

Friends of Semiahmoo Bay Society

...is a transboundary, project focused stewardship group.

What Are We Doing?

Habitat & Community Mapping, Invasive non-native Species Removal, Habitat Enhancement and Environmental School & Community Education

Check out our Georgia Basin Habitat Atlas: Boundary Bay, a unique window thru which to understand and appreciate Boundary Bay's geography, wildlife, sensitive habitats & its importance in the south Georgia Basin. Available at

www.birdsonthebay.ca

Visit the internet version at

www.georgiabasin.net

Increasing human population and accompanying pressures requires opportunities to connect with the natural world to encourage respect and reverence for wildlife and all remaining natural areas.

Boundary Bay is a Wildlife Management Area and meets criteria as a Ramsar Site ten fold. It is critical to protect!

You can make the difference!

Be involved- 604-536-3552 Email: information@birdsonthebay.ca

Current Projects

Georgia Basin Habitat Atlas: Boundary Bay
Little Campbell River & Estuary Restoration
Forage Fish Monitoring & Habitat Restoration
Eelgrass Mapping & Monitoring
Shorekeepers

Birds on the Bay and Beyond www.birdsonthebay.ca

Nesting Box Monitoring Program

Beach Hero Marine Interpretive Program

School Programs & Interpretive Signage

World Ocean Day



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Sources of Information

Friends of Semiahmoo Bay Society www.birdsonthebay.ca

Community Mapping Network www.cmnbc.ca

BC Nature, Federation of BC Naturalists www.naturalists.bc.ca

Seagrass Conservation Working Group www.stewardshipcentre.bc.ca/eelgrass/index.html

BC Spartina Working Group www.spartina.ca

Georgia Strait Alliance www.georgiastrait.org

The Friends of San Juans www.sanjuans.org

Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife www.wa.gov/wdfw/fish/forage/forage.html

Whatcom County Marine Resources Committee http://whatcom-mrc.wsu.edu/MRC/index.html

Port Townsend Marine Science Center www.ptmsc.org

People for Puget Sound's Habitat Project www.pugetsound.org/habitat/deault.html

Fisheries and Oceans Canada, Pacific Region www.pac.dfo.ca

Pacific Streamkeepers Federation www.pskf.ca

Estuarine Research Foundation www.erf.org

Native Plant Society of BC www.npsbc.org

E Flora / E Fauna Project www.geog.ubc.ca/~brian/florae

World Wetlands www.ramsar.org



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EELGRASS

Zostera marina

The complex and intricate food webs of an eelgrass meadow rival the world's richest farmlands and tropical forests.