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Mr. Doug Sutherland, Commissioner of Public Lands
Washington State Department of Natural Resources
1111 Washington Street, SE
P.O. Box 47000
Olympia, WA 98504-7000

Dear Commissioner Sutherland:

The Board of Clallam County Commissioners hereby requests reconveyance to the County of approximately 320 acres of State Forest Board land in Sections 5 and 6 of Township 30N Range 9WWM (see attachments A and B) for the purpose of development of a public shooting sports park and related recreation infrastructure. This request is made pursuant to RCW 79.22.300 and a letter dated September 22, 2005 from Pamela J. Plancich, Land Manager, Asset Management and Protection Division, which outlines the process established for reconveyance.

Over the past two years, the Clallam County Park Advisory Board has reviewed and rated five different potential sites proposed for development of a public shooting park. The Sadie Creek site is the one recommended to us by the Park Board. The need to acquire land for a public shooting park has been identified in our Clallam County Park and Recreation Plan, which is approved by the Interagency Committee for Outdoor Recreation (IAC).

As we understand the process, your Olympic Region personnel will work with Joel Winborn, Division Manager of Clallam County Parks, to establish the exact boundaries and property survey needs and to work out property segregation issues, if any exist. The County will submit a public use plan to your regional office and to the IAC for approval and consistency requirements.

Please let us know if there are any other requirements or items we need to submit to complete this process.

Sincerely,

CLALLAM COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

Handwritten signature of Michael C. Chapman in black ink.

Michael C. Chapman, Chair

SENT TO PARK BOARD
11/9/05

c: Charlie Cortelyou, Pamela Plancich, Craig Jacobs, Joel Winborn, Clallam County Park Board