

Chambers-Clover Watershed Conference

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Pacific Lutheran University
Tacoma, WA

Displays

Cascade Land Conservancy

The Cascade Land Conservancy is a regional land trust and stewardship organization operating in Washington State with headquarters in Seattle and principal offices in King, Kittitas, Mason, Pierce and Snohomish Counties. The CLC was founded in 1989 and has conserved nearly 140,000 acres of working forests, farmlands and natural areas as well as estuary lands on the Olympic Peninsula and along the Washington Coast.

Preserved lands in Pierce County represent a diversity of natural landscapes, among them prairies, stream corridors, and oak woodlands. Hands-on outdoor learning for local students and volunteer involvement is encouraged.

Since 2005 CLC has been the host organization of The Cascade Agenda, which links conserving great lands with creating great communities. Cascade Land Conservancy is also a partner in the Green Tacoma Partnership. The Green Tacoma Partnership is a public-private partnership between the City of Tacoma, Metro Parks, Tahoma Audubon Society, Cascade Land Conservancy, citizens, educational organizations, neighborhood groups, non-profits, faith-based organizations and businesses all working together to sustain a viable healthy network of natural spaces throughout Tacoma. For more information please visit www.cascadeland.org and www.cascadeagenda.com.

Chambers-Clover Watershed Council

The Chambers-Clover Creek Watershed Council (CCWC) provides an opportunity for local agencies and citizen groups to coordinate their efforts to benefit the Watershed. The Council is committed to improving the health of the Watershed by working to improve fish habitat, improve water quality, and foster a sense of stewardship among watershed residents. Local governments, tribes, businesses, elected officials, resource agencies, non-profit groups, and private citizens are represented in the Council's membership. For more information about how you can become involved in CCWC activities, visit our website at www.piercecountwa.org/ccwc or contact Lorin Reinelt, Pierce County Watershed Coordinator, at (253)798-3096.

Pierce Conservation District Stream Team

Pierce Stream Team is a countywide, multi-activity organization housed within Pierce Conservation District that has worked with thousands of volunteers to restore local streams since 1994. Stream Team's goals are to educate individuals about stream related issues and how individual activities affect water resources; involve citizens in monitoring, observing, recording and reporting stream conditions; improve water quality through direct citizen involvement; motivate the public to change their habits to benefit fish, wildlife, and people; and provide useful data and information to resource agencies, local communities, and members of

the public. There are many volunteer opportunities offered in the Stream Team program. For information on how to become involved please contact us directly at (253) 845-2973 or streamteam@piercecountycd.org. You can also check out our website at www.piercecountycd.org/streamteam.html.

Puget Creek Restoration Society

The mission of the Puget Creek Restoration Society is to protect, enhance, and restore the Puget Creek Watershed and other streams, wetlands, and green spaces, to serve South Puget Sound communities and invite their participation through hands-on restoration, research, education, and advocacy, and to promote a sense of stewardship. Puget Creek/Gulch is a 66-acre natural area in Tacoma's North End. One of only three salmon-bearing streams within the city limits, this habitat has been degraded and the wildlife dependent upon it harmed. Puget Creek Restoration Society represents a team effort of a wide variety of concerned citizens involved in the restoration, protection and enhancement of the Puget Creek/Puget Gulch area of North Tacoma. For more information, visit www.pugetcreek.org or call (253)779-8890.