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I'm concerned that the increase of Industrial Shellfish harvesting and addition of geoduck harvesting will further impact BOTH the fresh water and marine water that exists in the natural estuary that is Burley Lagoon in Pierce County. The manmade debris (plastics etc) make recreational use on this lagoon already dangerous and to think that 40,000 plastic tubes per acre will be present if geoduck harvesting is permitted will essentially halt recreational use. In addition, the process of managing and harvesting these species is altering the presence of waterfowl and predatory birds not to mention the already reduced salmon runs over the last 3 years.