

Cruising Update

All gates on the property required for cruising purposes should now have F1-3 keys. Please respect that the watershed is restricted access and enter the sale from the south so that you can sign in at the water filtration plant prior to cruising units in the watershed. There is a map to the water filtration plant showing the south access and the correct "GPS address" to bring you to the south entrance on the timber sale website. The street address for the water filtration plant may cause a GPS to route you through the north Monroe Camp Road entrance.

Please check in with the water filtration plant operator as you buzz through the electronic gate. There is a sign in sheet right inside the door on the bottom floor of the filtration plant that we request you sign in and out on as you enter and exit the watershed.

The City would appreciate advance notice if there are days or weeks during which in which cruising or other evaluation work on the sale will take place. You can call or e-mail Anna Thelen (425-257-7726, athelen@everetwa.gov) with dates that you expect to be in the watershed.

Dogs

Dogs are not allowed in the watershed (units north of the electronic gate).

Incidental Take

Need to report spotted owls or marbled murrelets if seen or heard

The City's Safe Harbor agreement is based on sightings rather than on branch size/placement

Roots Forestry and the City will take action if there is a sighting of either endangered species. There will be no financial impact to the purchaser.

Cruise

16 ft form factor was used

Atterbury's program/format was used

Roads

Unit 1 roads are required to be built as specified. The Unit 10 connector road (10A) and T-1240B switchback are also required construction to facilitate log haul out the T-1000 road to Woods Creek Rd. There is the option on all other units to propose an alternative road plan in writing for approval from the contract administrator.

Spurs into units other than Unit 1 don't need a cap

Unit Specific

Unit 9: Cable logging is not necessarily required, can propose other methods for approval by the contract administrator. Approval is likely based on the level of soil disturbance caused by the method. This unit is in the watershed. Will consider tailholds in a stream buffer, but no hanging of tailholds across streams. No use of equipment as a tailhold.

Leave trees:

The majority of the leave trees are scattered throughout the units and are marked with blue paint. Acreages reported are gross, no acreage deductions have been made for leave trees. Unit 2 has leave tree clumps associated with wet ground. 10 leave trees per acre. Leave trees can be traded for trees of similar species and size just as when working on DNR lands.

Sanitation Facilities:

The City will provide porta-potties for work occurring in the watershed.

Masking:

After July 1st the City leaves it to the purchaser to be following any industry specific L&I requirements regarding masking. Prior to July 1st be masked and distanced when there is more than one person at a worksite on City property.