



## KITSAP COUNTY PARKS ADVISORY BOARD MEETING

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**DATE:** Wednesday, January 21, 2026

**TIME:** 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM

**LOCATION:** This is a hybrid meeting. It will be held in-person at the Eagle's Nest Community Center (1195 Fairgrounds Road, Bremerton) and on Zoom.

Zoom link will be posted on the [home page](#) of Kitsap County Parks website on the day of the meeting. The link is the bottom right-hand side under the heading: **Upcoming Parks Advisory Board Meeting**.

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Pre-Meeting: Virtual meeting format, information, and instructions

- I. Welcome & Introductions**
- II. Adoption of the November 19, 2025 meeting minutes**
- III. Public Comment (3-minute limit/person)**

*Public comments are welcome at this time. If you have questions or are seeking information from the Parks Department, please contact us at [parks@kitsap.gov](mailto:parks@kitsap.gov) so that your inquiry may be directed to the appropriate Parks Department staff for a response.*
- IV. Special Presentations/Reports**
  - a. Public Works: Lund Avenue Road Project *Michele Filley, PW Engineering Supervisor*
  - b. Sub-Committee Assignments *Board*
  - c. 2026 Goals *Alex Wisniewski*
- V. Parks Report**
  - a. Director's Report *Alex Wisniewski, Alex Hardy, Irene Weber, Carmen Smith, Bre Ganne*
- VI. Sub-Committee Meetings (since last PAB meeting)**
  - a. None
- VII. District Representative Reports**
- VIII. Public Comment (3-minute limit/person)**
- IX. Adjournment**



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## 2026 Sub Committee Assignments

Sub Committee	Type	Focus Area	PAB Members	Parks Staff <i>(may vary by topic)</i>
Finance & Budget	Standing (per by-laws)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Operating Budget</li> <li>Funding Opportunities</li> </ul>		Parks Director
Capital Projects & Parks	Standing (per by-laws)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Capital Projects Program</li> <li>M&amp;O Program</li> </ul>		Parks Planner M&O Supervisor
Community Outreach & Visitor Services	Ad Hoc	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Events and Rentals Program</li> <li>Marketing</li> <li>Volunteer Program</li> <li>Youth Engagement</li> </ul>		Admin & Events Supervisor Natural Resources Supervisor
Planning & Property	Ad Hoc	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Planning Program</li> <li>Natural Resources Program</li> <li>Land Acquisition &amp; Divestiture</li> <li>Park Code</li> </ul>		Parks Planner Natural Resources Supervisor

## 2026 Agenda Items and Sub-Committee Meetings

Month	Task or Agenda Item	Board or Sub-Committee Assignment
January	Board Chair and Vice Chair Elections	Board (completed in November 2025)
	Sub-Committee Assignments	Board
	2026 Department Goals	Board
February	Events: Year in Review	Board
	PAB Annual Workplan	Board
March		
April	CIP Evaluation Tool Review	Capital Projects & Parks
May	CIP Plan Development	Capital Projects & Parks
June		
	Draft CIP Development	Capital Projects & Parks
July		
August	Draft CIP Development	Board
September	2026 Budget Development	Board
October	Nominating Sub-Committee (appointed by Chair)	Chair



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November		
December	<i>No Meeting, written report only</i>	
	2026 Accomplishments	

# KITSAP COUNTY PARKS ADVISORY BOARD

## **DRAFT** November 19, 2025

### MEETING MINUTES

The meeting was called to order at **6:00 PM** by Chair **Larry Walker**. Meeting guidelines were read aloud.

#### **I. WELCOME AND INTRODUCTIONS**

#### **II. ADOPTION OF MINUTES – October 22, 2025, PAB Meeting Minutes**

- **Motion:** Jon Pearson motioned to adopt the minutes.
- **Second:** Dawn Dockter
- **Discussion:** discussion on whether to remove or keep public comment details in the minutes.
- **Vote:** Unanimous approval. No opposition.  
→ **October minutes approved.**

#### **III. PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD –**

- KC Patton – Kitsap Aircraft Radio Society (KARS)  
Reported several vandalism incidents at Coulter Creek Heritage Park.  
Report on groups usage is historically the highest in 2025 with 918 volunteer hours for field maintenance  
Young Eagle's report – Project planes are 90% built and targeting March for maiden flight.
- Catherine Ander – Port Orchard Resident and Coulter Creek Steward  
Shared observations of historical restorative thinning project at Coulter Creek between 2017 -2022.  
Conducting regular work parties to remove invasive species.
- Beverly Parsons – Hansville resident  
Provided a report on the discussion at Kitsap County Board of Commissioners meeting on Forest Thinning Project.  
Q- What type of equipment will be used for the thinning project?  
Q- Will there be community involvement in the decision process?
- Joe Lubischer – Indianola resident  
Comments pertaining to Forest Plan.  
Q- What does "use best available data" mean?  
Q- How will Parks address the adverse impacts from logging equipment?

#### **IV. SPECIAL PRESENTATIONS/REPORTS –**

- a. Board Position Elections (Chair and Vice Chair) –  
Nominating committee submitted nominations  
Chair – Dawn Dockter  
Vice Chair – Jessica Rice
- **Motion:** Linda Berry-Maraist motioned to elect Dawn Dockter as Chair and Jessica Rice as Vice Chair effective January 2026.
  - **Second:** Jen Skalbeck
  - **Discussion:** none

- **Vote:** Unanimous approval. No opposition.  
→ **New Chair and Vice Chair elected effective January, s2026**
- b. Forest Restoration and Stewardship Policy and Strategic Plan-  
Irene presented the program purpose, timelines for development, review and presentation of the document to Parks Advisory Borad, Board of County Commissioners and Public meetings. Shared the changes made to Strategic Plan based on feedback from stakeholders.  
PAB members discussed and asked questions.
- **Motion:** Jon Pearson motioned to move forward with presenting the Forest Restoration and Stewardship Policy and Strategic Plan to Board of Commissioners
- **Second:** Linda Berry-Maraist
- **Discussion:** No further discussion
- **Vote:** Unanimous votes to approve. No opposition.  
→ **Advance Forest Restoration and Stewardship Policy and Strategic Plan to BoCC for approval**

## V. PARKS REPORT

- a. Director's Report –  
Capital Program Updates –
  - A Request for Qualifications (RFQ) for the Gordon Park Master Plan was posted, and 14 submittals were reviewed. Scheduled 4 firms for interviews on Friday 11/21/2025.
  - Point No Point Restoration project is almost complete. Landscaping activities are the final items to wrap up the project.
  - North Gateway Trailhead Parking Lot is almost complete. Last few signs to install and stripping to be completed.
  - Eagle's Nest Deck replacement begins on Monday 11/24/2025.
 PAB members discussed and asked questions about security at Parks. Director shared strategies that Risk Management are developing more safety patrols, and portable security trailers.

## VI. SUB-COMMITTEE MEETING (since last PAB meeting) – None

## VII. DISTRICT REPRESENTATIVE REPORTS –

- North District |  
Linda shared that the Port Gamble Parks Stewardship Leadership team met to discuss the Restoration project. Appreciates WSDOT pedestrian signs added to the area of Bayview parking lot.  
Lisa shared concerns about clear cutting at Port Gamble Forest Heritage Park.  
Alex confirmed the area is owned by Rayonier.
- Central District | none
- South District | none

## VIII. PUBLIC COMMENT - None

## IX. ADJOURNMENT

- **Motion:** Linda Berry-Maraist moved to adjourn.
- **Second:** Lisa Hurt

- **Discussion:** None
- **Vote:** Unanimous approval. No opposition.  
→ Meeting adjourned at **7:16 PM.**

#### PARKS ADVISORY BOARD MEETING | ATTENDANCE

PAB MEMBERS	STAFF	PUBLIC (Online Only)
Larry Walker - South	Alex Wisniewski - Director	Online public attendee names not captured
Dawn Dockter - South	Alex Hardy – Admin and Events Supervisor	
Lisa Hurt - North	Irene Weber – Natural Resources Supervisors	Katherine Ander
Linda Berry-Maraist - North		Daniel Ander
Jen Skalbeck - North		KC Patton - KARCS
Jon Pearson - Central		Hank Anderson
Jessica Rice – South		David Onstad

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Alex Wisniewski, Director

# Director's Report

**Date:** 1/21/2026  
**To:** Parks Advisory Board  
**From:** Alex Wisniewski, Parks Director

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## Administration Program

### 2026 Goals

Please see *Attachment A* Parks' Goals for 2026. Staff will share top goals for the year.

### Communications

In 2025, Parks communications staff created a "fun" calendar to promote events in Kitsap County Parks on social media in honor of National Park and Recreation Month. Due to the overwhelmingly positive response, the team has decided to continue creating and sharing the calendars each month. The October calendar is attached. Please see *Attachment B*.

➤ Supports PROS: Goal PR-4, Objective 4.1 (Action 4.1.3)

### Volunteer Program

#### Volunteer Program Restructure Update

Park staff have been actively engaged in updating the Volunteer Program to enhance participation, coordination, and overall program effectiveness. As part of this process, Staff continue to work closely with stewardship groups to review and discuss the program updates; most recently, stewards had the opportunity to review the updated task lists.

➤ Supports PROS: Goal PR-1, Objective 1.6 (Action 1.6.3), Goal PR-1, Objective 2.2 (Action 2.2.1), Supports PROS: Goal PR-4, Objectives 4.2 (Action 4.2.1),

### 2026 Public Work Parties

- International Day of Forests – March 21 @ Banner Forest Heritage Park
- Celebration of Earth Day – April 18 @ Port Gamble Forest Heritage Park
- Park Clean Up – May 16 @ Island Lake County Park
- National Trails Day – June 6 @ Coulter Creek Heritage Park
- National Recreation & Parks Month (NRPA Month) – July 11 @ Fairgrounds and Events Center
- Kicking It with Kitsap – August 22 @ Newberry Hill Heritage Park
- National Clean Up Day – September 19 @ North Kitsap Heritage Park
- Celebration of Orca Recovery Day – October 10 @ Harper Park

- Chico Salmon Tours – November 7 @ Chico Salmon Park

#### 2026 Volunteer Program by the Numbers

- 15 Private Steward Events
  - 14 Educational Events
  - 115 Public Work Parties
  - 112 Organizational Work Parties
  - 250 Total Events for 2026
- Supports PROS: Goal PR-2, Objectives, 2.2 (Action 2.2.2), Goal PR-4, Objective 4.2 (Actions 4.2.1, 4.2.2), Objective 4.4 (Actions 4.4.1, 4.4.2, 4.4.3, 4.4.5, 4.4.6, 4.4.7), Goal 6.3, Objective 6.3 (Action 6.3.2)

## Events Program

### Events By the Numbers and Events Calendar

<b>February Public Events</b>		
<b>Event</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Location</b>
<a href="#">Kitsap Wedding Expo: Vows and Vibes</a>	February 7	Pavilion at Fairgrounds & Events Center
<a href="#">Kitsap Quilters Guild Quilt Show</a>	February 13-14	Presidents Hall at Fairgrounds & Events Center
<a href="#">Night to Shine Prom - Kitsap</a>	February 13	Pavilion at Fairgrounds & Events Center
<a href="#">Kitsap Antique Show</a>	February 21-22	Presidents Hall at Fairgrounds & Events Center
<a href="#">WA State Toy Show</a>	February 21	Pavilion at Fairgrounds & Events Center
<a href="#">The Found Market</a>	February 27-28	Pavilion at Fairgrounds & Events Center

## Maintenance & Operations Program

### Park and Facility Maintenance

With colder, wetter weather reducing visitation and field use, December provides an opportunity for staff to shift focus toward deep cleaning, winterization, and indoor maintenance projects. During the final two weeks of the month, staff also report to the Fairgrounds to support operations while accommodating holiday schedules and maximizing efficient use of labor.

Winterization efforts continued across the system including clearing storm drains and maintaining drainage ditches and culverts. Staff also addressed hazardous or fallen trees and completed routine seasonal tasks such as leaf blowing and gutter clearing.

- **Community Building Maintenance** - Each community building - Long Lake, Island Lake, and the Eagle's Nest - received a full deep clean. This work included ceiling-to-floor detailing, scrubbing chairs and tables, completing minor repairs to walls and furnishings, and applying touch-up paint where needed.



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- **Picnic Table Refurbishment** - Picnic tables throughout the park system were transported to the Fairgrounds barns for repair, drying, and repainting. Staff applied a standardized oil-based paint designed to extend the lifespan of the tables and reduce the need for annual repainting. More than 30 tables have been refurbished to date.
  - **Point No Point Support** - Staff assisted with preparations for the reopening of the Point No Point parking lot by removing outdated signage, installing barrier fencing, trimming trees, and refreshing landscaping ahead of the December 20 community open house. Staff are also monitoring water levels in the drainage ditch and tide gate, as well as daily movement of sand along the North Beach.
  - **Guillemot Cove House Maintenance** - Staff responded to a leaking roof at the Guillemot Cove rental house. Visqueen was installed to prevent further water intrusion, underscoring the need for a full roof replacement on the aging structure.
- *Supports PROS: Goal PR-6, Objective 6.1 (Action 6.1.2, 6.1.3), Objective 6.5 (Action 6.5.2)*

### **Trail Maintenance**

Fall trail maintenance continued in December with corridor clearing at Port Gamble Forest Heritage Park, primarily on service roads.

- *Supports PROS: Goal PR-6, Objectives 6.3 (Action 6.3.1, 6.3.2), Objective 6.4 (Action 6.4.1)*

### **Unplanned Maintenance: Vandalism and HEART Response**

Throughout December staff responded to multiple incidents of vandalism, illegal dumping, and encampment cleanup across the park system:

- **South Kitsap Regional Park** - A mobile security camera trailer was deployed following months of significant vandalism to the restroom building near the skatepark, including the burning of trash cans and a seasonal port-a-let. Within days of deployment, the trailer was found toppled on its side on the 24th, righted by staff, and then toppled again on the 27th. Due to damage to the solar panels, the unit could not maintain power, and Information Services was unable to retrieve any footage. Sheriff reports were filed for both incidents, but no usable evidence was obtained.
- **Illegal Dumping** - Staff responded to multiple large-item dumping incidents across various parks. Items included couches, mattresses, and abandoned tents. Notifications were received through community submissions via the SeeClickFix system.
- **Calvinwood Break-In** - The former rental house at Calvinwood, scheduled for demolition in 2026, was broken into and vandalized. Squatters had restored power by flipping breakers, burned cabinets, painted on interior walls, and brought in food, cooking supplies, and other contraband, which the Sheriff's Office collected. With no cameras on-site, no suspects were identified. Staff is investigating the potential use of

game cameras to monitor these rarely accessed buildings. Staff has increased monitoring of the site, due to the repeated incidents of vandalism.

## Natural Resources Program

### Wildlife Ecologist Program Coordinator Hiring

The wildlife ecologist program coordinator position was posted on December 31<sup>st</sup> and was open through January 19<sup>th</sup>. Applications are currently being reviewed and interviews scheduled with the hope to have a start date in late winter or early spring.

### Point No Point Park: Creosote Log Removal

The Washington State Department of Natural Resources Marine Debris Removal Crew will be identifying and removing creosote-treated wood along the beach. Crews will remove the wood using chainsaws and utility vehicles. Creosote is a coal-tar based wood preservative with chemicals inside that, when diffuse, have been found to be harmful to humans and marine life.

The DNR Crew will be working along the shoreline at Point No Point Park between 1/12/26 and 1/30/26. This work will be performed while the park remains open.

- Supports PROS plan goals PR-2, Objectives, 2.1, 2.2, Actions 2.1.3

### Point No Point Park: Stormwater Drainage

Due to ongoing beaver activity within the stormwater drainage system at Point No Point Park, staff are continuing to notch and remove dams within the drainage channels in accordance with HPA permit guidelines. Notching will occur prior to king tides throughout the winter, and staff will monitor water levels within the drainage channel.

Park and Public Works Staff met with Beavers Northwest at Point No Point on January 14<sup>th</sup> to discuss management options.

- Supports PROS plan goals PR-2, Objectives, 2.1, 2.2, Actions 2.1.3

## Planning Program

### Planning

#### Gordon Park Master Plan

Parks staff have been working through the contracting process with Environmental Science Associates (ESA) for the Gordon Park Master Plan. The contract is scheduled to come before the BoCC for approval at the January 26<sup>th</sup> meeting and work is expected to begin in February.

- Supports PROS: Goal PR-1, Objective 1.3 (Action 1.3.2), Objective 3.2 (Action 3.2.1)

#### Park Impact Fee Study

Parks intends to issue a Request for Proposals (RFP) for a park impact fee rate study in early 2026. An updated study and an increased rate approved by the BoCC could alleviate Parks' impact on REET funds for certain capital projects. Cost estimate for the study is \$50,000-\$80,000. Staff will bring this topic back to BoCC once more information is known.

- Supports PROS: Goal PR-1, Objective 1.3 (Action 1.3.2), Objective 1.6 (Action 1.6.1)

#### Dan Thompson Account Grant

Kitsap Public Health District is leading this grant-funded project, and a kickoff meeting is scheduled in late January to begin this work.

Supports PROS Plan Goal PR-1, Objectives 1.3, Objective 1.4 (Actions 1.4.1 & 1.4.2)



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### *Land Conservation Planning Retreat*

Parks Department of Community Development staff attended a Land Conservation Planning Retreat in early January. The retreat, organized by PSRC, brought together staff from Kitsap, King, Snohomish, and Pierce Counties, to share strategies for land conservation planning and discuss PSRC's upcoming update to their Regional Open Space Conservation Plan.

*Supports PROS Plan Goal PR-1, Objective 1.2 (Actions 1.2.1, 1.2.2 & 1.2.3)*

### **Capital Projects**

#### *Estuary and Salmon Restoration Program Grant*

Parks submitted a pre-proposal for an Estuary and Salmon Restoration Program grant through the Beach Restoration Small Grants Program for the Guillemot Cove Shoreline Restoration project. The project includes: (1) cabin and bulkhead removal on the shoreline and (2) trail relocation and estuary enhancement. After a review of our pre-application and a virtual presentation, Parks was invited to submit a full proposal (due March 31, 2026).

➤ *Supports PROS: Goal PR-1, Goal PR-2, Objective 2.1 (Action 2.1.4)*

#### *Point No Point Park Beach and Shoreline Repair*

Project is completed and the parking lot has been reopened to the public. A small celebration was held in December to thank the neighborhood.

➤ *Supports PROS: Goal PR-6, Objective 6.5 (Action 6.5.1)*

#### *Port Gamble Forest Heritage Park – North Gateway Trailhead*

Construction is underway and expected to be completed by the end of January.

➤ *Supports PROS: Goal PR-4, Objective 4.1 (Action 4.1.2)*

#### *Eagle's Nest Deck Replacement*

Construction is underway and expected to be completed by the end of January.

➤ *Supports PROS: Goal PR-5, Objective 5.3 (Action 5.3.2), Goal PR-6, Objective 6.5 (Action 6.5.1)*

# Kitsap County Parks

## 2026 Goals by Program Area

Goal Priority Levels		
High:	High Importance,/High Urgency:	Critical to complete in 2026
Medium:	High Importance/Low Urgency:	Ideal to complete in 2026, but not critical
Low:	Low Importance/Low Urgency:	Nice to complete in 2026, but ok if delayed

### Administration

Goal Type		Sub-Program	Goal	Lead Program	Support Programs	Goal Priority
Operations	1	Department Operations	Complete contracts or leases for park user groups currently not under contract	Administration	M&O	High
	2	Volunteer	Continue to refine volunteer program operations	Administration	M&O, Natural Resources	High
	3	Volunteer	Update volunteer program forms, calendars, and files for improved organization and consistency	Administration	M&O, Natural Resources	High
	4	Budget	Utilize Locations and TRAKS in Workday to improve financial reporting	Administration	Planning, M&O, Events, Natural Resources	High
	5	Communications	Integrate park videos and professional photography to improve the branding of Kitsap County Parks	Administration	N/A	Medium
	6	Communications	Utilize the Parks Foundation to provide outreach materials for community engagement	Administration	N/A	Medium
Projects	A	Department Operations	Develop a comprehensive training program by staff position	Administration	Planning, M&O, Events, Natural Resources	High
	B	Department Operations	Complete Rolling Hills RFP Process	Administration	Planning	High
	C	Department Operations	Develop a procurement flow chart	Administration	N/A	High
	D	Communications	Participate in the new County website development and implementation roll-out	Administration	N/A	High
	E	Communications	Create a social media communications plan for public engagement	Administration	N/A	High
	F	Department Operations	Research, update, organize and rename asset inventory tracking	Administration	Planning, M&O, Events, Natural Resources	Medium
	G	Volunteer	Evaluate volunteer software programs and identify desired program	Administration	M&O, Natural Resources	Medium
	H	Department Operations	Update Parks Foundation resolution to ensure it aligns with the needs of the department	Administration	N/A	Low

### Events Program

Goal Type		Sub-Program	Goal	Lead Program	Support Programs	Goal Priority
Operations	1	Event Operations	Implement 2026 policy and fee updates	Events	Administration	High

	2	Event Operations	Work with RecDesk to improve reports to meet department needs	Events	Administration	Medium
	3	Event Operations	Develop and implement an evaluation matrix and process for park events	Events	M&O, Natural Resources	Medium
	4	Event Operations	Introduce new events and pursue creative revenue strategies to strengthen the department's event program and financial sustainability	Events	Administration	Medium
Projects	A	Event Operations	Develop partnerships and licensure agreements for community recreation activities	Events	Administration	High
	B	Event Operations	Develop naming rights and sponsorship policies	Events	Administration	Medium
	C	Athletics	Develop agreements with athletic user groups for storage sheds and equipment located on Parks Property	Events	Administration	Low
	D	Community Buildings	Investigate internet solutions for Island Lake Community Building and Long Lake Community Building	Events	Administration, IS	Low

## M&O Program

Goal Type		Sub-Program	Goal	Lead Program	Support Programs	Goal Priority
Operations	1	Facilities	Continue defining operational interface with PW Capital Facilities Division for facility maintenance	M&O	Administration	Medium
	2	M&O Operations	Build out maintenance management software program (Cartegraph)	M&O	Events, Administration, PW-CFD	High
	3	M&O Operations	Continue team development and culture change with staff	M&O	Administration	High
	4	M&O Operations	Develop a professional development and training plan for staff, including cross training within the department	M&O	Administration, Events, Natural Resources, Planning	Medium
	5	M&O Operations	Assess and modify (if needed) 2025 operational changes to improve efficiencies for maintenance activities	M&O	Administration	Medium
	6	M&O Operations	Complete development of maintenance service standards for parks and facilities	M&O	Administration	High
	7	M&O Operations	Complete park service levels system and apply maintenance standards	M&O	Administration	High
Projects	A	Trails	Develop trails corridor routine maintenance program	M&O	Administration	High
	B	M&O Operations	Map electrical and water utilities at Fairgrounds	M&O	Events	Medium
	C	Ballfields	Map and update ballfield irrigation systems	M&O	N/A	Medium
	D	M&O Operations	Develop a key/access management system	M&O	Administration, Events	Medium

	E	Ballfields	Complete infield replacement project at Bloomquist Rotary Park	M&O	N/A	High
	F	M&O Operations	Develop an equipment and vehicle replacement plan	M&O	Administration	Low

## Natural Resources Program

Goal Type		Sub-Program	Goal	Lead Program	Support Programs	Goal Priority
Operations	1	Wildlife	Onboard wildlife ecologist position and begin development of wildlife management and conservation policies for department.	Natural Resources	Administration	High
	2	Vegetation	In collaboration with DCD Noxious Weed Program, develop policies and plans to address noxious weed management within nature parks.	Natural Resources	DCD - Noxious Weed Program	High
	3	Natural Resources Operations	Participate on community partners' advisory groups	Natural Resources	N/A	High
	4	Vegetation	Implement forest restoration and stewardship projects	Natural Resources	Administration	Medium
	5	Natural Resources Operations	Create research and collection permitting process for external collaborators	Natural Resources	Administration	Medium
Projects	A	Wildlife	Lead and complete Wildlife Utilization Study (Port Gamble Forest Heritage Park, Coulter Creek Heritage Park)	Natural Resources	Planning	High
	B	Vegetation	Lead and complete Vegetation Mapping (Egdon Forest, Coulter Creek Heritage Park)	Natural Resources	Planning	High
	C	Vegetation	Lead Park Plan development for Forest Restoration and Stewardship program	Natural Resources	Administration	High

## Planning Program

Goal Type		Sub-Program	Goal	Lead Program	Support Programs	Goal Priority
Operations	1	Capital	Continue defining operational interface with PW Capital Facilities Division for capital projects	Planning	Administration	High
	2	Department Operations	Develop property acquisition and divestiture assessment tools	Planning	Administration, Natural Resources	High
	3	Department Operations	Lead and complete Parks Code update	Planning	Administration, Events, M&O, Natural Resources, Risk, Legal	High
	4	Department Operations	Develop a park naming system and process and apply to park inventory	Planning	Administration	Medium
	5	Department Operations	Develop an action plan for resolving RCO compliance issues	Planning	Administration	High
	6	Department Operations	Develop department workplan based on PROS plan goals and objectives	Planning	Administration, Events, M&O, Natural Resources	Medium

<b>Projects</b>	A	Capital	Conduct new Park Impact Fee study	Planning	Administration	High
	B	Planning	Begin update to Port Gamble Forest Heritage Park Framework	Planning	Administration, Events, M&O, Natural Resources	High
	C	Planning	Complete Gordon Park Master Plan	Planning	Administration, Events, M&O, Natural Resources	High
	D	Planning	Engage with community members around current use and desired facilities/use at Kola Kola Park	Planning	Administration	Medium
	E	Capital	Complete Accessible Trail Project (Location TBD)	Planning	M&O	High
	F	Planning	Work with Kitsap Public Health District on the Dan Thompson Grant, includes developing protocols for incorporating accessibility into planning process	Planning	Administration, M&O	High

2026

# February

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**KitsapCounty**  
Parks

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**NATIONAL BIRD  
FEEDING MONTH**  
Help the birds survive  
the winter

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GROUND HOG DAY

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**CHANCE OF SNOW**  
According to the  
Almanac, there's a  
chance of snow from  
February 1 to  
February 4

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**WINTER OLYMPICS  
OPENING DAY**

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**KITSAP WEDDING  
EXPO**  
3pm - 8pm  
Kitsap County  
Fairgrounds

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**SUPER BOWL  
SUNDAY**  
Take your friends to  
play your own pick up  
game out at one of the  
Parks athletic fields

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**NATIONAL FLANNEL  
DAY**  
Bundle up in your  
favorite flannel and  
take a winter walk in  
your favorite park

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13  
**QUILT SHOW**  
10am - 5pm  
**NIGHT TO SHINE**  
5pm - 9pm  
Kitsap County  
Fairgrounds

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**QUILT SHOW**  
10am - 5 pm  
Kitsap County  
Fairgrounds  
**VALENTINE'S DAY**

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**PRESIDENT'S DAY**  
**COUNTY OFFICES  
CLOSED**

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**LUNAR NEW YEAR:  
YEAR OF THE HORSE**

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**SIGN UP TO  
VOLUNTEER**  
Reach out to us about  
becoming a volunteer  
and make a difference  
in your local park

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**KITSAP ANTIQUE  
SHOW**  
9am - 5pm  
**WA TOY SHOW**  
10am - 4pm  
Kitsap County  
Fairgrounds

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**KITSAP ANTIQUE  
SHOW**  
10am - 4pm  
Kitsap County  
Fairgrounds

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**FERRY WATCHING**  
Visit Arness Roadside  
Park and watch the  
ferries go by from  
Kingston to Edmonds

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**FOUND MARKET**  
3pm - 8pm  
Kitsap County  
Fairgrounds

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**FOUND MARKET**  
10am - 4pm  
Kitsap County  
Fairgrounds

● PUBLIC  
EVENTS

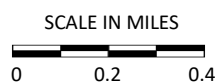
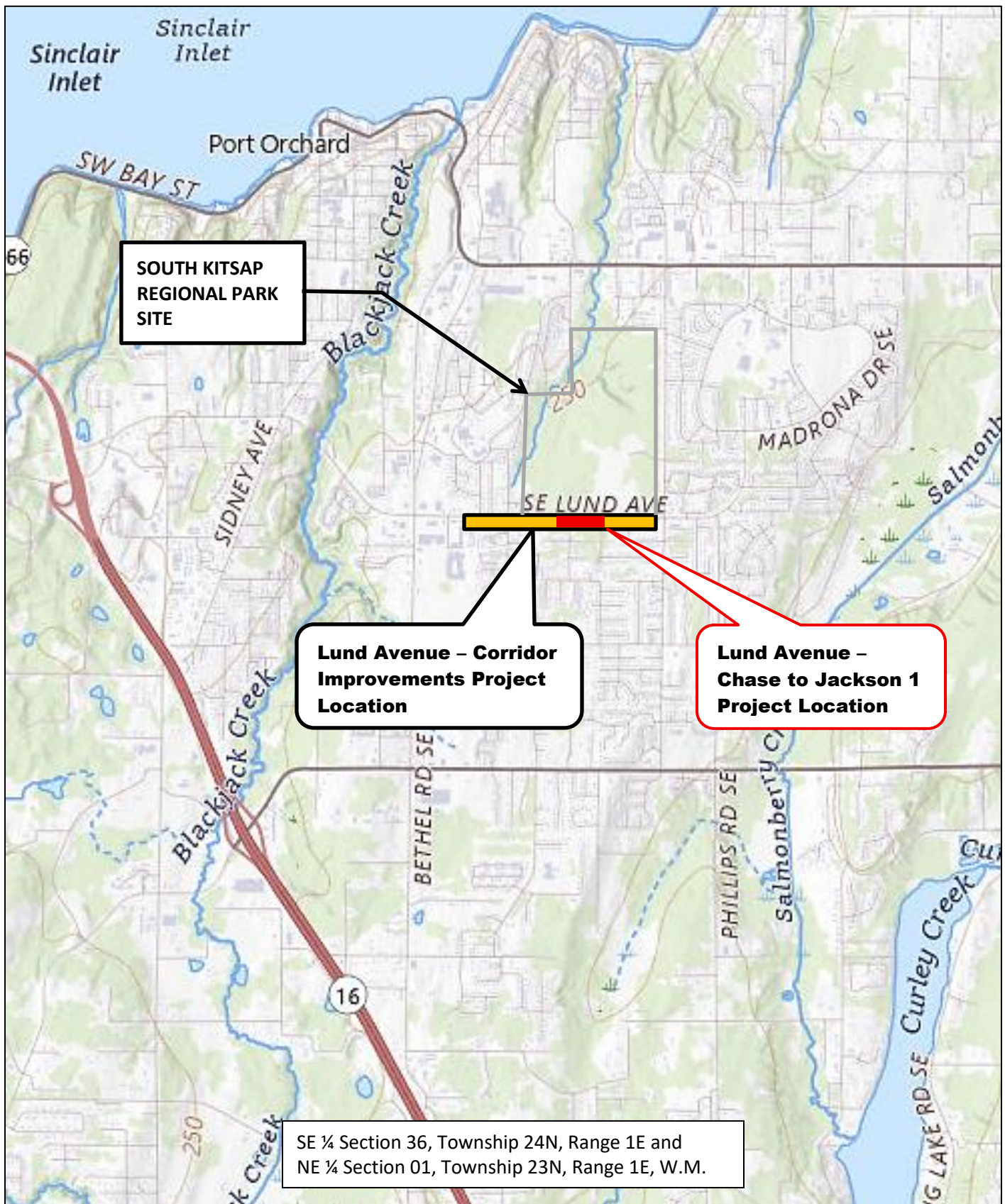
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## Lund Ave – Chase Rd to Jackson Ave

### Project Description

The Lund Ave – Chase Rd to Jackson Ave is part of Kitsap County's Lund Avenue corridor improvements project. This multi-phase, multi-year effort will enhance both motorized and non-motorized transportation in the segment of SE Lund Ave between the Port Orchard city limits to the west, and Jackson Ave SE to the east.

The purpose of the Lund Ave – Chase Rd to Jackson Ave project is to improve safety by replacing existing paved shoulders on SE Lund Ave with a sidewalk and bike lane on the south side of the road and a paved 10-ft wide shared use path on the north side of the road. The project will also consist of the overlay of the two 12-ft travel lanes and a 7-ft wide center median. Approximately 700-lf of the existing gravel path adjacent to the South Kitsap Regional Park on the north side of Lund Ave will be improved by paving to a 10-ft width (including 2-ft gravel shoulders). A new stormwater bioretention cell will be constructed between the road and path. A total of approximately 630-lf of Lund Ave improvements will be constructed.



## Project Location Map

Lund Avenue – Chase to Jackson 1 Project  
Kitsap County Public Works



**SOUTH KITSAP  
REGIONAL PARK  
SITE**

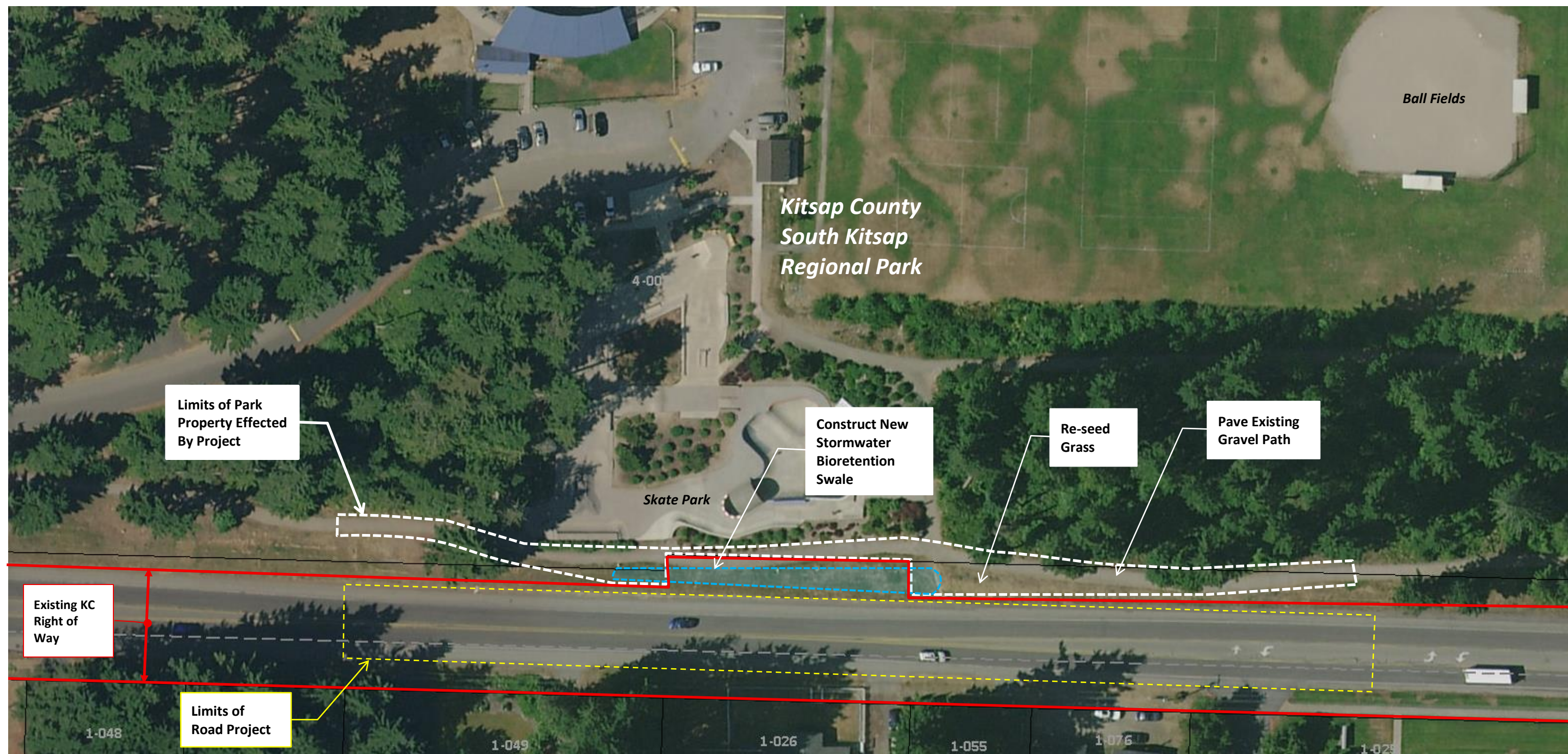
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**LUND AVE. – CHASE  
TO JACKSON 1  
PROJECT LIMITS**



**Scale:  
1 inch = 800-ft**

**Kitsap County South Kitsap  
Regional Park Location Relative to  
Lund Avenue – Chase to Jackson1  
Project**



**Scale:**  
**1 inch = 60-ft**

**Proposed Work within South Kitsap Regional Park Areas**  
Lund Avenue – Chase to Jackson 1 Project  
Kitsap County Public Works