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## ***Overgrowth & Understory:* Innovative Sculpture Exhibit on Display at King County's Cougar Mountain Wildland Park**

Opens: Saturday, July 10, 2010

Closes: Sunday, October 2, 2010

Opening Reception: on Saturday, July 10, from 3:00 – 5:00 at Anti-Aircraft Peak, SE Cougar Mt. Way in Issaquah, about 30 minutes from Seattle. Maps available. Free entry and parking provided.

In a first-time collaboration with King County Parks, the Center on Contemporary Art (CoCA) will present "*Overgrowth & Understory*" an exhibition of temporary, outdoor sculptures on Cougar Mountain Regional Wildland Park (Anti-Aircraft Peak & Sky Country Trailheads), from July 10 – October 2, 2010. The site-specific artwork addresses themes of art, nature, and land-use history. Part of the experience involves short walks of 15 -20 minutes, or longer hikes of up to 4 hours to connect the show in its entirety.

Fifteen artists from around the region will participate, coming from Vancouver BC, Camano Island, Shelton, Bellingham, Fife, and Oakland CA, as well as locally from Sammamish, Preston, and the Seattle area. Maps can be downloaded for free at CoCA's website beginning July 10. A catalog of this year's exhibit will be released in August.

ARTISTS: Barbara De Pirro, Shannon Durbin, Miguel Edwards, Kristine Eudey, David Francis, Ray C. Freeman III, Aaron Haba, Deby Harvey, Magdalena Hill, David Kitts, Anette Lusher, meadow starts with 'p', Bob Prowda, Sarah Savidge, Suzanne Tidwell, Catherine Thompson, Shirley Wiebe.

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