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Illahee Town Dock One of the first tire reefs in Washington was placed here about 50 – 75 yards straight out from the dock. It needs to be removed because tires have not proven to be good reefing material and they are coming apart. The existing tire reef should be



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Dive Type: Shore Dive

Project Type: Habitat Mitigation & Marine Education

Description:

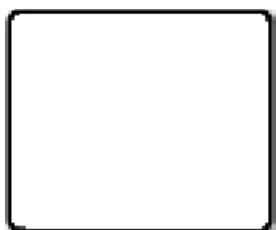
Illahee Town Dock is an urban shore dive located just north of Bremerton. The Port of Bremerton originally set this area up to draw divers. One of the first tire reefs in Washington was placed here about 50 – 75 yards straight out from the dock. It needs to be removed because tires have not proven to be good reefing material and they are coming apart.

Habitat Mitigation: The existing tire reef should be replaced with about 50 reef balls. Reef balls have been proven to be much better marine

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life habitat.

Marine Education: As with all urban shore dives, the opportunity exists to create a connection between non-divers and Puget Sound. Interpretive signage at this site should explain the view east across the channel to Bainbridge Island. Signage should highlight the marine life, the habitat, uses of the resource, current issues, and possible solutions to the careful management and stewardship of Puget Sound.

Status: Conceptual.

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Budget: \$35,000.

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