**Nason Ridge Community Forest Access Point Priorities/Facilities**

Access Point Priorities

|  |  |
| --- | --- |
| Lake Wenatchee State ParkLandowner: WA State Parks | *Not a priority for development of additional access. Work with State Parks on signage needs* |
| Nason Ridge Trailhead (USFS)Landowner: USFS | *Desirable short-term option for increasing summer access. Work with USFS on potential for trailhead expansion. Expansion would require coordinated NEPA. Not a desired winter access point.* Level of Use/Facilities: Toilet improvement. Additional signage about Community Forest. Monitor use and consider expansion if use increases due to Community Forest. Plan ahead with USFS as process can take years.  |
| Kahler Glen Landowner: Kahler Glen Community Association | *Maintain current use of winter snopark, work with Kahler/State Parks on signage, do not develop summer access points through Kahler Glen (but work with residents on trail maintenance needs)* |
| Butcher Creek Road/6910Landowner: USFS, Chelan County, Private | *Priority for short-term access improvement**Work with WSDOT on potential safety improvements**Look into FLAP grant for Butcher Creek road improvement**Determine new gate location and parking area near tree island/spur road**Work with residents on signage**Determine level of use desired**Potential winter sno-park. Work with State Parks to determine feasibility of winter access point/plowing etc.* Level of Use/Facilities: Toilet. Signage about Community Forest. Small parking area.  |
| Coulter Creek RoadLandowner: WSDOT, Private, BNSF, Chelan Resources | *Not a priority for accessing Nason Ridge Community Forest**Consider for potential Coulter Block Access during Coulter assessment subgroup meeting* |
| Nason Rest AreaLandowner: WSDOT | *Not likely access point* |
| Cole’s CornerLandowner: Private, CPUD, USFS | *Consider as long-term objective to increase access off of Hwy 2 and integrate a pedestrian suspension bridge to ease pressure on other access points* *Identify most likely bridge location and parking options in terms of ownership and topography* Level of Use/Facilities: |
| Round Mountain TrailLandowner: USFS | *Not a priority access point, but potential to work with USFS on making this a shared access point.* |
| 3 miles up Butcher Creek Road, old road spur leads into CFLandowner: USFS | *Not priority for access. Works for current low levels of use. Re-assess if trail priorities point to that area.*  |

Future discussion points:

* What level of use is desired for the Forest, and how will parking/access/marketing play into it?
* Trail connection for bikes to go up Nason Ridge trail and connect through water tower trail and out Kahler Gate
* Hwy 2 Corridor Assessment sponsored by Senator Hawkins – did not pass legislation
* Shuttles for access from Cole’s Corner
* Fee system to potentially limit use?
* Clarify specific user types