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VASHON PARK DISTRICT
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RESOLUTION #19-42

Vashon-Maury Island Park and Recreation District (hereafter "VPD"), in consideration of the Port of Seattle Motion 2019-14 adopted by the Port of Seattle Commission on November 19, 2019 and which designated that at least one portable noise monitor intended to measure plane noise be placed on Vashon Island, resolves that in principle park property can be used for the siting of noise monitors.

An actual agreement between the Port of Seattle and VPD that, among other things, indemnifies the Vashon Park District from all liability associated with the noise monitors would need to be separately considered before permission is granted.

Given the new NextGen focused arrival track with flights descending while heading North when SeaTac is in Southflow (~70% of the time), and the aggregate noise level thus increasing with latitude over the Island, an upper section of Wingehaven Park (virtually inaccessible from the park's trail due to topology) would, on first examination, appear to be the best VPD property for this purpose, in Southflow.

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