



Visitor Survey Middle Fork Valley

The following questionnaire asks about your experience in the Middle Fork Valley. Answers to the following questions will help the University of Washington and Mountains to Sound Greenway Trust understand who uses the Middle Fork Valley in order to plan for future use.

Participation in this survey is entirely voluntary. Your responses are anonymous. Please contact Spencer Wood at (206) 616-8730 or spwood@uw.edu with any questions about the study or this survey. Thank you for participating.


1. How many people are in your vehicle today, including yourself? ____ adults (18+), ____ children
2. How many people are in your party today, including yourself? ____ adults (18+), ____ children
3. How many vehicles did your party bring to the Middle Fork Valley today? ____ vehicles
4. How long was your visit to the Middle Fork Valley? ____ hours, ____ days
5. List your destination(s) in the Middle Fork Valley (e.g. names of trails, lakes, campgrounds, spur roads, etc.).

6. How many times have you visited the Middle Fork Valley in the last 12 months (including today)?
_____ times

7. What did you like most about your visit to the Middle Fork Valley today?

8. What did you like least about your visit to the Middle Fork Valley today?

9. How important are each of the following reasons for visiting this area today? (circle one)

	not important				extremely important
exercise and fitness	1	2	3	4	5
enjoy nature and be outdoors	1	2	3	4	5
recreation and play	1	2	3	4	5
socialize with family and friends	1	2	3	4	5
relax or unwind	1	2	3	4	5
solitude	1	2	3	4	5
it's close to home	1	2	3	4	5
safety	1	2	3	4	5

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10. Please check all activities you participated in while in the Middle Fork Valley today (check all that apply).

- ☐ hiking or walking, ☐ overnight backpacking, ☐ running or jogging, ☐ bicycling on trails,
☐ bicycling on roads, ☐ horseback riding, ☐ fishing, ☐ swimming, ☐ boating, ☐ hunting,
☐ bird or wildlife viewing, ☐ picnicking or barbecuing, ☐ camping in campground,
☐ camping along road, ☐ foraging, ☐ rock climbing,
☐ collecting rock or mineral, ☐ other (write response) _____

11. Please circle the main activity you participated in during this visit in the list of activities above (Chose one).

12. Did you feel crowded at any time during your visit to the Middle Fork Valley? If so, please list specific places where you felt crowded and explain why you felt crowded at that place.

location: _____

why did you feel crowded there? _____

location: _____

why did you feel crowded there? _____

13. How did you get information about your destinations in this area (please list specific sources)?

14. What year were you born? _____

15. If you live in the United States, what is your home zip code? _____

16. If you live outside the United States, what is your home country and postal code?

17. Are you Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino? no | yes

18. What is your race (circle all that apply)?

American Indian/Alaska Native

Asian/Asian-American

Black/African American

White

Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander

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19. What is the highest level of formal education that you have completed?

less than high school | high school/GED | two-year college | four-year college | graduate school

20. Which of the following categories best describes your total annual household income last year?

less than \$25,000 | \$25,000-49,999 | \$50,000-99,999 | \$100,000-149,999 | \$150,000 or more

21. How many people are supported by the total household income? _____

22. Do you share content on the following social media platforms (circle all that apply)?

Facebook | Twitter | Flickr | Instagram | Weibo | Strava | WA Trails Association | none | other

23. Do you plan to share content about your trip today on these social media (circle all that apply)?

Facebook | Twitter | Flickr | Instagram | Weibo | Strava | WA Trails Association | none | other

24. Do you plan to visit the Middle Fork Valley again in the future?

no | maybe | yes

25. If yes, imagine there was the option to catch a shuttle from the town of North Bend to the sites you visited today. If the shuttle ran hourly, and cost about \$3 dollars per person would you have preferred to ride the shuttle today?

no | probably no | probably yes | yes

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Site Name _____ Date _____ Time _____

Observer Name _____ Gen _____ Randomized (y/n) _____

Notes: