

## Robert Guenther

RE: VW Settlement - I was thinking, there are near a dozen "hotspots" up and down the sound that show elevated fecal coliform and dissolved oxygen levels that have a pretty significant impact to aquatic biology and public access. Maybe a clean-up in the Budd Inlet area to reduce toxicity so folks could touch the water without needing to take a shower immediately after, or planting native grasses to mitigate runoff? Or planting oyster beds as designated "filter zones" to naturally address the pollutants? Nothing understands how to fix nature quite like nature.