



**4+ Foolhardy Folks Club welcomes you to the Green River Natural Area
Auburn, WA year-round Event #
5K and 10K, elevation loss/gain 1,700 ft, rated 3C**

The quiet and peaceful Green River Natural Area route starts on the Enumclaw plateau and descends a steep valley wall, through a shaded mix of evergreen and hardwood trees, to views of the Green River. At the river's edge, you may see evidence of the Green River's critical role in providing habitat to salmon and steelhead, and observe the eagles that feed on them.



Starting Point: O'Grady Trailhead; On the south side of the Green River about 500 feet north of the intersection at SE 373 St and 188 Ave SE.

GPS Coordinates: 47.26804, -122.09104

Driving Directions:

From SE 384, north on 188 SE to the end of the road.

Parking: the O'Grady Trailhead has a small parking area. Please do not block the driveways and be mindful of that horse trailer rigs that may need to turn around.

Restrooms: Port-a-potty off of access road near river.

Green River Natural Area brochure: King County provides an excellent brochure and map, with an option to download the park map onto your phone, at <https://kingcounty.gov/en/dept/dnpr/nature-recreation/parks-recreation/king-county-parks/natural-working-lands/green-river-natural-area>

Emergency Dial 911

Point of contact: Cheri Overman (253)709-7835 or cgeosite@gmail.com

Walk completion and credit: Be sure to log back into the OSB system (my.ava.org) to finish/complete your online registration after doing the hike. The OSB system does not deduct any walking fee from a walker's Event Bank until they have submitted walk completion info including the date the event was walked, the distance walked, and the selection of applicable special programs that walker is participating in. Nevertheless, a fee of \$2 for downloaded PDF is deducted from the user's Event Bank when the PDF is downloaded. Later, any PDF fees are credited back to walker's Event Bank when he/she submits the walk completion info as a paying-for-credit walker. Note, however, the \$2 "coupon" for the downloaded PDF expires in 60 days.

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Special Program: Walking the United States (Washington) .

Thanks for participating and we hope you enjoy your hike in the Green River Natural Area!

Green River Natural Area Directions
10K loop, rated 3B

Thank you for parking courteously to allow horse trailers to maneuver as well as keeping driveways clear.

In the rare event that you encounter a horse, please remember that horses have right of way.

ON MAP, YELLOW DOTS WITH NUMBERS CORRESPOND TO WRITTEN DIRECTIONS

1. Walk around the gate, towards the kiosk, and downhill on the Access Road.
2. Turn **RIGHT** onto the Hop Craze Trail. Stay on Hop Craze Trail by turning **RIGHT** at "T", which is a dirt path, not gravel.
3. Turn **RIGHT** onto Access Road, passing the trail on the left and crossing a bridge. Port-a-potty on the left after the bridge.
4. Turn **RIGHT** shortly after the Porta-a-potty onto Potter's Trail. This is an out and back trail, which goes to the Green River.
5. Stay to the **LEFT** when reaching a "Y."
6. **Turn around** at the river.
7. Stay **RIGHT** at the "Y."
8. Once back to the start of Potter's Trail, at the Access Road, there is a lunch spot to the right. To continue the walk, turn **LEFT** when Potter's Trail reaches the Access Road, again passing Port-a-potty, now on the right.
9. Cross bridge and turn **RIGHT** onto Three Bridges Trail.
10. Turn slightly **RIGHT** onto Leta's Way Trail. Pass the trail on the right to the river.
11. Turn slightly **RIGHT** onto Cedar Grove Trail, which is a short loop.
12. Turn **RIGHT** at the "Y" to continue on Cedar Grove Trail.
13. Keep **RIGHT** onto Miner's Trail.
14. Turn **RIGHT** on Kaponis Trail.
15. Turn sharp **RIGHT** onto Three Bridges Trail at "T."
16. Turn **RIGHT** onto Stevensonville Trail.
17. Turn **RIGHT** onto Access Road to return to start.

We hope you enjoyed the hike!

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