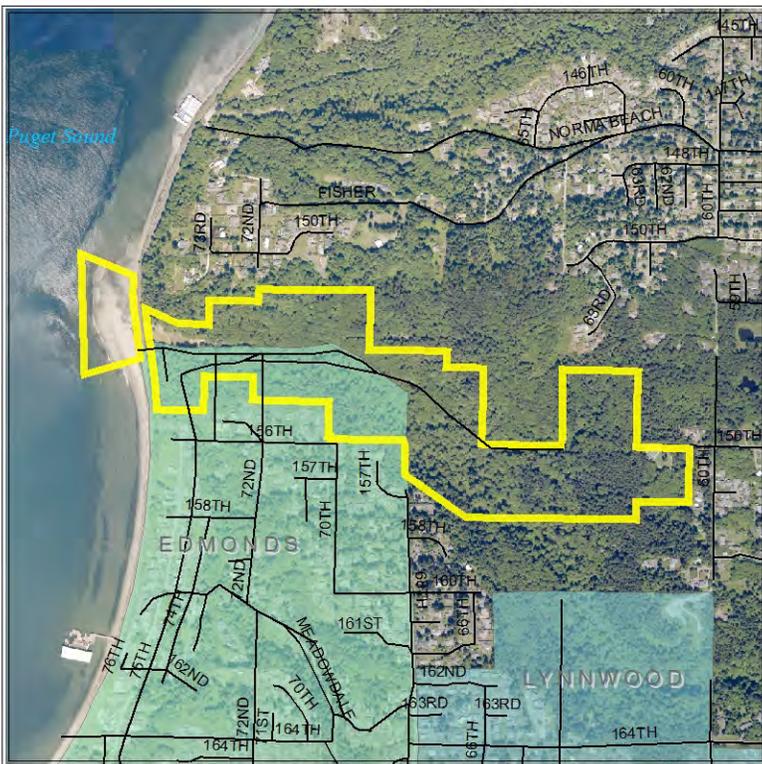
Description: Meadowdale Beach Park consists of large portions of Lund's Gulch, which runs east/west, and carries Lund's Gulch Creek to Puget Sound. The park provides a parking area at the upper end of the gulch, and a trail which runs through the gulch and alongside the creek in several places. At the western end of the trail, an open grass area is available for picnicking, as well as a sand volleyball court and a shelter. A short tunnel underneath the railroad grade connects park visitors with a sandy beach and the open water. The tunnel also connects Lund's Gulch Creek to the Puget Sound. ADA parking is available at the lower end of the park.

History: The gulch area passed through several owners before it became a park. The first person to homestead the site was John Lund in 1878. The site was eventually acquired by the Meadowdale Country Club. For various reasons, including problems with access road failure, the club closed in the late 1960's.

The Snohomish County Parks Department acquired the former clubhouse site and several other parcels, starting in 1971, for the purpose of developing a public park with beach access. Major park development occurred in 1988 and included an agreement with Burlington Northern Sante Fe (BNSF) for shared use of a 6' wide culvert under the railroad for beach access.

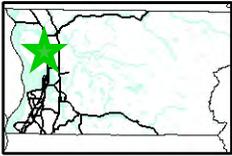
Features: Saltwater access, wildlife viewing, trail, playground, sand volleyball, picnicking, water trails camping, parking and portable restroom

Future Plans: Installation of a multi-span railroad bridge in order to provide separated public beach access, as well as multiple habitat improvements including restoration of a historic pocket estuary



Meadowood

14232 21st Ave. NE, Marysville, 98271



Type: Open Space/Preserve

Acreage: 2.20

Acquisition Date: 1970

Funding Source: Dedication

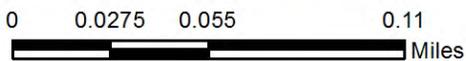


Description: A 2 acre property, located on 21st Ave. NW, north of 140th St. SE. This is a two parcel, open space holding composed primarily of meadows and a small wooded area.

History: Dedicated to Snohomish County from a residential plat.

Features: Undeveloped

Future Plans: None



Peter Norgaard

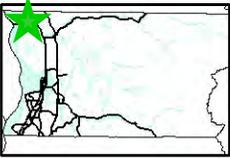
30807 52nd Ave. NW, Stanwood, 98292

Type: Open Space/Preserve

Acreage: 78.57

Acquisition Date: 1972

Funding Source: Donation

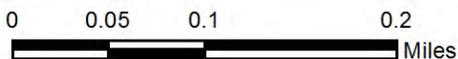


Description: A forested open space holding with a large wetland. The property includes a second growth stand of mixed deciduous and evergreen trees.

History: The park was donated to Snohomish County in 1972 by Peter Norgaard as a natural forest preserve, an arboretum and also for educational, recreational and other reasonably related purposes.

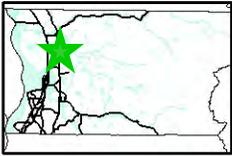
Features: Undeveloped

Future Plans: Continue use of property as natural forest preserve

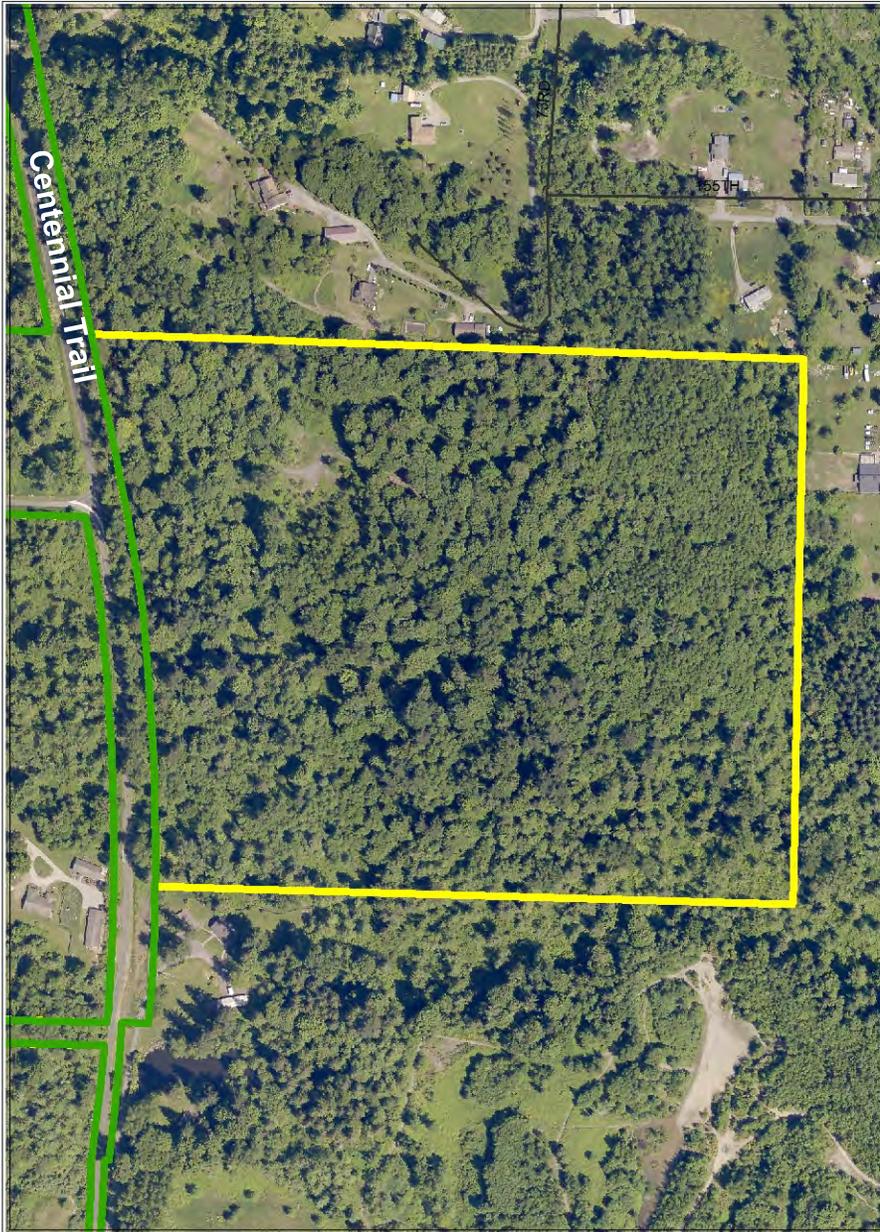


North County Wildlife Area

Wade Rd. and 67th Ave NE, Arlington, 98223



Type: Open Space/Preserve
Acreage: 47.79
Acquisition Date: 1997, 2012
Funding Source: CF



Description: Located adjacent to the Centennial Trail, north of Wade Road, and east of 67th Ave. NE. This property is wooded and contains a tributary stream to Quilceda Creek.

History: Acquired between 1997 and 2012 as an amenity to the Centennial Trail.

Features: Undeveloped

Future Plans:

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North Creek

1011 183rd St. SE, Mill Creek, 98012

Type: Regional

Acreage: 81.32

Acquisition Date: 1992-94

Funding Source: CF

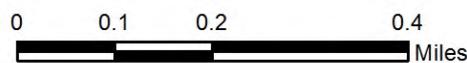
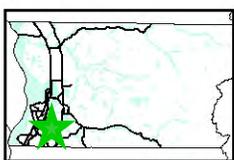


Description: North Creek Regional Park is located within, and south of, the City of Mill Creek. The property is predominantly wetland and provides habitat for a wide variety of wildlife. The site is a favorite with birdwatchers and others who enjoy the cross-site boardwalk system.

History: The property was originally owned by the Bailey family, historic homesteaders. Snohomish County Parks and SWM targeted the site as a regional stormwater detention facility. The site was later developed with an interpretive boardwalk and playground at the trailhead.

Features: Interpretive boardwalk and signage, wildlife viewing, picnicking, viewpoint, shelters, playground, parking and portable restroom

Future Plans: Connection to North Creek Trail, construction of additional parking to support trailhead use and life-cycle playground replacement.



North Creek Greenway

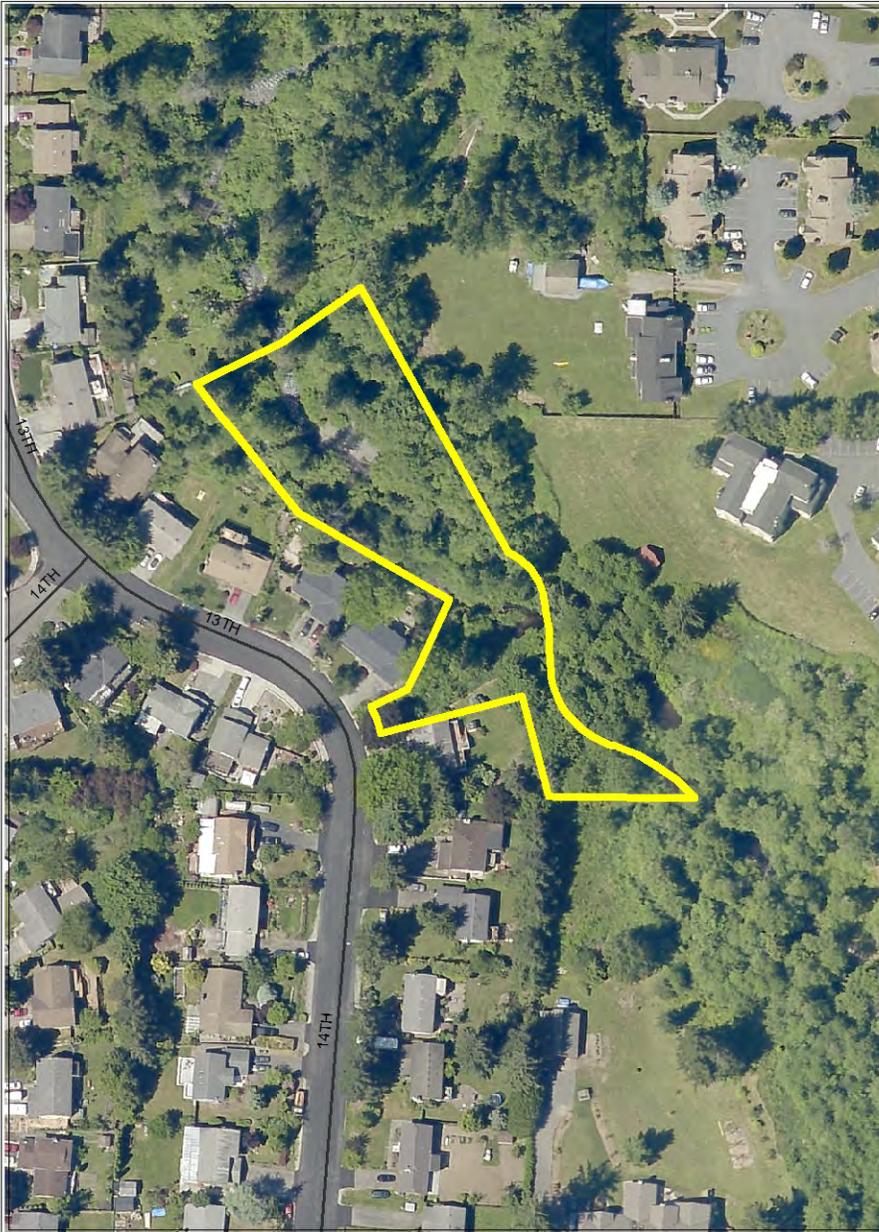
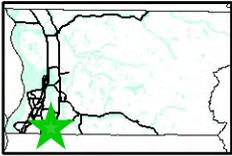
14th Dr. SE, Bothell, 98012

Type: Open Space/Preserve

Acreage: 13.07

Acquisition Date: 1999-2002

Funding Source: CF

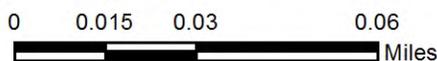


Description: The North Creek Greenway consists of a mix of open space ownership and conservation easements acquired to preserve habitat in the North Creek corridor.

History: Through a partnership with the Adopt-A-Stream Foundation, Parks established a program to provide landowners incentives to preserve the North Creek stream corridor in a natural condition. In addition to the fee simple acquisition shown here, a number of conservation easements were purchased from property owners that had North Creek, and tributary, riparian ownership. Conservation easements established through this program generally remain in the ownership of private landowners and are not open to the public.

Features: Undeveloped

Future Plans: None



Olympus Meadows

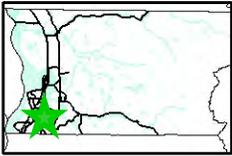
26th Dr. SE and 176th St. SE, Mill Creek, 98012

Type: Neighborhood

Acreage: 6.74

Acquisition Date: 1977-82

Funding Source: Dedication

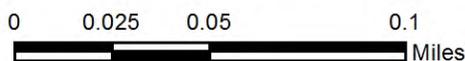


Description: One of a series of tracts within several residential neighborhoods, located along the Seattle City Light Transmission Line R/W, south of the City of Mill Creek. This site contains a large pond and several acres of open, flat fields.

History: Dedicated to Snohomish County from 1977 to 1982 as open space parkland.

Features: Trail, meadows and large pond

Future Plans: None



O'Reilly Acres

Crooked Mile Rd., Granite Falls, 98252

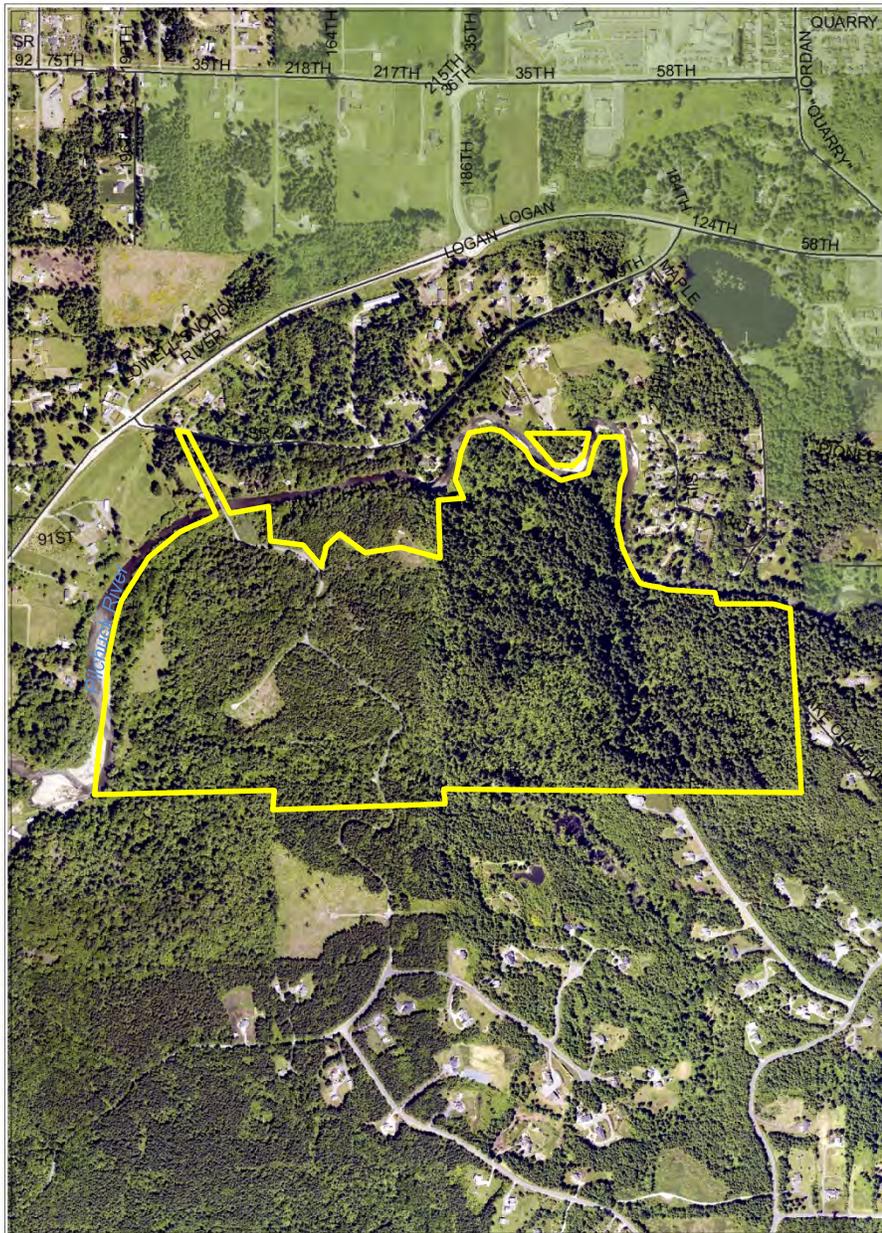


Type: Regional

Acreage: 242.30

Acquisition Date: 1947, 2014, 2015

Funding Source: CF, Donation, Transfer



Description: A portion of this 242 acre property was formerly used as a homestead and was donated to Snohomish County in 1947. The property is a mix of mature forest, rock outcrops, floodplain and upland.

History: One hundred and twenty four acres were deeded to Snohomish County in 1947 for park purposes and an additional 118 acres were acquired in 2014/2015 in order to provide access to the original holding and protect Pilchuck River frontage.

Features: Undeveloped

Future Plans: Evaluation and improvement to the access bridge



Paine Field

11928 Beverly Park Rd., Everett, 98204

Type: Community

Acreage: 14.14

Acquisition Date: 2002

Funding Source: Mitigation

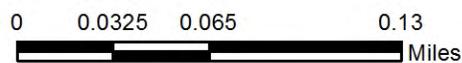
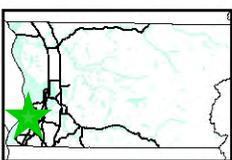


Description: A 14 acre park, located west of Beverly Park Road. This site was dedicated April 18th, 2009 and features a playground, art installation and four baseball fields.

History: Acquired in 2002 from the Paine Field Airport, the site was purchased to provide a Community Park within the southwest UGA.

Features: Baseball fields, grass meadow, playground, picnicking, High Trek aerial park and zip line, parking and restroom

Future Plans: Ballfield expansion, on-going minor improvements and future life-cycle replacement of the playground



Paradise Valley Conservation Area

Paradise Lake Rd., Woodinville, 98077

Type: Open Space/Preserve

Acreage: 793.47

Acquisition Date: 2000, 2008

Acquiring Source: CF, Donation, Mitigation, SRFB

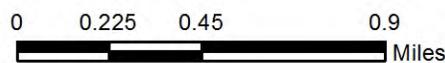
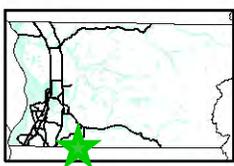
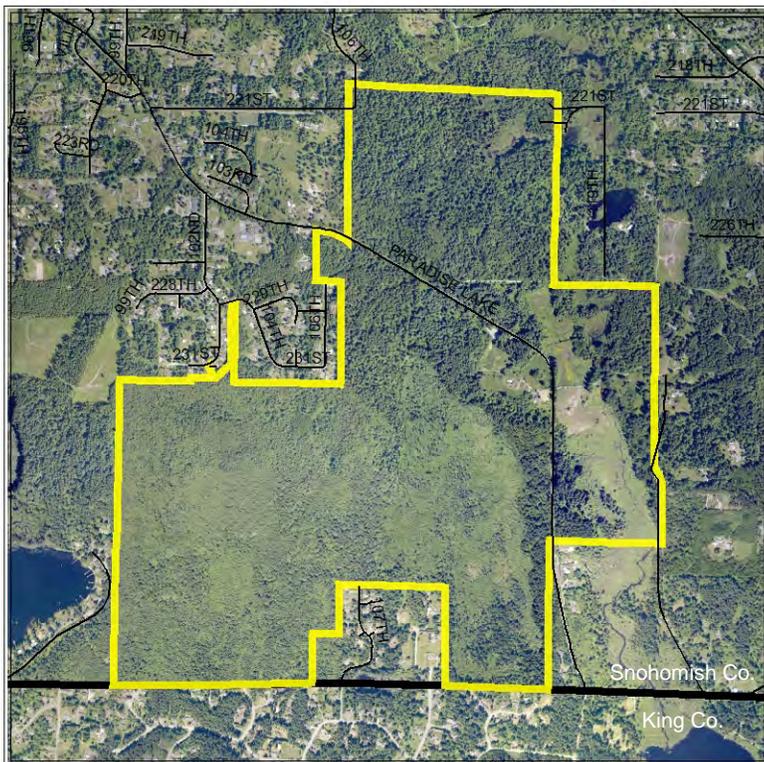


Description: A primarily wooded property located south of SR 522 on Paradise Lake Road, and abutting the Snohomish/King County line. This property contains wetland areas and a portion of the headwaters of Bear Creek. The park provides a series of trails, as well as a mountain bike skills course. A small farm area is also located on the property and Farmer Frog, a non-profit community garden and education organization, has relocated its headquarters to this area.

History: The original property purchase occurred in 2000, which resulted in acquisition of the first 667 acres of this park. An additional acquisition occurred in 2008, utilizing mitigation funding, which added another 126 acres to the park.

Features: Trails, mountain bike skills course, wildlife viewing, parking, farm education area and portable restroom

Future Plans: Life estate preservation, improvements to Farmer Frog headquarters, parking lot expansion, demonstration garden improvements and plan for historical and cultural interpretive center



Pelz

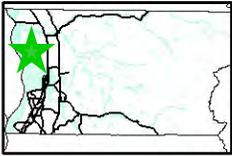
4320 140th St. NW, Marysville, 98271

Type: Community

Acreage: 90.41

Acquisition Date: 1970, 2007

Funding Source: CF, Donation

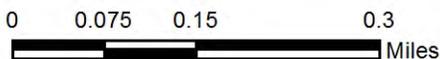


Description: A 90 acre property located on the Tulalip Reservation off of Fire Trail Rd. The property is largely wooded and contains a mix of tree species.

History: Eighty acres of the property were deeded to Snohomish County in 1970 for park purposes, with the remainder purchased in 2007 to improve access.

Features: Undeveloped

Future Plans: On-going minor improvements



Picnic Point

13001 Picnic Point Rd., Edmonds, 98026

Type: Regional
Acreage: 46.24
Acquisition Date: 1985
Funding Source:

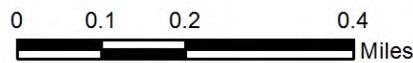
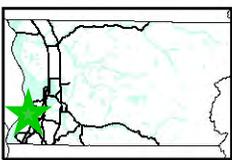
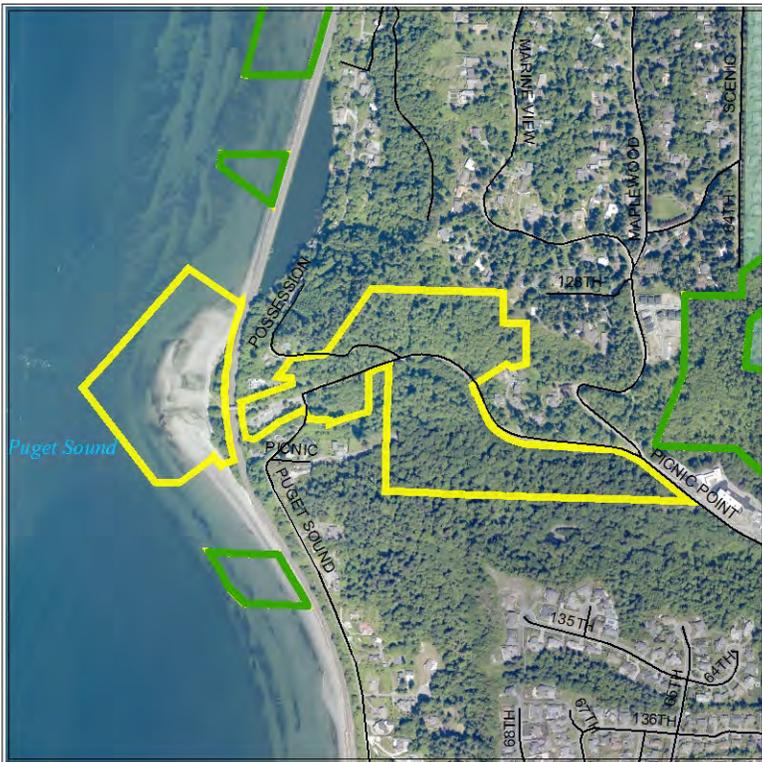


Description: Located on the shores of Puget Sound, Picnic Point provides scenic settings for picnicking and beach activities. With its excellent views of Whidbey Island and the distant Olympic mountain range, sunset viewing is always a popular pastime at Picnic Point Park.

History: The site was originally used as a logging camp. Timber was brought down the gulch and attached to pilings along the shoreline. The property was acquired from Chevron USA in the 1985 and the park developed with funding assistance from RCO.

Features: Beach access, wildlife viewing, picnicking, pedestrian overpass, parking and portable restroom

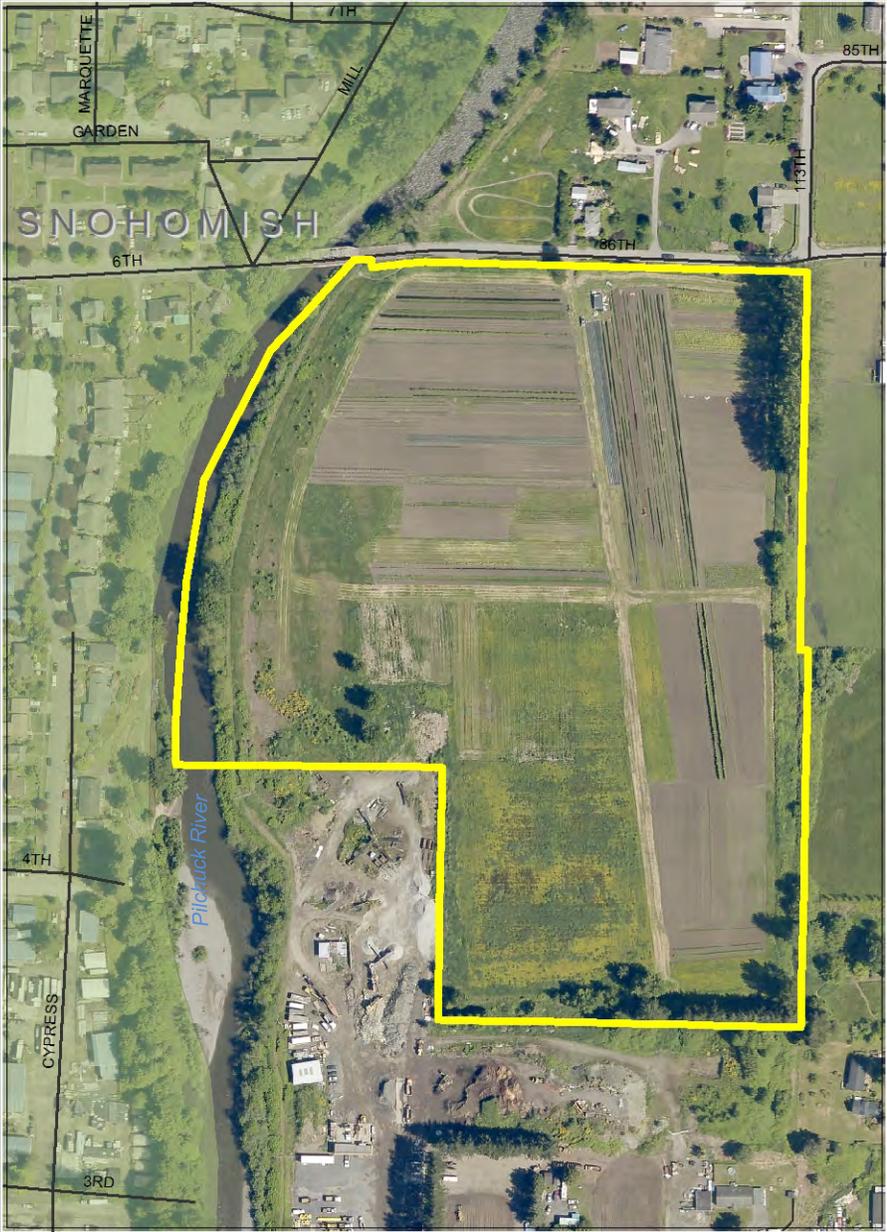
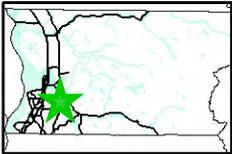
Future Plans:



Pilchuck

11200 86th St. SE, Snohomish, 98290

Type: Community
Acreage: 26.30
Acquisition Date: 2000
Funding Source: Impact Fees, REET

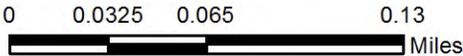


Description: A 26 acre property between the 6th St. bridge (86th St. SE) and 88th St. SE, east of the City of Snohomish and adjacent to the Pilchuck River. The property includes a dike along the river and open field areas. The property is currently used for farming through a temporary use agreement.

History: Acquired in 2000 as a candidate ballfield site to serve the immediate Snohomish community.

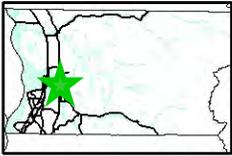
Features: Currently undeveloped. Utilized for farming purposes.

Future Plans:



Pilchuck Conservation

Russell Rd., Lake Stevens, 98290



Type: Open Space/Preserve

Acreage: 35.28

Acquisition Date: 2000

Funding Source: Donation



Description: An undeveloped open space holding with wetland and forested areas. The property contains an access easement and is transected by the Pilchuck River.

History: The park was donated to Snohomish County in 2000.

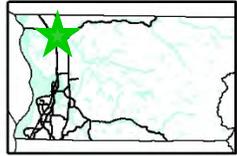
Features: Undeveloped

Future Plans: Possible restoration project in partnership with SWM



Portage Creek

59th Ave. NE, Arlington, 98223



Type: Regional
Acreage: 188.19
Acquisition Date: 1995 - 2017
Funding Source: CF, NRCS, Tax Title

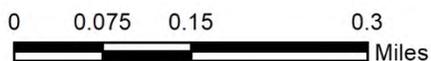


Description: A 188 acre wildlife area home to a variety of wetland plants and animals. Visitors to Portage Creek Wildlife Area can enjoy a network of trails that provide opportunities to see deer, hawks, beaver, raccoons, mink, amphibians, other small mammals and many types of waterfowl.

History: Twenty acres of the site was previously used for peat farming and the remainder was used as a dairy. A large portion of the property was placed into the Wetland Reserve Program (WRP) through the Natural Resources Conservation Service. Acquisition of the WRP area and following acquisitions were made possible with funding provided by the Conservation Futures program.

Features: Trails, wildlife viewing, parking and portable restroom

Future Plans: None



Possession Sound

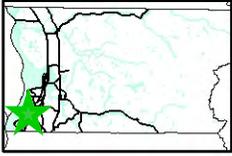
South of Mukilteo, 98026

Type: Neighborhood

Acreage: 13.45

Acquisition Date: 1995

Funding Source: Tax Title

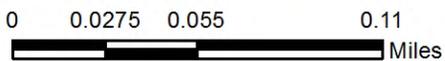


Description: Tideland area on Puget Sound.

History: Acquired through Tax Title in 1995.

Features: Undeveloped

Future Plans: None



Queensborough

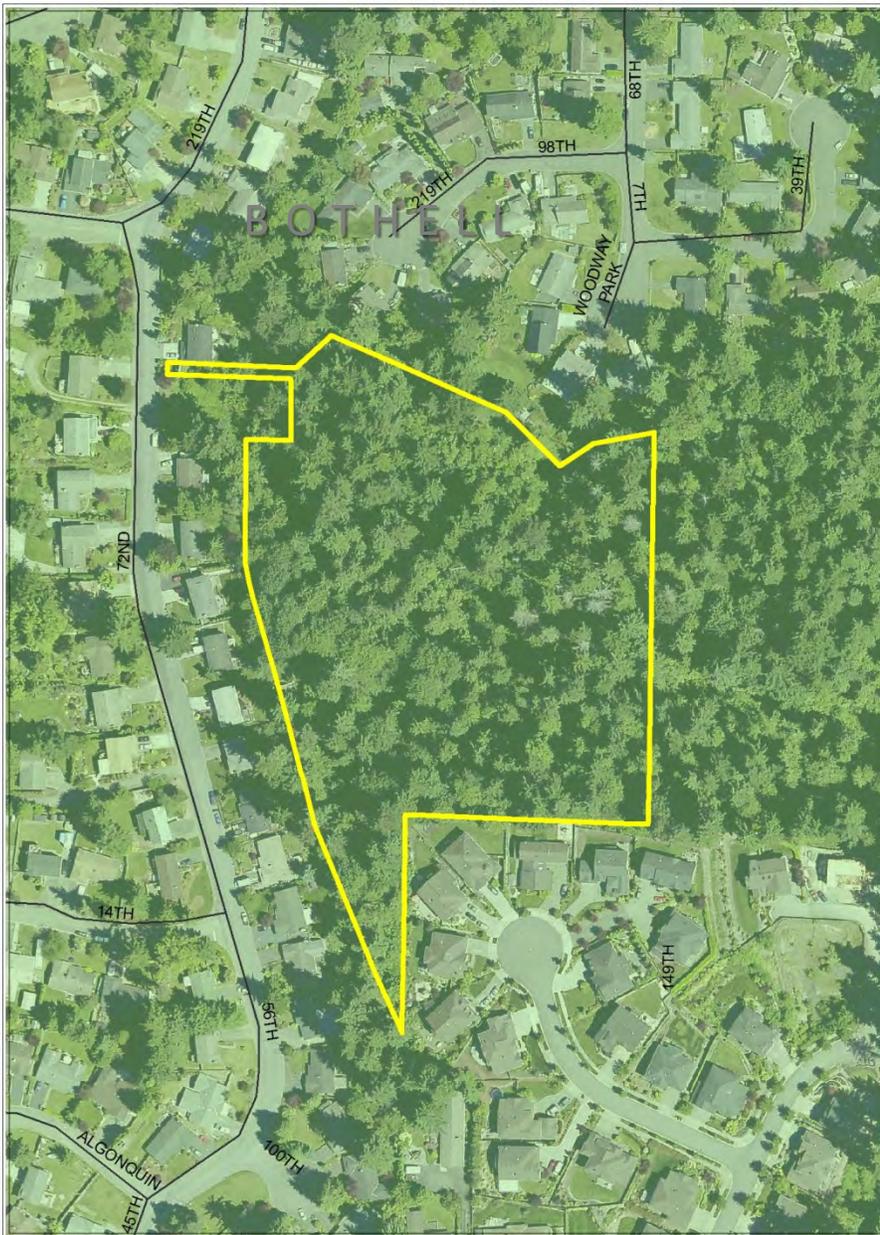
Meridian Ave. S, Bothell, 98021

Type: Neighborhood

Acreage: 6.68

Acquisition Date: 1975

Funding Source: Dedication



Description: Wooded open space tract, located in a Bothell neighborhood.

History: Dedicated to Snohomish County through the County's plat approval process.

Features: Undeveloped

Future Plans: None



Reiter Foothills

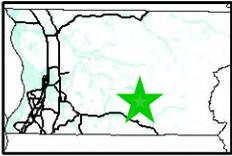
14828 429th Ave., Gold Bar, 98251

Type: Regional

Acreage: 8.00

Acquisition Date: 2010

Funding Source: CF



Description: This is an 8 acre parcel with a mix of existing open meadow and forest edge.

History: The property was purchased in November 2010 to serve as a primary access point to the adjacent Washington State Reiter Foothills Recreation Area.

Features: Undeveloped

Future Plans: Work in partnership with Washington State to secure funding and develop trailhead parking.



Rhody Ridge Botanical Garden

17427 Clover Rd., Bothell, 98012

Type: Regional

Acreage: 11.37

Acquisition Date: 1970, 1989

Funding Source: Donation, REET



Description: A 11 acre property on Clover Road, just south of 164th St. SE and the City of Mill Creek.

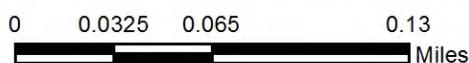
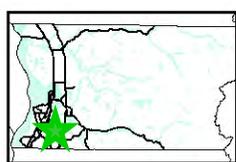
Approximately sixty percent of the site has been planted with a multitude of native and ornamental plant species, a great many of which are of the rhododendron family. These plantings offer a broad range of form and texture, as well as seasonal color. The remainder of the property is undeveloped forest.

Access to, and site tours, are by appointment only. On-going management and maintenance of the property is handled by the non-profit Rhody Ridge Foundation.

History: The majority of this park was donated in 1970 and was followed by a later acquisition by the Parks Department, which contributed to park assemblage. The property is maintained by the donating owner through a retained life estate agreement with assistance from Parks and the Friends of Rhody Ridge.

Features: Arboretum with path system and limited parking

Future Plans:



Richardson Bridge

10006 342nd Dr. NE, Granite Falls, 98252

Type: Open Space/Preserve

Acreage: 1.72

Acquisition Date: 2017

Funding Source: Tax Title



Description: This small wooded tract is located near the south fork of the Stillaguamish River off the Monte Cristo Grade Rd.

History: The property was acquired through tax title in 2017 and is considered to have potential future use for water access.

Features: Undeveloped

Future Plans: None



River Meadows

20416 Jordan Rd., Arlington, 98223

Type: Regional
Acreage: 144.55
Acquisition Date: 1955-85
Funding Source: IAC

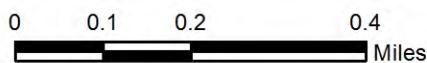
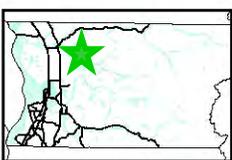
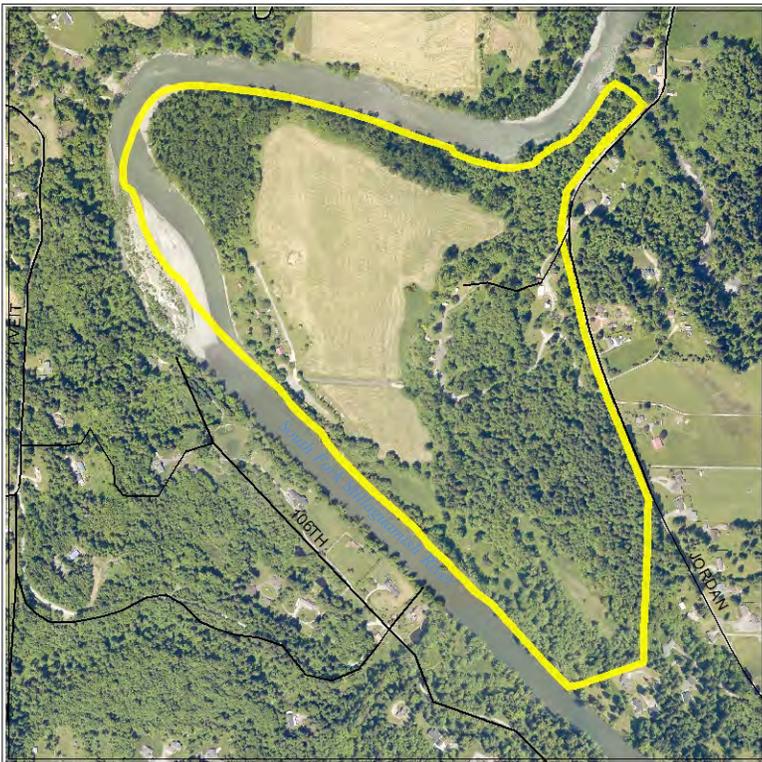


Description: With 145 acres of large open meadows and forests along the banks of the South Fork of the Stillaguamish River, River Meadows offers recreationists a variety of outdoor activities. Fishing along the mile-long river bank, camping in the open meadow, hiking the meandering trails and viewing wildlife are a few of the opportunities available at this site.

History: The River Meadows site has been occupied for generations. Native Americans used the property and two homesteads were located on the property. The Tveit and Hovik families lived on the property and remnants of an orchard still exist on the upper terrace of the park. Park acquisition started in 1955 and development began in 1977.

Features: Trails, camping (including 6 yurts), river access, wildlife viewing, shelters, picnicking, boat launch, parking and restrooms

Future Plans: Campground improvements



River Terrace

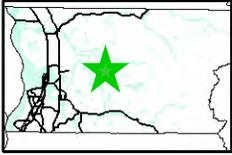
119th St. NE, Granite Falls, 98252

Type: Open Space/Preserve

Acreage: .72

Acquisition Date: 1965

Funding Source: Dedication

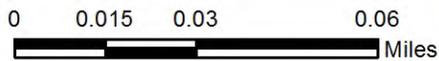


Description: This property is an open space parcel.

History: The property was dedicated to the County in 1965.

Features: Undeveloped

Future Plans: None



Riverscene

11200 Jordan Rd., Granite Falls, 98252

Type: Regional

Acreage: 6.78

Acquisition Date: 1962, 1998, 2013

Funding Source: REET, CF

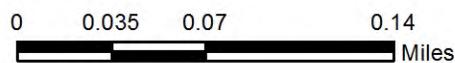
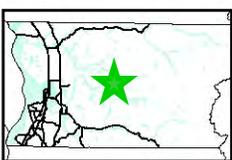
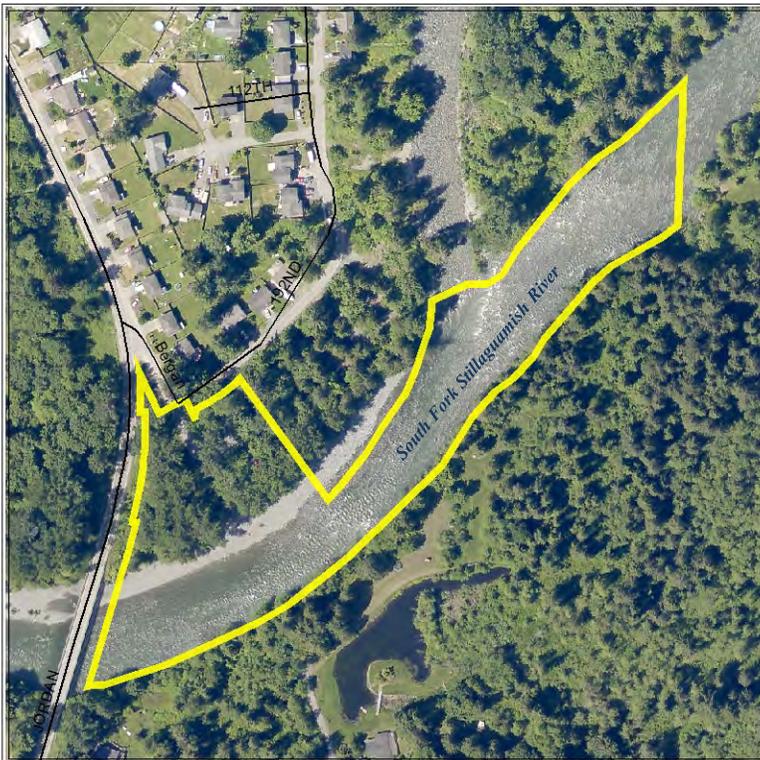


Description: This is a small park located on the outskirts of Granite Falls. It provides easy access to the South Fork of the Stillaguamish River. It is enjoyed by fishermen and others for river access.

History: A portion of the site was owned by the Snohomish County Public Works Department and was transferred to Parks during the platting process of nearby lots and relocation of the Jordan Rd. bridge. The county purchased additional property from a private party in 2013.

Features: River access, wildlife viewing and parking

Future Plans: None



Robe Canyon

Mt. Loop Hwy. and 22221 Waite-Mill Rd., Granite Falls, 98252



Type: Regional
Acreage: 938.74

Acquisition Date: 1995-2014

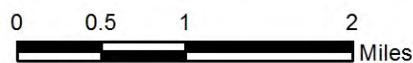
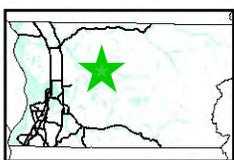
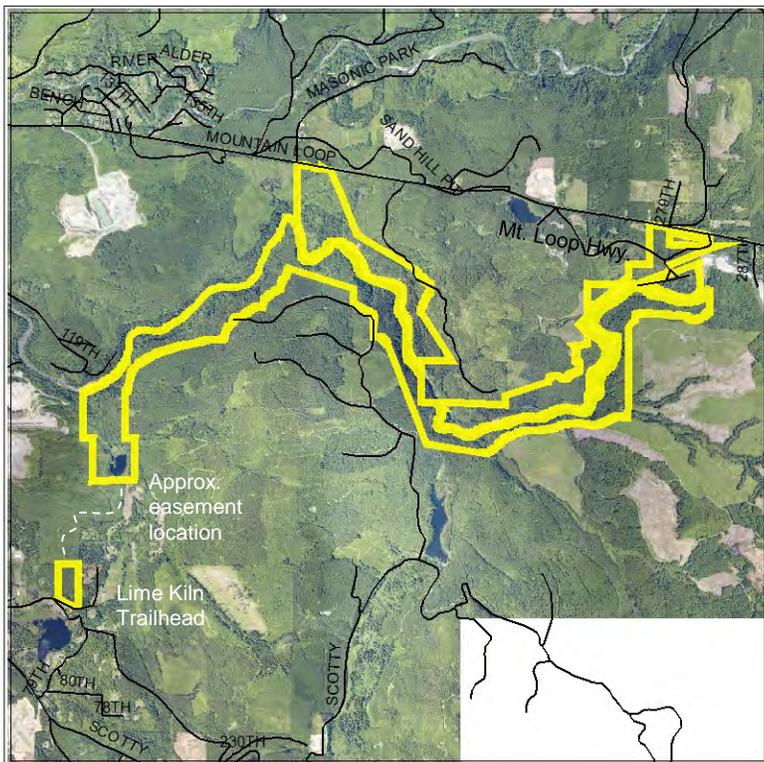
Funding Source: CF, Tax Title, WA State

Description: A 940 acre property along the South Fork Stillaguamish River, accessed via the Mountain Loop Hwy and Waite-Mill Rd., east of the City of Granite Falls. The park contains two unconnected trail sections that roughly parallel the South Fork of the Stillaguamish River. The trail from the Mt. Loop Hwy follows an old railroad grade for significant portions and the Waite-Mill trail accesses a historic lime kiln. The Lime Kiln Trail crosses private property via a trail easement for a portion of the alignment.

History: The majority of this property was acquired from the John Hancock Corporation and Trillium Corporation between 1995 and 1997 with Conservation Futures funds and State of Washington funding assistance. This includes a portion of the historic route of travel of the famous Monte Cristo Railroad. An additional thirty acres was purchased in 2001.

Features: Trails, wildlife viewing and parking

Future Plans:



Silver Creek

180th St. SE and 20th Dr. SE, Mill Creek, 98012

Type: Community

Acreage: 10.09

Acquisition Date: 1979, 1987

Funding Source: Dedication

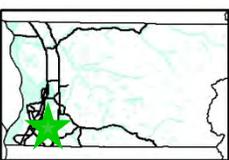
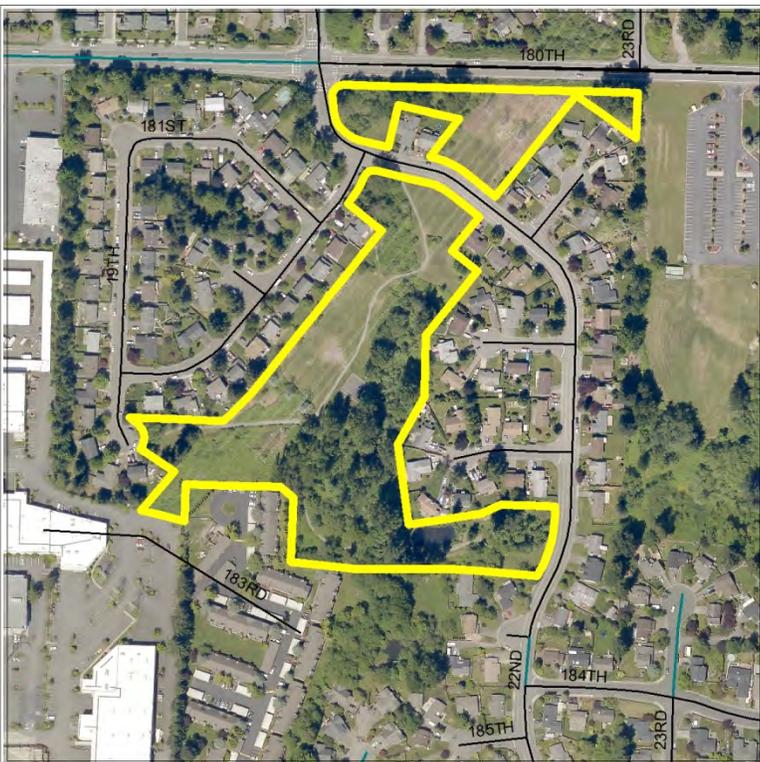


Description: A 10 acre property, accessed from 180th St. SE and 20th Dr. SE, just south of the City of Mill Creek. The park includes a rolling meadow and stream corridor, portions of which are under the Seattle City Light Transmission Line R/W.

History: Dedicated to Snohomish County for open space in 1979 and 1987.

Features: Walking trails, playground, riparian corridor interpretation, wildlife viewing and picnicking

Future Plans: Playground replacement with relocated basketball court and access improvements from 183rd



Silver Firs Section 2

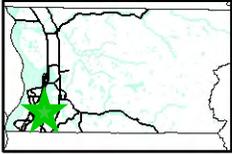
147th Pl. SE, Everett, 98208

Type: Open Space/Preserve

Acreage: .14

Acquisition Date: 1998

Funding Source: Dedication



Description: An open space tract in a developed neighborhood, adjoining a transmission line corridor.

History: Plat dedicated to Snohomish County in 1998.

Features: Undeveloped

Future Plans: None



Sky Valley Sportman's Park

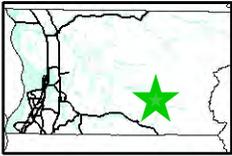
Sultan Basin Rd., Sultan, 98294

Type: Special Use

Acreage: 145.97

Acquisition Date: 2010

Funding Source: Reconveyance

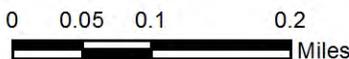


Description: A 146 acre property located off the Sultan Basin Road, northeast of the City of Sultan. The property has been managed for timber production by the Washington State Department of Natural Resources (DNR) and contains a large wetland and forested areas.

History: The property was reconveyed to Snohomish County from DNR for public park purposes in 2010. Reconveyance was pursued in order to provide a public shooting facility. However, following property transfer, further site evaluation and public interest scoping, it was determined that the property may not fully address the needs of the desired shooting park. Alternative sites are being considered, although partial development of the current site for archery purposes may be considered.

Features: Undeveloped

Future Plans: Identify more appropriate site for full shooting park development



Skylight Tracts

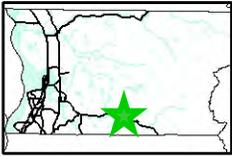
157th Pl. SE, Gold Bar, 98294

Type: Open Space/Preserve

Acreage: 2.82

Acquisition Date: 1990

Funding Source:

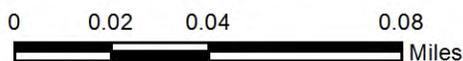


Description: A 3 acre lot, located on the south side of the Skykomish River, between the Cities of Sultan and Gold Bar.

History:

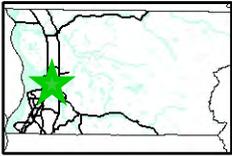
Features: Undeveloped

Future Plans: None

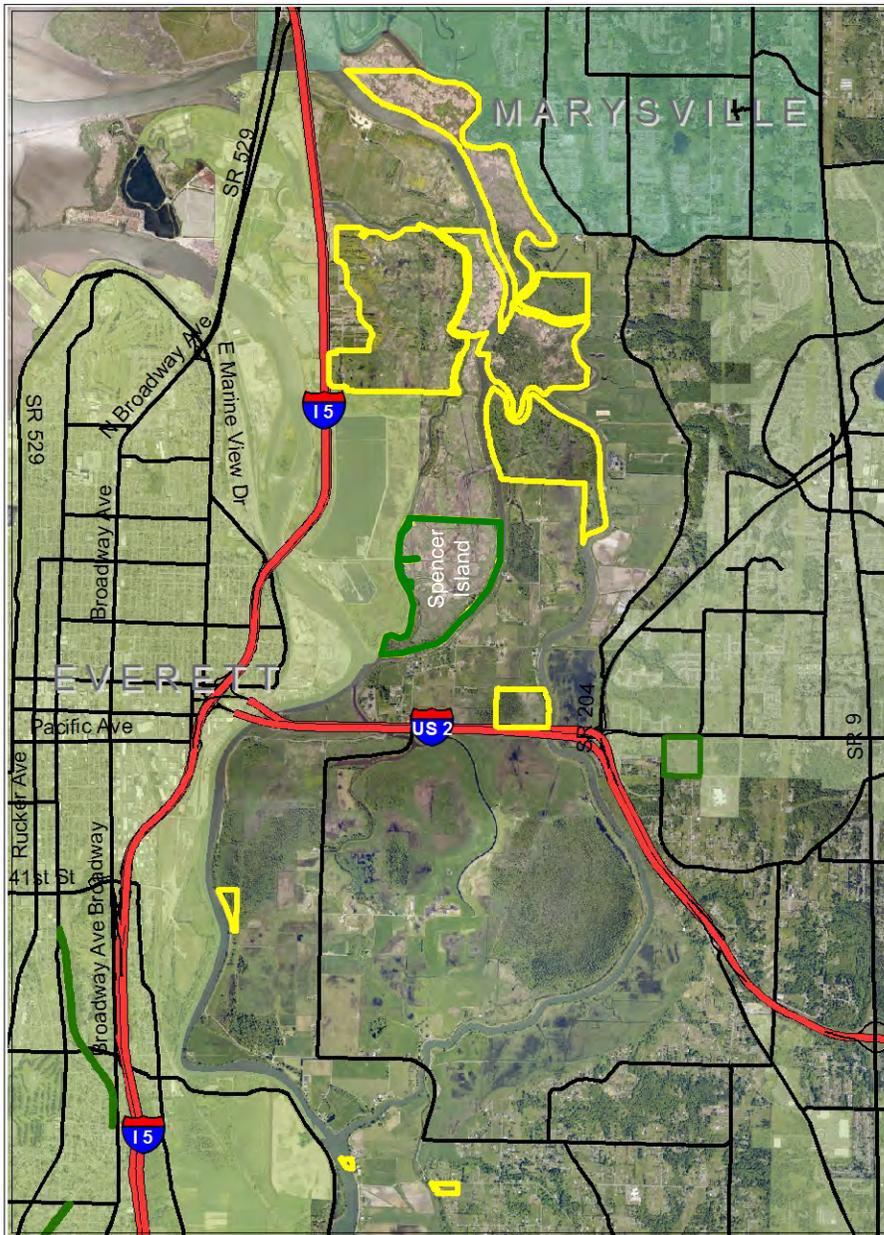


Snohomish River Estuary

East of Everett, South of Marysville and West of Lake Stevens



Type: Open Space/Preserve
Acreage: 1,185.93
Acquisition Date: 1986-2011
Funding Source: CF, Donation,
IAC, SRFB, USFWS



Description: Open space parcels located in the Snohomish River Estuary.

History: Acquired in stages from 1986 to 2011. Acquisitions were pursued for habitat protection and flood attenuation.

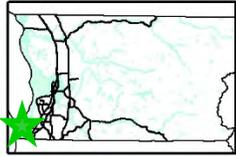
Features: Estuary properties, with the exception of Spencer Island (see Spencer Island page), are undeveloped

Future Plans: Restoration projects in partnership with SWM



Southwest County

Olympic View Dr., Edmonds, 98026

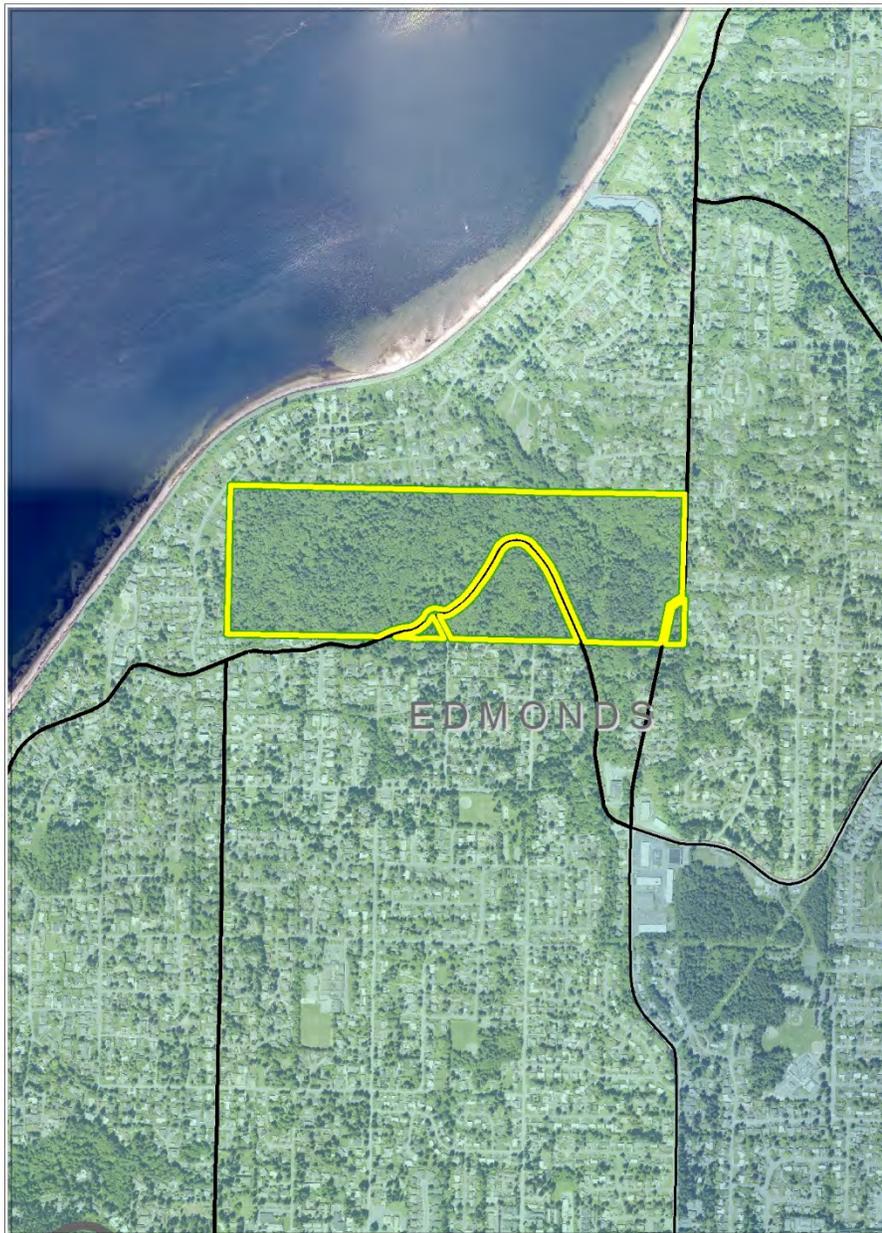


Type: Open Space/Preserve

Acreage: 114.09

Acquisition Date: 1975

Funding Source: IAC

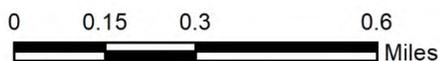


Description: Southwest County Park lies within the City of Edmonds limits. The site encompasses a series of forested ravines and Perrinville Creek, which flows through the eastern portion of the park to the Puget Sound. Olympic View Dr. winds through the site.

History: During the mid 1900's the area was logged and used as farmland and residential home sites. The area along Perrinville Creek, composed of forested ravines and wetlands, remained relatively untouched. Pope and Talbot, early owners of the local forests, eventually transferred ownership of this property to the University of Washington. Then, in 1975, Snohomish County obtained the site through a State of Washington, Interagency Committee for Outdoor Recreation (IAC) grant.

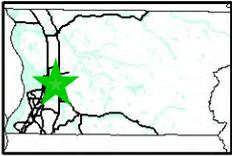
Features: Trails, wildlife viewing and small parking area

Future Plans: Site improvements



Spencer Island

4th St. SE, Everett, 98201



Type: Regional
Acreage: 238.00
Acquisition Date: 1985
Funding Source:

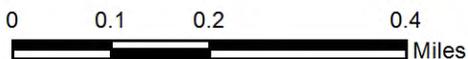


Description: Spencer Island lies in the heart of the Snohomish River Estuary, an ecosystem formed by the mixing of fresh water and saltwater. Spencer Island is owned by Snohomish County and the Washington State Department of Fish and Wildlife and provides walking, wildlife viewing and picnicking opportunities.

History: A dike was built out of earth and wood chips around the perimeter of the island in the early 1930's for flood control and the island was converted to agricultural uses. In 1996, a cross dike was built on the island and the dike was breached south of the cross dike to allow tidal inundation to return to that area. In 2006, another series of breaches were made in the cross dike and northern dike to allow the remainder of the site to return to pre-diking hydrology.

Features: Trails, wildlife viewing, picnicking, small parking area and portable restroom

Future Plans: Potential additional restoration in partnership with WDFW



Squire Creek

41415 SR 530 NE, Arlington, 98223

Type: Regional

Acreage: 40.65

Acquisition Date: 1926-2018

Funding Source: Donation, CF

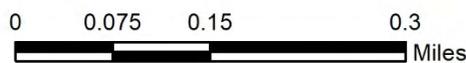
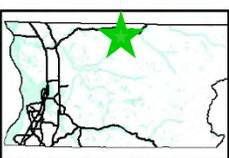
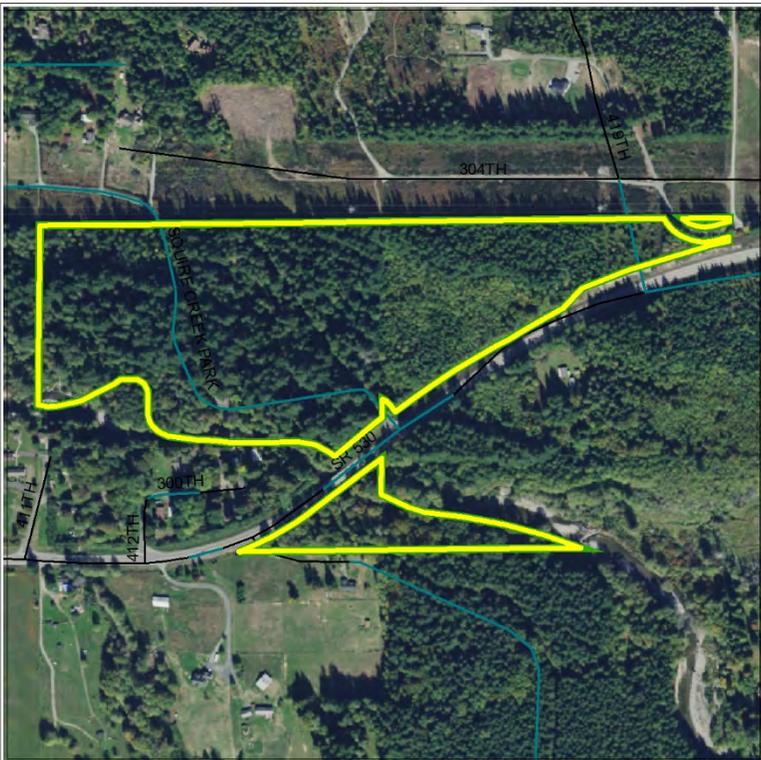


Description: Squire Creek provides tent and RV camping in a beautiful second growth forest. The park is located adjacent to Hwy 530 and to Squire Creek. Two large picnic shelters are available near the creek. The park is a perfect staging location for enjoying the nearby Mt. Baker-Snoqualmie National Forest.

History: The site has a long use as a campground and was originally developed by volunteers in the 1920's. Formal campground development occurred in 1971. In 2018 an additional 11 acres was acquired to expand park uses.

Features: Camping, creek access, wildlife viewing, shelters, picnicking, parking and restroom

Future Plans: Camping improvements and connection to Whitehorse Trail



SR 530 Memorial

Hwy 530 and Steelhead Dr., Arlington, 98223

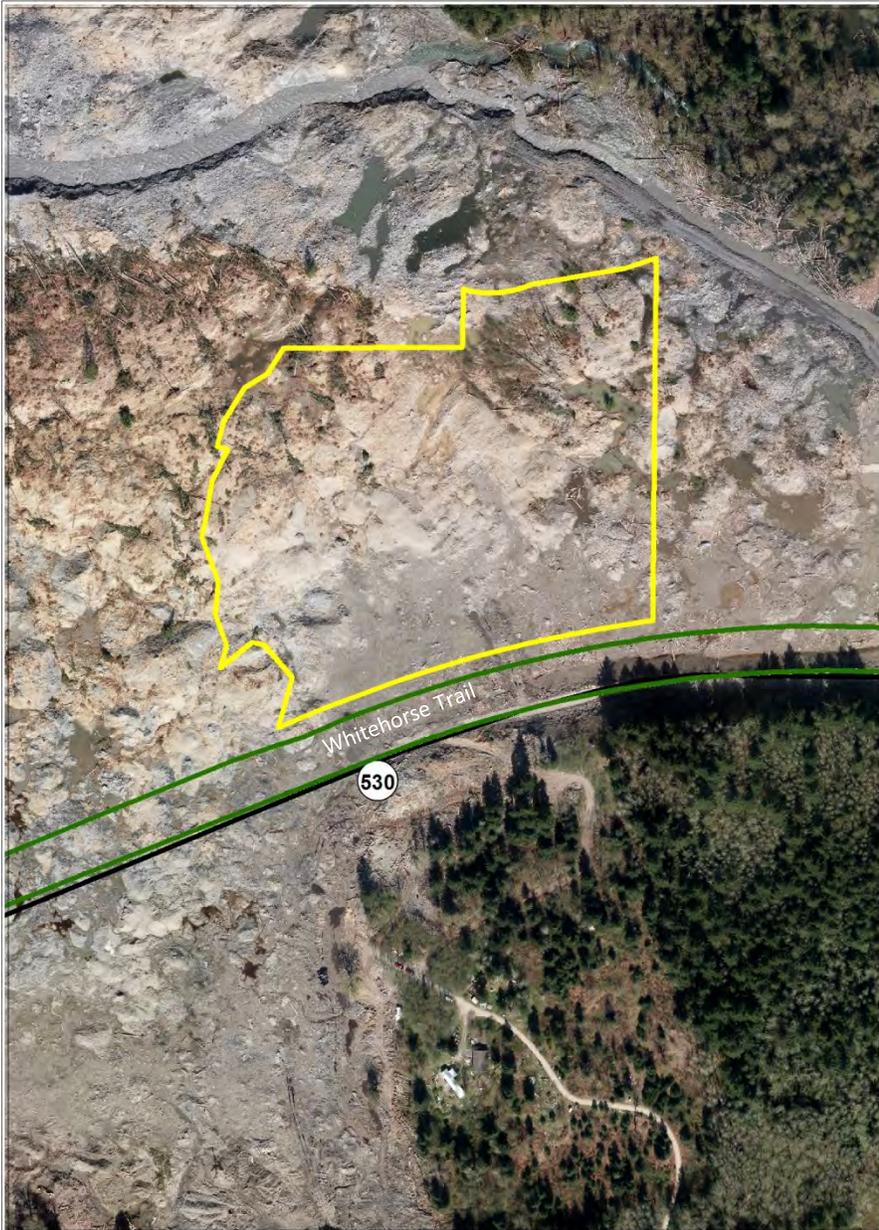


Type: Open Space/Preserve

Acreage: 13.37

Acquisition Date: 2015

Funding Source: CF



Description: The SR 530 Memorial site is comprised of 13 acres, located within the larger area affected by the Hwy 530 slide (aka Oso Slide). This property is closed to public access.

History: This property was purchased in 2015 prior to the one-year remembrance of the March 2014 slide that claimed the lives of 43 individuals and shook the valley as a whole. The SR 530 Memorial property was purchased in order to preserve the possibility of a future memorial to meet the needs and interests of the affected families.

Features: Undeveloped

Future Plans: Memorial construction

2014 aerial



Steelhead

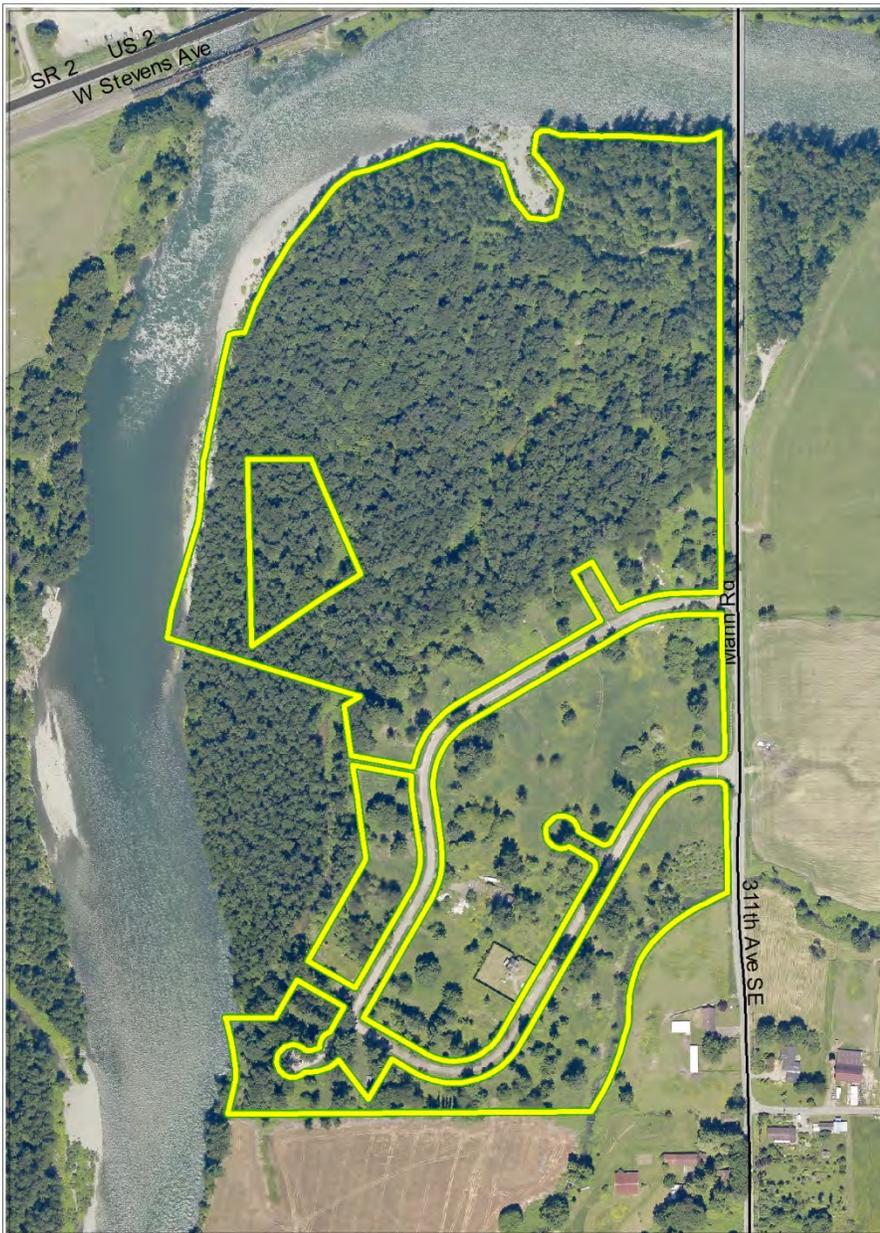
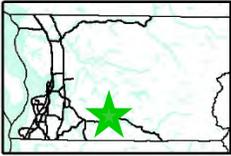
311 Ave. SE, Sultan, 98294

Type: Regional

Acreage: 45.08

Acquisition Date: 2008 - 2016

Funding Source: CF, FEMA, Mitigation



Description: Also known as Skyview Tracts, this property lies within the floodplain of the Skykomish River and includes areas previously utilized as recreational lots, as well as mature forest.

History: That area which was previously utilized as recreational lots was acquired in pieces since 2008. Funding for these acquisitions was provided through the Conservation Futures program, the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) and mitigation funding. The Skyview Tracts had flooded several times and was initially targeted for acquisition by FEMA, which transferred the parcels to Snohomish County Public Works, which later transferred those holdings in 2018 to be added to approximately 24 acres, which had been acquired by Parks for open space preservation

Features: Currently undeveloped

Future Plans: Site improvements, including fencing, campground development and other minor improvements



Steelhead Haven

E. Steelhead Dr., Arlington, 98223

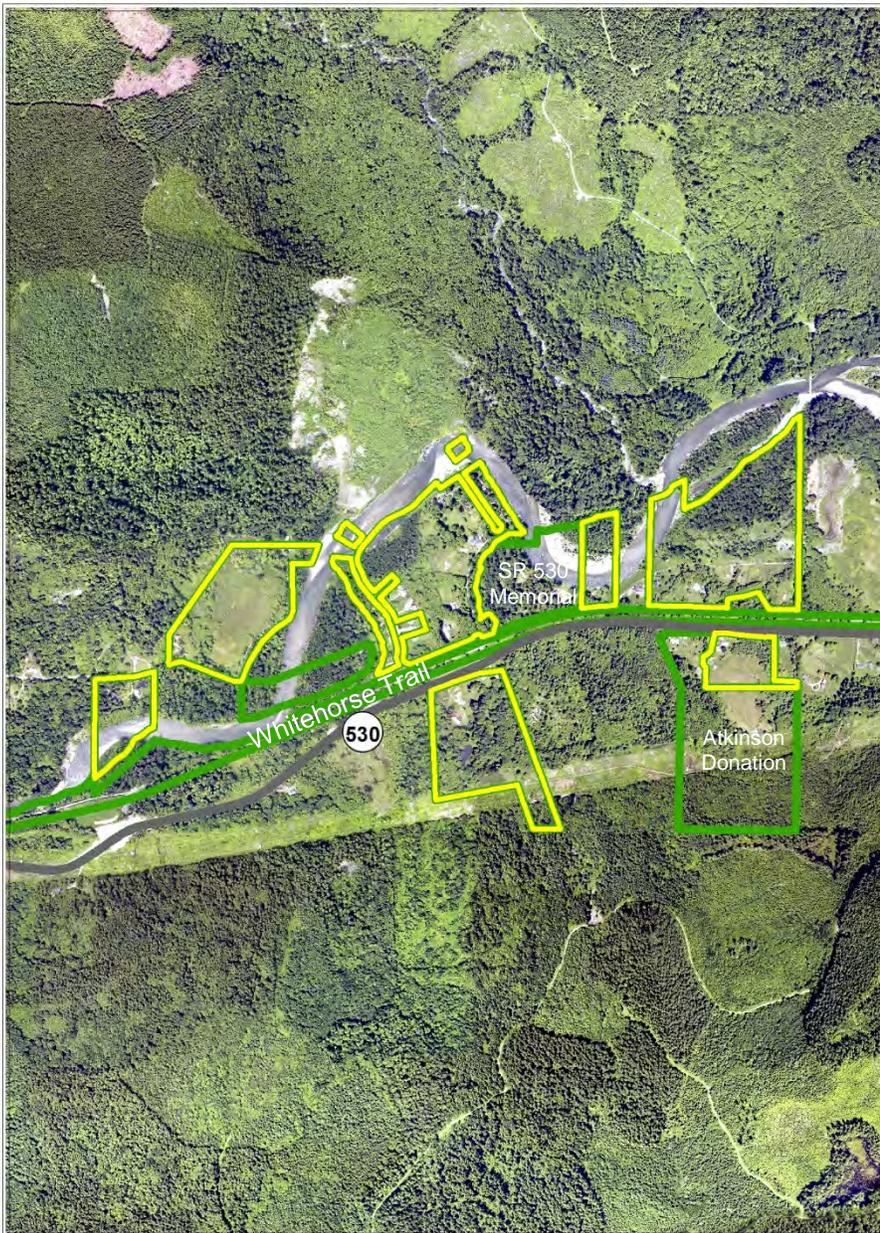


Type: Open Space/Preserve

Acreage: 143.87

Acquisition Dates: 1976-2016

Funding Source: Dedicated,
FEMA, HUD



Description: A collection of parcels totaling 144 acres, located in the valley of the North Fork of the Stillaguamish River, between the communities of Oso and Hazel.

History: Early parcels were dedicated to Snohomish County in 1976 and 1992. Additional acquisitions occurred in 2015 and 2016, funded by FEMA and Washington State HUD, following the 2014 SR 530 (aka "Oso") slide.

Features: Undeveloped

Future Plans: None. The property will be held as open space.

2014 aerial



Stilly River Homesites

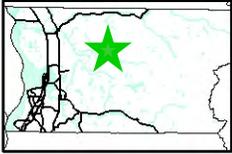
Jordan Rd., Arlington, 98223

Type: Open Space/Preserve

Acreage: .25

Acquisition Date: 1963

Funding Source: Dedicated

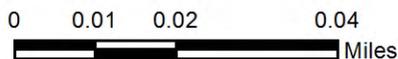


Description: A .25 acre property adjacent to the South Fork Stillaguamish River, along Jordan Rd., southeast of the City of Arlington. The property is partially wooded.

History: Dedicated to Snohomish County in 1963.

Features: Undeveloped

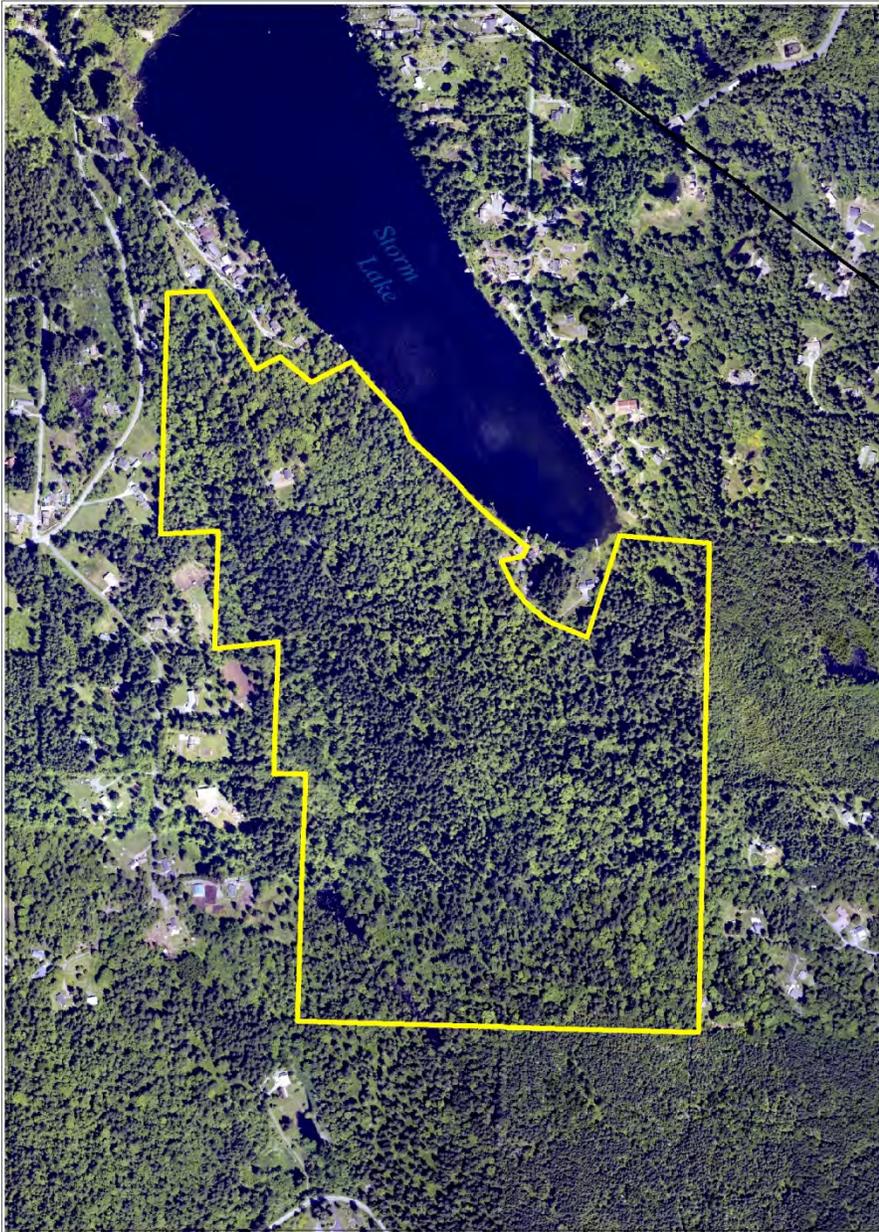
Future Plans: None



Storm Lake Ridge

Adams Log Cabin Rd., Snohomish, 98290

Type: Regional
Acreage: 163.89
Acquisition Date: 2015
Funding Source: CF

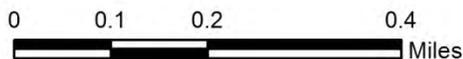


Description: One hundred and sixty-four acres of undeveloped land that is being land-banked for future park development. The majority of the property was logged in 2013 and includes 1,500 feet of frontage on Storm Lake.

History: This property was purchased in 2015 in order to secure waterfront access for future park development. Funding was provided for acquisition through the Snohomish County Conservation Futures program.

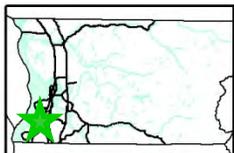
Features: Undeveloped

Future Plans:



Sundquist Family Nature Park

52nd Ave. W, Edmonds, 98026



Type: Neighborhood
Acreage: 5.60
Acquisition Date: 2015
Funding Source: Donation

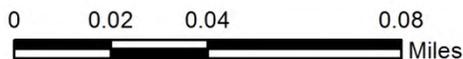


Description: Located at the upper reaches of Lund's Gulch, this 6 acre parcel has been partially cleared.

History: Previously planned to be developed as part of the adjacent Glennwick Grove Homes project, this property was instead donated to Snohomish County for the purpose of preserving open space in the neighborhood. In preparation for development, a large portion of the property has been cleared.

Features: Undeveloped

Future Plans: Coordinating with local volunteers for maintenance



Sunset

410 E Shore Dr., Lake Stevens, 98258

Type: Neighborhood

Acreage: .27

Acquisition Date: 1919

Funding Source: Dedicated

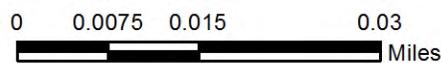
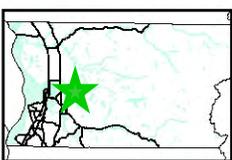


Description: This pocket park offers an expansive, territorial view of Lake Stevens. It provides lake access and picnicking opportunities.

History: Dedicated to Snohomish County in 1919.

Features: Lake access, swimming dock, wildlife viewing and limited parking

Future Plans:



Swans Trail

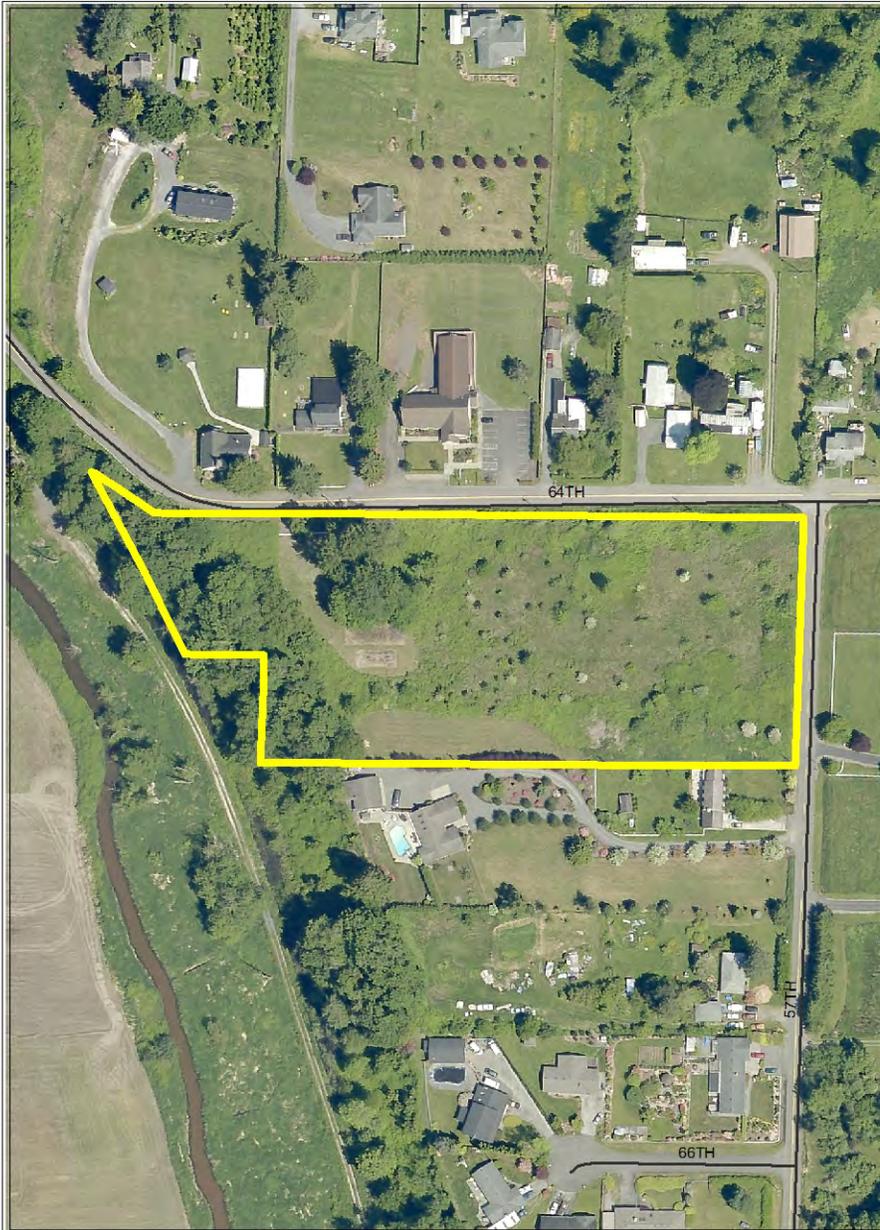
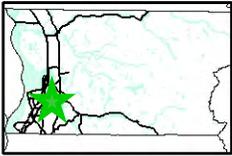
6525 Skiplely Rd., Snohomish, 98290

Type: Community

Acreage: 5.16

Acquisition Date: 1979

Funding Source: Exchange

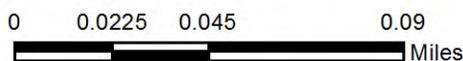


Description: A 5 acre property located west of the City of Snohomish. Located on a hill above the Snohomish River in a large-tract residential area. The site is mostly covered with field grasses and some trees, which are located along the western edge of the property. A portion of the site is utilized for overflow parking by a special use permit.

History: Acquired through a land exchange with the Snohomish School District.

Features: Undeveloped

Future Plans:



Tambark Creek

17217 35th Ave. SE, Mill Creek, 98012

Type: Community

Acreage: 37.82

Acquisition Date: 1995/1996

Funding Source: REET,
Mitigation

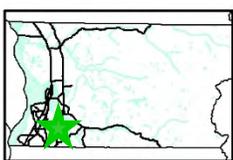
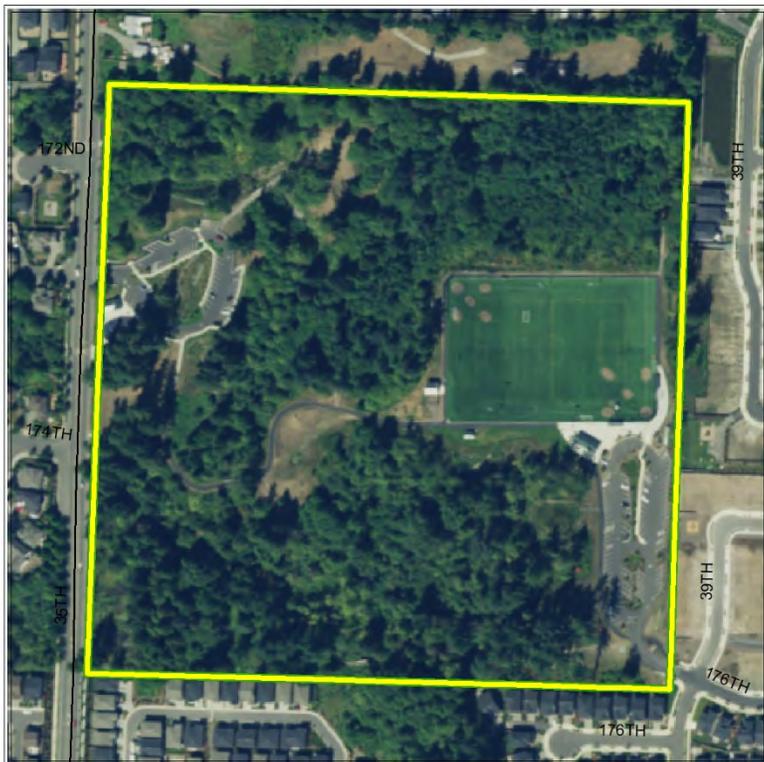


Description: This site totals almost 40 acres and contains a mix of wetlands and upland forests/open areas. The park was opened in 2013 and contains a playground, artificial turf athletic field, off-leash dog area, trails and habitat areas.

History: Acquired in 1995/1996 to provide ballfields to the community. Purchase of the property was a joint effort between Snohomish County and the City of Mill Creek. Mill Creek retains 25% ownership, while the county has the remaining 75%.

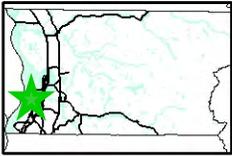
Features: The park includes a playground, trails, wildlife viewing, lit artificial turf multipurpose field, off-leash dog area, concession stand, picnicking, parking and restrooms

Future Plans: Pavement preservation



Tenth St. Boat Launch

10th St. & W. Marine View Dr., Everett, 98201



Type: Regional
Acreage: 22.77
Acquisition Date: 1974
Funding Source: RCO

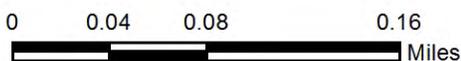


Description: A regional boat launch facility located in the City of Everett, off of Marine View Dr. The park features a multi-lane boat launch with extensive vehicle and trailer parking. An adjoining waterfront park is located by the launch and is the Jetty Island Ferry station.

History: Jointly acquired with the Port of Everett and City of Everett in 1974. The park is maintained and operated by the Port of Everett through an Interlocal Agreement.

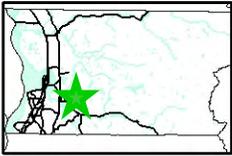
Features: Boat launch, picnicking, Jetty Island Ferry, wildlife viewing, parking and restrooms

Future Plans:



Three Lakes Shop

Three Lakes Rd., Snohomish, 98290



Type: Not Classified
Acreage: .41
Acquisition Date: 1991
Funding Source:



Description: The Three Lakes Shop was acquired in 1991 for maintenance use and is currently used as a Ranger office.

History: The building is a former fire station.

Features: Undeveloped

Future Plans: Roof replacement

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Tidelands #1

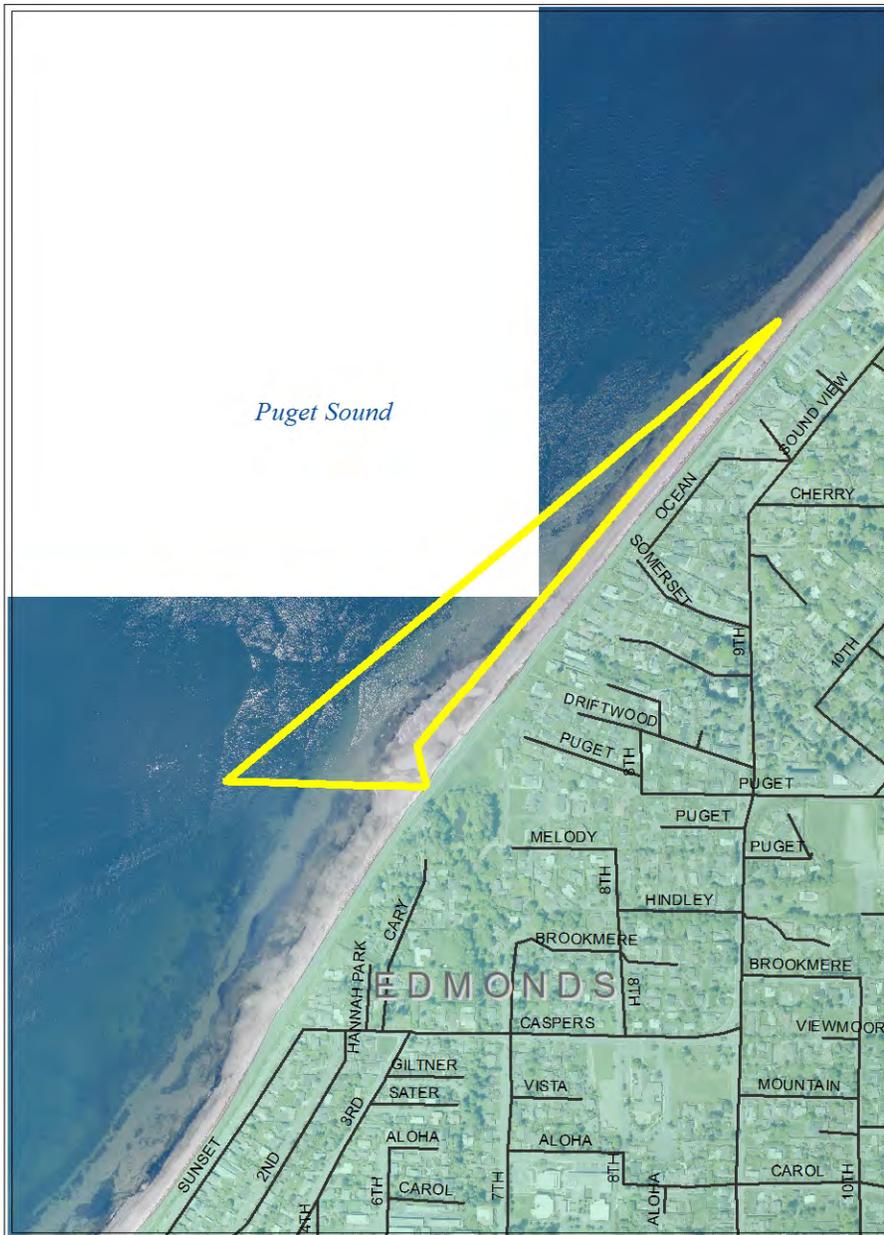
Edmonds, 98020

Type: Neighborhood

Acreage: 26.36

Acquisition Date: 1959, 2013

Funding Source: Tax Title

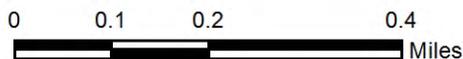


Description: Tidelands #1 is located adjacent to the City of Edmonds on the Puget Sound. This nearly-flat shoreline is mainly composed of gravel and fine sand. The Burlington Northern Sante Fe railroad line bulkhead forms the easterly edge of the property.

History: This property was acquired by Snohomish County through Tax-Title action.

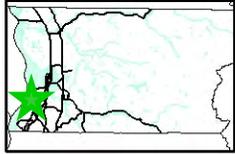
Features: Undeveloped

Future Plans: None

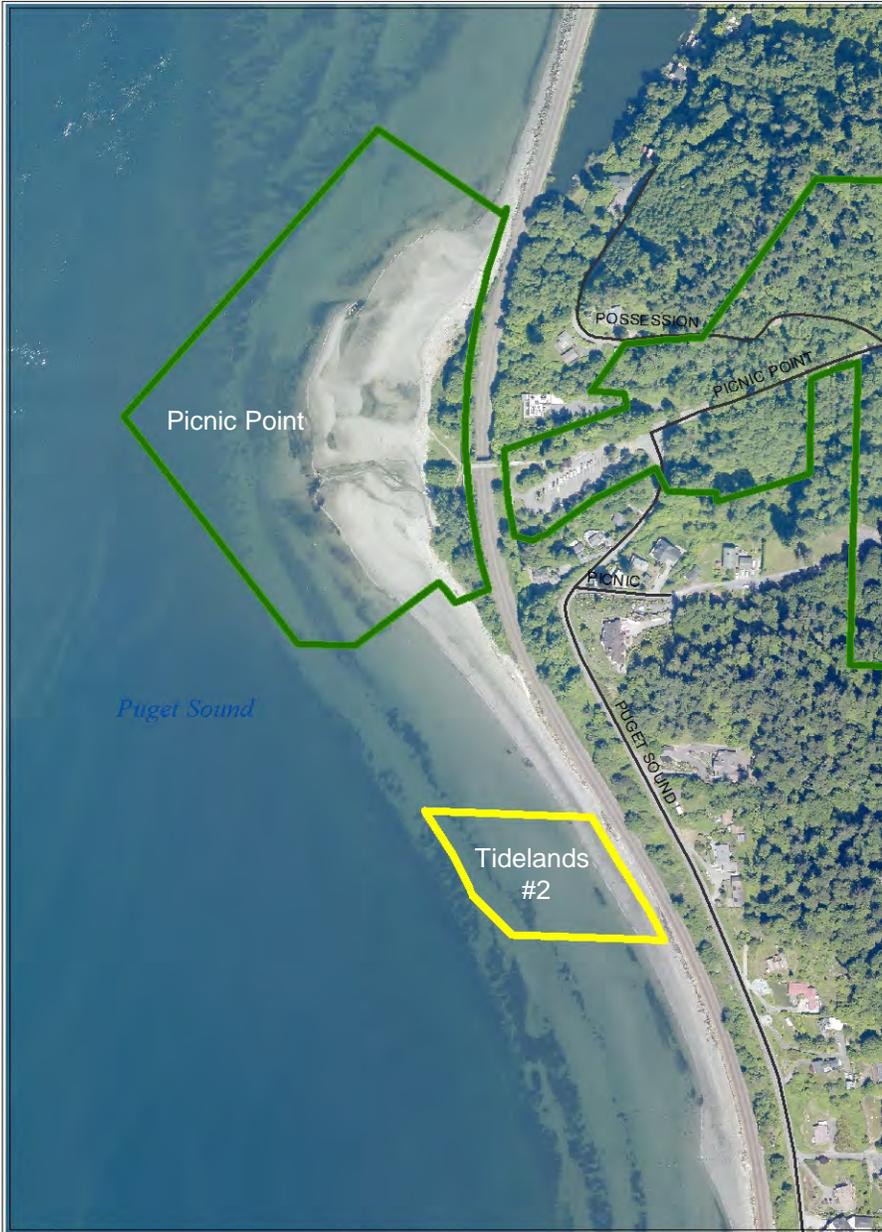


Tidelands #2

Mukilteo, 98026



Type: Neighborhood
Acreage: 3.14
Acquisition Date: 1963
Funding Source: Tax Title

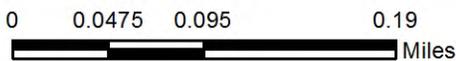


Description: Tidelands #2 is located south of the City of Mukilteo on the Puget Sound. This nearly-flat shoreline is mainly composed of gravel and fine sand. The Burlington Northern Sante Fe railroad line bulkhead forms the easterly edge of the property.

History: This property was acquired by Snohomish County through Tax-Title action.

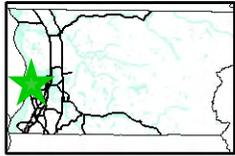
Features: Undeveloped

Future Plans: None



Tidelands #3

Everett, 98203



Type: Neighborhood
Acreage: .69
Acquisition Date: 2013
Funding Source: Tax Title

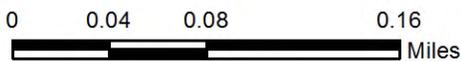


Description: Tidelands #3 is located adjacent to the City of Everett on Puget Sound. The Burlington Northern Santa Fe railroad line bulkhead forms the southern edge of the property.

History: This property was acquired by Snohomish County through Tax-Title action.

Features: Undeveloped

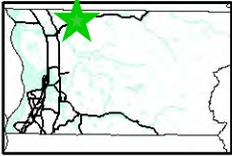
Future Plans: None



Trafton Trailhead

115th Ave. NE, Arlington, 98223

Type: Regional
Acreage: 127.36
Acquisition Date: 1997
Funding Source: CF

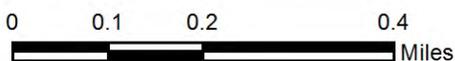


Description: Located off of Hwy 530 on 115th Ave. NE, along the North Fork of the Stillaguamish River. This property was formerly used as a dairy, then golf course, prior to acquisition of the property for park purposes and access to the Whitehorse Trail. The property contains significant frontage on the North Fork of the Stillaguamish River and includes open fields, wetlands and wooded areas.

History: Purchased in 1997 with Conservation Futures funding for trailhead purposes.

Features: River access, wildlife viewing, trail and parking

Future Plans:



Transmission Line Properties

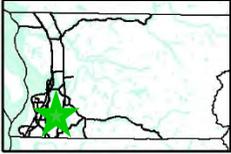
168th St. SE and 180th St. SE, Mill Creek, 98012

Type: Neighborhood

Acreage: 18.64

Acquisition Date: 1977-2003

Funding Source: Dedication

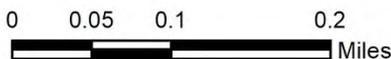


Description: A 19 acre property located between 168th St. SE and 180th St. SE, immediately south of the City of Mill Creek in southwest County. This park is a linear, flat to rolling open space under the Seattle City Light transmission line corridor. A pedestrian trail utilizes an existing service road.

History: Acquired by Snohomish County in the years between 1977 and 2003 as dedicated public open space from residential plat development.

Features: Trail

Future Plans: None



Willis D. Tucker

6705 Puget Park Dr., Snohomish, 98296

Type: Community

Acreage: 77.72

Acquisition Date: 2000

Funding Source: Mitigation

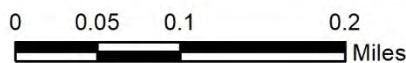
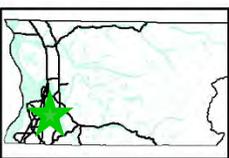


Description: A multi-use park, located between the Cities of Mill Creek and Snohomish, which includes a combination of retained natural areas and park amenities. This park also houses the Parks Department administrative offices and meeting rooms are available to rent within the building.

History: The property was purchased by Snohomish County Parks as surplus land from Snohomish County Solid Waste in 2000 and dedicated to Willis D. Tucker, the county's first Executive.

Features: Ballfields, playground, spray park, off-leash dog areas, trails, wildlife viewing, shelters, picnicking, half-court basketball, sand volleyball courts, administrative offices, meeting rooms, parking and restrooms

Future Plans: Continued development of the park, including a shelter, playground and restroom. Life-cycle improvements include planned playground replacement.



Twin Lakes (Gissberg)

16324 Twin Lakes Ave., Marysville, 98271

Type: Regional

Acreage: 54.02

Acquisition Date: 1973, 1998

Funding Source: CF

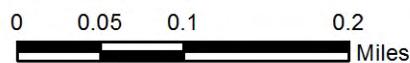
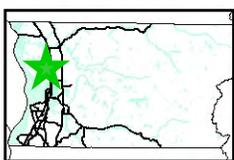


Description: Swim or sunbathe on the south lake beach. Well-kept lawns and numerous picnic areas are available at the east end of each lake. The natural spring fed lakes are stocked with bass and rainbow trout and can be fished year-round. This park is a very popular destination for local fishing enthusiasts.

History: The park originated from the excavation of gravel for the construction of I-5. These two adjoining, rectangular lakes have evolved into a popular 44 acre park, with adjacent 10 acres to the south, which was purchased in 1998 for wetland mitigation.

Features: Lake access, wildlife viewing, trail, swimming, picnicking, parking and restroom

Future Plans:



Twin Rivers

22914 SR 530 NE, Arlington, 98223

Type: Community

Acreage: 49.35

Acquisition Date: 1969

Funding Source: Bond

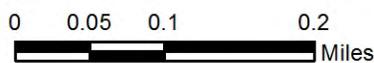
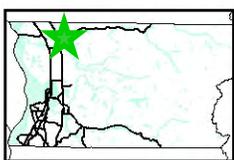


Description: Twin Rivers is a large park located at the point where the North and South Forks of the Stillaguamish Rivers converge. The park provides practice and competition soccer fields and little league baseball fields. Large open areas and trails are available for walking pets or jogging. Beach access is provided, as is a disc golf course.

History: The property was a former farm. It was purchased with money from the County's first park bond issue. The Parks Department has an agreement with the City of Arlington to maintain and operate the park and schedule activities.

Features: Soccer and baseball fields, river access, wildlife viewing, trail, picnicking, disc golf course, parking and restroom

Future Plans:



Wenberg

15430 E. Lake Goodwin Rd., Stanwood, 98292

Type: Regional

Acreage: 45.08

Acquisition Date: 2009

Funding Source: Transfer



Description: Wenberg Regional Park is located on the eastern shores of Lake Goodwin and offers camping, a boat launch and day use areas.

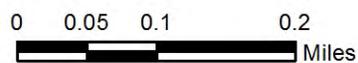
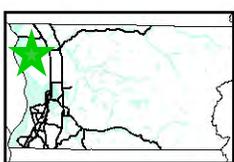
History: The park came under ownership of Snohomish County via a transfer from Washington State Parks in 2009.

History of the park dates back to 1936, when approximately 20 acres were acquired by Snohomish County for park purposes. In 1947 the property was transferred to Washington State Parks. At the time of this transfer, an additional 10 acres was added to the park from the Wenberg Public Parks Association. Three additional acquisitions followed in 1960 and 1979, resulting in the park footprint that exists today.

Renovation of the day use area of the park was completed in 2018.

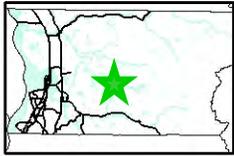
Features: Camping, lake access, boat launch, wildlife viewing, playground, swimming, picnicking, shelters concession building, parking and restrooms

Future Plans: Renovation of day use restroom. Improvements to campground area, specifically reconfiguration of RV Loop 1 and pavement renovation/preservation

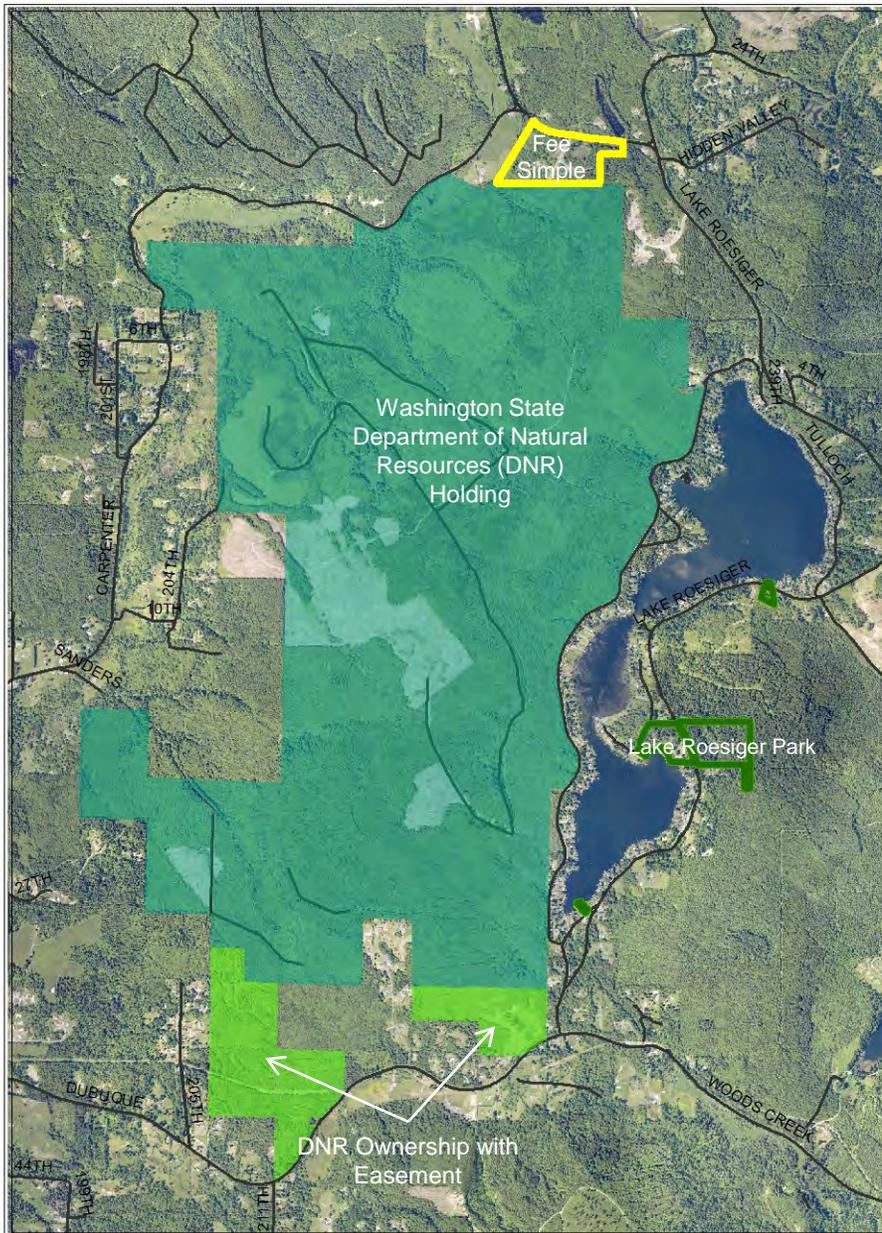


West Lake Roesiger

22802 N Carpenter Rd., Granite Falls, 98290



Type: Regional
Acreage (fee simple): 43.49
(conservation easement): 202.03
Acquisition Date: 2011
Funding Source: CF, Mitigation

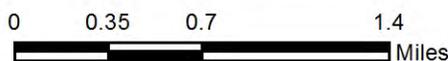


Description: A 43 acre ownership located off of Carpenter Rd., outside of the City of Granite Falls. The property includes improvements installed for a planned housing development, which did not occur. The park is located adjacent to a large holding acquired by Washington State Department of Natural Resources (DNR) and is planned to be developed for access to that property. An additional 202.03 acre easement area was purchased south of the DNR property for conservation and future recreation access.

History: Acquired in 2011 with Conservation Futures funding to provide future access to adjacent land owned by Washington State Department of Natural Resources.

Features: Undeveloped

Future Plans: Repair of failing culvert under access road



Whitehorse

46609 North Mountain Rd., Darrington, 98241

Type: Regional

Acreage: 82.92

Acquisition Date: 1999

Funding Source: DNR Reconveyance

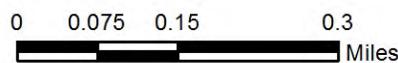
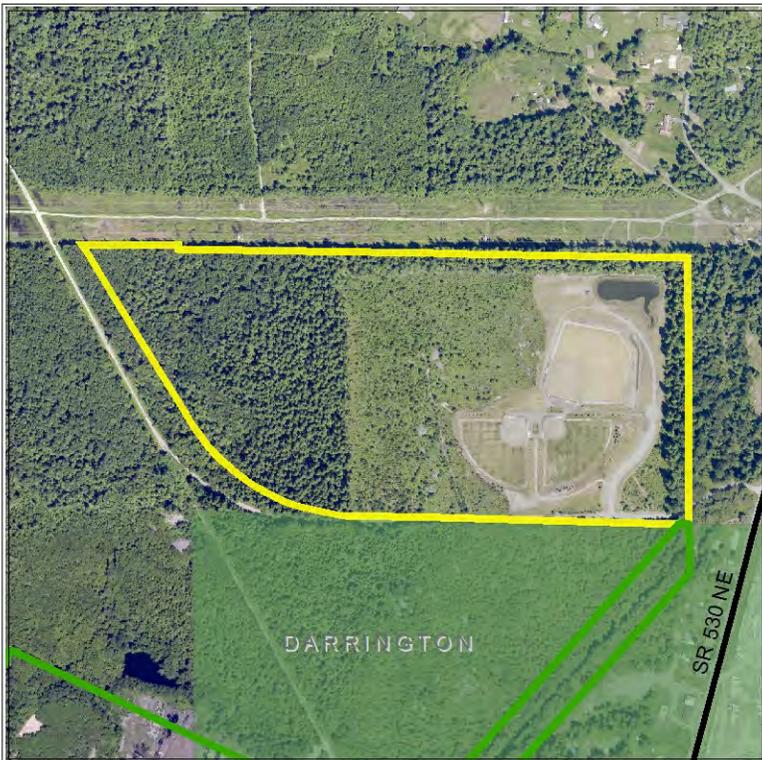


Description: A 83 acre park located off Hwy 530 and North Mountain Rd., at the northern edge of the Town of Darrington. The park contains three baseball fields and parking.

History: Acquired by Snohomish County through a reconveyance from Washington State Department of Natural Resources in 1999. The park is operated through an agreement with the Town of Darrington, which handles day-to-day management of the site.

Features: Ballfields and parking

Future Plans: Campground development and potential development of event space



Whitehorse Trail

Arlington to Darrington

Type: Trail

Acreage: 495.41

Acquisition Date: 1993-2014

Funding Source: CF, Donation, ISTEPA,
Tax Title

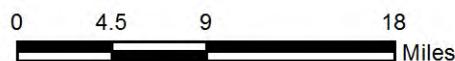
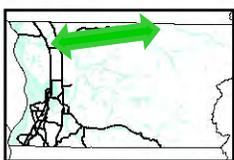
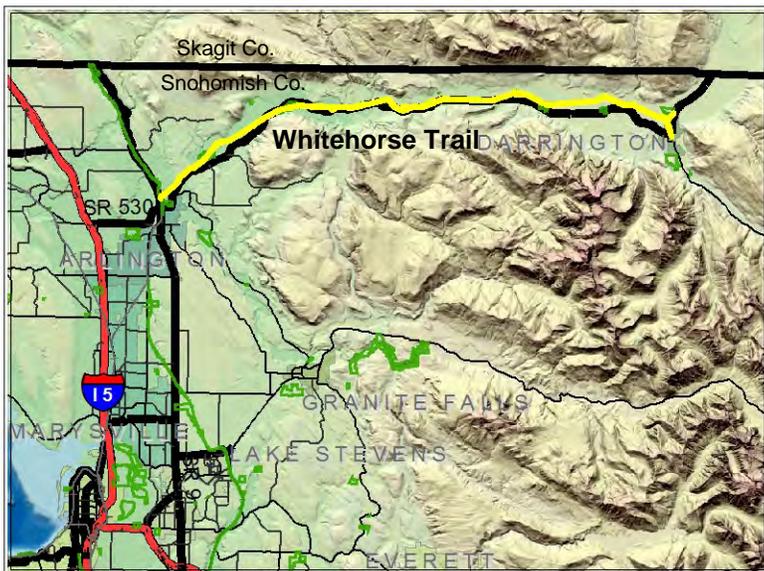


Description: A 27 mile long corridor stretching between the City of Arlington and Town of Darrington. The trail follows an old railroad grade and often parallels both Hwy 530 and the North Fork of the Stillaguamish River. Eight and a half miles of the alignment are currently open from the Town of Darrington west.

History: The majority of the corridor was acquired by Snohomish County from Burlington Northern Railroad through a rail banking process in 1993. Eight and a half miles of the trail have been opened for public use and efforts are currently underway to open additional sections and modify bridges to allow for public access. The March 2014 SR 530 slide affected approximately 1 mile of the trail and reconstruction of the section was completed in 2017.

Features: Eight and a half miles of soft surface trail, stretching from the Town of Darrington west

Future Plans: Continued acquisition and development of the trail, stabilization of eroded areas and connection to Whitehorse Park.



Wyatt

10508 Chapel Hill Rd., Lake Stevens, 98258

Type: Regional

Acreage: 2.08

Acquisition Date: 1914 - 1987

Funding Source: Donation, Local Funds



Description: Wyatt Park overlooks the beautiful waters of Lake Stevens. It includes a boat launch, swim area, dock with pavilion and picnicking areas. This park is extremely popular with boaters and those wanting to access the lake for swimming, sunbathing or relaxing. The park is located within the city limits of Lake Stevens.

History: The site was originally known as Davies Beach. The privately held property provided beach access and picnic sites to the Lake Stevens community for decades. The Parks Department purchased the property and provided a developed parking lot and improved facilities. In the early 90's the park was redeveloped and received dock and boat launch improvements and landscaping. In 2018 a non-profit rowing organization completed construction of a boat house west of Davies Rd.

Features: Boat launch, lake access, wildlife viewing, dock, swimming, picnicking, parking and restroom.

Future Plans:

