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Getting Ripped

The Wax Bar takes the sting out of the Brazilian

Nobody likes getting waxed, but for some of us it's one of those unavoidable activities. Thankfully, veteran waxing specialist Karen Jahn (pictured) is about to make this hair-ripping experience a bit more enjoyable (or at least a little less painful). After nine years at the Habitude salon in Ballard, Jahn was scheduled to open her own place in late September, **THE WAX BAR** (Ballard, 5915 15th Ave. NW; 206.78.WAXME [789.2963]; thewaxbarseattle.com), where—along with that waxing—you'll be able to relax by sipping a cold beer (at press time, beer and cocktail service was pending, awaiting a liquor license). In addition to (hopefully) serving soothing brews, The Wax Bar will also offer head-to-toe waxing services (\$14–\$90), including "bar-themed" specials like Happy Hour Brows (\$12) and a signature facial (\$80). *Ashley Breckel*

