

Public Notice of Application for Permit

US Army Corps of Engineers Regulatory Branch Post Office Box 3755 Seattle, WA 98124-3755 Telephone: (206) 764-5527 ATTN: Jenae Churchill, Project Manager Public Notice Date February 4, 2021: Expiration Date: March 6, 2021

Reference No.: NWS-2011-430 Name: Isola Real Estate (Regent Court Wetland Fill)

The Corps will review the work in accordance with Section 404 of the Clean Water Act (CWA) and Section 10 of the Rivers and Harbors Act. The Washington Department of Ecology (Ecology) will review the work separately pursuant to Section 401 of the CWA, with applicable provisions of State water pollution control laws and the Coastal Zone Management Act.

- <u>APPLICANT</u>: Isola Real Estate II, LLC Attention: Mr. Jeff Wegener 1518 First Avenue South, Suite 301 Seattle, Washington 98134 Telephone: (206) 413-6361
- AGENT: Envirovector Attention: Mr. Curtis Wambach 1441 West Bay Drive Northwest Olympia, Washington 98502 Telephone: (360) 790-1559

LOCATION: In wetlands near Tacoma, Pierce County, WA.

<u>WORK</u>: The proposed project is to discharge up to 1,016 cubic yards of fill material into 30,008-square feet (sq. ft.) (0.69 of an acre) of wetlands to construct a residential development.

<u>PURPOSE</u>: The purpose of the project is multi-family residential housing.

<u>ADDITIONAL INFORMATION</u>: Excavators, loaders, bulldozers and hand tools would be used to discharge clean native upland soils into six, category three and four wetlands. Erosion control measures such as silt fencing and spill containment measures would be implemented. The equipment and material staging would occur in uplands.

Copies of this public notice which have been mailed or otherwise physically distributed feature project drawings in black and white. The electronic version features those drawings in color, which we think more accurately communicates the scope of project impacts. To access the electronic version of this public notice, go to the Seattle District's web page at http://www.nws.usace.army.mil/ and under the heading Open Public Comment Periods select Regulatory Public Notices. Recently-issued public notices are listed in chronological order of the date of issuance. Select and view the listing for this project.

The wetland boundaries shown on the project drawings have not yet been verified by the Corps. If the Corps determines the boundaries of the wetland/waters are substantially inaccurate a new public notice may be published.

<u>MITIGATION</u>: To compensate for wetland and buffer impacts, the applicant proposes 79,863 sq. ft. of onsite wetland creation, 56,099 sq. ft. of wetland enhancement, and 83,164 sq. ft. of buffer enhancement.

<u>ENDANGERED SPECIES</u>: The Endangered Species Act (ESA) requires federal agencies to consult with the National Marine Fisheries Service (NMFS) and/or U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (USFWS) pursuant to Section 7 of the ESA on all actions that may affect a species listed (or proposed for listing) under the ESA as threatened or endangered or any designated critical habitat.

A preliminary determination indicates that the activity would not affect endangered or threatened species, or their critical habitat. Consultation under Section 7 of the ESA is not required.

<u>ESSENTIAL FISH HABITAT</u>: The Magnuson-Stevens Fishery Conservation and Management Act, as amended by the Sustainable Fisheries Act of 1996, requires all Federal agencies to consult with the NMFS on all actions, or proposed actions, permitted, funded, or undertaken by the agency, that may adversely affect Essential Fish Habitat (EFH). The Corps has determined that the proposed action will not adversely affect designated EFH for federally managed fisheries in Washington waters. No further EFH consultation is necessary.

<u>CULTURAL RESOURCES</u>: The Corps has reviewed the latest published version of the National Register of Historic Places, Washington Information System for Architectural and Archaeological Records Data and other sources of information. The permit area is likely to contain historic properties and/or sites of religious and cultural significance. An investigation for the presence of eligible historic properties is justified and has been requested of the applicant by the Corps. The Corps invites responses to this public notice from Native American Tribes or tribal governments; Federal, State, and local agencies; historical and archeological societies; and other parties likely to have knowledge of or concerns regarding historic properties and sites of religious and cultural significance at or near the project area. After receipt of comments from this public notice, the Corps will evaluate potential impacts and consult with the State Historic Preservation Officer and Native American Tribes in accordance with Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act, as appropriate.

<u>PUBLIC HEARING</u>: Any person may request, in writing, within the comment period specified in this notice, that a public hearing be held to consider this application. Requests for public hearings shall state, with particularity, the reasons for holding a public hearing.

<u>EVALUATION</u>: The decision whether to issue a permit will be based on an evaluation of the probable impacts, including cumulative impacts, of the proposed activity on the public interest. That decision will reflect the national concern for both protection and utilization of important resources. The benefits, which reasonably may be expected to accrue from the proposal, must be balanced against its reasonably foreseeable detriments. All factors which may be relevant to the proposal will be considered, including the cumulative effects thereof; among those are conservation, economics, aesthetics, general environmental concerns, wetlands, historic properties, fish and wildlife values, flood hazards, floodplain values, land use, navigation, shoreline erosion and accretion, recreation, water supply and conservation, water quality, energy needs, safety, food and fiber production, mineral needs, considerations of property ownership, and, in general, the needs and welfare of the people.

The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers is soliciting comments from the public; Native American Nations or tribal governments; Federal, State, and local agencies and officials; and other interested parties in order to consider and evaluate the impacts of this activity. Any comments received will be considered by the Corps to determine whether

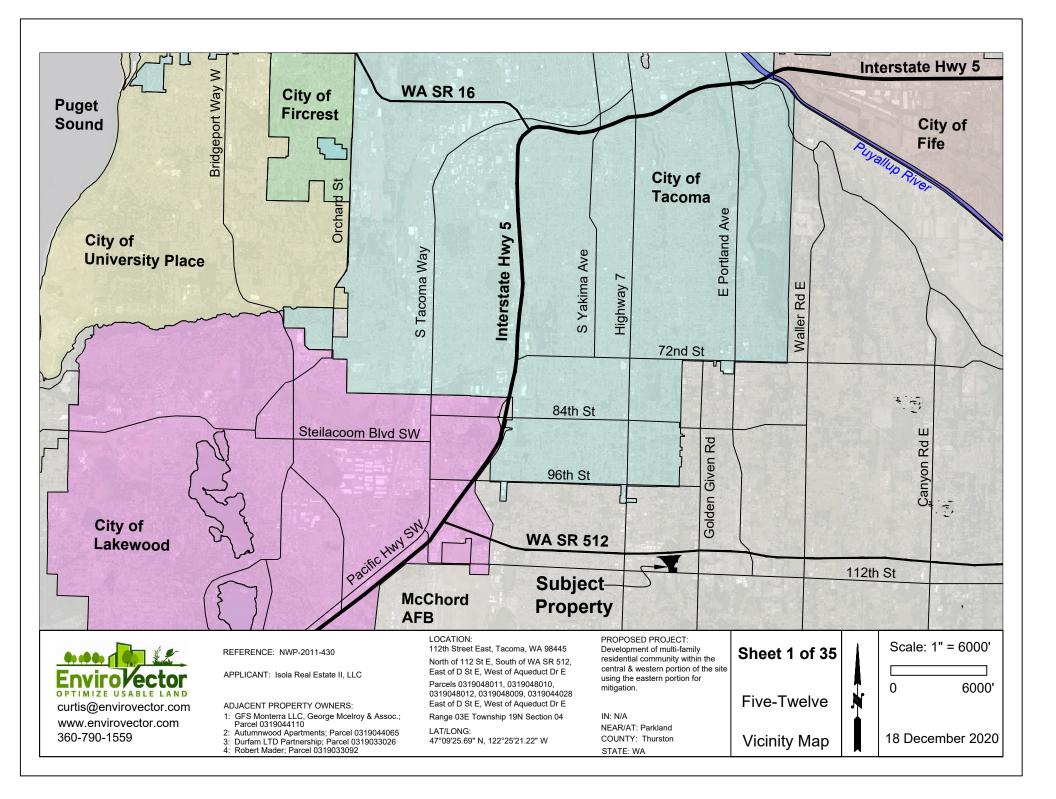
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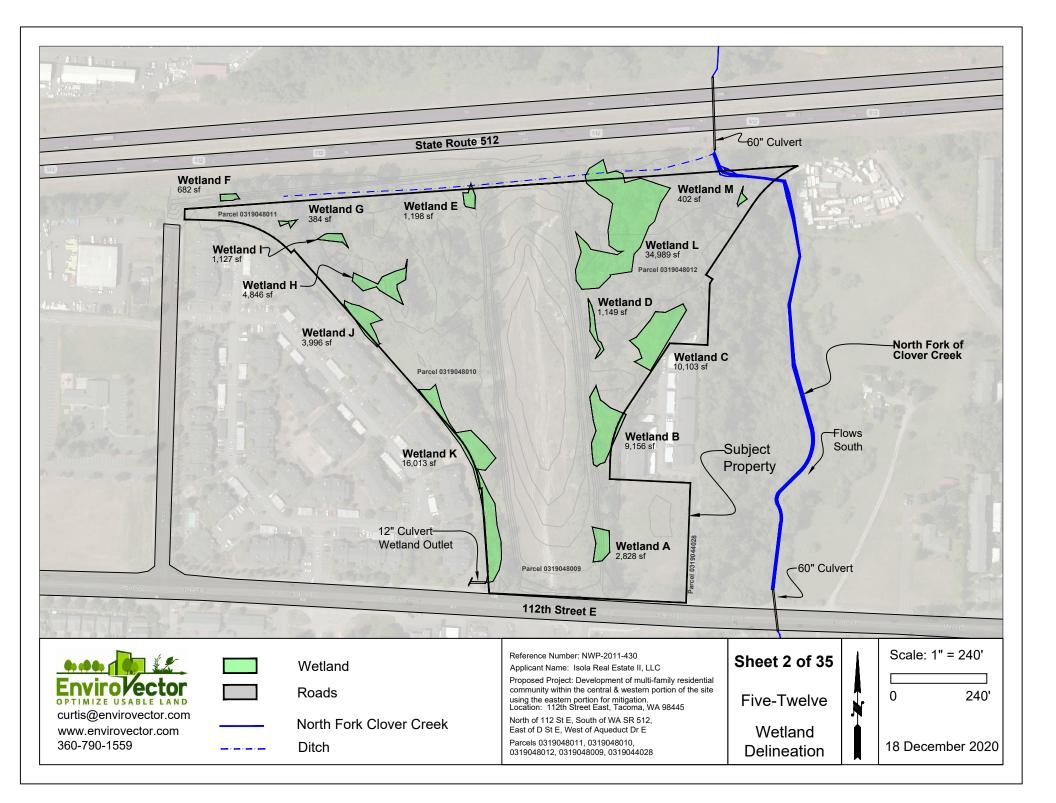
to issue, modify, condition or deny a permit for the work. To make this decision, comments are used to assess impacts on endangered species, historic properties, water quality, general environmental effects, and the other public interest factors listed above. Comments are used in the preparation of an Environmental Assessment and/or an Environmental Impact Statement pursuant to the National Environmental Policy Act. Comments are also used to determine the need for a public hearing and to determine the overall public interest of the activity.

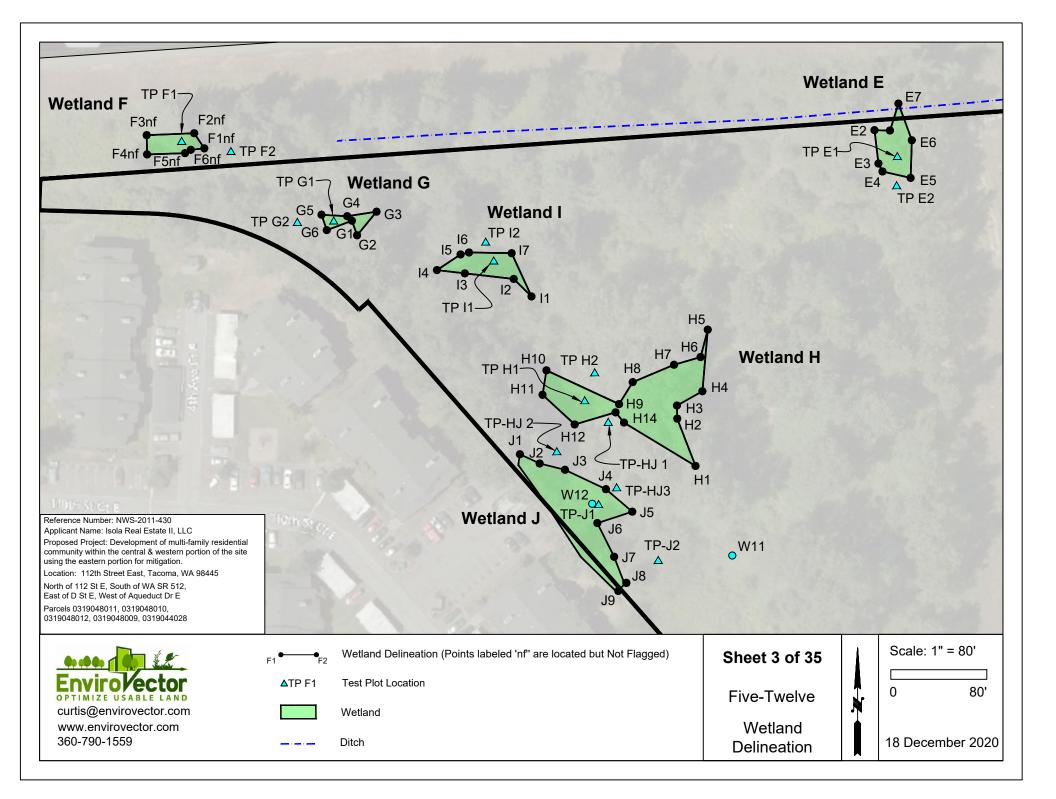
<u>COMMENT AND REVIEW PERIOD</u>: Conventional mail or e-mail comments on this public notice will be accepted and made part of the record and will be considered in determining whether authorizing the work would not be contrary to the public interest. In order to be accepted, e-mail comments must originate from the author's e-mail account and must include on the subject line of the e-mail message the permit applicant's name and reference number as shown below. All e-mail comments should be sent to jenae.churchill@usace.army.mil. Conventional mail comments should be sent U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Regulatory Branch, Post Office Box 3755, Seattle, Washington, 98124-3755. Either conventional mail or e-mail comments must include the permit applicant's name and reference number, as shown below, and the commenter's name, address, and phone number. All comments received will become part of the administrative record and are subject to public release under the Freedom of Information Act including any personally identifiable information such as names, phone numbers, and addresses. All comments whether conventional mail or e-mail must reach this office, no later than the expiration date of this public notice to ensure consideration. Please include the following name and reference number:

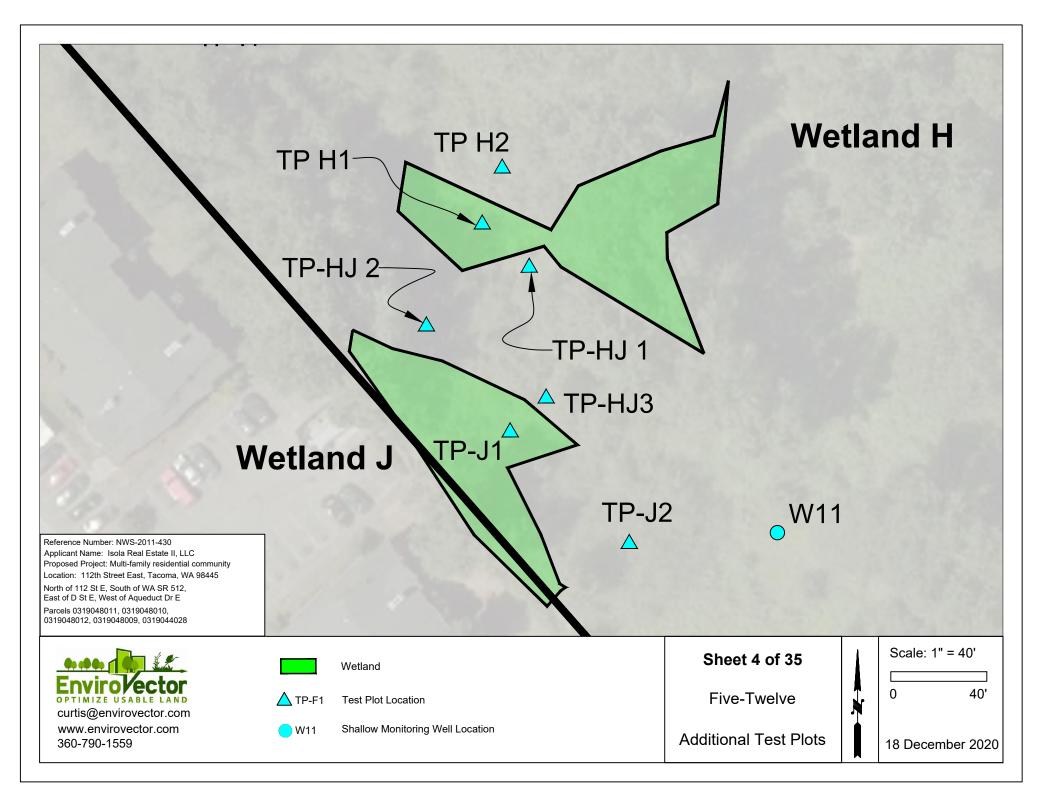
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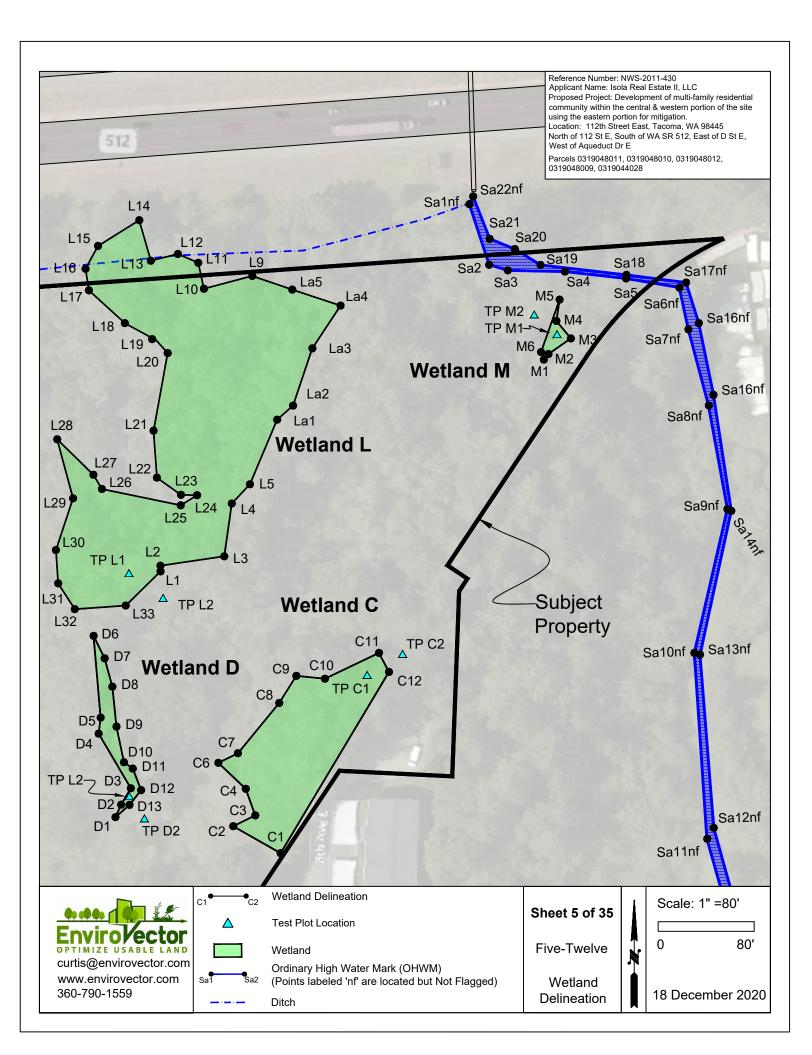
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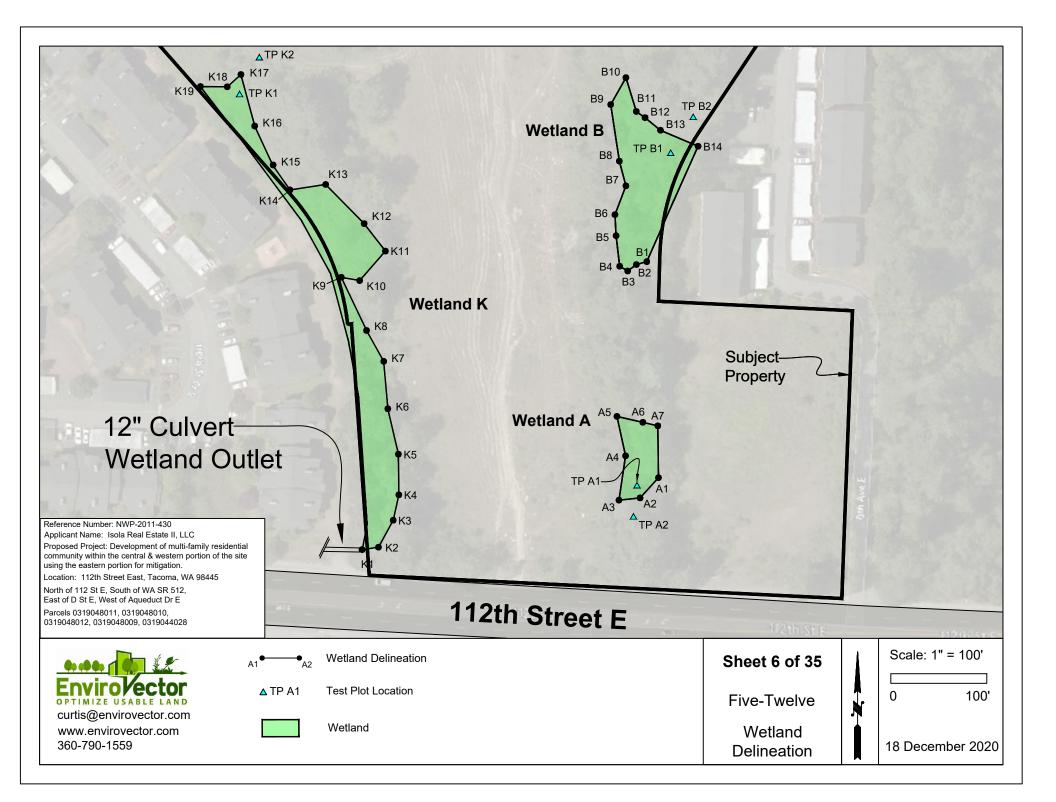


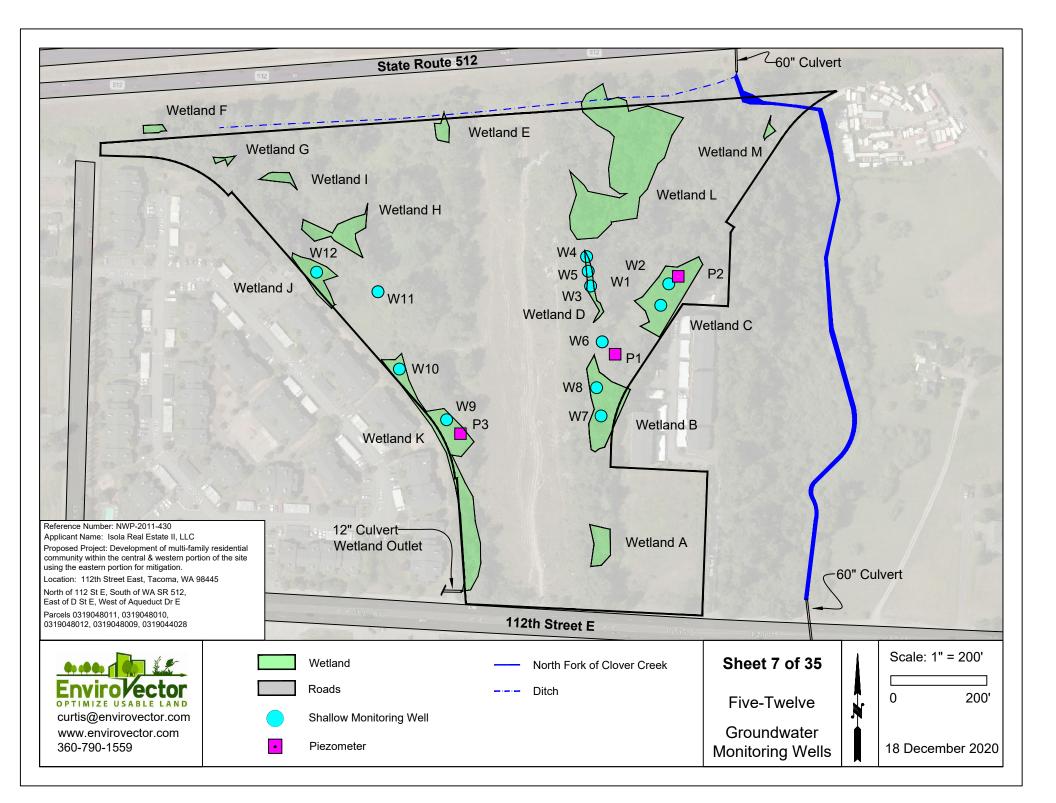


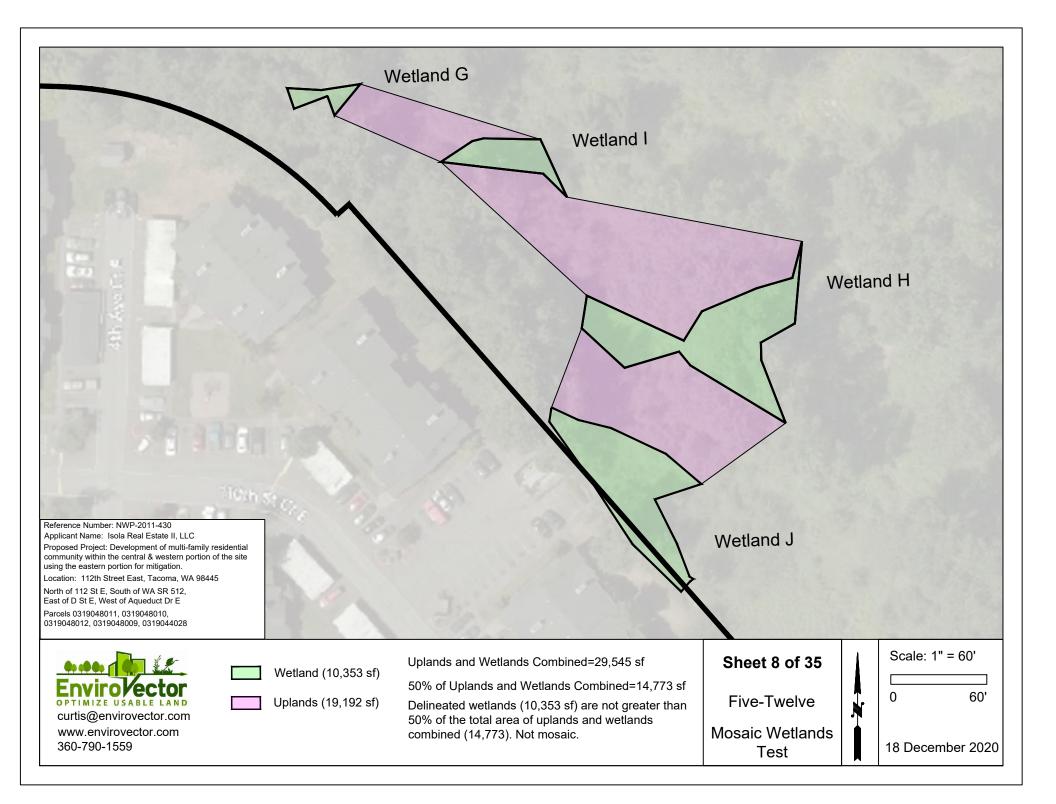


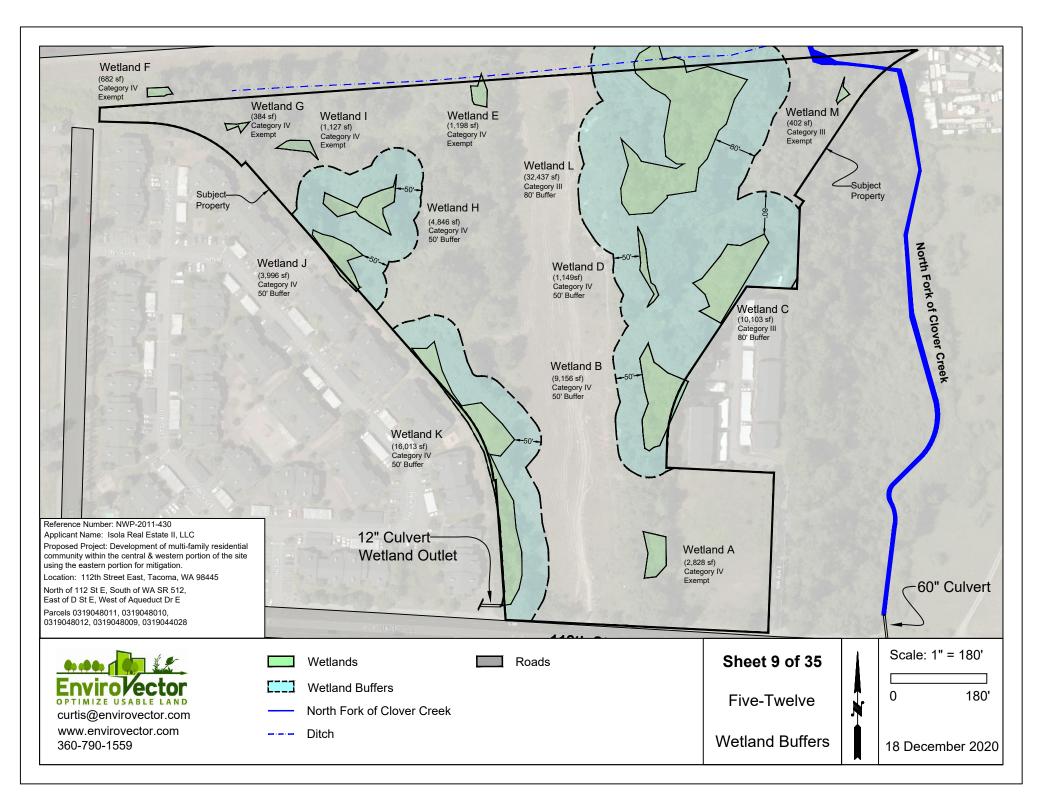


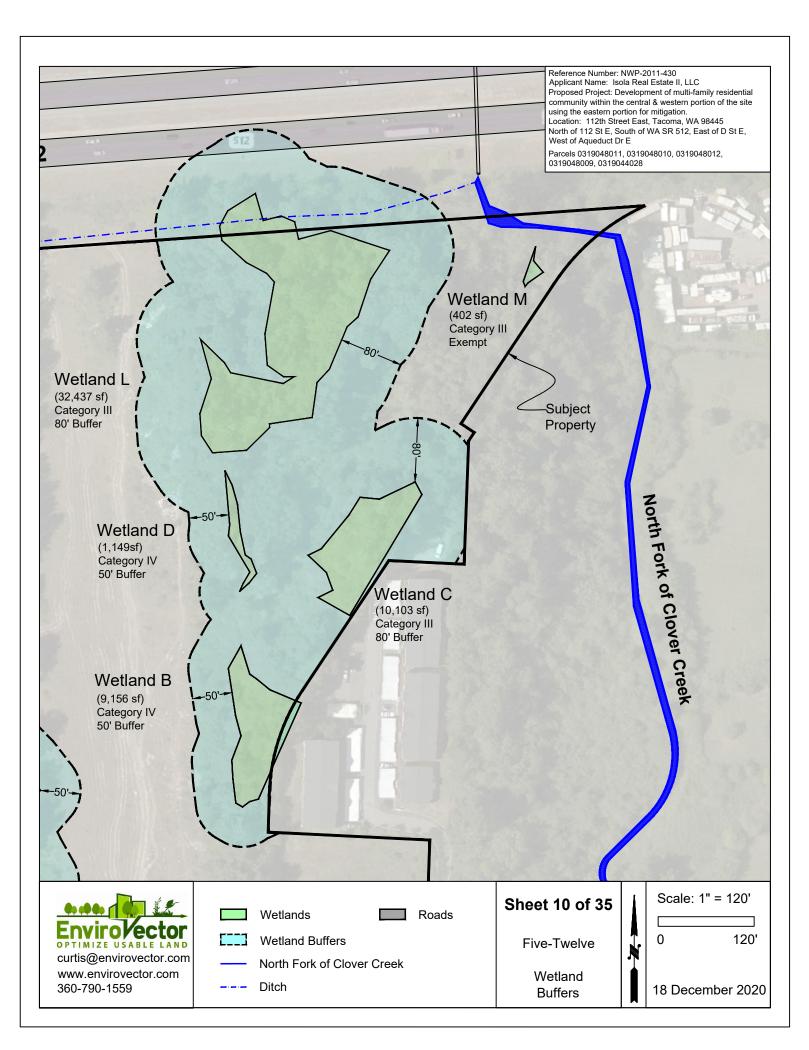


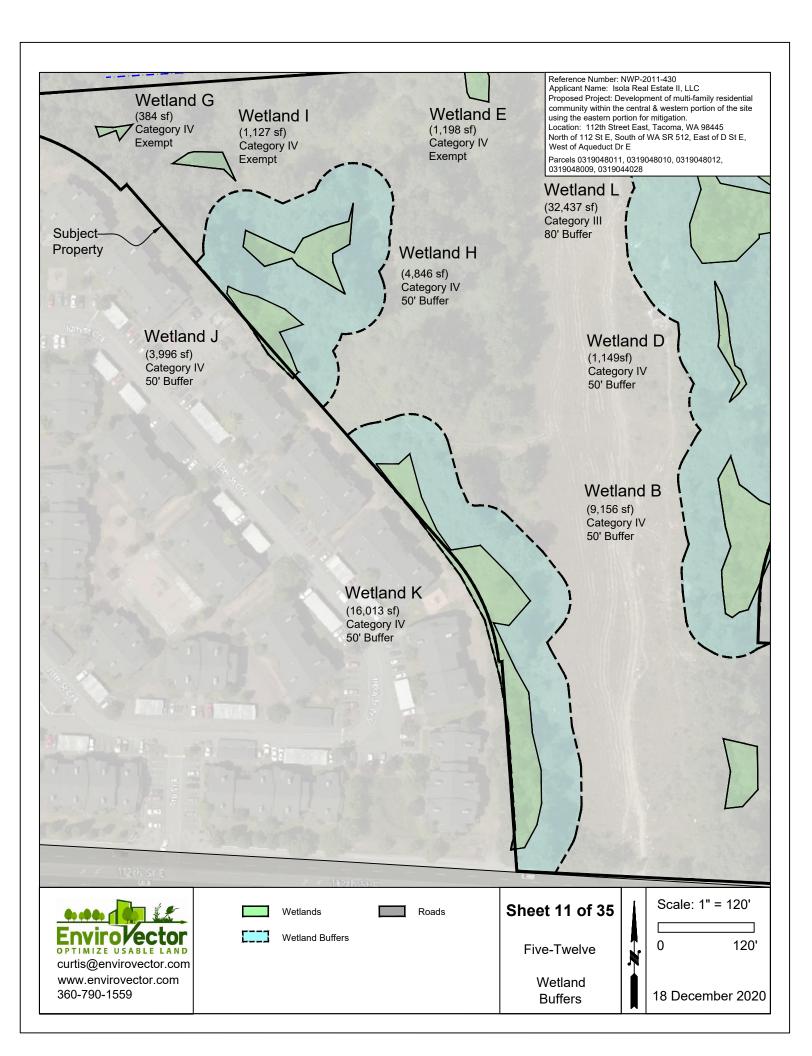


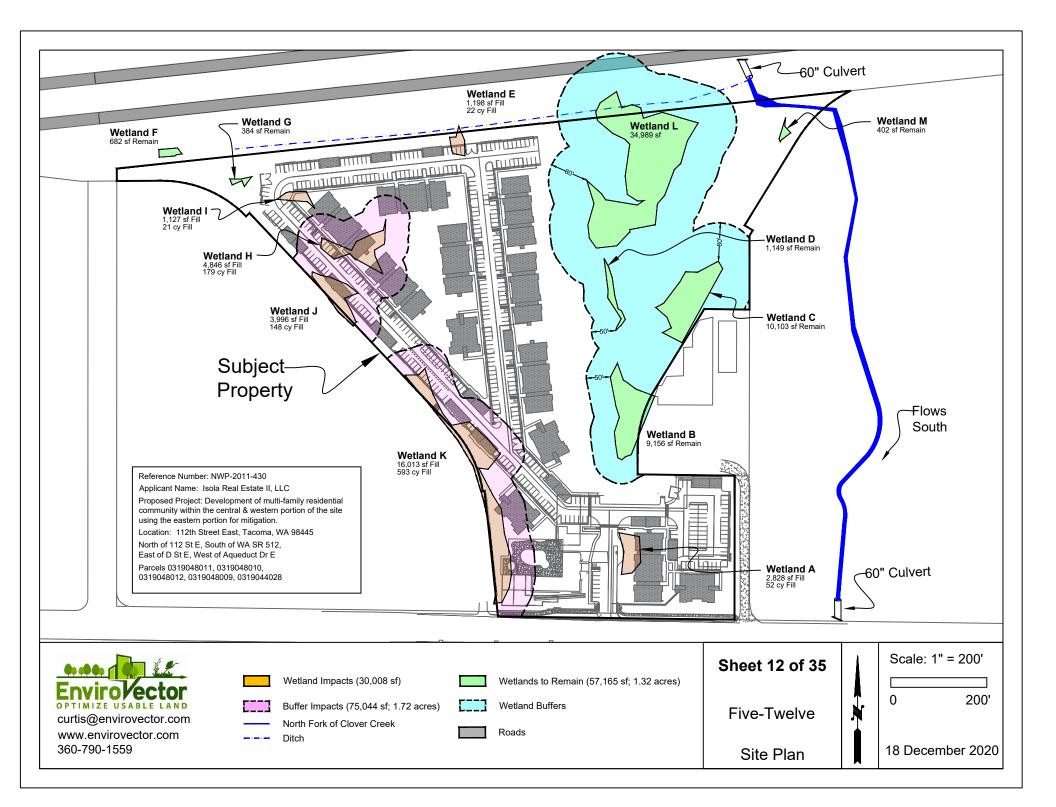


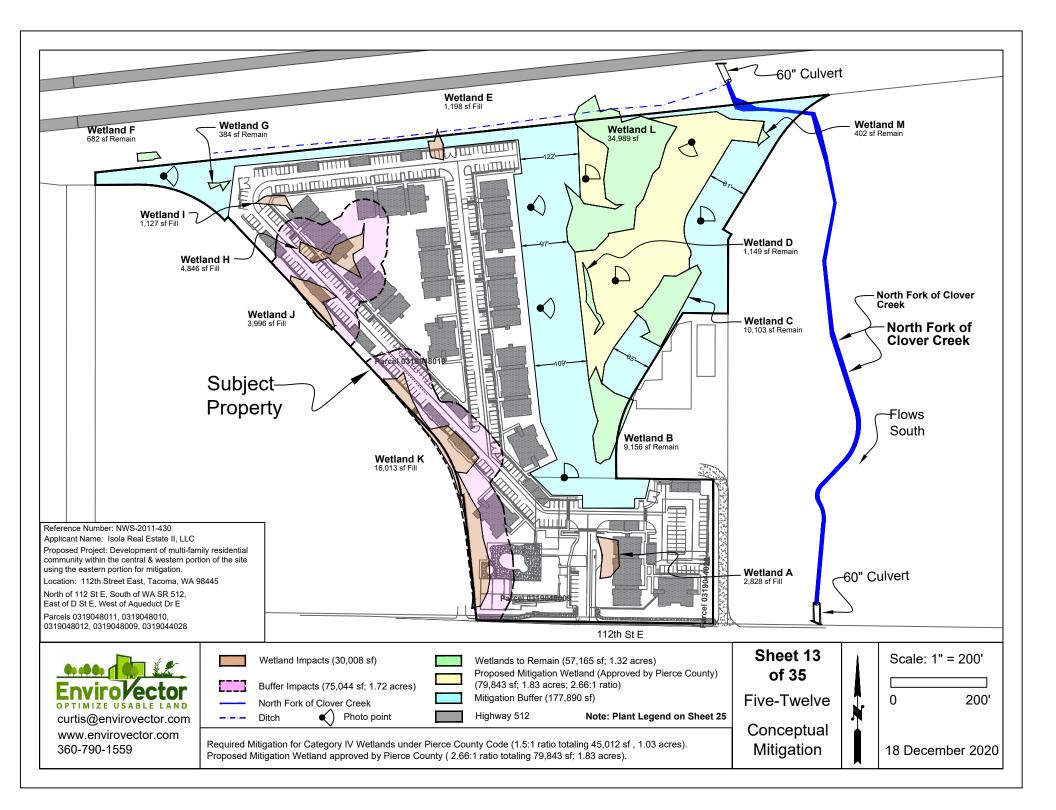


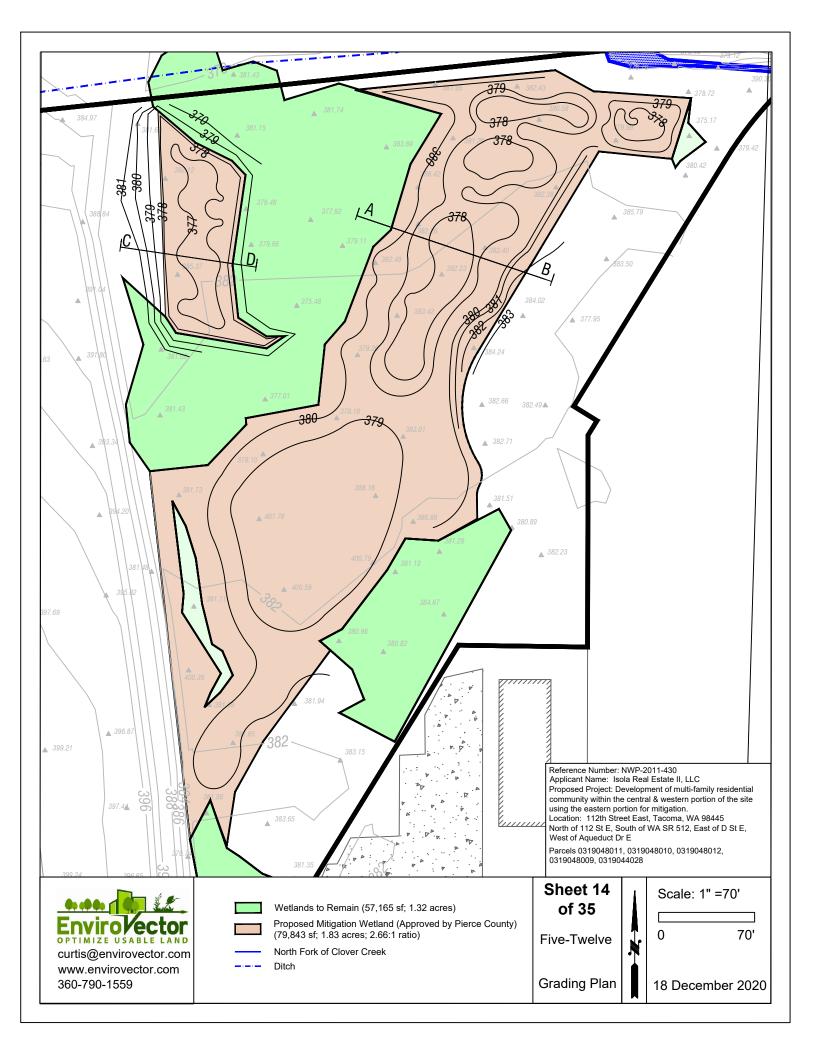


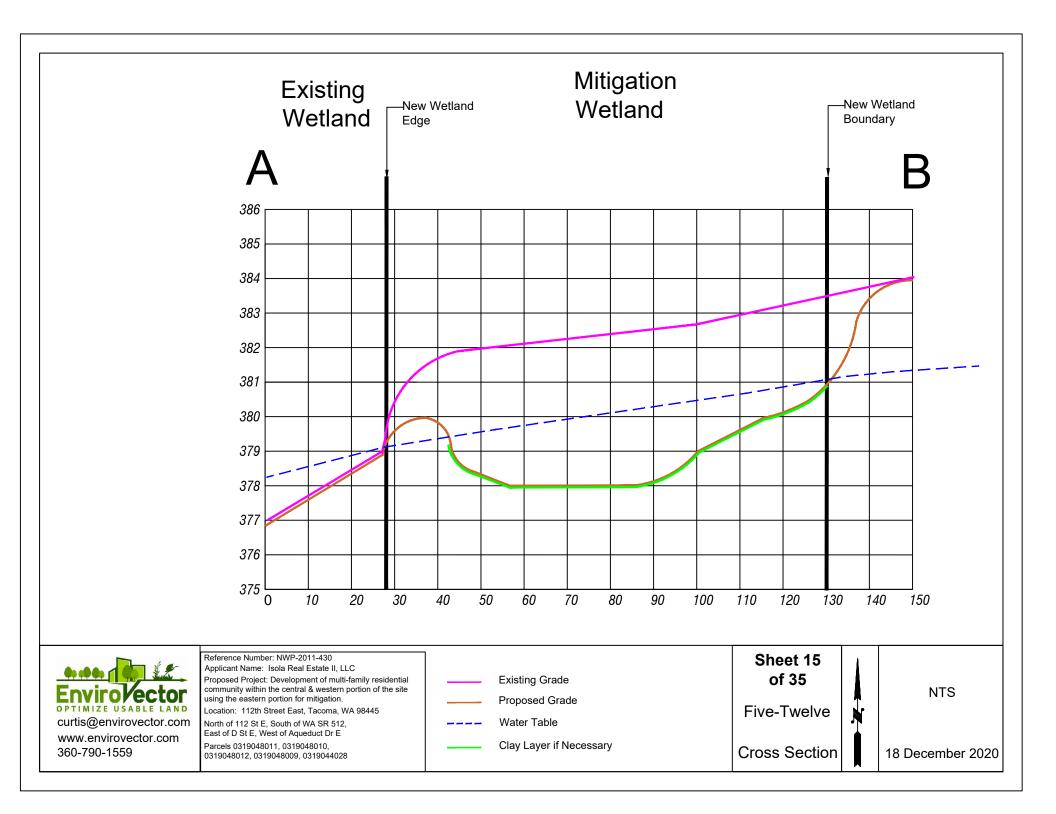




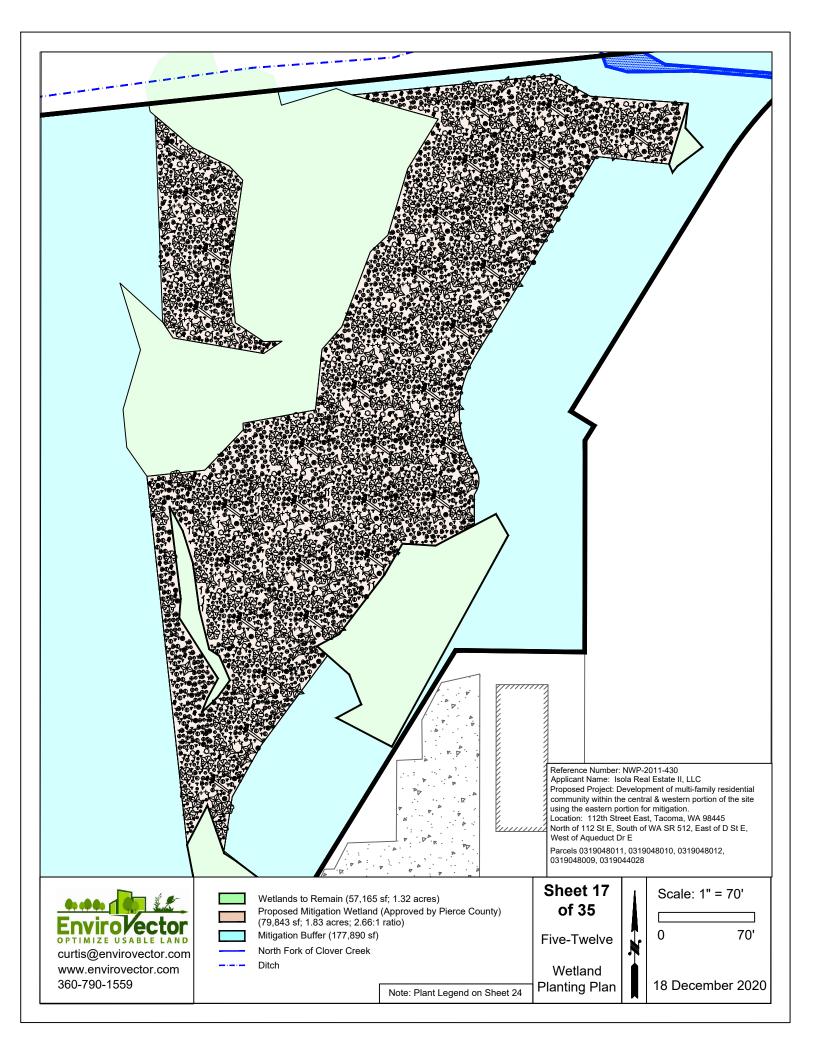


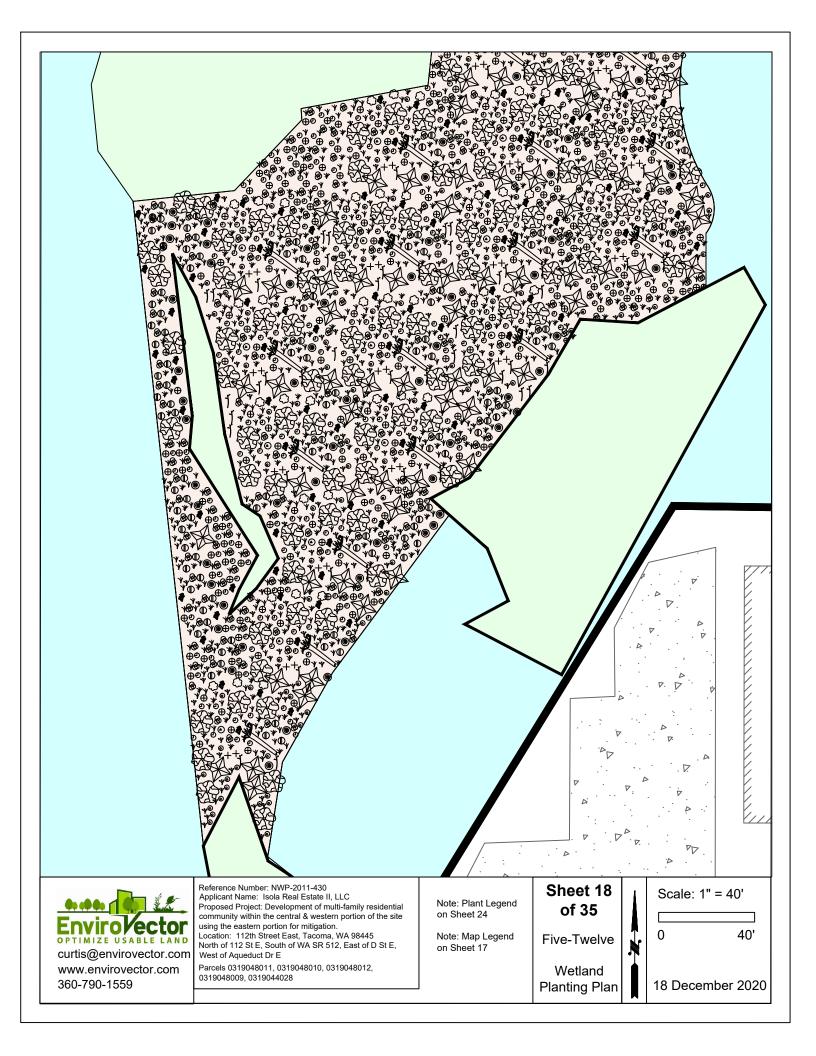


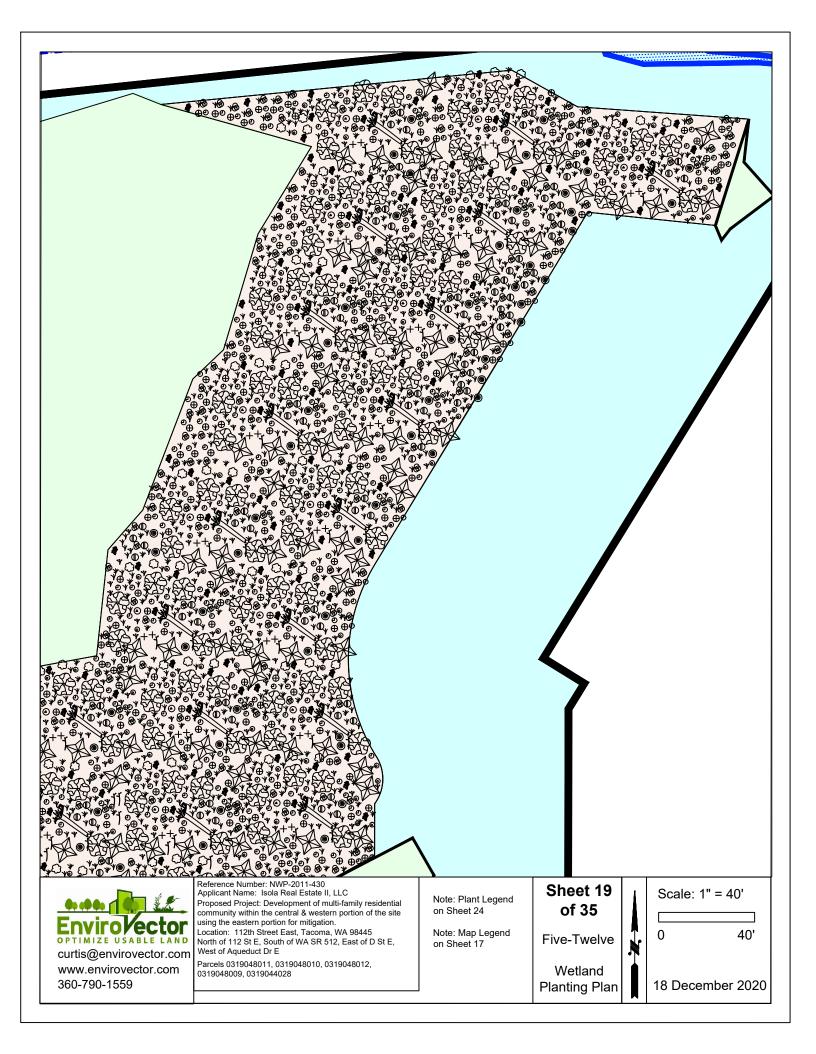


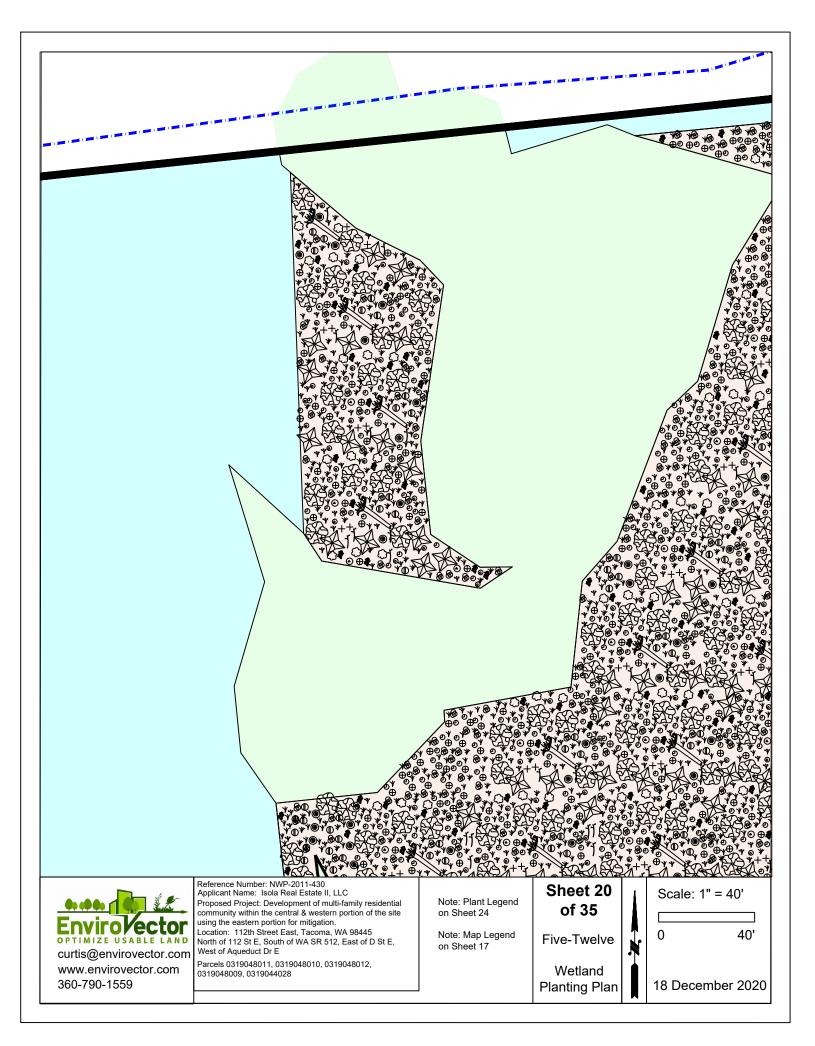


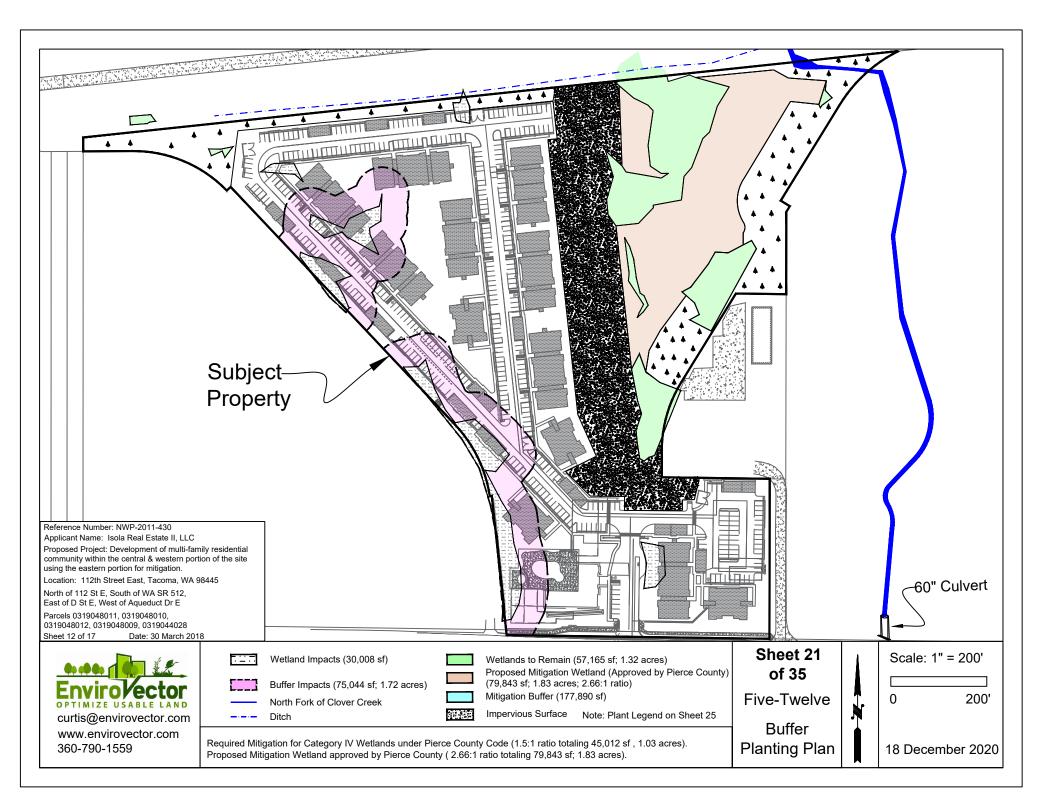
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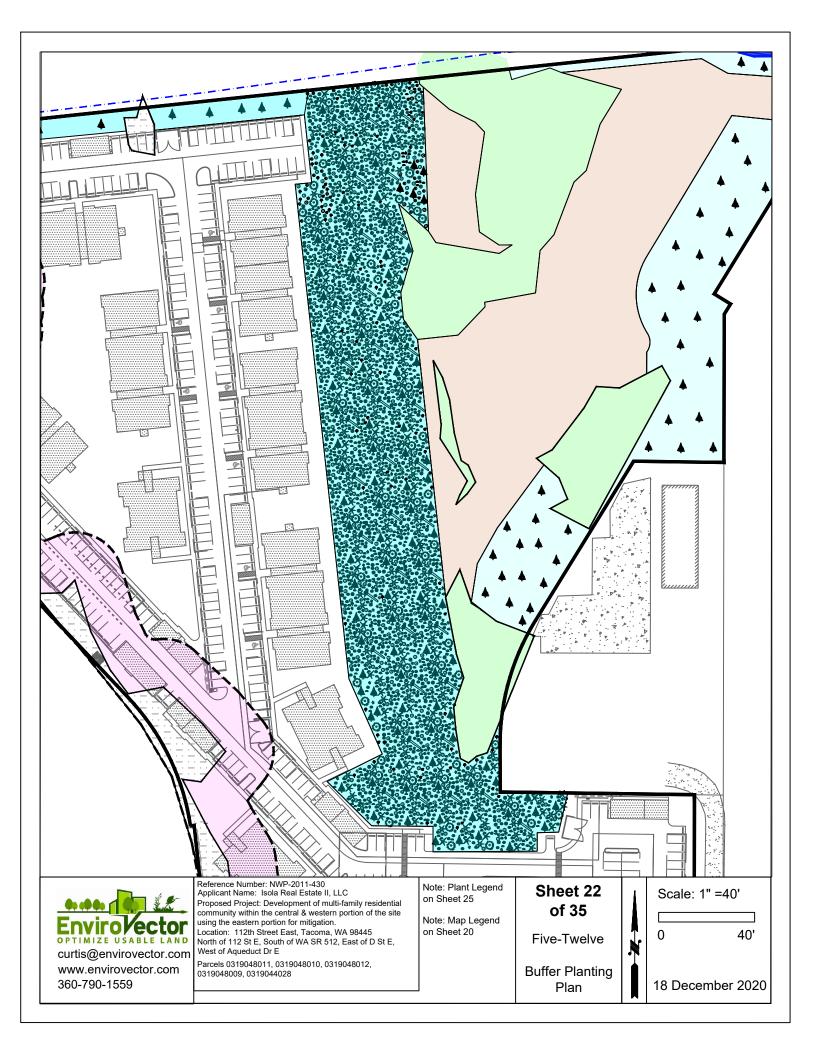




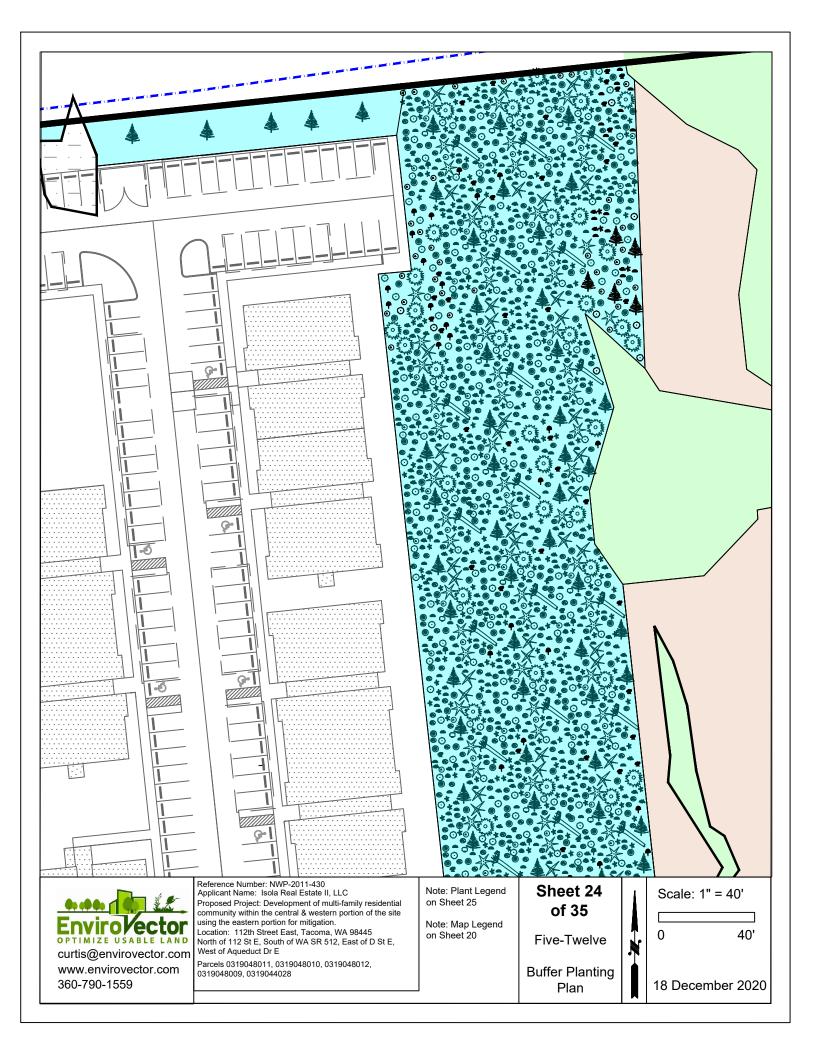












Wetland Planting Schedule



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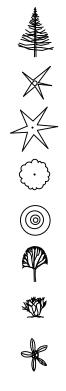
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Salmonberry		Lady Fern
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Small-fruited bulrush	\checkmark	Hard-stem bulrush
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Buffer Planting Schedule



Western Hemlock

Douglas Fir

Western Red Cedar

Red Elderberry

False lily of the valley

Vine Maple

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Thimbleberry

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	Trailing Blackberry
	Cascade Oregongrape
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