

## Trust Land Transfer

Is a program designed to transfer lands that provide important ecological values or public benefits but don't produce enough revenue to support schools and critical local services. DNR transfers these lands to public agencies for conservation or recreation purposes.

### Criteria:

- Community support
- Ecological value
- Economic value
- Public benefit
- Tribal support

### Critical dates:

**Sept 22, 2025** – Community Letters of Support to FOMB

**Sept 30, 2025** – Application  
April 1, 2026 – Final Letters  
Summer 2026 – DNR Review  
Spring 2027 – Prioritization  
Winter 2027 – Transfer

### Why now?

- **Scheduled for timber sale in 2029**
- Protect from future development
- Expand Miller Bay Preserve to 56+ acres

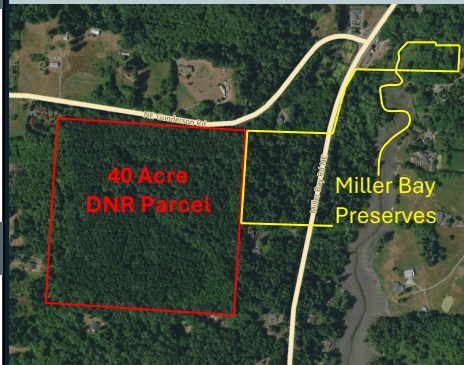


FRIENDS OF  
MILLER BAY

## Help Preserve 40 Acres!

### Department of Natural Resources Trust Land Transfer Proposal

Located near the corner of Miller Bay and Gunderson Roads, this parcel borders the 13-acre Miller Bay Preserve and 3.5-acre Kawahara Preserve, both owned and managed by GPC. This upland forest (approx. 50 years old) has two creeks that drain into Miller Bay, and is an important wildlife corridor for deer, black bear, coyote, and river otter making their way to 1,575 feet of protected shoreline on Miller Bay.



### Preservation Benefits:

- Connects diverse habitats
- Protects wildlife corridor
- Saves a year-round fish bearing creek
- Protects creek channels untouched by past logging
- Provides critical habitat for chinook and steelhead

How do we make this happen? We work together!



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Let's prevent this  
from happening again!



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### How you can help :

- Write a letter of support
- Volunteer as a steward
- Join FOMB
- Donate to Stewardship Fund
- Tell a friend/neighbor

Learn more about  
Friends of Miller Bay :

[www.friendsofmillerbay.org](http://www.friendsofmillerbay.org)

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