SECTION 1 - INSTRUCTIONS FOR CONSULTANTS

These instructions have been developed to assist Consultants with their work on parks and trails built for public use and that will be maintained by the City.

The Consultant is reminded that these Standards shall not to supersede City/State/Federal laws or codes or generally accepted design practices of professional consultants. These Standards are meant to be used on City of Bellingham Parks’ projects only. Bellingham Parks shall not be held responsible if these standards are used for other purposes.

The Consultant shall understand most work designed on public property for the public’s use requires that plans be prepared and stamped by an architect, engineer, landscape architect and/or land surveyor registered in the State of Washington (RCW 18.08, 18.43, or 18.96).