

## Conference Center and Inn:

McCormick Land Company has secured land use approvals to build a Conference Center and Inn at McCormick Woods, a planned community just west of Port Orchard. Like McCormick Woods Golf Course and MaryMac's Restaurant and Clubhouse, the Conference Center, including a new restaurant, will be open to the public. Construction is scheduled to begin sometime in 2000.

## State-of-the-Art Facility:

Just an hour from downtown Seattle and SeaTac Airport, the Conference Center and Inn will be the premier meeting destination in the Puget Sound Region. Designed by Bumgardner Architects to fit into the existing Clubhouse, Golf Shop and Cart Barn campus, the Conference Center and Inn will have 200 guest rooms and 20,000 square feet of meeting space.

While sited in the trees at McCormick Woods, with the look and feel of a sophisticated yet comfortable "Pacific Rim Great Camp", the Conference Center will offer state-of-the-art technology and meeting facilities. The management staff of Marriott Conference Centers, a division of Marriott International, will manage the Conference Center. They currently manage the McCormick Woods Golf Course, Clubhouse and MaryMac's Restaurant. McCormick Land Company feels this will assure that guests will enjoy superior service and a seamless experience from beginning to end.

## Expansion of Tourism:

The Conference Center is intended to expand tourism in Kitsap County. Golfers will be within fifteen minutes of four great golf courses — the McCormick Woods Golf Course, the Trophy Lake Golf Course and the Olympic and Cascade Golf Courses at Gold Mountain. Already, the four courses promote the "Triple Eagle on the Kitsap Peninsula", a cooperative marketing campaign to bring golfers to the Peninsula. In addition to playing golf, conferencees and other guests will be able to enjoy the great outdoors of Kitsap county. From walks in the proposed 700-acre McCormick State Preserve adjacent to McCormick Woods, to the waterfront in Port Orchard and Bremerton to the attractions around the entire Olympic Peninsula.

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