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DEVELOPING A STRATEGIC VISION PROJECT BACKGROUND MATERIAL SUMMARY SHEET

1. Title:

CRD Parks Master Plan 2000

2. Location:

Juan de Fuca Community Trails Society collection of documents

3. Year Published:

September 2000

4. Brief Summary:

This parks master plan lays out some goals for the JFEA but not a lot of progress has been made. CRD Parks has made major advances towards goals in other areas, which have taken considerable resources.

Some goals for Otter Point- Shirley Jordan-River include: a wilderness park, more beaches, more swimming sites, extended regional trail from Galloping Goose to Juan de Fuca Marine Trail at China Beach, view points and conservation of unique habitats and natural features.

The CRD Master Plan acknowledges that the Sensitive Ecosystem Inventory is not done west of the Sooke River and that there are relatively few regional parks west of the Sooke River.

Parks are recognized as sites for conservation, recreation and tourist activity.

5. Opinion on Relevance to Project:

Relevant to parks, recreation, and conservation planning. This document provides good information on overall strategies and responsibility for regional parks as compared to local, provincial and federal parks. Understanding this relationship and working with CRD Parks, JFEA Parks Commission should be able to make better progress in fulfilling parks and recreation needs in our area.

6. Categories Covered:

Governance Recreation Economy
Environment Community Development

Others (Specify): Inter-agency planning shared responsibility: regional and local parks Long Range Plans

7. Reviewer:

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