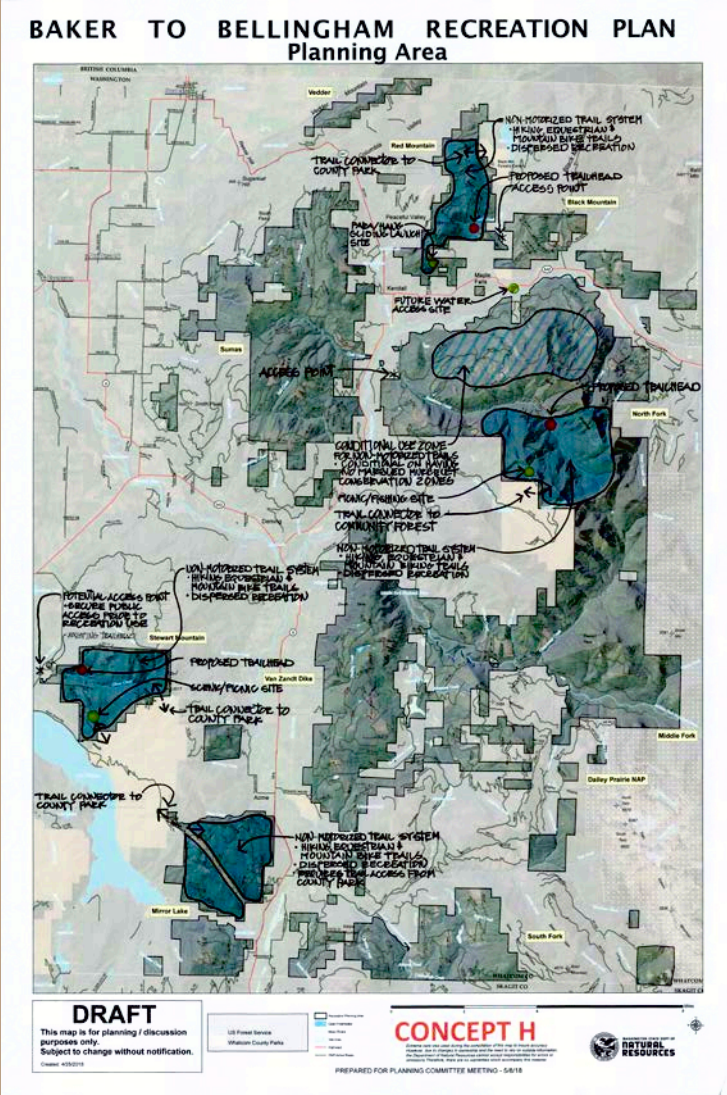


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**If you would like to make public comment tonight please complete the sign-in sheet and indicate "Yes"**

- **Public comments will be heard for 30 minutes.**
- **Individuals who indicate a desire to provide verbal comment will have an opportunity to speak.**
- **Please note that public comments are limited to three (3) minutes per speaker.**
- **Written comments can be placed in the box.**
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## Objectives

- **Partnerships & Volunteer Coordination**
- **Education & Enforcement**
- **Resource Restoration**
- **Dispersed Recreation**
- **Recreation Trails**
- **Recreation Facilities**
- **Adaptive Management**
- **Sustainable Funding**

# Trails

## Trails

**Objective A:** Provide and maintain a network of safe, enjoyable and sustainable trails.

**Objective B:** Provide non-motorized users trail opportunities for horseback riding, hiking, trail running, mountain biking, and other non-motorized uses.

**Objective C:** Provide non-motorized trail connections to Whatcom County parks – Lake Whatcom Park, Canyon Lake Community Forest and Silver Lake Park.

**Objective D:** Work with other land management agencies and interest groups to develop a non-motorized trail corridor in the Middle Fork Unit to connect to existing or proposed non-motorized trails adjacent to DNR-managed lands.

# Facilities

## Facilities

**Objective A:** Provide and maintain a network of designated safe, enjoyable and sustainable recreation facilities.

**Objective B:** Provide developed facilities for non-motorized day-use facilities in the Red Mountain Unit and on Highway 542 (near Maple Falls).

**Objective C:** Provide developed facilities for non-motorized day-use activities in the North Fork Unit.

**Objective D:** Provide developed facilities for non-motorized day-use activities in the Stewart Mountain Unit.

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| RATING | IMPLEMENTATION ITEM FOR NON-MOTORIZED GRANTS  |
|--------|---|
|        | ACCESS AGREEMENT FOR STEWART MOUNTAIN UNIT  |
|        | EXPLORE CREATION & DEVELOPMENT OF MIDDLE FORK TRAIL CORRIDOR FOR PACIFIC NORTHWEST SCENIC TRAIL   |
|        | DEVELOP TRAILHEAD IN THE RED MOUNTAIN UNIT  |
|        | DEVELOP TRAILHEAD FOR UPPER RECREATION ZONE IN THE NORTH FORK UNIT  |
|        | DEVELOP TRAILHEAD IN THE STEWART MOUNTAIN UNIT  |
|        | DEVELOP NON-MOTORIZED TRAIL SYSTEM IN RED MOUNTAIN UNIT WITH TRAIL CONNECTOR TO SILVER LAKE PARK (INCLUDING RESTORATION OF HIGHLY IMPACTED AREAS FROM UNAUTHORIZED TRAIL USE)                                       |
|        | DEVELOP NON-MOTORIZED TRAIL SYSTEM FOR UPPER RECREATION ZONE IN NORTH FORK UNIT WITH TRAIL CONNECTOR INTO CANYON LAKE COMMUNITY FOREST (INCLUDING RESTORATION OF HIGHLY IMPACTED AREAS FROM UNAUTHORIZED TRAIL USE) |
|        | DEVELOP NON-MOTORIZED TRAIL SYSTEM IN STEWART MOUNTAIN UNIT WITH TRAIL CONNECTORS INTO LAKE WHATYCOM PARK (INCLUDING RESTORATION OF HIGHLY IMPACTED AREAS FROM UNAUTHORIZED TRAIL USE)                              |
|        | DEVELOP NON-MOTORIZED TRAIL SYSTEM IN MIRROR LAKE NORTH UNIT WITH TRAIL CONNECTOR INTO LAKE WHATCOM PARK (INCLUDING RESTORATION OF HIGHLY IMPACTED AREAS FROM UNAUTHORIZED TRAIL USE)                               |
|        | ESTABLISH TRAIL ACCESS AGREEMENT WITH WHATCOM COUNTY PARKS AND RECREATION FOR MIRROR LAKE NORTH UNIT  |
|        | DEVELOP A NON-MOTORIZED TRAILHEAD FOR CONDITIONAL USE TRAILS IN NORTH FORK UNIT   |
|        | DEVELOP NON-MOTORIZED TRAIL SYSTEM IN CONDITIONAL USE ZONE IN NORTH FORK UNIT (INCLUDING RESTORATION OF HIGHLY IMPACTED AREAS FROM UNAUTHORIZED TRAIL USE)  |
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| RATING | IMPLEMENTATION ITEM FOR NON-HIGHWAY ROADS GRANTS  |
|        | DEVELOP WATER ACCESS FACILITY ON THE PARCEL ADJACENT TO NOOKSACK RIVER OFF HIGHWAY 542  |
|        | DEVELOP PARAGLIDING AND HANG GLIDING LAUNCH FACILITY IN RED MOUNTAIN UNIT   |
|        | DEVELOP FISHING/PICNIC SMALL DAY-USE FACILITY AT LAKE IN NORTH UNIT   |
|        | DEVELOP PICNIC/SCENIC POINT SMALL DAY-USE FACILITY IN STEWART MOUNTAIN UNIT   |
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