The Meadowlands Biofilter **Appendices ONLY**

Final Presentation by the Add Hoc ---- Common Area Land Use Committee ---of the Lacamas Shores HOA July 2018

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- 1993 national magazine article "Wetlands for Stormwater Treatment"
- Environmental Technology Consultant's Maps
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- 2/6/2018 Letter from City Attorney
- Camas Municipal Code Critical Area Exemptions
- Camas Shoreline Master Plan
- Camas SMP Restoration Plan

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- LS HOA Interim Trail, Open Space, Wetland and Storm Drainage Maintenance Manual

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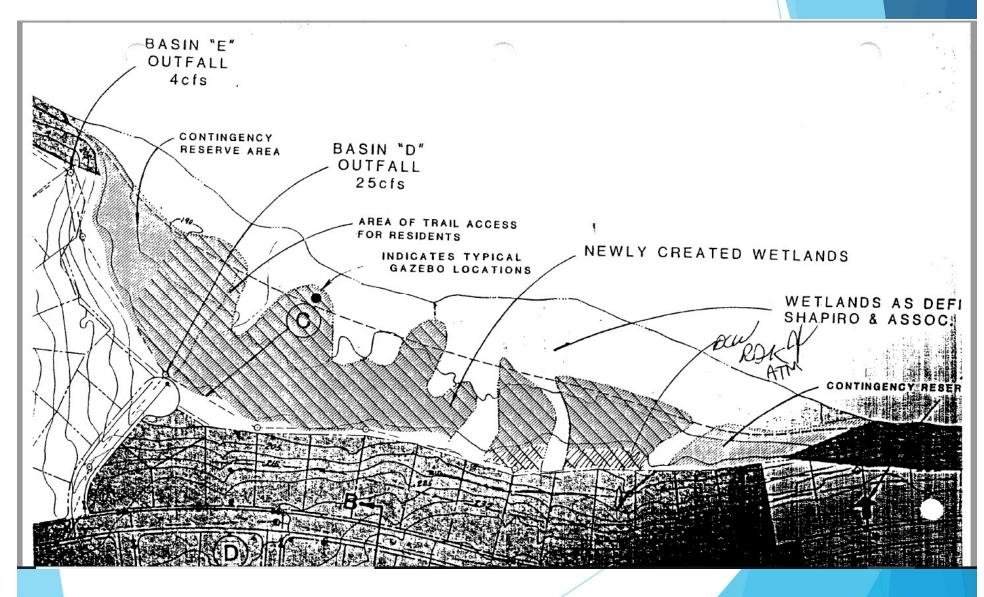
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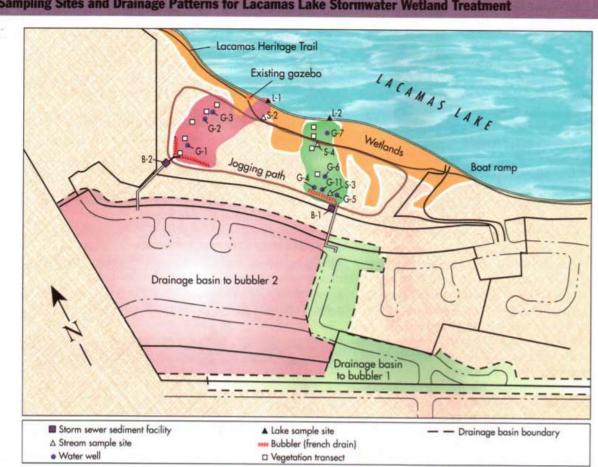
- EPA Stormwater Wetpond and Wetland Management Guidebook
- Clean Water Act
 - Exemption
 - Criminal provisions

Other

- Lacamas Shores Articles of Incorporation
- Other Documents Referenced in Presentation
- List of Other Relevant Documents
- "Shoring up a key wetland in Camas"
- Aerial Before and After View
- Original Map

1988 Agreed Order of Remand Map





Sampling Sites and Drainage Patterns for Lacamas Lake Stormwater Wetland Treatment

"Wetlands for Stormwater Treatment", July 1993

Water Environment & Technology magazine article by Mark F. Bautista and N. **Stan Geiger**

Wetlands For **Stormwater** Treatment

used a wetland system to treat stormwater ru

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60 Water Environment & Technologo

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DOE required runoff from Lacamas Shores "not exceed "predevelopment conditions"

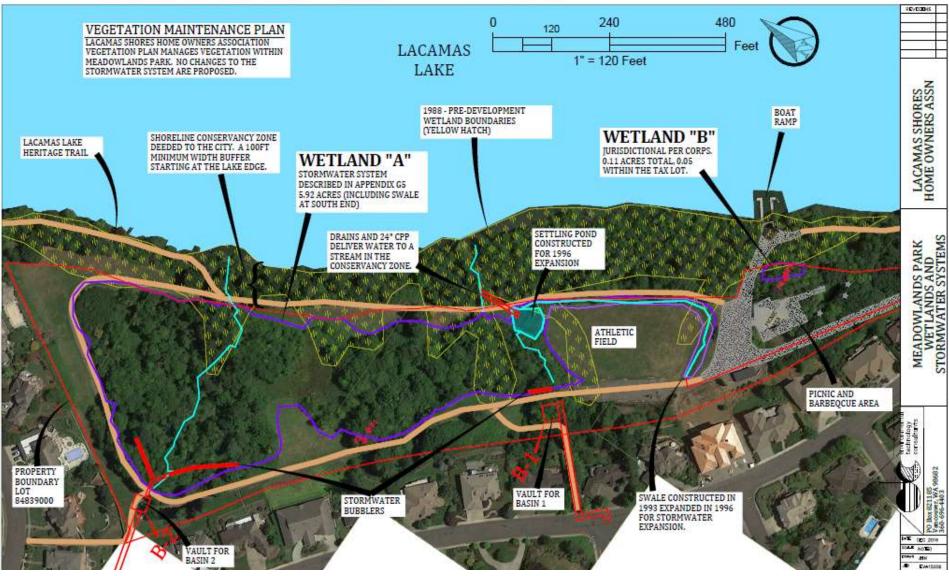


Article provides 1993 baseline standards

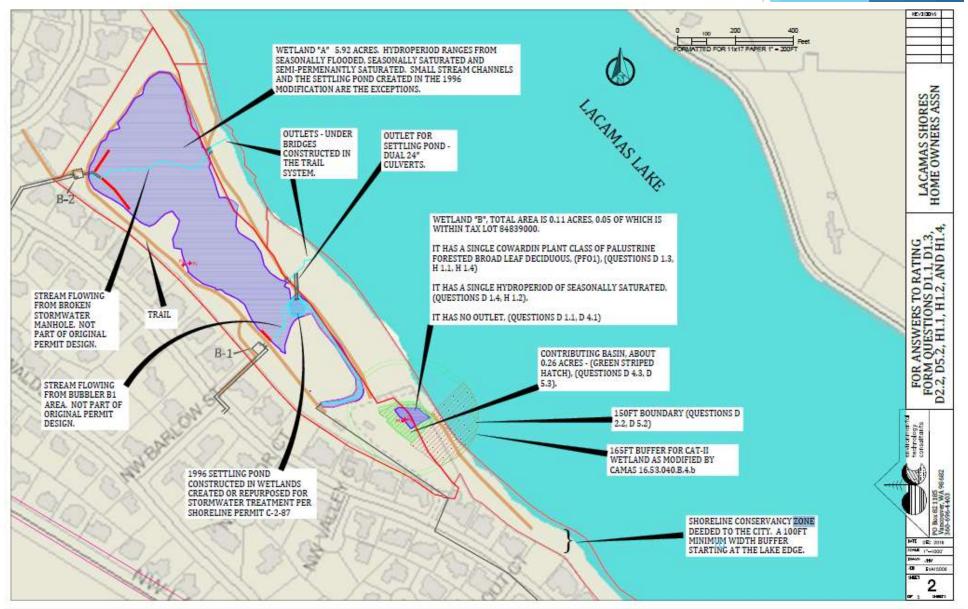
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Consultant ETC's Map - S1



Consultant ETC's Map S2



City of Camas - Timeline

- 03/13/2014 City says need a Wetland Delineation Report
- 02/22/2017 Wetland Study Submitted to the City
- O3/06/2017 City requires the Pre-Application Process
- 08/10/2017 Submitted Pre-Application Documents and Proposal
- 08/24/2017 City requires a Substantial Development Permit
 - Multiple reports required, possibly costing \$20,000

City of Camas - Timeline cont.

- 02/2018 After pushback, City requires a Conditional Use Permit
 - Reports to cost approximately \$5000
 - BUT, City sent a letter to the DOE to confirm their own position (leading question)
- 2/22/2018 DOE sent email response, "unlikely to approve" a CUP
- 03/12/2018 LS HOA requests US ACE for a jurisdictional determination.
- 04/27/2018 Meeting with the US ACE



City of Camas - Timeline cont.

<u>Now</u> - For the LS HOA to perform maintenance:

- The City of Camas requires a Substantial Development Permit, unless
- The DOE decides that no permit is needed or
- The DOE accepts a Conditional Use Permit, or
- The US ACE makes a determination that provides specific direction to one or all of the parties.



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In simple terms, the City believes that, from a storm water perspective, the facility should:

- 1. Be capable of accepting the storm water coming into it from its intake;
- 2. Effectively treat the storm water; and
- 3. Provide for appropriate outfalls of treated storm water.

To reach these goals, a Shoreline Conditional Use Permit must be obtained. The City comi aid in the process of having submittal materials reviewed by its own staff of consultants pribeing presented to the Shoreline Management Committee and the state for final approval. Further, the City has requested the Department of Ecology to submit correspondence relatinits review of this issue, which we believe will be helpful in constructing a resolution to thesissues. It is understood that the Department of Ecology correspondence should be available within the next few weeks. We will of course forward it upon receipt.

Thank you again for your consideration. If you have any questions, please let me know.

Very truly yours,

KNAPP, O'DELL & MacPHERSON PLLC

Shawn R. MacPherson City Attorney

City wants repairs completed, but with a permit



City of Camas Municipal Code

- Exemptions to Critical Area regulations

<u>The CMC 16.53.010</u> C2b states that – Property is exempt from the City's critical area reporting requirements if they are

"Artificial. Wetlands created from nonwetland sites including, but not limited to, irrigation and drainage ditches, grass-lined swales, canals, detention facilities, wastewater treatment facilities, stormwater facilities, farm ponds, and landscape amenities; provided, that wetlands created as mitigation shall not be exempted;" [emphasis mine].

City of Camas Municipal Code - Another exemptions to Critical Area regulations

<u>The CMC 16.53.010</u> B3b states that – Property is exempt from the City's critical areas reporting if all reasonable economic use of the property is denied:

"The standards of this chapter shall not be used to deny all reasonable economic use of private property. The following criteria must be met to verify that all reasonable economic use of the property has been denied:

- i. The application of this chapter would deny all reasonable economic use of the property,
- ii. No other reasonable economic use of the property has less impact on the wetland and buffer area,
- iii. Any wetland or buffer alteration is the minimum necessary to allow for reasonable economic use of the property, and
- iv. The inability of the applicant to derive reasonable economic use of the property is not the result of actions by the applicant after the date of adoption of the ordinance codified in this chapter;"

City of Camas Shoreline Master Plan

3.4 Conservation

3.4.1 Goal

The goal of conservation is to protect shoreline resources, vegetation, important shoreline features, shoreline ecological functions and the processes that sustain them to the maximum extent practicable.

3.4.2 Policies

6. Encourage the retention of existing vegetation along shorelines and where removal is unavoidable for physical or visual access to the shoreline, limit alteration such that habitat connectivity is maintained, degraded areas are restored, and the health of remaining vegetation is not compromised.

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48. Ecological Functions or Shoreline Functions - the work performed or role played by the physical, chemical, and biological processes that contribute to the maintenance of the aquatic and terrestrial environments which constitute the shoreline's natural ecosystem (WAC 173-26-200 (2)(c)).

Camas Shoreline Master Plan

Consist with Policies & Spirit

Camas Shoreline Master Program

CHAPTER 3 SHORELINE MASTER PROGRAM GOALS AND POLICIES

This chapter describes overall Program goals and policies. The general regulations in Chapter 5 and the specific use regulations in Chapter 6 are the means by which these goals and policies are implemented.

3.1 General Shoreline Goals

The general goals of this Program are to:

- Use the full potential of shorelines in accordance with the opportunities presented by their relationship to the surrounding area, their natural resource values, and their unique aesthetic qualities offered by water, topography, and views; and
- Develop a physical environment that is both ordered and diversified and which integrates water and shoreline uses while achieving a net gain of ecological function.





Camas Shoreline Master Plan

Consist with Policies & Spirit

Camas Shoreline Master Program

3.7 Public Access and Recreation

3.7.1 Goal

The goal of public access and recreation is to increase the ability of the general public to enjoy the water's edge, travel on the waters of the state, and to view the water and the shoreline from adjacent locations.

3.7.2 Policies

- 1. Provide, protect, and enhance a public access system that is both physical and visual; utilizes both private and public lands; increases the amount and diversity of public access to the State's shorelines and adjacent areas; and is consistent with the shoreline character and functions, private rights, and public safety.
- 2. Increase and diversify recreational opportunities by promoting the continued public acquisition of appropriate shoreline areas for public use, and develop recreation facilities so that they are distributed throughout the community to foster convenient access.
- 3. Locate public access and recreational facilities in a manner that encourages variety, accessibility, and connectivity in a manner that will preserve the natural characteristics and functions of the shoreline. Public access includes both active and passive recreational activities (e.g. trails, picnic areas, viewpoints)



Camas Shoreline Master Plan

Includes Restoration

Restoration 3.8

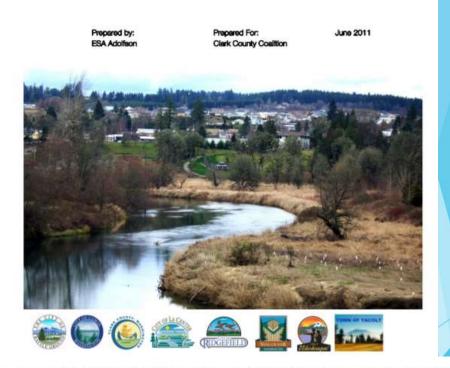
The goal of restoration is to re-establish, rehabilitate and/or otherwise improve impaired shoreline ecological functions and/or processes through voluntary and incentive-based public and private programs and actions that are consistent with the SMP Restoration Plan and other approved restoration plans.





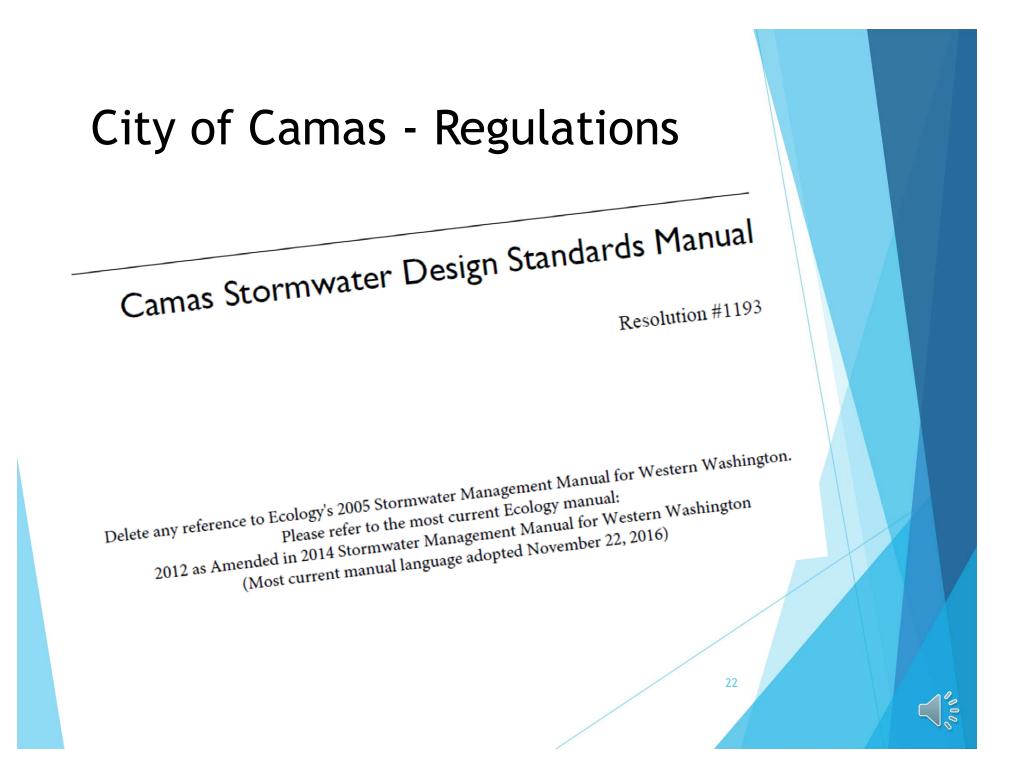
Final Shoreline Restoration Plan

Camas SMP Shoreline Restoration Plan



Restoration, on the other hand, involves more than simply following and enforcing existing rules or maintaining existing conditions. It requires taking active steps to improve and enhance the existing condition of resources and replace natural functions of resources that have been lost. *Restoration* measures are intended to supplement shoreline *protection* or *preservation* efforts such that environmental conditions improve over time.





City Standards

1992 Evaluation - City of Camas hired consultants to create a Study in 1992

 Evaluation of the Proposed

 Evaluation of the Proposed

 Bubbler/Biofiltration/Settling Pond System

> Prepared for: City of Camas 616 NE Fourth Avenue P.O. Box 1055 P.O. Box 98607 Camas, Washington 98607

PUBLIC WORKS

23 Prepared by: Incorporated St., Suite 800 St., Suite 800 Portland, Oregon 97204 Portland, Ler 1992



1992 City's Evaluation

3.0 PLANT MATERIALS

The primary function of the vegetation in the biofiltration system is to physically reduce stream velocity and increase residence time. A secondary, yet extremely important function of vegetation residing in the biofiltration system is to provide wildlife function and value. A site-specific planting plan for the proposed system was not provided with the extensive <u>Preliminary List of Wetland Adjacent Upland Plants with Wildlife Value.</u>

Table 4 lists several common grasses and their ratings for erosion protection. Tall fescue is rated as a superior ground cover. Bautista (1992) suggests that the "bioswale as proposed would in time develop into a wetland." Recent studies (EPA 1992) have shown that 96% of the vegetation in constructed wetlands in Oregon were the result of native vegetation. Thus, we suggest that planting be confined to ground cover in the biofilter system.

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City Standards

The City created the "Lacamas Shores HOA Interim" Trail, Open Space, Wetland, and Storm Drainage Maintenance Manual"

HOMEOWNER ASSOCIATION INTERIM TRAIL, OPEN

Lacamas Shores Homeowner's Association interim guidelines for the maintaining the Bio-swale and storm water systems, trails, and Open Space to City

SPACE, WETLAND AND STORM DRAINAGE

Lacamas Shores

MAINTENANCE MANUAL

of Camas Standards

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Lacamas Shores HOA Interim Trail, Open Space, Wetland, and Storm Drainage Maintenance Manual

Maintenance is of primary importance if storm water systems are to continue to function as originally designed. The following specific guidelines apply to the Lacamas Shores detention ponds, biofiltration swale and level spreader outlet :

- 1. Remove any debris in bio swale and conveyance swale as well as any that may be floating in the wet pond.
- 2. If there are any low areas in the berm, build back up, seed and cover with plastic or erosion net.
- 3. Replace any rocks that have washed out of outfalls.
- 4. Ensure inlet and outlet pipes are free of any debris or sediment build up.
- 5. Water levels permitting, remove dead plants from wet pond.
- 6. Generally reseed any area that is lacking or sparse in vegetation.
- 7. If swales are mowed, don't leave the grass clippings in the swale.
- 8. Make sure outlet grates are free of debris.
- 9. Make sure maintain 4 feet of gravel around the level spreader outlet. Keep the drain rock free of mud, leaves and other debris.



LS HOA Interim Trail, Open Space, Wetland, and Storm Drainage Maintenance Manual

Sediment

Maintenance of sediment traps and attention to sediment accumulation within the pond is extremely important. Sediment deposition should be continually monitored in the basin. Owners and maintenance authorities should be aware that significant concentrations of heavy metals (e.g., lead, zinc, and cadmium) as well as some organics such as pesticides, may be expected to accumulate at the bottom of the these treatment facilities. Testing of sediment,

especially near points of inflow, should be conducted regularly to determine the leaching potential and level of accumulation of hazardous material before disposal. For disposal procedures, refer to Volume IV disposal requirement for catch basin and pond sediments.⁴

Vegetation

If a shallow marsh is established, then periodic removal of dead vegetation will be necessary. Since decomposing vegetation can release pollutants captured in the wet pond, especially nutrients, it may be necessary to harvest dead vegetation annually prior to the wet season. Otherwise the decaying vegetation can export pollutants out of the pond and also can cause nuisance conditions to occur.³





City of Camas - Standards

- Manual by the Stormwater Partners of SW Washington created for HOAs called "Managing Stormwater"
- Includes Clark County, Cities of Camas, Vancouver, Washougal, Battleground, etc.

Website dedicated to it: <u>www.stormwaterpartners.com</u>

managing stormwater

An introduction to maintaining stormwater facilities

~ for private property owners and HOAs



"Managing Stormwater" Manual

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https://www.stormwaterpartners.com/facilities

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Stormwater facilities

Rainwater becomes stormwater when it falls on a hard surface that drains to the storm sewer. As stormwater flows off roofs, streets, and parking lots it picks up pollutants such as sediment, pet waste, motor oil, fertilizers, yard debris and litter, which are carried to nearby streams.

Stormwater facilities and LID (low impact development) play an important role in removing pollution and controlling the flow of stormwater runoff. Local governments AND private property owners are responsible for managing stormwater runoff. If you have stormwater facilities or LID in your development you need to find out how to inspect and maintain them. Staying on top of maintenance saves time and money while protecting the health of our streams.

MANAGING PRIVATE STORMWATER FACILITIES

Who is responsible?

In western Washington, public agencies or private property owners are responsible for maintaining stormwater facilities. All facilities, whether public or private, must meet the same state and local maintenance requirements for proper control and treatment of stormwater runoff.



This detention pond is an example of a stormwater facility.

"Managing Stormwater" Manual

Provides specific guidelines

Example:

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• Bare, expo

- Bare, exposed soil
- MAINTENANCE IS NEEDED if you see these signs · Clogged inlet and outlet pipes

swales

- Bottom of swale is eroded
- Sediment buildup, usually near inlet Unhealthy or dead vegetation
- Blackberries or other problem vegetation Overgrown vegetation • Leaves, trash and other debris
- Slopes that are Sediment that restrict.
- Sediment buildup; the facility is not
- Unhealthy or dead vegetation conveying runoff Blackberries or other problem weeds
- Overgrown vegetation
- Holes in berms or slopes Leaves, trash and other debris • Water surface is discolored or has a sheen • Water stands in infiltration basins or detention
 - ponds longer than 72 hours after rain stops • Bottoms of slopes show signs of seepage and
- Trees, often alders, growing on the slopes

- TIPS FOR FIXING PROBLEMS and general maintenance
- Vegetation

- Remove weeds such as blackberries and English ivy, then check for them on a regular basis and Remove all trees and saplings that block facility
- . Make .
- Mow grass as needed to keep height at 4 to 6 vegetation a. maintain species.
- Plant at appropriate times du. • Replace vegetation damaged or removed ~
- Check access roads and fencing, if the facility has
- them. They should be free of overgrown vegeta-
- tion and other materials so that the facility is easily accessible for maintenance.
 - Control erosion by reseeding Erosion areas where soil is exposed,
 - actially on slopes around a

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PONDS

Department of Ecology Standards

DOE Stormwater Management Manual (page 10-26 and on) <u>https://fortress.wa.gov/ecy/publications/documents</u> /1210030.pdf (page 740 in the PDF>

Stormwater Management Manual for Western Washington

Volume V Runoff Treatment BMPs

Prepared by: Washington State Department of Ecology Water Quality Program

August 2012



BMP T10.30: Stormwater Treatment Wetlands

Purpose and Definition

DOE Stormwater Management Manual

In land development situations, wetlands are usually constructed for two main reasons: to replace or mitigate impacts when natural wetlands are filled or impacted by development (mitigation wetlands), and to treat stormwater runoff (stormwater treatment wetlands). Stormwater treatment wetlands are shallow man-made ponds that are designed to treat stormwater through the biological processes associated with emergent aquatic plants (see the stormwater wetland details in Figure 10.3.7 and Figure 10.3.8.

Wetlands created to mitigate disturbance impacts, such as filling, may not also be used as stormwater treatment facilities. This is because of the different, incompatible functions of the two kinds of wetlands. Mitigation wetlands are intended to function as full replacement habitat for fish and wildlife, providing the same functions and harboring the same species diversity and biotic richness as the wetlands they replace. Stormwater treatment wetlands are used to capture and transform pollutants, just as wetponds are, and over time pollutants will concentrate in the sediment. This is not a healthy environment for aquatic life. Stormwater treatment wetlands are used to capture pollutants in a managed environment so that they will not reach natural wetlands and other ecologically important habitats. In addition, vegetation must occasionally be harvested and sediment dredged in stormwater treatment wetlands, further interfering with use for wildlife habitat.

In general, stormwater wetlands perform well to remove sediment, metals, and pollutants that bind to humic or organic acids. Phosphorus removal in stormwater wetlands is highly variable.

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DOE Stormwater Management Manual

Planting Requirements

The wetland cell shall be planted with emergent wetland plants following the recommendations given in <u>Table 10.3.1</u> or the recommendations of a wetland specialist. Note: Cattails (Typha latifolia) are not recommended. They tend to escape to natural wetlands and crowd out other species. In addition, the shoots die back each fall and will result in oxygen depletion in the wetpool unless they are removed.

Emerger	Tab ht Wetland Plant Spe	le 10.3.1 cies Recommended for Wetponds	Maximum Depth
Elliorg		Notes	
Species	Common Name		to 2 feet
Agrostis exarata ⁽¹⁾ Carex stipata Eleocharis palustris Glyceria occidentalis Juncus tenuis Oenanthe sarmentosa	Spike bent grassSawbeak sedgeSpike rushWestern mannagrassSlender rushWater parsley	Prairie to coast Wet ground Margins of ponds, wet meadows Marshes, pond margins Wet soils, wetland margins Shallow water along stream and pond margins; needs saturated soils all summer Tolerates shallow water; tall clumps	to 2 feet to 2 feet
Scirpus atrocinctus (formerly 3	S. Woolgrass	and to 18 inches depth	18 inches
cyperinus) Scirpus microcarpus Sagittaria latifolia	Small-fruited buirus	DATION 1 TO 2 FEET	



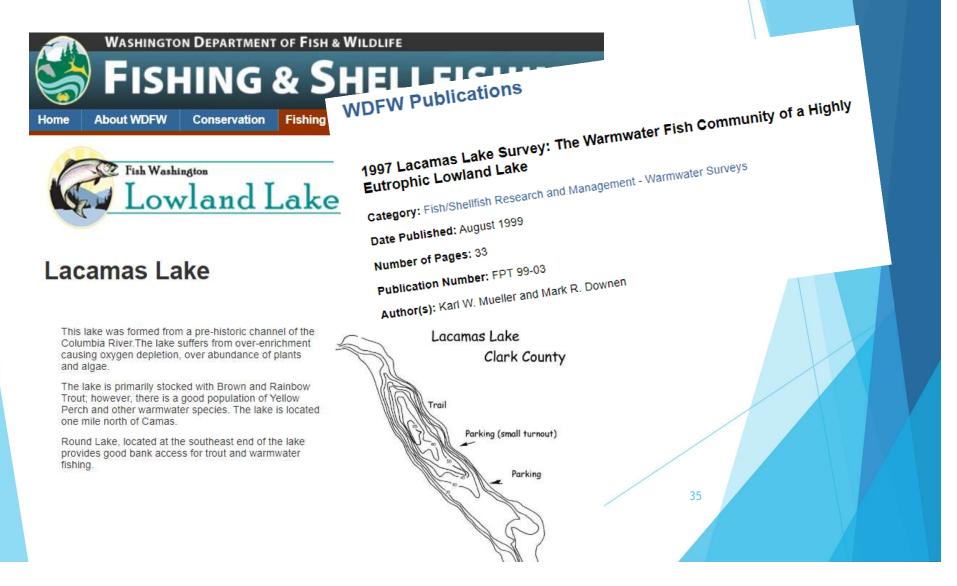
Another DOE Publication

2013 Update on Wetland Buffers by the Dept. of Ecology. States that:

- i. "Buffers may lose their effectiveness to disperse surface flows over time as flows create rills and channels, causing erosion within the buffer.", p. 28.
- ii. Also notes that "The use of buffers to protect and maintain water quality in wetlands (removing sediments, nutrients, and toxicants) is best accomplished by ensuring sheet flow across a well-vegetated buffer with a flat slope (less than 5%)." p. 15. The two factors indicated were updated to be two of 6 or more key factors, including "soil infiltration, surface roughness (partially caused by vegetation), slope length, and adjacent land use practices", "soil type, subsurface water regime (e.g. soil saturation, groundwater flow paths) and subsurface biogeochemistry", and "interactions between groundwater and surface water" and water pathways.

"Motlands for Stormuster Treatment" July 1002 article by Mark E. Dautista and M.

WDFW says Lacamas Lake suffers from "oxygen depletion"



EPA Standards

Stormwater Wet Pond and Wetland Management Guidebook





EPA Standards

Program managers and responsible parties need to recognize and understand that neglecting routine maintenance and inspection can lead to more serious problems that threaten public safety, impact water quality, and require more expensive corrective actions. Appendix A of this Guidebook provides program managers with specific maintenance activity unit cost and frequency information.

Without proper maintenance, excess pollutants in ponds and wetlands may actually become sources of water quality issues such as poor water color/clarity/odor, low dissolved oxygen leading to plant die off, and prevalence of algal blooms. When these stormwater BMPs are "flushed" during a large rain event, the excess nutrients causing these problems may be transferred to the receiving waterbody.

The proliferation of mosquitoes is usually an early indication that there is a maintenance problem.

Like wet ponds, wetlands can increase adjacent property values.



EPA Standards

Section 2: Inspection and Maintenance of Existing Ponds and Wetlands

Category	Management Practice	Maintenance Activity	Schedule	
Wetlands	Shallow wetlands, pond wetlands, "pocket" wetlands	 Cleaning and removing debris after major storm events (>2" rainfall) Harvesting of vegetation when a 50% reduction in the original open water surface area occurs Repairing embankment and side slopes Repairing control structure Removing accumulated sediment from forebays or sediment storage areas 	Annual or as needed	
	1.	 sediment storage areas when 60% of the original volume has been lost Removing accumulated sediment from main cells of pond once 50% of the original volume has been lost 	20-year cycle	
		 Removing accumulated 	5-year cycle	

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US Clean Water Act

- Federal law regulates all "Waters of the US"
- Disallows the dumping of untreated stormwater directly into any "Waters of the US"
- Lacamas Lake and the Conservancy Zone wetlands are WUSA
- Exemption for Stormwater Filtration Systems

Clean Water Act

§230.3 Definitions.

For purposes of this part, the following terms shall have the meanings indicated:

- (2) The following are not "waters of the United States" even where they otherwise meet the terms of paragraphs (o)(1)(iv) through (viii) of this section.
 - (vi) Stormwater control features constructed to convey, treat, or store stormwater

that are created in dry land.





Clean Water Act Example of Criminal Provisions

https://www.epa.gov/enforcement/criminal-provisions-clean-water-act

Direct Discharge (to waters of United States including wetlands)

Elements:

- A person
 - Negligently or Knowingly
 - Discharges a pollutant from a point source into a water of the United States without a NPDES or 404 Permit or in violation of a permit

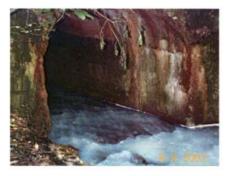
Statute: 33 U.S.C. 1319(1) & (2)

Penalty:

- Negligent Violations: 1 year and/or \$2,500 25,000 per day;
 Subsequent convictions 2 years and/or \$50,000 per day.
- Knowing Violations: 3 years and/or \$5,000 50,000 per day;
 Subsequent convictions 6 years and/or \$100,000 per day.

Relevant Regulations: 40 C.F.R. 122

*Note that the Discharge of fill material into a wetland may be permitted under 33 U.S.C. 1344





Lacamas Shores Articles of Incorporation

ARTICLE III <u>Purpose</u>

This Corporation is organized for the following purposes:

1. To provide for maintenance, preservation and architectural control of the residence Lots and Common Areas, including but not limited to private roadways and wetlands as such lots and common areas are designated on the recorded plat or plats of Lacamas Shores Development located within that certain tract of property described on Exhibit "A" attached hereto and by this reference made a part hereof, and to promote the health, safety, protection and welfare of the residents within the abovedescribed property.

2. To be operated as a nonprofit corporation under the Washington Nonprofit Corporation Act (RCW 24.03) and the applicable non-profit qualification provisions under Federal law and regulation.

3. To preserve, protect and improve the quality and character of the Lacamas Shores Development, and to do everything necessary, proper, advisable, and/or convenient for the accomplishment of this purpose.

4. The Corporation may engage in any lawful activity for which corporations may be organized under Washington Law and the

Other Documents Referenced in the Body of the Presentation

- Shoreline Hearing Board Case No. SHB 88-33 1988 Agreed Order
- City of Camas Permit No. 2-87 (C-2-87) and Shoreline Conditional Use Permit, Camas Permit No. 590-14-7806
- City of Camas Stormwater Facilities Map -March 2016
- Lacamas Shores HOA CC&Rs
- November 2014 Tax Assessor's Report on View Coding and Value Changes - and related letter.

List of Other Relevant Documents

- 1988 Deed of Dedication for the Conservancy Zone. Shows the agreement of the City to allow the LSHOA to encroach on the CZ to perform maintenance necessary for the Biofilter.
- July 2017 Draft Description of Proposed Project - by the LS HOA Board
- The "Lacamas Shores HOA Meadowlands Park Wetland Delineation & Proposed Vegetation Plan" submitted by ETC to the City of Camas in March 2017.
- 1993 Revised Permit2013 Update on Wetland Buffers by the Dept. of Ecology.



List of Other Relevant Documents - Cont'd

- Clark County Stormwater Manual 2015, Book 4 "Stormwater Facility Operation and Maintenance,"
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Shoring up a key wetland in Camas After decades of neglect, maintenance of Lacamas Shores biofilter long overdue



Sheryl Beauchaine of Vancouver walks her daughter's dogs recently on Heritage Trail along Lacamas Lake. The biofilter in the lake has not been maintained for about 30 years, causing it to become overgrown with trees. Photos by Alisha Jucevic/The Columbian

By Katy Sword, Columbian staff writer Published: April 18, 2018, 6:01 AM



In the News



Aerial View - Foliage Before

