


WHATCOM COUNTY
Parks & Recreation
3373 Mount Baker Highway
Bellingham, WA 98226-9097



Michael G. McFarlane, Director
Christ Thomsen, Operations Manager

MEMORANDUM

TO: County Executive Satpal Sidhu

FROM: Michael McFarlane, Director 

DATE: June 6th, 2022

RE: Cooperative Agreement between Washington Department of Fish & Wildlife and Whatcom County Parks & Recreation Department.

Attached please find a *Cooperative Agreement between the Washington Department of Fish & Wildlife and Whatcom County Parks & Recreation Department* to allow for the cooperative management of various properties owned and operated by both parties. The agreement lays out general duties and responsibilities both parties may take, but does not impose any obligations.

The two parties have a long history of providing public recreational opportunities such as trails, boat launches, campsites and wildlife habitats that adjoin and span lands of both. Specifically, Pine and Cedar Lakes, Tennant Lake and Hovander Homestead Park are sites that are included in this agreement.

I recommend approval.

Thank you.