

Wetland name or number C

| DEPRESSIONAL AND FLATS WETLANDS | |
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| Water Quality Functions - Indicators that the site functions to improve water quality | |
| D 1.0. Does the site have the potential to improve water quality? | |
| D 1.1. Characteristics of surface water outflows from the wetland: Wetland is a depression or flat depression (QUESTION 7 on key) with no surface water leaving it (no outlet). points = 3 Wetland has an intermittently flowing stream or ditch, OR highly constricted permanently flowing outlet. points = 2 * 2 Wetland has an unconstricted, or slightly constricted, surface outlet that is permanently flowing points = 1 Wetland is a flat depression (QUESTION 7 on key), whose outlet is a permanently flowing ditch. points = 1 | |
| D 1.2. The soil 2 in below the surface (or duff layer) is true clay or true organic (use NRCS definitions). Yes = 4 No = 0 0 | |
| D 1.3. Characteristics and distribution of persistent plants (Emergent, Scrub-shrub, and/or Forested Cowardin classes): Wetland has persistent, ungrazed, plants > 95% of area points = 5 Wetland has persistent, ungrazed, plants > 1/2 of area Grazed area grazed by goose points = 3 3 Wetland has persistent, ungrazed plants > 1/10 of area points = 1 Wetland has persistent, ungrazed plants < 1/10 of area points = 0 | |
| D 1.4. Characteristics of seasonal ponding or inundation: This is the area that is ponded for at least 2 months. See description in manual. Area seasonally ponded is > 1/2 total area of wetland points = 4 Area seasonally ponded is > 1/4 total area of wetland points = 2 Area seasonally ponded is < 1/4 total area of wetland points = 0 0 | |
| Total for D 1 | Add the points in the boxes above 5 |

Rating of Site Potential If score is: 12-16 = H 6-11 = M X 0-5 = L Record the rating on the first page

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| D 2.0. Does the landscape have the potential to support the water quality function of the site? | |
| D 2.1. Does the wetland unit receive stormwater discharges? Yes = 1 No = 0 | 1 |
| D 2.2. Is > 10% of the area within 150 ft of the wetland in land uses that generate pollutants? Yes = 1 No = 0 0 | 0 |
| D 2.3. Are there septic systems within 250 ft of the wetland? Yes = 1 No = 0 0 | 0 |
| D 2.4. Are there other sources of pollutants coming into the wetland that are not listed in questions D 2.1-D 2.3? Source _____ Yes = 1 No = 0 0 | 0 |
| Total for D 2 | Add the points in the boxes above 1 |

Rating of Landscape Potential If score is: 3 or 4 = H X 1 or 2 = M 0 = L Record the rating on the first page

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| D 3.0. Is the water quality improvement provided by the site valuable to society? | |
| D 3.1. Does the wetland discharge directly (i.e., within 1 mi) to a stream, river, lake, or marine water that is on the 303(d) list? Lake WA in this area is listed for bacteria. Yes = 1 No = 0 | 1 |
| D 3.2. Is the wetland in a basin or sub-basin where an aquatic resource is on the 303(d) list? ** Yes = 1 No = 0 | 1 |
| D 3.3. Has the site been identified in a watershed or local plan as important for maintaining water quality (answer YES if there is a TMDL for the basin in which the unit is found)? None downstream Yes = 2 No = 0 0 | 0 |
| Total for D 3 | Add the points in the boxes above 2 |

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**Lake Union is downstream & within same HUC, & listed on 303d.

Wetland name or number C**DEPRESSIONAL AND FLATS WETLANDS****Hydrologic Functions** - Indicators that the site functions to reduce flooding and stream degradation**D 4.0. Does the site have the potential to reduce flooding and erosion?****D 4.1. Characteristics of surface water outflows from the wetland:**

- Wetland is a depression or flat depression with no surface water leaving it (no outlet) points = 4
- Wetland has an intermittently flowing stream or ditch, OR highly constricted permanently flowing outlet points = 2
- Wetland is a flat depression (QUESTION 7 on key), whose outlet is a permanently flowing ditch points = 1
- Wetland has an unconstricted, or slightly constricted, surface outlet that is permanently flowing points = 0

2

D 4.2. Depth of storage during wet periods: Estimate the height of ponding above the bottom of the outlet. For wetlands with no outlet, measure from the surface of permanent water or if dry, the deepest part.

- Marks of ponding are 3 ft or more above the surface or bottom of outlet points = 7
- Marks of ponding between 2 ft to < 3 ft from surface or bottom of outlet points = 5
- Marks are at least 0.5 ft to < 2 ft from surface or bottom of outlet points = 3
- The wetland is a "headwater" wetland points = 3
- Wetland is flat but has small depressions on the surface that trap water points = 1
- Marks of ponding less than 0.5 ft (6 in) points = 0

0

D 4.3. Contribution of the wetland to storage in the watershed: Estimate the ratio of the area of upstream basin contributing surface water to the wetland to the area of the wetland unit itself. *

- The area of the basin is less than 10 times the area of the unit points = 5
- The area of the basin is 10 to 100 times the area of the unit points = 3
- The area of the basin is more than 100 times the area of the unit points = 0
- Entire wetland is in the Flats class points = 5

8.8 acres / 0.4 ac = 22

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Total for D 4

Add the points in the boxes above

5

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D 5.0. Does the landscape have the potential to support hydrologic functions of the site?**D 5.1. Does the wetland receive stormwater discharges?** Yes (1) No = 0

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D 5.2. Is >10% of the area within 150 ft of the wetland in land uses that generate excess runoff? Yes (1) No = 0

1

D 5.3. Is more than 25% of the contributing basin of the wetland covered with intensive human land uses (residential at >1 residence/ac, urban, commercial, agriculture, etc.)? Parking lot paved urban Yes (1) No = 0

1

Total for D 5

Add the points in the boxes above

3

Rating of Landscape Potential If score is: X 3 = H 1 or 2 = M 0 = L

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D 6.0. Are the hydrologic functions provided by the site valuable to society?**D 6.1. The unit is in a landscape that has flooding problems. Choose the description that best matches conditions around the wetland unit being rated. Do not add points. Choose the highest score if more than one condition is met.**

The wetland captures surface water that would otherwise flow down-gradient into areas where flooding has damaged human or natural resources (e.g., houses or salmon redds):

- Flooding occurs in a sub-basin that is immediately down-gradient of unit. points = 2
- Surface flooding problems are in a sub-basin farther down-gradient. points = 1
- Flooding from groundwater is an issue in the sub-basin. points = 1

The existing or potential outflow from the wetland is so constrained by human or natural conditions that the water stored by the wetland cannot reach areas that flood. Explain why _____ points = 0

There are no problems with flooding downstream of the wetland. Locks control water levels in lake points = 0

0

D 6.2. Has the site been identified as important for flood storage or flood conveyance in a regional flood control plan?

Yes = 2 No = 0

0

Total for D 6

Add the points in the boxes above

0

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* Contributing basin assessment assumes stormwater from NE Juanita Drive is not directed on site.

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These questions apply to wetlands of all HGM classes.

HABITAT FUNCTIONS Indicators that site functions to provide important habitat**H 1.0. Does the site have the potential to provide habitat?**

H 1.1. Structure of plant community: *Indicators are Cowardin classes and strata within the Forested class.* Check the Cowardin plant classes in the wetland. *Up to 10 patches may be combined for each class to meet the threshold of ¼ ac or more than 10% of the unit if it is smaller than 2.5 ac. Add the number of structures checked.*

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Aquatic bed | 4 structures or more: points = 4 |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Emergent | 3 structures: points = 2 |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Scrub-shrub (areas where shrubs have > 30% cover) | 2 structures: points = 1 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Forested (areas where trees have > 30% cover) | 1 structure: points = 0 |
- If the unit has a Forested class, check if:*
- ☐ The Forested class has 3 out of 5 strata (canopy, sub canopy, shrubs, herbaceous, moss/ground-cover) that each cover 20% within the Forested polygon

H 1.2. Hydroperiods

Check the types of water regimes (hydroperiods) present within the wetland. The water regime has to cover more than 10% of the wetland or ¼ ac to count (*see text for descriptions of hydroperiods*).

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Permanently flooded or inundated | 4 or more types present: points = 3 |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Seasonally flooded or inundated | 3 types present: points = 2 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Occasionally flooded or inundated | 2 types present: points = 1 |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Saturated only | 1 type present: points = 0 |
- ☐ Permanently flowing stream or river in, or adjacent to, the wetland
- ☐ Seasonally flowing stream in, or adjacent to, the wetland
- ☐ Lake Fringe wetland 2 points
- ☐ Freshwater tidal wetland 2 points

H 1.3. Richness of plant species

Count the number of plant species in the wetland that cover at least 10 ft².

Different patches of the same species can be combined to meet the size threshold and you do not have to name the species. Do not include Eurasian milfoil, reed canarygrass, purple loosestrife, Canadian thistle

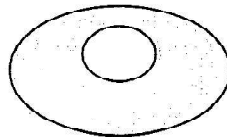
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| If you counted: > 19 species | points = 2 |
| 5 - 19 species | points = 1 |
| < 5 species | points = 0 |

H 1.4. Interspersion of habitats

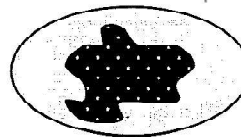
Decide from the diagrams below whether interspersions among Cowardin plants classes (described in H 1.1), or the classes and unvegetated areas (can include open water or mudflats) is high, moderate, low, or none. *If you have four or more plant classes or three classes and open water, the rating is always high.*



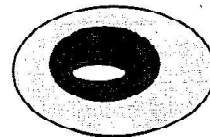
None = 0 points



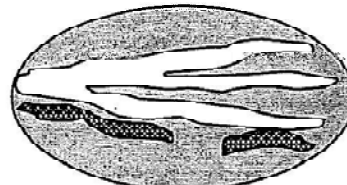
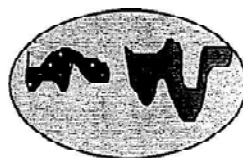
Low = 1 point



Moderate = 2 points



All three diagrams
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are **HIGH** = 3points



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| H 1.5. Special habitat features: Check the habitat features that are present in the wetland. <i>The number of checks is the number of points.</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Large, downed, woody debris within the wetland (> 4 in diameter and 6 ft long). <input type="checkbox"/> Standing snags (dbh > 4 in) within the wetland <input type="checkbox"/> Undercut banks are present for at least 6.6 ft (2 m) and/or overhanging plants extends at least 3.3 ft (1 m) over a stream (or ditch) in, or contiguous with the wetland, for at least 33 ft (10 m) <input type="checkbox"/> Stable steep banks of fine material that might be used by beaver or muskrat for denning (> 30 degree slope) OR signs of recent beaver activity are present (<i>cut shrubs or trees that have not yet weathered where wood is exposed</i>) <input type="checkbox"/> At least ¼ ac of thin-stemmed persistent plants or woody branches are present in areas that are permanently or seasonally inundated (<i>structures for egg-laying by amphibians</i>) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Invasive plants cover less than 25% of the wetland area in every stratum of plants (<i>see H 1.1 for list of strata</i>) | | 1 |
| Total for H 1 | Add the points in the boxes above | 5 |

Rating of Site Potential If score is: 15-18 = H 7-14 = M X 0-6 = L

Record the rating on the first page

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| H 2.0. Does the landscape have the potential to support the habitat functions of the site? | | |
| H 2.1. Accessible habitat (include only habitat that directly abuts wetland unit). Calculate: % undisturbed habitat <u>0</u> + [(% moderate and low intensity land uses)/2] <u>10</u> = <u>0</u> % If total accessible habitat is: > 1/3 (33.3%) of 1 km Polygon points = 3 20-33% of 1 km Polygon points = 2 10-19% of 1 km Polygon points = 1 < 10% of 1 km Polygon points = <u>0</u> | | 0 |
| H 2.2. Undisturbed habitat in 1 km Polygon around the wetland. Calculate: % undisturbed habitat <u>7</u> + [(% moderate and low intensity land uses)/2] <u>15.5</u> = <u>22.5</u> % Undisturbed habitat > 50% of Polygon points = 3 Undisturbed habitat 10-50% and in 1-3 patches points = <u>2</u> Undisturbed habitat 10-50% and > 3 patches points = 1 Undisturbed habitat < 10% of 1 km Polygon points = 0 | | 2 |
| H 2.3. Land use intensity in 1 km Polygon: If > 50% of 1 km Polygon is high intensity land use points = <u>(-2)</u> ≤ 50% of 1 km Polygon is high intensity points = 0 | | -2 |
| Total for H 2 | Add the points in the boxes above | 0 |

Rating of Landscape Potential If score is: 4-6 = H 1-3 = M X < 1 = L

Record the rating on the first page

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| H 3.0. Is the habitat provided by the site valuable to society? | | |
| H 3.1. Does the site provide habitat for species valued in laws, regulations, or policies? Choose only the highest score that applies to the wetland being rated. Site meets ANY of the following criteria: points = 2 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> It has 3 or more priority habitats within 100 m (see next page) <input type="checkbox"/> It provides habitat for Threatened or Endangered species (any plant or animal on the state or federal lists) <input type="checkbox"/> It is mapped as a location for an individual WDFW priority species <input type="checkbox"/> It is a Wetland of High Conservation Value as determined by the Department of Natural Resources <input type="checkbox"/> It has been categorized as an important habitat site in a local or regional comprehensive plan, in a Shoreline Master Plan, or in a watershed plan Site has 1 or 2 priority habitats (listed on next page) within 100 m points = 1 Site does not meet any of the criteria above points = 0 | | 2 |

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WDFW Priority Habitats

Priority habitats listed by WDFW (see complete descriptions of WDFW priority habitats, and the counties in which they can be found, in: Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife. 2008. Priority Habitat and Species List. Olympia, Washington. 177 pp. <http://wdfw.wa.gov/publications/00165/wdfw00165.pdf> or access the list from here: <http://wdfw.wa.gov/conservation/phs/list/>)

Count how many of the following priority habitats are within 330 ft (100 m) of the wetland unit: **NOTE:** This question is independent of the land use between the wetland unit and the priority habitat.

— **Aspen Stands:** Pure or mixed stands of aspen greater than 1 ac (0.4 ha).

X **Biodiversity Areas and Corridors:** Areas of habitat that are relatively important to various species of native fish and wildlife (full descriptions in WDFW PHS report). Lake WA

— **Herbaceous Balds:** Variable size patches of grass and forbs on shallow soils over bedrock.

— **Old-growth/Mature forests:** Old-growth west of Cascade crest – Stands of at least 2 tree species, forming a multi-layered canopy with occasional small openings; with at least 8 trees/ac (20 trees/ha) > 32 in (81 cm) dbh or > 200 years of age. Mature forests – Stands with average diameters exceeding 21 in (53 cm) dbh; crown cover may be less than 100%; decay, decadence, numbers of snags, and quantity of large downed material is generally less than that found in old-growth; 80-200 years old west of the Cascade crest.

— **Oregon White Oak:** Woodland stands of pure oak or oak/conifer associations where canopy coverage of the oak component is important (full descriptions in WDFW PHS report p. 158 – see web link above).

X **Riparian:** The area adjacent to aquatic systems with flowing water that contains elements of both aquatic and terrestrial ecosystems which mutually influence each other.

— **Westside Prairies:** Herbaceous, non-forested plant communities that can either take the form of a dry prairie or a wet prairie (full descriptions in WDFW PHS report p. 161 – see web link above).

X **Instream:** The combination of physical, biological, and chemical processes and conditions that interact to provide functional life history requirements for instream fish and wildlife resources.

— **Nearshore:** Relatively undisturbed nearshore habitats. These include Coastal Nearshore, Open Coast Nearshore, and Puget Sound Nearshore. (full descriptions of habitats and the definition of relatively undisturbed are in WDFW report – see web link on previous page).

— **Caves:** A naturally occurring cavity, recess, void, or system of interconnected passages under the earth in soils, rock, ice, or other geological formations and is large enough to contain a human.

— **Cliffs:** Greater than 25 ft (7.6 m) high and occurring below 5000 ft elevation.

— **Talus:** Homogenous areas of rock rubble ranging in average size 0.5 - 6.5 ft (0.15 - 2.0 m), composed of basalt, andesite, and/or sedimentary rock, including riprap slides and mine tailings. May be associated with cliffs.

X **Snags and Logs:** Trees are considered snags if they are dead or dying and exhibit sufficient decay characteristics to enable cavity excavation/use by wildlife. Priority snags have a diameter at breast height of > 20 in (51 cm) in western Washington and are > 6.5 ft (2 m) in height. Priority logs are > 12 in (30 cm) in diameter at the largest end, and > 20 ft (6 m) long.

Note: All vegetated wetlands are by definition a priority habitat but are not included in this list because they are addressed elsewhere.

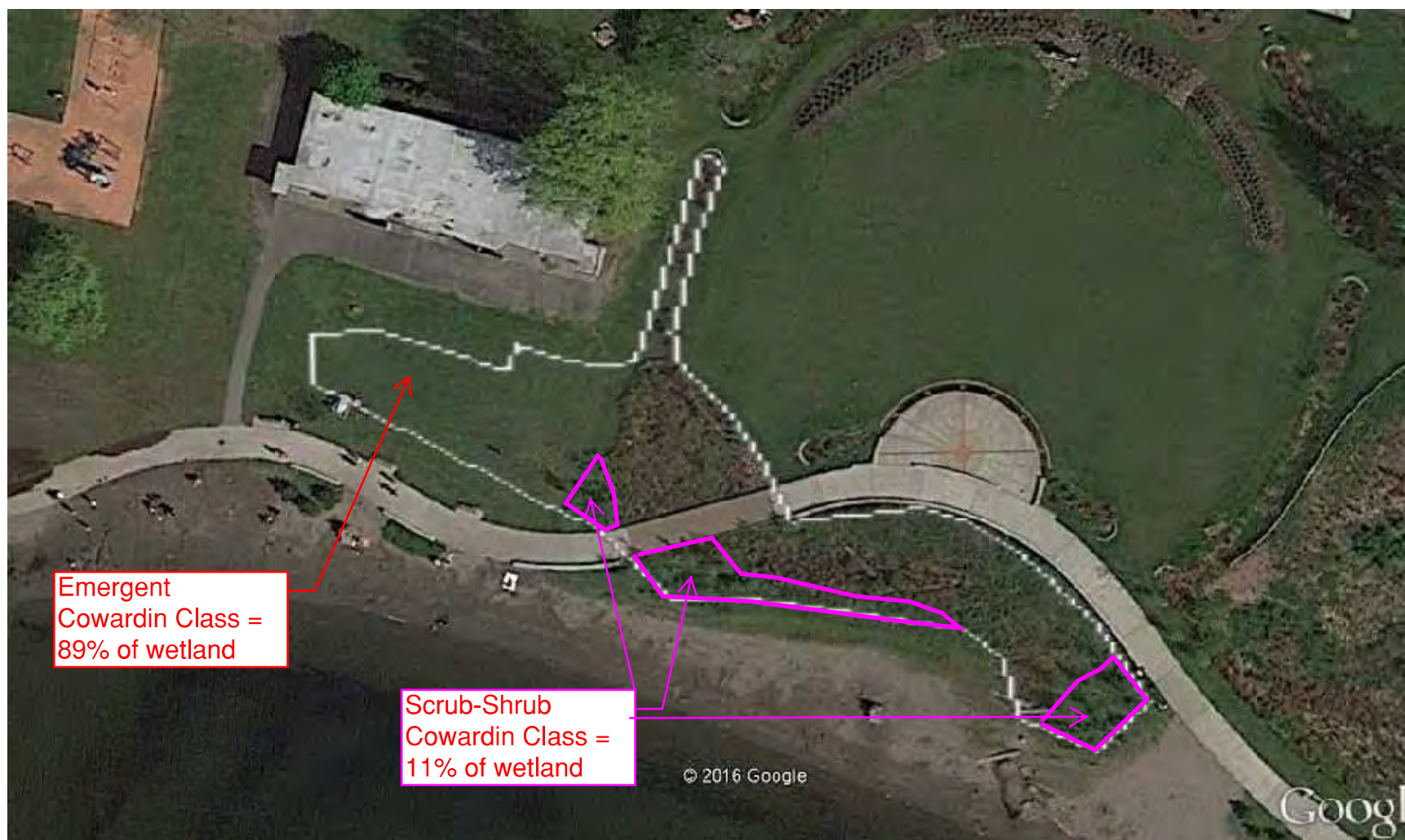
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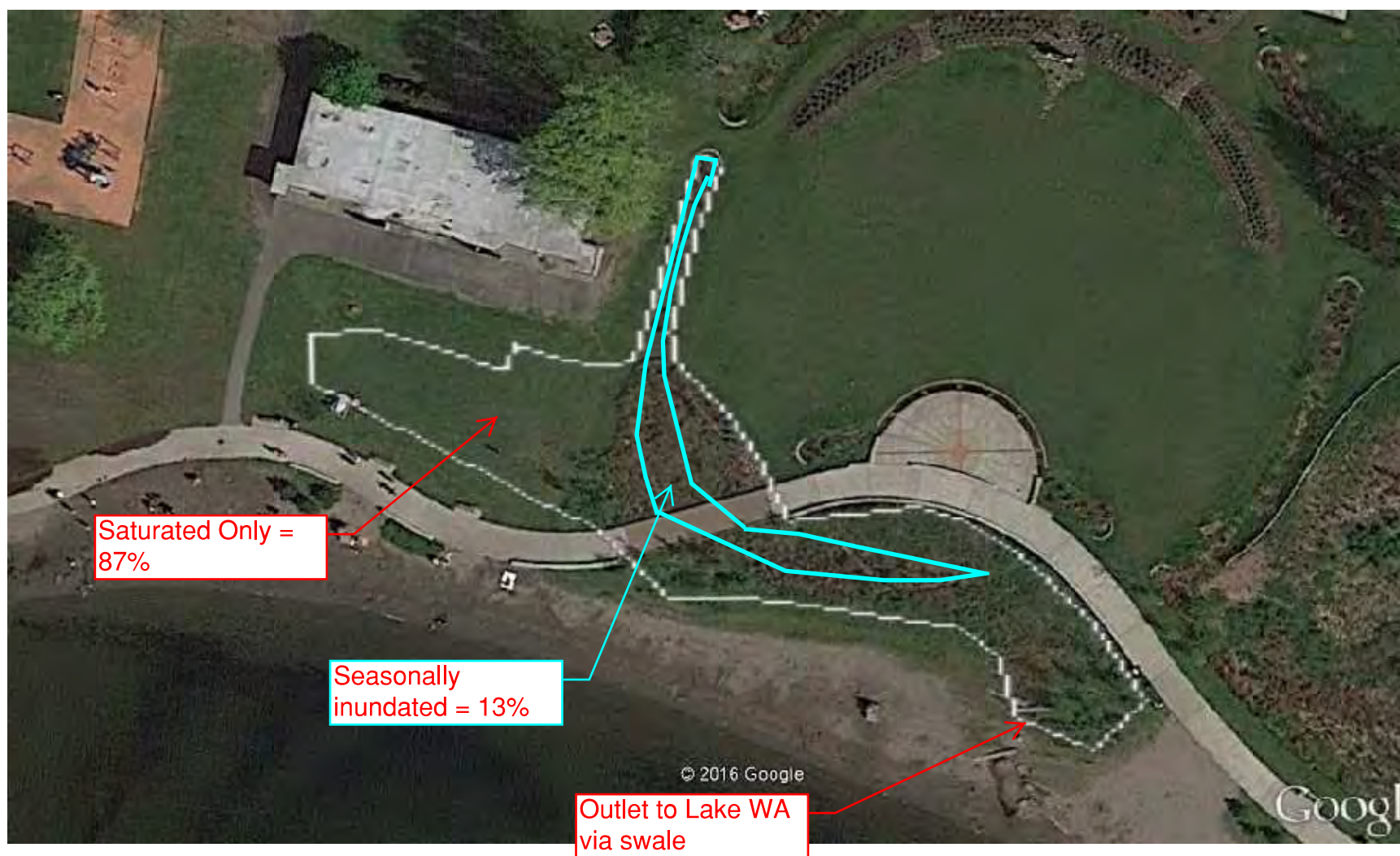
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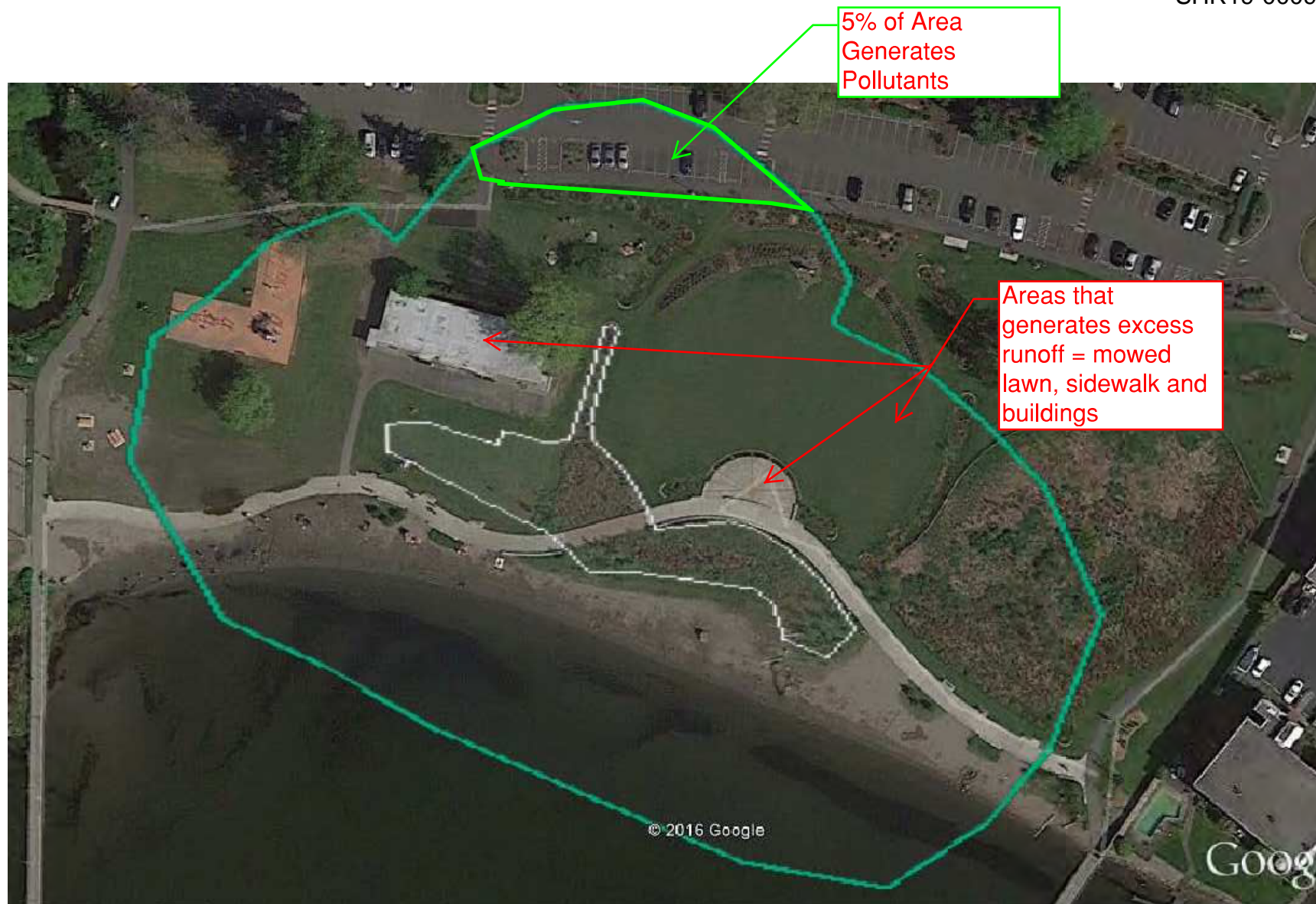
| Wetland Type | Category |
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| <p><i>Check off any criteria that apply to the wetland. Circle the category when the appropriate criteria are met.</i></p> | |
| <p>SC 1.0. Estuarine wetlands</p> <p>Does the wetland meet the following criteria for Estuarine wetlands?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> — The dominant water regime is tidal, — Vegetated, and — With a salinity greater than 0.5 ppt <p>Yes – Go to SC 1.1 No = Not an estuarine wetland</p> | |
| <p>SC 1.1. Is the wetland within a National Wildlife Refuge, National Park, National Estuary Reserve, Natural Area Preserve, State Park or Educational, Environmental, or Scientific Reserve designated under WAC 332-30-151?</p> <p>Yes = Category I No - Go to SC 1.2</p> | Cat. I |
| <p>SC 1.2. Is the wetland unit at least 1 ac in size and meets at least two of the following three conditions?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> — The wetland is relatively undisturbed (has no diking, ditching, filling, cultivation, grazing, and has less than 10% cover of non-native plant species. (If non-native species are <i>Spartina</i>, see page 25) — At least ¾ of the landward edge of the wetland has a 100 ft buffer of shrub, forest, or un-grazed or unmowed grassland. — The wetland has at least two of the following features: tidal channels, depressions with open water, or contiguous freshwater wetlands. <p>Yes = Category I No = Category II</p> | <p>Cat. I</p> <p>Cat. II</p> |
| <p>SC 2.0. Wetlands of High Conservation Value (WHCV)</p> <p>SC 2.1. Has the WA Department of Natural Resources updated their website to include the list of Wetlands of High Conservation Value?</p> <p>Yes – Go to SC 2.2 No – Go to SC 2.3</p> <p>SC 2.2. Is the wetland listed on the WDNR database as a Wetland of High Conservation Value?</p> <p>Yes = Category I No = Not a WHCV</p> <p>SC 2.3. Is the wetland in a Section/Township/Range that contains a Natural Heritage wetland?</p> <p>http://www1.dnr.wa.gov/nhp/refdesk/datasetsearch/wnhpwetlands.pdf</p> <p>Yes – Contact WNHP/WDNR and go to SC 2.4 No = Not a WHCV</p> <p>SC 2.4. Has WDNR identified the wetland within the S/T/R as a Wetland of High Conservation Value and listed it on their website?</p> <p>Yes = Category I No = Not a WHCV</p> | Cat. I |
| <p>SC 3.0. Bogs</p> <p>Does the wetland (or any part of the unit) meet both the criteria for soils and vegetation in bogs? <i>Use the key below. If you answer YES you will still need to rate the wetland based on its functions.</i></p> <p>SC 3.1. Does an area within the wetland unit have organic soil horizons, either peats or mucks, that compose 16 in or more of the first 32 in of the soil profile?</p> <p>Yes – Go to SC 3.3 No – Go to SC 3.2</p> <p>SC 3.2. Does an area within the wetland unit have organic soils, either peats or mucks, that are less than 16 in deep over bedrock, or an impermeable hardpan such as clay or volcanic ash, or that are floating on top of a lake or pond?</p> <p>Yes – Go to SC 3.3 No = Is not a bog</p> <p>SC 3.3. Does an area with peats or mucks have more than 70% cover of mosses at ground level, AND at least a 30% cover of plant species listed in Table 4?</p> <p>Yes = Is a Category I bog No – Go to SC 3.4</p> <p>NOTE: If you are uncertain about the extent of mosses in the understory, you may substitute that criterion by measuring the pH of the water that seeps into a hole dug at least 16 in deep. If the pH is less than 5.0 and the plant species in Table 4 are present, the wetland is a bog.</p> <p>SC 3.4. Is an area with peats or mucks forested (> 30% cover) with Sitka spruce, subalpine fir, western red cedar, western hemlock, lodgepole pine, quaking aspen, Engelmann spruce, or western white pine, AND any of the species (or combination of species) listed in Table 4 provide more than 30% of the cover under the canopy?</p> <p>Yes = Is a Category I bog No = Is not a bog</p> | Cat. I |

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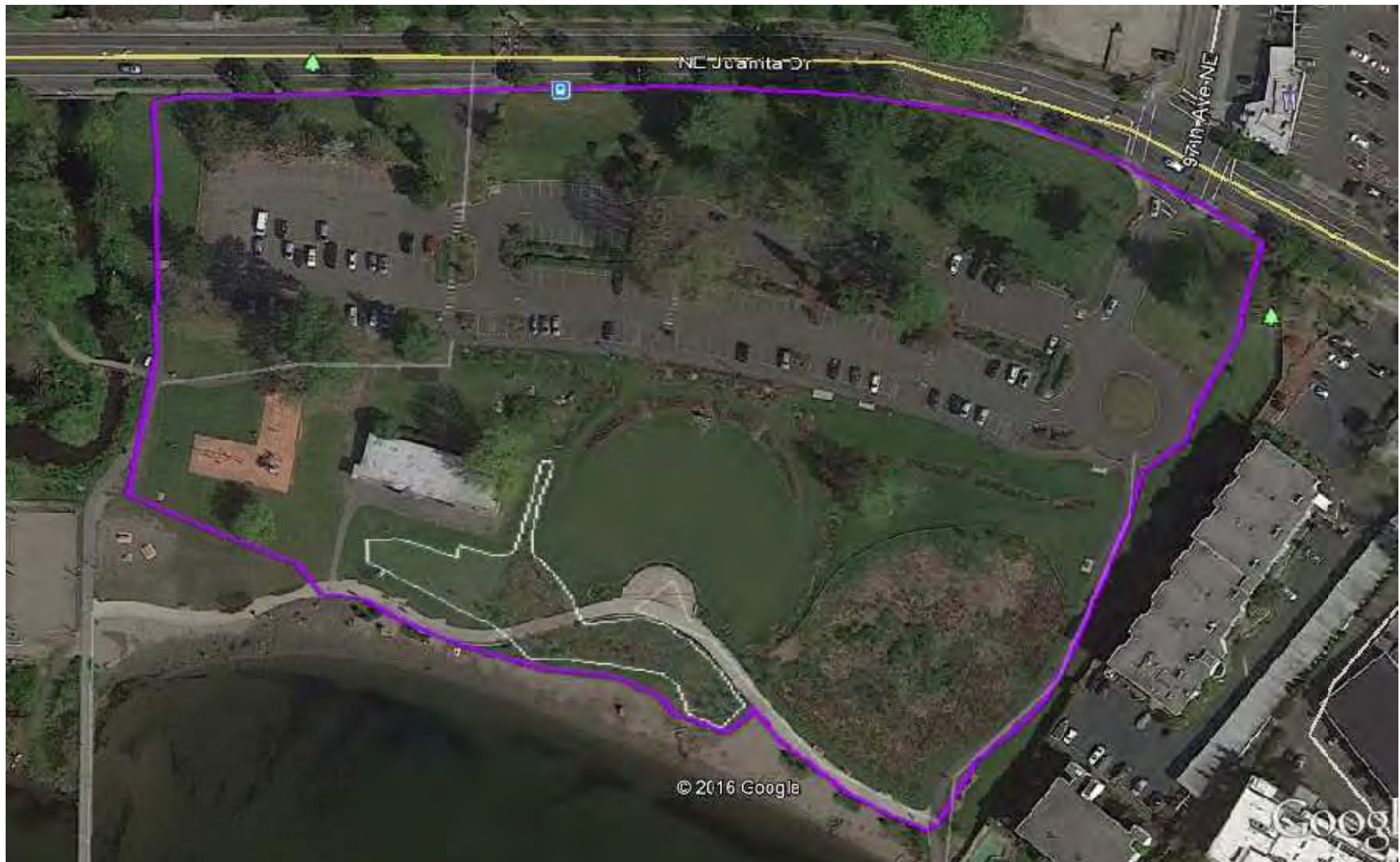
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| SC 4.0. Forested Wetlands Does the wetland have at least <u>1 contiguous acre</u> of forest that meets one of these criteria for the WA Department of Fish and Wildlife's forests as priority habitats? <i>If you answer YES you will still need to rate the wetland based on its functions.</i> — Old-growth forests (west of Cascade crest): Stands of at least two tree species, forming a multi-layered canopy with occasional small openings; with at least 8 trees/ac (20 trees/ha) that are at least 200 years of age OR have a diameter at breast height (dbh) of 32 in (81 cm) or more. — Mature forests (west of the Cascade Crest): Stands where the largest trees are 80- 200 years old OR the species that make up the canopy have an average diameter (dbh) exceeding 21 in (53 cm). Yes = Category I No = <u>Not a forested wetland for this section</u> | Cat. I |
| SC 5.0. Wetlands in Coastal Lagoons Does the wetland meet all of the following criteria of a wetland in a coastal lagoon? — The wetland lies in a depression adjacent to marine waters that is wholly or partially separated from marine waters by sandbanks, gravel banks, shingle, or, less frequently, rocks — The lagoon in which the wetland is located contains ponded water that is saline or brackish (> 0.5 ppt) during most of the year in at least a portion of the lagoon (<i>needs to be measured near the bottom</i>) Yes — Go to SC 5.1 No = <u>Not a wetland in a coastal lagoon</u> SC 5.1. Does the wetland meet all of the following three conditions? — The wetland is relatively undisturbed (has no diking, ditching, filling, cultivation, grazing), and has less than 20% cover of aggressive, opportunistic plant species (see list of species on p. 100). — At least ¾ of the landward edge of the wetland has a 100 ft buffer of shrub, forest, or un-grazed or unmowed grassland. — The wetland is larger than 1/10 ac (4350 ft ²) Yes = Category I No = Category II | Cat. I Cat. II |
| SC 6.0. Interdunal Wetlands Is the wetland west of the 1889 line (also called the Western Boundary of Upland Ownership or WBUO)? <i>If you answer yes you will still need to rate the wetland based on its habitat functions.</i> In practical terms that means the following geographic areas: — Long Beach Peninsula: Lands west of SR 103 — Grayland-Westport: Lands west of SR 105 — Ocean Shores-Copalis: Lands west of SR 115 and SR 109 Yes — Go to SC 6.1 No = <u>not an interdunal wetland for rating</u> SC 6.1. Is the wetland 1 ac or larger and scores an 8 or 9 for the habitat functions on the form (rates H,H,H or H,H,M for the three aspects of function)? Yes = Category I No — Go to SC 6.2 SC 6.2. Is the wetland 1 ac or larger, or is it in a mosaic of wetlands that is 1 ac or larger? Yes = Category II No — Go to SC 6.3 SC 6.3. Is the unit between 0.1 and 1 ac, or is it in a mosaic of wetlands that is between 0.1 and 1 ac? Yes = Category III No = Category IV | Cat I Cat. II Cat. III Cat. IV |
| Category of wetland based on Special Characteristics If you answered No for all types, enter "Not Applicable" on Summary Form | N/A |







Wetland C - Rating Figure 3. 150 Foot Buffer



Wetland C - Rating Figure 4. Contributing Basin



Wetland C - Rating Figure 5. 1 Kilometer Buffer



Wetland C - Rating Figure 6. Ecology 303(d) Screen Capture

Water Quality Improvement Projects (TMDLs)

[Water Quality Improvement](#) > [Water Quality Improvement Projects by WRIA](#) > [WRIA 8: Cedar-Sammamish](#)

WRIA 8: Cedar-Sammamish

The following table lists overview information for water quality improvement projects (including total maximum daily loads, or TMDLs) for this water resource inventory area ([WRIA](#)). Please use links (where available) for more information on a project.



Counties

- [King](#)
- [Snohomish](#)

| Waterbody Name | Pollutants | Status** | TMDL Lead |
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| Ballinger Lake | Total Phosphorus | Approved by EPA | Tricia Shoblom 425-649-7288 |
| Bear-Evans Creek Basin | Fecal Coliform | Approved by EPA | Joan Nolan 425-649-4425 |
| | Dissolved Oxygen Temperature | Approved by EPA | |
| Cottage Lake | Total Phosphorus | Approved by EPA Has an implementation plan | Tricia Shoblom 425-649-7288 |
| Issaquah Creek Basin | Fecal Coliform | Approved by EPA | Joan Nolan 425-649-4425 |
| Little Bear Creek Tributaries: Trout Stream Great Dane Creek Cutthroat Creek | Fecal Coliform | Approved by EPA | Ralph Svrcek 425-649-7036 |
| North Creek | Fecal Coliform | Approved by EPA Has an implementation plan | Ralph Svrcek 425-649-7036 |
| Pipers Creek | Fecal Coliform | Approved by EPA | Joan Nolan 425-649-4425 |
| Sammamish River | Dissolved Oxygen Temperature | Field work starts summer 2015 | Ralph Svrcek 425-649-7036 |
| Swamp Creek | Fecal Coliform | Approved by EPA Has an implementation plan | Ralph Svrcek 425-649-7036 |

** **Status** will be listed as one of the following: Approved by EPA, Under Development or Implementation

For more information about WRIA 8:

- [Waterbodies in WRIA 8](#) - using the Water Quality Assessment Query Tool
- [Watershed Information for WRIA 8](#)

* The Department of Ecology and other state resource agencies frequently use a system of 62 "Water Inventory Areas" or "WRIAs" to refer to the state's major watershed basins.

Wetland name or number D**RATING SUMMARY – Western Washington**Name of wetland (or ID #): _____ Date of site visit: 1/18/16Rated by S. Corbin Trained by Ecology? ☒ Yes ☐ No Date of training 10/09 & 5/14HGM Class used for rating Depressional Wetland has multiple HGM classes? ☐ Y ☒ N**NOTE: Form is not complete without the figures requested (figures can be combined).**Source of base aerial photo/map Google Earth**OVERALL WETLAND CATEGORY** IV (based on functions ☒ or special characteristics ☐)**1. Category of wetland based on FUNCTIONS**☐ Category I – Total score = 23 - 27☐ Category II – Total score = 20 - 22☐ Category III – Total score = 16 - 19☒ Category IV – Total score = 9 - 15

| FUNCTION | Improving Water Quality | Hydrologic | Habitat | |
|--------------------------------|----------------------------|--------------|--------------|-------|
| Circle the appropriate ratings | | | | |
| Site Potential | H M <u>L</u> | H <u>M</u> L | H M <u>L</u> | |
| Landscape Potential | H M <u>L</u> | H <u>M</u> L | H M <u>L</u> | |
| Value | H <u>M</u> L | H M <u>L</u> | <u>H</u> M L | TOTAL |
| Score Based on Ratings | 4 | 5 | 5 | 14 |

Score for each
function based
on three
ratings
(order of ratings
is not
important)

9 = H,H,H

8 = H,H,M

7 = H,H,L

7 = H,M,M

6 = H,M,L

6 = M,M,M

5 = H,L,L

5 = M,M,L

4 = M,L,L

3 = L,L,L

2. Category based on SPECIAL CHARACTERISTICS of wetland

| CHARACTERISTIC | CATEGORY |
|------------------------------------|---|
| Estuarine | I II |
| Wetland of High Conservation Value | I |
| Bog | I |
| Mature Forest | I |
| Old Growth Forest | I |
| Coastal Lagoon | I II |
| Interdunal | I II III IV |
| None of the above | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> N/A |