

<b>Nisqually Mashel State Park Master Plan</b>			
<b>Washington State Parks and Recreation Commission</b>			
<b>Park Master Plan Alternatives Evaluation</b>			
The Portico Group			
Apr-08			
<b>Alternatives</b>			
<b>Evaluation Criteria</b>	<b>Peoples Center</b>	<b>Experience</b>	<b>Conservation</b>
<b>Destination Park</b>			
Creates compelling and viable destination park - not just a camping space backup facility - Establishes clearly identifiable theme/image for the park			
Rich and exciting camping and recreational experience			
Establishes park as travel hub - accessing local and regional attractions			
<b>Educational and Interpretive</b>			
Creates rich interpretive and educational experience built from the sites and areas unique cultural and natural resources			
Allows for connections to off-site educational and interpretive resources and facilities			
<b>Natural Environment</b>			
Provides for the protection and enhancement of wildlife habitat and corridors (such as salmon, elk and birds)			
Protects and enhances natural resources, critical areas and forest health			
<b>Cultural Environment</b>			
Provides for the protection and enhancement of cultural/heritage resources (based on archeological report)			
<b>Partnerships &amp; Economic Viability</b>			
Allows for strategic partnerships for financial or other resource support for park development - (ie.. Nisqually Tribal Proposal			
Accommodates special events and gathering venues			
Maximizes opportunities to achieve 50% revenue return offset of O&M costs			
<b>Land Acquisition/Use Agreements</b>			
Requires land acquisition to accomplish plan			
Requires access/use agreements to accomplish plan			