

Quaternary Fault and Fold Database of the United States

As of January 12, 2017, the USGS maintains a limited number of metadata fields that characterize the Quaternary faults and folds of the United States. For the most up-to-date information, please refer to the [interactive fault map](#).

Sandy Point fault (Class A) No. 548

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Synopsis	
Name comments	
County(s) and State(s)	WHATCOM COUNTY, WASHINGTON
Physiographic province(s)	PACIFIC BORDER
Reliability of location	Compiled at 1:unspecified scale. <i>Comments:</i> WA Kelsey and others (2010) mapped at unspecified scale.
Geologic setting	

Length (km)	22 km.
Average strike	
Sense of movement	Unspecified
Dip	
Paleoseismology studies	
Geomorphic expression	
Age of faulted surficial deposits	
Historic earthquake	
Most recent prehistoric deformation	latest Quaternary (<15 ka) <i>Comments:</i>
Recurrence interval	
Slip-rate category	Unspecified
Date and Compiler(s)	2017
References	#7606 Kelsey, H.M., Sherrod, B.L., Blakely, R.J., Pratt, T.L., Haugerud, R.A., 2010, Active faulting in the Bellingham forearc basin—North-south shortening at the northern end of the Cascadia subduction zone, NEHRP Final Technical Report: Report to the U.S. Geological Survey under contract no. G09AP00043.

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