

## **Lyons Ferry**

### **Recreational**

- Hiking – put trail on Lyons Ferry and Palouse Falls.
- Hook ups and cabins.
- Rangers used to run movies and now nothing.
- Can campsites be re installed next to river with boat hook ups adjacent?
- Want camping at Lyons. Always bad for there.
- Need full RV hook-ups, campsites, and trees in camping area. There is already room in the system (water and septic) for more use.
- Needs campsite and the ferry should be made operational. WSDOT is in charge of ferries and can do that!
- Promote kayaking @ Lyons Ferry? Camping at Lyons Ferry RV and tent.
- Be nice to picnic out at island at Lyons. Like we used to.
- Dog beach north side of jetty.
- Horse access to trails, camping with horses, corrals, high-lines, and picnic tables.
- Camping-partial hookups.
- More signage advertising the Ferry and history. After fixing up to dock, etc.
- Open camping. Tenting all the way to full hook up.
- Open dike to allow water flow so as to clean up the water for the swimming area.
- Open the camping tent and a few full hookups.
- Save the ferry. Improve the walk to it.
- 1<sup>st</sup> March to 1<sup>st</sup> of October – OPEN.
- Support camping – love fishing at Lyons Ferry.
- Boat launch fee to \$5.00 instead of \$7.00 because the Marina is \$5.00.
- Redevelop camping area with RV hookup.
- Expand camping.

### **Cultural**

- Save the ferry. Put up a historical display.
- Restore the ferry.
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- Seeing the ferry restored (part of the ferry is from the 1800s).

- Interpretive area about Ferry – restore ferry for attraction.
- Develop something about Lewis & Clark near Lyons Ferry.
- Would like to see the ferry fixed up.
- Make a designated trail to the Marmes pond.

#### Natural

- Clear the levee and island.
- Get rid of black berries off the beach area.

#### Other

- Fix dump station
- Does the state “advertise” about a given park? Lyons Ferry for example. Low usage – advertise or promote low use parks?
- Improve access along both rivers.
- Too much money for the boat launch.
- Public needs to know when park hours, bathroom hours etc.
- Walking trail between Lyons Ferry Marina, Park, and Falls.
- Add walking bridge from Lyons Ferry Marina to Lyons Ferry State Park.
- Pull ferry boat out of water and preserve it above ground! Have an excellent sign (and model) on how it worked with explanation. Don’t forget famous Marmes Man – 10,000 years old! Have a good explanation on a sign of history, discovery etc.
- Groom beach sand to remove goose poop (they make machines to do this).

### **Palouse Falls**

#### Recreational

- Signage about how many deaths each year. They don’t listen and still try dangerous acts. Maybe saying the numbers would cause them to be more cautious.
- Develop trails from parking area and restrict unofficial trail development.
- More camping away from Palouse Falls to Lyons Ferry.
- Guided kayak trips up the Palouse River as way to get to bottom of falls.
- Develop safer trail down to the river below falls, and trail back to Little Falls. Make them designated trails in hopes of keeping people off other areas.
- Day use only.
- More permanent parking.

- Palouse Falls is a great place – we would like increased camping resources. We also are interested in the tribal aspects and their concerns.
- Day use only – no camping.
- River ownership question needs to be resolved between State Parks land units and posted.
- Horse access to trails, camping access with horses, corrals, highlines and picnic tables.
- Hiking trail between Lyons Ferry and Palouse Falls? Continue camping at Palouse. Not paved parking over green areas of campsite.
- Day use only.
- Day use only. Camping and water access at Lyons Ferry.
- Designated trails! Expand trails in open areas outside main 5 acres.

#### Cultural

- No camping. No fire pits. Day-use only!
- Need interpretive displays on geologic history.

#### Natural

- More parking.
- Day use access
- No water access.

#### Other

- Funding maintenances. Paved roads. Rest rooms. Signage. Fencing. Improve trails. Expand parking.
- More parking at the falls to cut down on highway congestion.
- Move camping to Lyon's Ferry. \*Allow people camping at Lyon's Ferry free entry to Palouse Falls park (if they don't have a Discovery Pass). Open up more parking. Kiosk stating \*.
- Camping. Lyons Ferry.
- Water access below the falls.
- One lane road in, one lane road out?
- Develop area donated as parking.

### **Lewis and Clark Trail**

#### Recreational

- Swimming hole
- More camp areas.

- Our family thinks highly of Lewis and Clark Trail Park – we like camping there, we like the historical aspects of the camp. We would like electricity in the campsites.
- Since this is a smaller park riding trails at this time.
- For L & C trail the ball field was always used til (redacted) let trees grow in back field.
- Also in L & C trail it was always full til (redacted) put trails behind the campsite. People loved the seclusion.
- RV dump site.
- Safety Issue – safe access from camp area to day use area.
- Support development of bike trail between Dayton and Waitsburg.
- River access and ownership or property limits must be resolved and posted.
- Put in cabins for additional lodging. Could even put some in day use area. Would increase use for events, e.g. family reunions, etc.
- RV Hookups and dump site.
- Full hook ups.

#### Cultural

- Interpretative trail through Lewis/Clark i.e. Lewis Clark expedition or Native American history perhaps early pioneer info boards.
- Join in the Lewis and Clark trail.
- More interpretation of Lewis & Clark Trail. Better info. Enhance information.

#### Natural

- Continue public access while maintaining functioning fish and wildlife habitat.
- Protection of riparian vegetation from over use.

#### Other

- Market to young people. Need to find new ways to reach them.
- Funding maintenance. Tree trimming. Restrooms. Camp sites. Clean it up.
- Have much better signage on highway so people know what is there; i.e. “Lewis and Clark camped here for launch on May 2, 1806.”
- Kid’s day camp at Lewis/Clark day use? i.e. 4H camp, church day camp, etc.