



## Weigh in on developer's plan

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Once again we have the opportunity to have the St. Edwards seminary building and pool rehabilitated by a renown developer. He, Kevin Daniels, has done an excellent job of restorations. I have seen the beautifully done King Street Station and was impressed.

A group in Kenmore was probably responsible for turning away McMenamins developers, and Bothell was wise enough to accept them. They did an outstanding job on the old Anderson school and pool.

Once again, this group is making a drive to keep a good developer from making St. Edwards a destination. It has 300 acres and waterfront. The developer wants to add 10 acres including 450 feet on Lake Washington in exchange for the right to acquire the buildings and 5.5 acres. He will make a hotel and spa. The state can't afford to rehab the buildings that continue to disintegrate.

This is a beautiful state park with room for all. Go see this park and give feedback to the Parks Department. Go to the hearing at 6:30 p.m., Tuesday, Feb. 9, at Kenmore City Hall. Or comments may be sent to [michael.hankinson@parks.wa.gov](mailto:michael.hankinson@parks.wa.gov)

Don't let this be what may be our last chance to prevent sabotage of the park's buildings.

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