

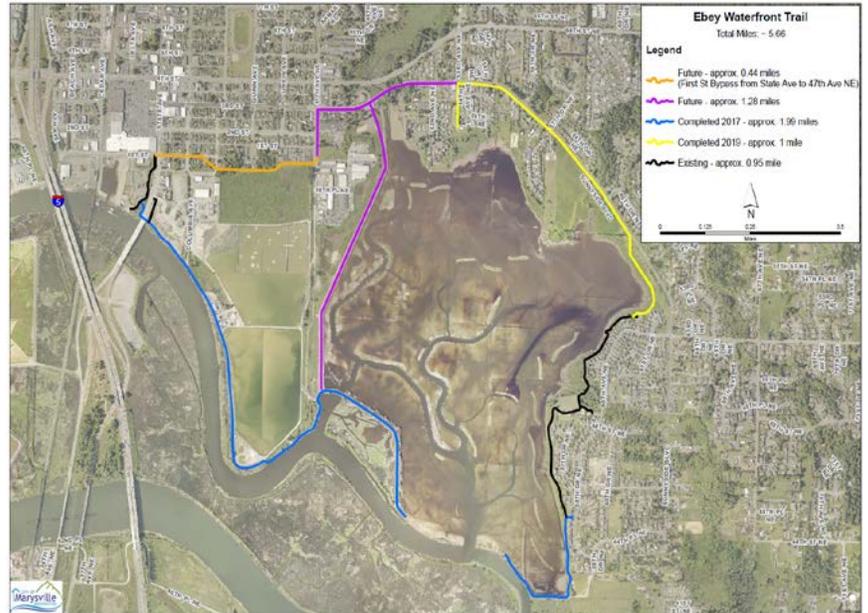
Project Background

Total Request: \$500,000

The Ebey Waterfront Trail project represents a significant improvement by the City of Marysville to improve its image by developing a regional destination that connects users with shoreline access to the newly restored Qwuloolt Estuary, the Ebey Slough waterfront and various parks located along the trail. The project also aims to support environmental awareness, promote tourism and build upon the economic redevelopment of the City's Downtown.

Improvements

The City has completed several phases of the six-mile planned trail network. A one-mile segment on Sunnyside Blvd south of 53rd Avenue NE was completed in 2019. Construction of this phase was funded in part by legislative appropriations received in 2018.



As depicted in the graphic above (as shown in purple), the next phase will extend the trail on Sunnyside Blvd west of 53rd Avenue NE, south on 47th Avenue NE and connect with the multi-use path currently under construction as part of the First Street Bypass project. Additionally, the trail will connect along the newly constructed dike which was installed prior to the breach that created the Qwuloolt Estuary. This remaining 1.28 miles represents a gap in the Ebey Waterfront Trail system that, once complete, will provide nearly six (6) miles of fully connected trails.

The project is currently under preliminary design and the City will be advancing the design. The City requests \$500,000 to secure right-of-way which will be required for construction. Right-of-way funds will help the City secure additional funds in order to advance construction.

