



KITSAP COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

To enable the development of quality, affordable, structurally safe and environmentally sound communities.

Rafe Wysham
Director

PROGRAMMATIC DETERMINATION OF NONSIGNIFICANCE

Description of Proposal: 2025 Kitsap County Parks, Recreation, and Open Space (PROS) Plan Update and Amendment to the 2024 Comprehensive Plan.

Kitsap County Parks Department is developing an update to its PROS Plan, which will:

- Provide an inventory and an assessment of County parks facilities and update the existing park classifications;
- Provide a demand and needs analysis, overview of recreational trends, and a level of service analysis;
- Establish goals, objectives, and actions to guide County decision-making; and
- Recommend capital project categories and identify capital projects, including prioritization, cost rating, and funding options.

Proponent: Alex Wisniewski, Director, Kitsap County Parks Department

Staff Contact: Carmen Smith, Parks Planner, Kitsap County Parks Department

Lead Agency: Kitsap County

Location of proposal: The proposed action covers the geographical jurisdiction of Kitsap County, applicable to the Parks Department's 74 park sites.

The lead agency for this programmatic non-project action has determined that the PROS Plan does not have a probable significant adverse impact on the environment. Accordingly, an environmental impact statement (EIS) is not required under RCW 43.21C.030(2)(c). This decision was made after review of the environmental checklist and other information on file with the lead agency. This information is available to the public on request. For further detail, please visit the PROS Plan project at www.kitsap.gov/parks/Pages/PROSPlanUpdates.aspx

This programmatic DNS is issued under WAC 197-11-340(2) and is not administratively appealable under chapter 21.04 KCC. The lead agency will not further act on this proposal for 14 days from the date below. Comments must be submitted by **May 13, 2025**

Comments: This is a programmatic non-project action per WAC 197-11-704(2)(b). Adoption of the PROS Plan by the Kitsap County Board of Commissioners is scheduled for July 2025 with incorporation into the 2024 Comprehensive Plan via a Comprehensive Plan Amendment by December 2025.

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