



Comment Form

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Maury Island Open Space Cleanup Site

Comments must be received by 5 p.m. May 23, 2018

Thank you for participating in today's meeting. If you wish to submit a written comment, you may use this form. **Please leave your comment form on the room table before you leave.** You may also mail this form to: Department of Ecology, attention Cris Matthews, 913 Squalicum Way, Unit 101, Bellingham WA 98225, or e-mail your comments to Mark at Cris.Matthews@ecy.wa.gov. Please indicate the Maury Island Open Space Cleanup Site in your subject line.

Ecology will review and respond to your comments. Responses to all comments will be included in a responsiveness summary. The summary will be made part of the public record and mailed directly to those who comment following the public comment period. Comments will also be posted on Ecology's Maury Island Open Space webpage at <http://bit.ly/Ecology-MauryIsland>.

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Comments (if you need more space, please use the backside.):

If nobody is going to use an area does it have to be rehabilitated to meet Dept of Ecology rules or is this something that KC wants to remove blackberries, scotch broom, etc., like the proposed parking lot.

If the trails do not have enough arsenic on them to cause health problems, do they have to be covered?

Which ones do not have to be covered?

How are the trails that are covered going to be monitored?

I would like to make a recommendation that KC activate the Planning Advisory Group per the 2013 document:

page #8 paragraph 5

page #10 paragraph 1 item 3

page #10 objection #7

page #11 restore scenic values

page #12 maintain the existing soft surface trail system and all items under this

page #13 last item

page #14 first item create a Friends of Maury Island Natural Area Advisory Group

A lot of the ill feelings toward the work that was done at the site could have been taken care of if KC had worked with a group and got feedback. There are a lot of things that could have been done better. This should be done before the planning for the site, there may be some major changes.

With the growing sites on Vashon Maury Island, it would make sense that one person be in charge of all of them to work better in coordinating them and work to be done.

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