Frog Holler Forest

Frog Holler Forest is part of a long-term partnership with the Vashon-Maury Island Land Trust to protect more than 500 acres of forest on the south end of Vashon Island. The Forest was acquired with funding from Washington State Department of Ecology, King County Conservation Futures, and King County Parks Levy funds.

The Pacific Tree Frog or Chorus Frog is the smallest and most common frog in the Pacific Northwest. Tree frogs can range in color from bronze brown to light lime green. They have a black stripe across each eye and round toe pads. The male “chorus” can be quite loud during mating season.

Area
150 acres

Trail length
2.6 miles

Trail uses
Hiking, horseback riding, mountain biking.

Access
The main entrance is located on Wax Orchard Road, one-half mile south of Bates Road and one-third mile north of Camp Sealth Road.
Frog Holler Forest is served by Metro bus route 118 along Vashon Highway SW.

King County’s Parks and Recreation Division manages 30,000 acres of parks and natural lands, and provides over 300 miles of trails with year-round accessibility for hiking, mountain biking, trail running, and horseback riding. Each trail offers a unique opportunity to walk, run or ride through the quiet beauty of our region’s rich natural heritage.

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Known for the chorus of tree frogs in the area, Frog Holler is a local Vashon Island neighborhood along Wax Orchard Road just north of Camp Sealth. The largest portion of Frog Holler Forest is one-half mile south of Bates Road on the east side of Wax Orchard Road. The previous owners had enrolled the forest in the American Tree Farm system and allowed local neighbors to use the network of trails on site. The site has a 5-acre pasture that had been grazed by sheep, goats, and horses over the years. A 39-acre parcel west of the road was added to the site in 2020. Frog Holler Forest is the largest public forest on the south end of Vashon Island.