

# Heritage Connectivity Trails

Phase II Workplan

July 28, 2021

## Project Purpose

This second phase of the Heritage Connectivity Trails concept planning effort focuses on developing a wayside plan along the proposed routes identified in the first phase of this project. Continued efforts for partner adoption of the concept plan – approved by the Yakama Nation Tribal Council in July 2021 – will run concurrently with this interpretive planning effort.

This continuing work fulfills this secondary goal of the concept plan to link communities in the region by promoting shared regional, cultural histories and encourage healthier lifestyles.

## Project Teams

This phase of the overall project will need the expertise of different types of work groups.

### Planning Team

This group is responsible for the project management of the effort, including but not limited to: agenda setting and note taking, identifying and recruiting subject matter experts, coordinating meeting logistics, document sharing and organization, resource research and meeting facilitation.

Roles:

#### Yakama Nation

- Serves as lead project contact for NPS-RTCA
- Provides project management, administration, and oversight

#### NPS-RTCA

- Assists with project management and facilitating the planning process
- Provides objective input and feedback on the project
- Guides interpretive planning process

#### All Members of the Planning Team

- Serve as a reference point for promoting HCT Concept Plan
- Coordinates outreach and participation of key stakeholders and expert consultants, communications and outreach, graphic/media artists, volunteers, other support staff, and expert consultants as needed.
- Gathering of files, helping to identify and source needed information.
- Provides logistical support such as meeting space and access to and development of materials necessary to fully engage in collaborative planning.
- Identify stakeholders to participate in planning process as needed.

Planning Team Members

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**Advisory Teams**

Various groups of subject matter experts (SMEs), stakeholders and members of the local community will be recruited to support the development of the wayside plan. Activities include drafting content and creating graphic elements, review written and graphic material, and helping to identify priorities.

Timeline

	July '21	Aug '21	Sept '21	Oct '21	Nov '21	Dec '21
<b>HCT Concept Plan Approval</b>	List and strategize on partner process for adoption		Partner Presentations		Final Printing of HCT Concept Plan w/ adopted list	
<b>HCT Wayside Planning</b>		Confirm Workplan + Project Objectives  Identify Stakeholders and SMEs	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Recruit Stakeholders and SMEs</li> <li>Planning for Kickoff and Site Visit</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Confirm Route</li> <li>Identify themes</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Kickoff and Site Visit (multi-day)</li> <li>Document Sites</li> </ul>	Develop Proposal (lists # of sites, themes, wayside types, and graphic needs)  Proposal Approval <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><i>Who needs to approve this (including sites but not to the permit stage)?</i></li> <li><i>What's the best method to get approval?</i></li> </ul> <b>Research for content!</b>
	Jan '22	Feb '22	Mar '22	Apr '22	May '22	June- July '22
<b>HCT Wayside Planning</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Research for content!</b></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Draft content</li> <li>Develop graphic materials</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Mock up Waysides</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Advisory Teams review wayside mockups</li> <li>Update waysides</li> <li></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Secure rights for graphics</li> <li>Final editorial review</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>List next step process for permits and fabrication needs</li> <li>Develop master folder with all material</li> <li>Final Approval</li> </ul>