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## **WETLAND DELINEATION AND HABITAT CONSERVATION AREAS ASSESSMENT**

**OAKVIEW PRELIMINARY PLAT**

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## INTRODUCTION

This document presents the culmination of activities and onsite evaluations undertaken to complete a *Wetland Delineation and Habitat Conservation Area Assessment* of specific environmentally critical areas (wetlands, stream/surface water drainages, fish and wildlife critical habitats) within and immediately adjacent to **Parcel 0217036009** (project site). The project site was located as at 29401 SR 507 within the southeastern portion of the City of Roy, Pierce County, Washington (part of Section 03, Township 17 North, Range 02 East, W.M.) (Figure 1). The evaluation and characterization of onsite and adjacent wetlands and other environmentally critical areas is a vital element in land use planning. The goal of this approach is to ensure that present and future proposed planned site development does not result in adverse environmental impacts to identified wetland or other critical areas, their associated buffer, or local water quality. **Please note** that this assessment does not include an evaluation of potential erosion hazard areas, potential seismic hazard areas, potential landslide hazard areas, potential aquifer recharge areas, potential septic soil suitability, or potential flood hazard areas.

The onsite assessment and characterization of specific environmentally critical areas was completed followed the methods and procedures defined in the *Corps of Engineers Wetland Delineation Manual* (1987 Manual) with the 2010 *Regional Supplement to the Corps of Engineers Wetland Delineation Manual: Western Mountains, Valleys, and Coast Region* (2010 Supplement); the *Washington State Wetlands Rating System* (WDOE 2014 version); the State of Washington Department of Natural Resources (WDNR) Forest Practice Rules (WAC 222-16-030); and City of Roy Title 10 – Sections 5A and 5E. The overall intent of this onsite assessment focused on identification and characterization of wetlands and other specific environmentally critical areas potentially within or immediately adjacent to the project site. This document was designed to accommodate site planning and potentially other regulatory actions, and has been prepared for submittal to the City of Roy and potentially other resource permitting agencies for critical areas verification and permitting actions.

## PROJECT SITE DESCRIPTION

The project site was located in the southeastern portion of the City of Roy, was approximately 38 acres in size, and composed of an existing single parcel of record. The project site had undergone prior land use manipulations to include forest harvest, clearing, grading, ditch excavations, pasture creation and management, utilization by livestock, the development and removal of a single-family homesite and associated outbuildings, the development of the adjacent City of Tacoma Railroad Corridor, internal and external fencing, internal and external road construction, and the development of adjacent properties. The project site was within an area of existing residential communities and area converting into high intensity residential uses.

**Directions to Project Site:** From SR512 exit onto Pacific Highway (SR7). Turn south onto Pacific Highway and continue through the Parkland/Spanaway Area to the Roy “Y.” At the Roy “Y” veer southwesterly onto SR 507 South and continue southwesterly to the City of Roy. Continue south through the City of Roy to 292<sup>nd</sup> Street South. Turn east onto 292<sup>nd</sup> Street South and continue to the project site.

## **BACKGROUND INFORMATION**

### **NATIONAL WETLAND INVENTORY**

The *National Wetland Inventory Mapping* (NWI) completed by the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service was reviewed as a part of this assessment (Figure 2). This mapping resource identified a portion of a wetland within the southeastern boundary area of the project site. This wetland was identified as palustrine, forested, seasonally flooded (PFOC) and noted to continue offsite to the east and southwest.

### **STATE OF WASHINGTON PRIORITY HABITATS AND SPECIES**

The State of Washington *Priority Habitats and Species (PHS) Mapping* was reviewed as a part of this assessment (Figure 3). This mapping resource identified a wetland within the southeastern portion of the project site. This wetland was also noted to extent offsite to the northeast and southwest.

The mapping resource identified masked layers of potential habitats for Townsend’s big-eared bat (*Corynorhinus townsendii*) and Yuma myotis (*Myotis yumanensis*) within the general area of the project site. The mapping resource also identified the occurrence of Mazama pocket gopher (*Thomomys mazama*) within the southwestern portion of the project site and within somewhat adjacent areas.

### **STATE OF WASHINGTON DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND WILDLIFE**

The State of Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife *SalmonScape Mapping* was reviewed as a part of this assessment (Figure 4). This mapping resource did not identify any streams within or adjacent to the project site.

## **STATE OF WASHINGTON DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES**

The State of Washington Department of Natural Resources *Water Type Mapping* was reviewed as a part of this assessment. This mapping resource identified a forested wetland within the southeastern portion of the project site that was also noted to extend offsite to the northeast and southwest.

## **PIERCE COUNTY MAPPING**

The Pierce County Inventory Mapping was reviewed as a part of this assessment (Figure 6). This mapping resource identified a wetland within the southeastern portion of the project site that also extended offsite to the northwest. This mapping resource further identified the presence of potential wetlands, Oregon oak trees, and potential fish and wildlife habitat conservation areas within the project site.

## **SOILS MAPPING**

The *Soil Mapping Inventory* completed by the National Resource Conservation Service was reviewed as a part of this assessment (Figure 7). This mapping resource identified the soil throughout the majority of the project site as Everett gravelly sandy loam (13C and 13D). The Everett soil series is defined as somewhat excessively drained, as formed in gravelly glacial outwash, and as not meeting the criteria for designation as a “hydric” soil.

Bands of Spanaway gravelly sandy loam (41A) and Nisqually loamy sand (25A) were noted in the far western portion of the project site. The Spanaway soil series is defined as somewhat excessively drained and as formed in glacial outwash. The Nisqually soil series is defined as somewhat excessively drained and as formed in sandy glacial outwash. Both of these soils are not listed as meeting the criteria for designation as a “hydric” soil.

## **WASHINGTON STATE NATURAL HERITAGE PROGRAM**

The Washington State Natural Heritage Program was reviewed as a part of this assessment. This resource did not identify any high quality, undisturbed wetland or a wetland that supports state Threatened, Endangered, or Sensitive plant species within the Section/Township/Range of the project site.

## **PRIOR ASSESSMENTS**

A prior wetland assessment of the project site completed by Habitat Technologies (then Watershed Dynamics) in 1994 had identified a wetland within the southeastern portion of the project site (previously noted as a part of the Oakview Heights Addition). This prior assessment had identified this wetland as a Pierce County Category 2 Wetland because of its forested character.

## **PRIOR RESIDENTIAL DEVELOPMENT OF ADJACENT AREAS**

Prior single-family residential community developments had been established adjacent to the project site. Two of these residential communities – the McKenna Meadows Residential Community and the Oakview Heights Residential Community - had set aside reservation/ preservation areas for wildlife habitats.

The McKenna Meadows Residential Community to the south of the project site had established a reservation area for the Mazama pocket gophers. This reservation area commenced adjacent to the southern boundary of the project site and generally extended to the southwest of the project site. This reservation area was noted at approximately seven (7) acres in total size.

The Oakview Heights Residential Community to the north/northeast of the project site had also established a preservation area for the Mazama pocket gophers. This preservation area was identified to the north of the project site – to the north of 292<sup>nd</sup> Street South. This preservation area was noted at approximately four (4) acres in total size. A second area was noted adjacent to the southeastern portion of the project site. This reservation area was approximately one-quarter acre in size.

## **ONSITE ANALYSIS**

### **CRITERIA FOR WETLAND AND OTHER CRITICAL AREAS IDENTIFICATION**

For the assessment documented below the environmentally critical areas reviewed focused on potential wetlands, surface water drainage corridors (natural waters), and fish and wildlife habitats which may be located within or immediately adjacent to the project site. As noted above this assessment did not include an evaluation of potential erosion hazard areas, potential seismic hazard areas, potential landslide hazard areas, potential aquifer recharge areas, potential septic soil suitability, or potential flood hazard areas.

**Wetlands:** Wetlands are transitional areas between aquatic and upland habitats. In general terms, wetlands are lands where the extent and duration of saturation with water is the primary factor determining the nature of soil development and the types of plant and animal communities living in the soil and on its surface (Cowardin, et al., 1979). Wetlands are generally defined within land use regulations as "areas that are inundated or saturated by surface or groundwater at a frequency and duration sufficient to support, and that under normal circumstances do support, a prevalence of vegetation typically adapted for life in saturated soil conditions" (United States Army Corps of Engineers, 1987).

Wetlands exhibit three essential characteristics, all of which must be present for an area to meet the established criteria (United States Army Corps of Engineers, 1987 and United States Army Corps of Engineers, 2010). These essential characteristics are:

- 1. Hydrophytic Vegetation:** The assemblage of macrophytes that occurs in areas where inundation or soil saturation is either permanent or of sufficient frequency and duration to influence plant occurrence. Hydrophytic vegetation is present when the plant community is dominated by species that require or can tolerate prolonged inundation or soil saturation during the growing season.
- 2. Hydric Soil:** A soil that formed under conditions of saturation, flooding, or ponding long enough during the growing season to develop anaerobic conditions in the upper parts. Most hydric soils exhibit characteristic morphologies that result from recent periods of saturation or inundation. These processes result in distinctive characteristics that persist in the soil during both wet and dry periods.
- 3. Wetland Hydrology:** Permanent or periodic inundation, or surface soil saturation, at least seasonally. Wetland hydrology indicators are used in combination with indicators of hydric soil and hydrophytic vegetation to define the area. Wetland hydrology indications provide evidence that the site has a continuing wetland hydrology regime. Where hydrology has not been altered vegetation and soils provide strong evidence that wetland hydrology is present.

The City of Roy defines "**wetlands**" as those areas, designated in accordance with the approved federal wetland delineation manual and applicable regional supplements, that are inundated or saturated by surface water or ground water at a frequency and duration sufficient to support, and that under normal circumstances do support, a prevalence of vegetation typically adapted for life in saturated soil conditions. Wetlands generally include swamps, marshes, bogs, and similar areas. Wetlands do not include those artificial wetlands intentionally created from nonwetland sites, including, but not limited to, irrigation and drainage ditches, grass-lined swales, canals, detention facilities, wastewater treatment facilities, farm ponds, and landscape amenities, or those wetlands created after July 1, 1990, that were unintentionally created as a result of the construction of a road, street, or highway. Wetlands may include those artificial

wetlands intentionally created from nonwetland areas created to mitigate conversion of wetlands (Title 10, 5A).

**Habitat Conservation Areas:** The City of Roy defines “habitat conservation areas” to include:

- A. Areas having a primary association with fish and wildlife species identified by the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service and the National Marine Fisheries Service as being in danger of extinction or threatened to become endangered.
- B. Areas having a primary association with fish and wildlife species identified by the Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife as being in danger of extinction, threatened to become endangered, vulnerable, or declining and are likely to become endangered or threatened in a significant portion of their range within the state without cooperative management or removal of threats. See Washington administrative code 232-12-014 (state endangered species) and Washington administrative code 232-12-011 (state threatened and sensitive species).
- C. State priority habitats as identified by the State Department of Fish and Wildlife.
- D. Habitats and species of local importance as identified by the City in accordance with section 10-5E-2 of this article.
- E. Waters of the state, including lakes, rivers, ponds, stream, inland waters, underground waters, salt waters, and all other surface waters and watercourses within the jurisdiction of the state of Washington, as classified in Washington administrative code 222-16-031.
- F. Ponds under twenty (20) acres that provide fish or wildlife habitat except artificial ponds created for a nonwildlife purpose such as storm water detention facilities, wastewater treatment facilities, farm ponds, and temporary construction ponds.
- G. Lakes, ponds, streams, and rivers planted with game fish by a governmental or tribal entity.
- H. Natural area preserves and natural resource conservation areas as defined by the Washington state department of natural resources.
- I. Areas of rare plant species and high quality ecosystems as identified by the Washington state department of natural resources through the natural heritage program.
- J. Land useful or essential for preserving connections between habitat blocks and open spaces.



## STUDY METHODS

As noted above, Habitat Technologies had completed an assessment of the project site during 1994. Since the initial assessment Habitat Technologies completed a series of site assessments between August 2005 and January 2008, during the spring of 2012 and 2013, during the fall of 2016 through the spring of 2017, during the summer and fall of 2018, and again during the fall of 2021 through the late winter of 2022. The objective of this evaluation was to define and delineate potential wetlands, drainage corridors, and critical habitats that may be present within or immediately adjacent to the project area. These assessments were initially undertaken consistent with the methodologies outlined in the *Corps of Engineers Wetland Delineation Manual* (1987 Manual); the *Washington State Wetlands Identification and Delineation Manual* (Wash Manual); Pierce County Title 18E; the City of Roy Title 10 – Building Code and Regulations; and the WDFW *Mazama Pocket Gopher Assessment Protocols*. Following changes in “best available science” the assessments undertaken after 2008 were completed consistent with the *Corps of Engineers Wetland Delineation Manual* (1987 Manual) with the 2010 *Regional Supplement to the Corps of Engineers Wetland Delineation Manual: Western Mountains, Valleys, and Coast Region* (2010 Supplement); the *Washington State Wetlands Rating System* (WDOE 2008 and 2014 versions); the State of Washington Department of Natural Resources (WDNR) Forest Practice Rules (WAC 222-16-030); the City of Roy Title 10 – Sections 5A and 5E; and the WDFW *Mazama Pocket Gopher Assessment Protocols*. Representative field data compiled through a series of onsite assessments are provided in Appendix A.

## FIELD OBSERVATION

The project site was accessed via 292<sup>nd</sup> Street South. The project site was irregular in shape and once contained a single-family homesite and associated outbuildings within the southwestern portion of the project site. The majority of the project site had been historically managed as livestock pasture but was identified as fallow since the initial 1994 assessment. The western portion of the project site was identified as once open pasture that was becoming overgrown with invasive shrubs (primarily Scots broom – *Cytisus scoparius*). The central and eastern portions of the project site appeared to have historically been managed as a forested woodlot. However, with the removal of livestock this area had become overgrown with very dense thickets of blackberries (*Rubus* spp.). The project site was generally sloped to the south/southwest and bound to the north, east, and south by existing residential developments. The City of Tacoma Railroad Right of Way formed the western boundary of the project site.

A depressional swale was identified within the southeastern boundary area of the project site. This depressional swale entered the project site along the southeastern boundary then continued through the project site to the southwest, exiting the project site along the southern boundary.

- **Soils**

As documented at representative sample plots the majority of the project site was dominated by soil that exhibited a gravelly sandy loam to sandy loam texture and coloration typical of the Everett and Nisqually soil series. The majority of the onsite soil appeared to drain moderately well to well and did not exhibit prominent redoximorphic features.

The soil within the depressional swale generally crossing through the southeastern portion of the project site exhibited silty loam to compact gravelly silty loam texture. The surface soil exhibited a black to very dark gray (10YR 2/1 to 10YR 3/1) coloration and a silty loam to gravelly silty loam texture. The subsoil to a depth of approximately 20 inches exhibited a very dark gray to dark grayish brown (10YR 3/1 to 10YR 4/2) coloration, a compacted gravelly loam texture, prominent redoximorphic features (soil mottles), and oxidized root channels. The soil within this shallow topographic swale exhibited field indicators typical of hydric soil.

- **Hydrology**

Onsite hydrology appeared to be the result of seasonal stormwater runoff from onsite and from adjacent properties. The majority of the project site was noted to drain moderately well to well and did not exhibit field indicators typically associated with wetland hydrology.

The depressional swale within the southeastern portion of the project site was noted to receive seasonal stormwater sheetflow from the surrounding areas to the north and east. This swale remained seasonally ponded and appeared to convey season surface stormwater offsite to the south. Prior land use manipulations appeared to have excavated a depressional area within the southern portion of the onsite wetland for utilization by livestock. This area appeared to remain ponded/saturated at least into the early portion of the growing season. Observed field indicators included ponding, water-stained leaves, buttress tree bases, and oxidized root channels.

- **Vegetation**

**ONSITE:** The project site exhibited two primary plant communities, both of which had been modified by prior land use actions. These prior land use actions had included forest harvest, clearing, grading, ditch excavations, pasture creation and management, internal and perimeter fencing, utilization by livestock, the development and removal of a single-family homesite and associated outbuildings, internal and external road construction, adjacent railroad construction, and the development of adjacent properties.

The western portion of the project site exhibited a once managed pasture plant community that had been actively utilized and livestock and for the production of pasture crops. However, with the cessation of active pasture management the area was becoming overgrown with often dense thickets of Scots broom (*Cytisus scoparius*). Additional species observed within this area included Himalayan blackberry (*Rubus armeniacus*), evergreen blackberry (*Rubus laciniatus*), daisy (*Bellis* spp.), smooth cats ear (*Hypochaeris glabra*), hairy cats ear (*Hypochaeris radicata*), bracken fern (*Pteridium aquilium*), field mint (*Mentha arvensis*), dovesfoot (*Geranium molle*), plantain (*Plantago major*), buttercup (*Ranunculus repens*), sheep sorrel (*Rumex acetosella*), dandelion (*Taraxacum officinale*), clover (*Trifolium* spp.), Canadian thistle (*Cirsium arvensis*), bull thistle (*Cirsium vulgare*), orchardgrass (*Dactylis glomerata*), timothy grass (*Phleum pratense*), velvet grass (*Holcus lanatus*), fescue (*Festuca arundinacea*), and bluegrass (*Poa* spp.). This plant community was identified as non-hydrophytic in character (typical of uplands).

The central and eastern portions of the project site exhibited a once actively managed pastured woodlot. Observed species within this area included Douglas fir (*Pseudotsuga menziesii*), big leaf maple (*Acer macrophyllum*), Oregon white oak (*Quercus garryana*), domestic apple (*Pyrus* spp.), cherry (*Prunus emarginata*), snowberry (*Symphoricarpos albus*), hazelnut (*Corylus cornuta*), Indian plum (*Oemleria cerasiformis*), Scots broom, Pacific red elderberry (*Sambucus racemosa*), Oregon grape (*Berberis nervosa* and *Berberis aquifolium*), Himalayan blackberry, evergreen blackberry, Pacific blackberry, bracken fern, daisy, Canadian thistle, bull thistle, orchardgrass, timothy grass, velvet grass, fescue, and bluegrass. This plant community was identified as non-hydrophytic in character (typical of uplands).

The very southeastern portion of the project site exhibited a forested plant community more commonly associated with seasonally damp to saturated soils. Observed species included black cottonwood (*Populus trichocarpa*), red alder (*Alnus rubra*), Western red cedar (*Thuja plicata*), Sitka willow (*Salix sitchensis*), Oregon ash (*Fraxinus latifolia*), crabapple (*Pyrus fusca*), cascara (*Rhamnus purshiana*), salmonberry (*Rubus spectabilis*), black twinberry (*Lonicera involucrata*), Pacific ninebark (*Physocarpus capitatus*), Douglas spiraea (*Spiraea douglasii*), Nootka rose (*Rosa nutkana*), bentgrass (*Agrostis tenuis*), velvet grass (*Holcus lanatus*), reed canarygrass (*Phalaris arundinacea*), soft rush (*Juncus effusus*), nettle (*Urtica dioica*), meadow foxtail, water foxtail, common lady fern (*Athyrium filix-femina*), slough sedge (*Carex obnupta*), beaked sedge (*Carex rostrata*), skunk cabbage (*Lysichitum americanum*), water parsley (*Oenanthe sarmentosa*), speedwell (*Veronica scutellata*), buttercup (*Ranunculus repens*), and curled dock (*Rumex crispus*). This plant community was identified as hydrophytic in character (typical of wetlands).

**OFFSITE:** As noted above, the project site was bound by residential development to the north, northeast, east, and south. These residential developments included a variety of ornamental plant species interspersed with retained native trees. The western

boundary of the project site was formed by a managed railroad right of way and residential development further to the west.

The wetland forested plant community identified in the very southeastern portion of the project site was identified to continue offsite to the northeast and a short distance to the south.

- **Wildlife Observations**

Wildlife species observed directly or indirectly over a number of years, observed within the general area during prior assessments, and those species that may potentially utilize the habitats provided by project site included red tailed hawk (*Buteo jamaicensis*), sharp-shinned hawk (*Accipiter striatus*), merlin (*Falco columbarius*), American kestrel (*Flaco sparverius*), bald eagle (*Haliaeetus leucocephalus*), turkey vulture (*Cathartes aura*), great horned owl (*Bubo virginianus*), Western screech owl (*Otus kennicotti*), barn owl (*Tyto alba*), rock dove (*Columbia livia*), mourning dove (*Zenaida macroura*), tree swallow (*Tachycineta bicolor*), violet green swallow (*Tachycineta thalassina*), barn swallow (*Hirundo rustica*), song sparrow (*Melospiza melodia*), common raven (*Corvus coraw*), American crow (*Corvus brachynchos*), American robin (*Turdus migratorius*), dark eyed junco (*Junco hyemalis*), Steller's jay (*Cyanocitta stelleri*), starling (*Sturnus vulgaris*), black capped chickadee (*Parus atricapillus*), house sparrow (*Passer domesticus*), rufous hummingbird (*Selasphorus rufus*), Northern flicker (*Colaptes auratus*), pileated woodpecker (*Dryocopus pileatus*), hairy woodpecker (*Picoides villosus*), downy woodpecker (*Picoides pubescens*), rufous-sided towhee (*Pipilo erythrophthalmus*), marsh wren (*Cistothorus palustris*), killdeer (*Charadrius vociferus*), chestnut backed chickadee (*Parus rufescens*), dark brown creeper (*Certhia familiaris*), golden crowned sparrow (*Zonotrichia atricapilla*), rufous-sided towhee (*Pipilo erythrophthalmus*), dark eyed junco (*Junco hyemalis*), purple finch (*Carpodacus purpureus*), white crowned sparrow (*Zonotrichia leucophrys*), red breasted nuthatch (*Sitta canadensis*), California quail (*Callipepla californica*), common mallard (*Anas platyrhynchos*), black tailed deer (*Odocoileus hemionus*), coyote (*Canis latrans*), bobcat (*Lynx rufus*), raccoon (*Procyon lotor*), porcupine (*Erithizon dorsatum*), striped skunk (*Mephitis mephitis*), opossum (*Didelphis virginianus*), longtail weasel (*Mustela frenata*), Douglas squirrel (*Tamiasciurus douglasii*), deer mouse (*Peromyscus maniculatus*), shrew (*Sorex* spp.), eastern gray squirrel (*Sciurus carolinensis*), Townsend chipmunk (*Eutamias townsendi*), voles (*Microtus* spp.), moles (*Scapanus* spp.), eastern cottontail (*Sylvilagus floridanus*), bats (*Myotis* spp.), Norway rat (*Rattus norvegicus*), common garter snakes (*Thamnophis sirtalis*), red-legged frog (*Rana aurora*), and Pacific treefrog (*Hyla regilla*).

The project site was not identified and has not been documented to provide habitats for salmonid fish species.

**ROY POCKET GOPHER:** A series of species onsite assessments of potential utilization of the project site by Roy Prairie Pocket Gophers (*Thomomys mazama*)

*glacialis*) were completed between 2005 and 2018 following the procedures outlined in the *Mazama Pocket Gopher Assessment Protocols* prepared by the Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife and the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service. The initial assessment completed during the summer of 2005, the summer of 2006, and the summer of 2007 did not identify Pocket gopher utilization within the project site. During this period Pocket gopher utilization was identified within the established reserve to the south of the project site.

During the summer of 2008 Habitat Technologies re-visited the project site with the Washington Dept. of Fish and Wildlife Regional Biologist and identified a single Pocket gopher occupied area approximately 863 square meters in size within the very southwestern portion of the project site. This occupied area exhibited a series of new mounds indicating more recent utilization and potential re-introduction of this species onsite (Appendix C).

Additional onsite assessments of potential Pocket gopher utilization of the project site were also completed during the early summer of 2012, the early summer of 2013, and the summer/fall of 2018. As noted during the early summer of 2012 very few active gopher mounds were identified within the area of the 2008 occupied area. However, no gopher mounds were identified onsite during the early summer of 2013 or the summer/fall of 2018. The once managed pasture area within the western portion of the project site continued to be heavily used by moles. In addition, the once managed pasture area was becoming more and more dominated by invasive shrubs – primarily Scots broom.

- **State Priority Species**

A few species identified by the State of Washington as “Priority Species” were observed onsite or potentially may utilize the habitats provided within or immediately adjacent to the project site. Priority species require protective measures for their survival due to their population status, sensitivity to habitat alteration, and/or recreational, commercial, or tribal importance.

**Game Species:** “Game species” are regulated by the State of Washington through recreational hunting bag limits, harvest seasons, and harvest area restrictions. Observed or potential “game species” within and adjacent to the project site included black-tailed deer, ruffed grouse, California quail, common mallard, and mourning dove.

**State Candidate:** State Candidate species are presently under review by the State of Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife (WDFW) for possible listing as endangered, threatened, or sensitive. One State Candidate species - pileated woodpecker – was identified to utilize feeding habitats (stumps and down logs) within the southeaster portion of the project site.

**State Sensitive:** State Sensitive species are native to Washington and is vulnerable to declining and is likely to become endangered or threatened throughout a significant portion of its range without cooperative management or removal of threats. No State Sensitive species were observed or have been documented to use the habitats provided within the project site.

**State Threatened:** State Threatened species means any wildlife species native to the state of Washington that is likely to become an endangered species within the foreseeable future throughout a significant portion of its range within the state without cooperative management or removal of threats. A single State Threatened species – Mazama pocket gopher – has been previously identified to utilize a portion of the southwestern corner of the project site. A second State Threatened species – Wester gray squirrel (*Sciurus griseus*) – has not been identified within or adjacent to the project site.

**State Endangered:** State endangered species means any species native to the state of Washington that is seriously threatened with extinction throughout all or a significant portion of its range within the state. No State Endangered species were observed or have been documented to use the habitats provided within the project site.

- **State Priority Habitats**

A stand of mixed conifer (Douglas fir) and Oregon white oak (*Quercus garryana*) trees was identified within the central and north central portion of the project site. This stand of trees was identified to meet the criteria for designation as a State Priority Habitat and was noted to have been actively utilized as livestock pasture at one time and the understory has become dominated by dense blackberry thickets.

A second State Priority Habitat – Wetland A – was identified within the southeastern portion of the project site. This wetland is defined as a “water of the state.”

- **Federally Listed Species**

A single federally listed threatened species – Mazama pocket gopher – has been previously identified (2008 through 2012) to utilize a portion of the southwestern corner of the project site. However, more recent assessments did not identify this species within the project site. This species has also been documented offsite to the south and well offsite to the north and west of the project site.

The project site was not observed and has not been documented to provide critical habitats for other federally listed endangered, threatened, or sensitive species. A federally listed “species of concern” – bald eagle – has been documented to utilize the habitats generally associated with larger area lakes and surface water drainages within

the general area of the project site. However, the project site was not identified to provide critical habitat for this species.

## ASSESSMENT FINDINGS

### WETLAND

A single wetland was identified within the very southeastern portion of the project site and appeared to also extend offsite to the northeast and a short distance to the south. This area met all three of the established criteria for designation as “wetland.”

WETLAND	CLASSIFICATION (USFWS)	CITY OF ROY CATEGORY	WDOE RATING SCORE	FUNCTION AND VALUE RATING	BUFFER WIDTH (high intensity)
<b>A</b>	<b>PFOCx</b>	<b>III</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>Low-moderate</b>	<b>105 feet</b>

**Wetland A:** Wetland A was located within a topographic swale within the southeastern portion of the project site. Wetland A was identified to extend offsite to the northeast and a short distance to the south of the project site. Wetland A was dominated by a mixed forest and shrub plant community that had been modified by prior land use actions. Hydrology for Wetland A appeared provided by the topographical character, seasonal stormwater sheetflow, and soils characteristics. The movement of seasonal surface water was generally to the south. A portion of this wetland appeared to have been excavated to form a small farm pond near the southern site boundary and offsite to the south. Wetland A appeared to remain ponded/saturated at least into the early portion of the growing season. The majority of Wetland A would be expected to become dry by late spring.

Wetland A met the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (USFWS) criteria for classifications of palustrine, forested, seasonally flooded, excavated (PFOCx). Wetland A was further identified to meet the criteria for designation as a City of Roy Category III Wetland. Wetland A achieved a total functions score of **18 points** (5 habitat score) utilizing the Department of Ecology Wetland Rating Form for Western Washington (2014 version) (Appendix B). The standard buffer for a Category III Wetland with a habitat score of 5 points adjacent to a proposed high intensity land use is 105 feet as measured perpendicular from the wetland boundary (Figure 8).

### HABITAT CONSERVATION AREAS

As defined through a series of onsite assessments the project site was identified to exhibit the following City of Roy listed “habitat conservation areas.”

1. A portion of the southwestern corner of the project site was previously identified to provide habitats for Mazama pocket gopher – a federally listed threatened species by the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service.
2. A portion of the southwestern corner of the project site was previously identified to provide habitats for Mazama pocket gopher – a state listed threatened species by the Washington Dept. of Fish and Wildlife.
3. Wetland A – this wetland is located within the southeastern corner of the project site and is defined as both a State of Washington “priority habitat” and as a State of Washington “water of the state.”
4. The mixed conifer and Oregon white oak woodland dominating the northcentral and northeastern portions of the project site meets the definition criteria for designation as a State of Washington “priority habitat.”

The project site was not identified to exhibit the following City of Roy listed “habitat conservation areas.”

1. Ponds under twenty (20) acres that provide fish or wildlife habitat except artificial ponds created for a nonwildlife purpose such as storm water detention facilities, wastewater treatment facilities, farm ponds, and temporary construction ponds.
2. Lakes, ponds, streams, and rivers planted with game fish by a governmental or tribal entity.
3. Natural area preserves and natural resource conservation areas as defined by the Washington state department of natural resources.
4. Areas of rare plant species and high quality ecosystems as identified by the Washington state department of natural resources through the natural heritage program.
5. Land useful or essential for preserving connections between habitat blocks and open spaces.

## **SELECTED DEVELOPMENT ACTION**

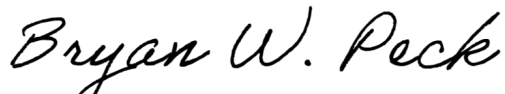
The *Selected Development Action* for **Parcel 0217036009** focuses on the creation of the Oakview Preliminary Plat eventually leading to the establishment of the Oakview Residential Community. This preliminary plat and eventual residential community development would be consistent with the City of Roy Comprehensive Plan, local zoning, and Title 10.



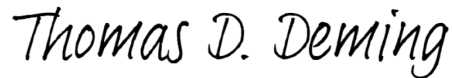
The creation of this preliminary plat would not encroach into the identified Category III Wetland or its associated buffer in the southeastern portion of the project site. This preliminary plat creation would also establish a "Tree Conservation Program" within the identified mixed conifer/oak woodland in the northcentral and northeastern portions of the project site.

## STANDARD OF CARE

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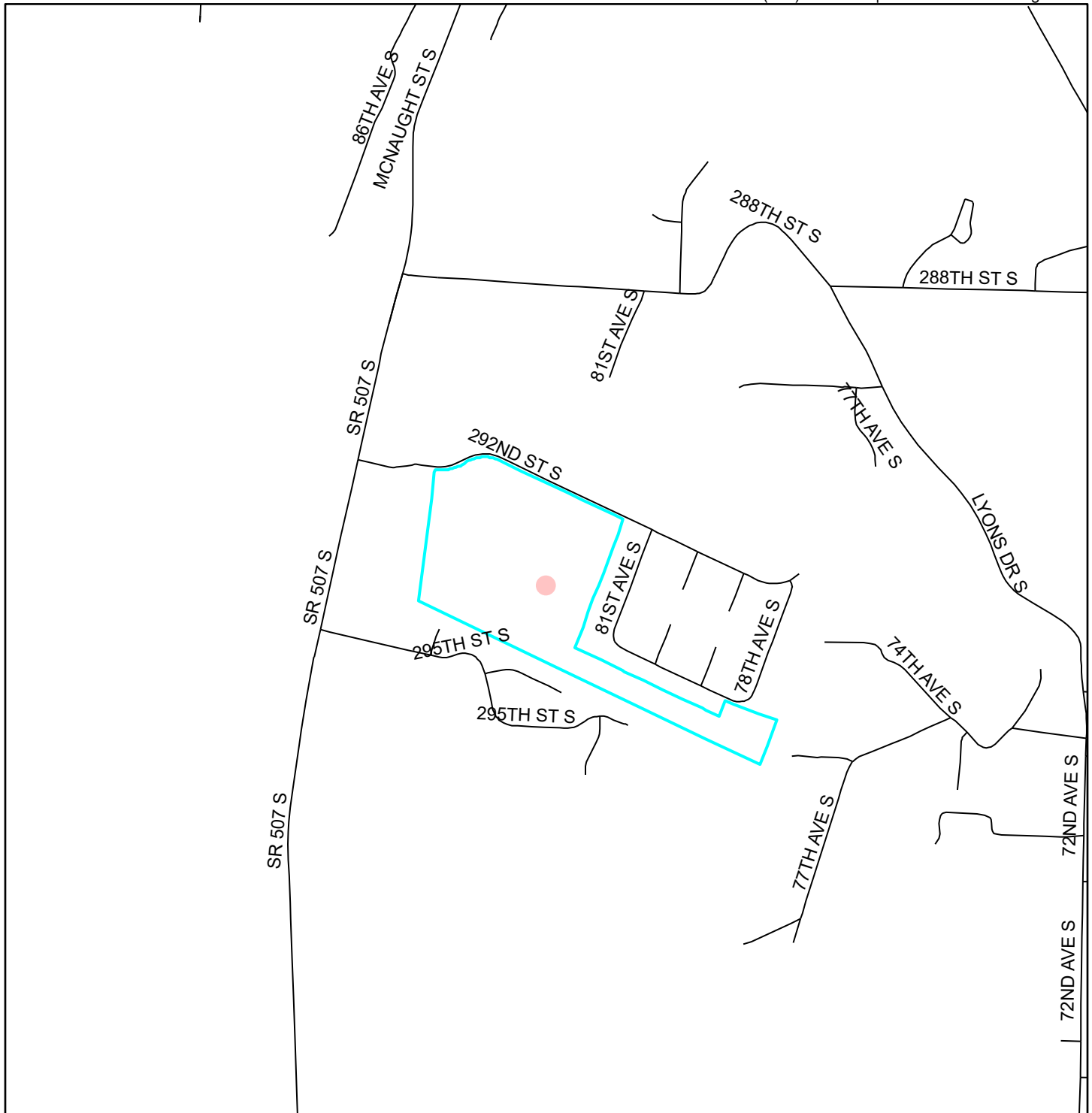
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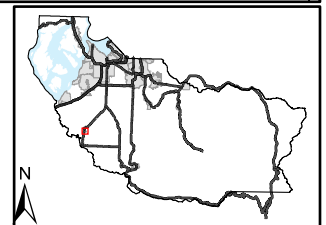
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# Figure 1 Site Vicinity



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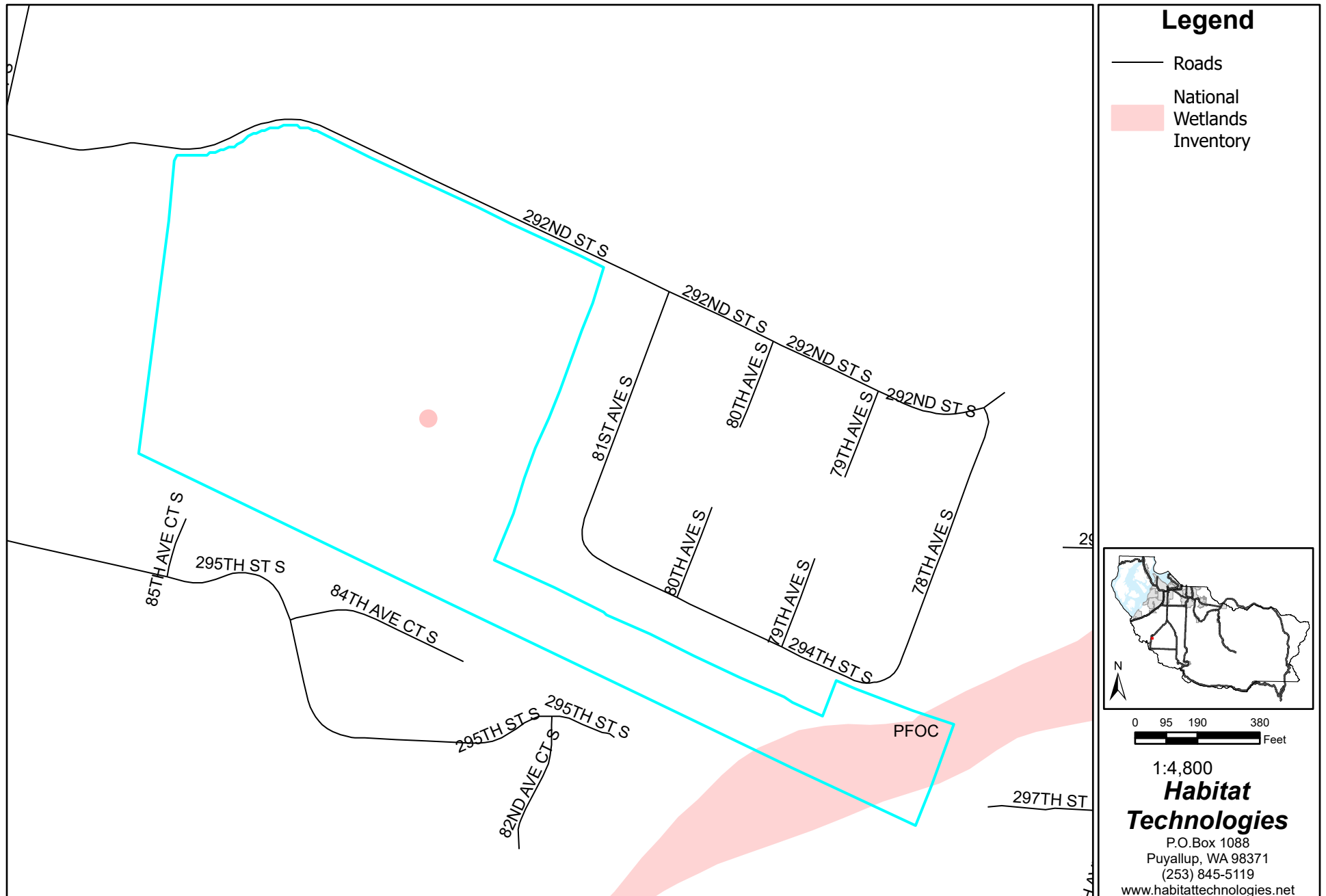


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Figure 2 NWI Mapping



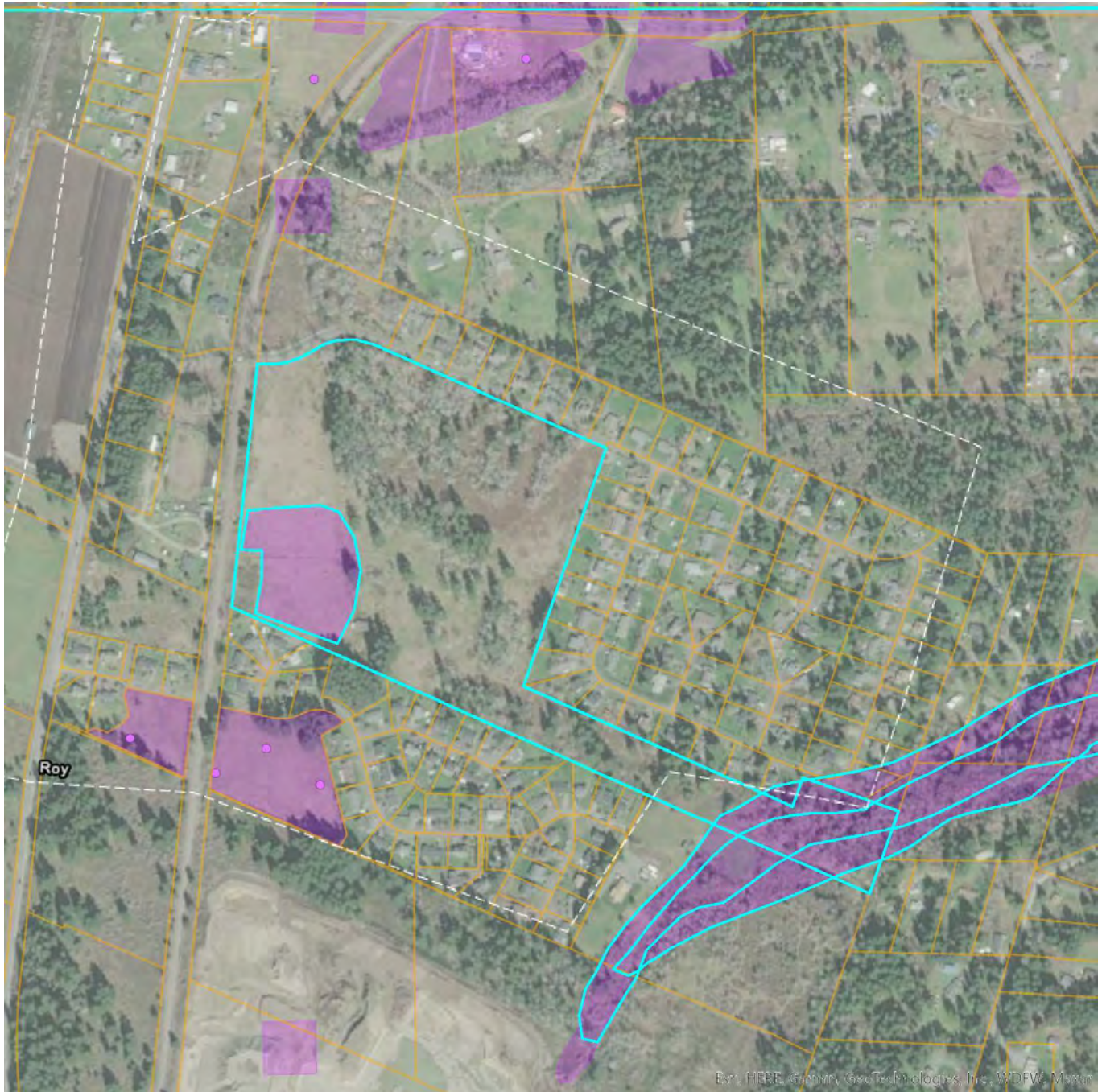
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# Figure 3



## Priority Habitats and Species on the Web



Report Date: 04/12/2022, Parcel ID: [0217036009](#)

PHS Species/Habitats Overview:

Occurrence Name	Federal Status	State Status	Sensitive Location
Wetlands	N/A	N/A	No
Mazama (Western) pocket gopher	Threatened	Threatened	No
Freshwater Forested/Shrub Wetland	N/A	N/A	No
Townsend's Big-eared Bat	N/A	Candidate	Yes
Yuma myotis	N/A	N/A	Yes

### PHS Species/Habitats Details:

Wetlands	
Priority Area	Aquatic Habitat
Site Name	MURRAY CREEK WETLANDS
Accuracy	1/4 mile (Quarter Section)
Notes	VARIOUS WETLANDS ASSOCIATED WITH MURRAY CREEK. SOME FORESTED, EMERGENT MARSH, RIVERINE, SCRUB-SHRUB, AND AGRICULTURAL WETLANDS-NISQUALLY DRAINAGE.
Source Record	902588
Source Dataset	PHSREGION
Source Name	NAUER, DON WDW
Source Entity	WA Dept. of Fish and Wildlife
Federal Status	N/A
State Status	N/A
PHS Listing Status	PHS Listed Occurrence
Sensitive	N
SGCN	N
Display Resolution	AS MAPPED
ManagementRecommendations	<a href="http://www.ecy.wa.gov/programs/sea/wetlands/bas/index.html">http://www.ecy.wa.gov/programs/sea/wetlands/bas/index.html</a>
Geometry Type	Polygons

Mazama (Western) pocket gopher	
Scientific Name	<i>Thomomys mazama</i>
Priority Area	Occurrence
Site Name	OAKVIEW HEIGHTS ADDITION - ROY
Accuracy	Map 1:12,000 <= 33 feet
Notes	MAPPED TO GENERAL AREA OF OCCUPANCY.
Source Record	4749
Source Dataset	WS_OccurPolygon
Source Date	WS_OccurPolygon
Source Name	DEMMING, T/HABITAT TECHNOLOGIE
Source Entity	WA Dept. of Fish and Wildlife
Federal Status	Threatened
State Status	Threatened
PHS Listing Status	PHS LISTED OCCURRENCE
Sensitive	N
SGCN	Y
Display Resolution	AS MAPPED
ManagementRecommendations	<a href="http://wdfw.wa.gov/publications/pub.php?id=01175">http://wdfw.wa.gov/publications/pub.php?id=01175</a>
Geometry Type	Polygons

Freshwater Forested/Shrub Wetland	
Priority Area	Aquatic Habitat
Site Name	N/A
Accuracy	NA
Notes	Wetland System: Freshwater Forested/Shrub Wetland - NWI Code: PFOC
Source Dataset	NWIIWetlands
Source Name	Not Given
Source Entity	US Fish and Wildlife Service
Federal Status	N/A
State Status	N/A
PHS Listing Status	PHS Listed Occurrence
Sensitive	N
SGCN	N
Display Resolution	AS MAPPED
ManagementRecommendations	<a href="http://www.ecy.wa.gov/programs/sea/wetlands/bas/index.html">http://www.ecy.wa.gov/programs/sea/wetlands/bas/index.html</a>
Geometry Type	Polygons

Townsend's Big-eared Bat	
Scientific Name	<i>Corynorhinus townsendii</i>
Notes	This polygon mask represents one or more records of the above species or habitat occurrence. Contact PHS Data Release (360-902-2543) for obtaining information about masked sensitive species and habitats.
Federal Status	N/A
State Status	Candidate
PHS Listing Status	PHS Listed Occurrence
Sensitive	Y
SGCN	Y
Display Resolution	TOWNSHIP
ManagementRecommendations	<a href="http://wdfw.wa.gov/publications/pub.php?id=00027">http://wdfw.wa.gov/publications/pub.php?id=00027</a>

Yuma myotis	
Scientific Name	<i>Myotis yumanensis</i>
Notes	This polygon mask represents one or more records of the above species or habitat occurrence. Contact PHS Data Release (360-902-2543) for obtaining information about masked sensitive species and habitats.
Federal Status	N/A
State Status	N/A
PHS Listing Status	PHS Listed Occurrence
Sensitive	Y
SGCN	N
Display Resolution	TOWNSHIP
ManagementRecommendations	<a href="http://wdfw.wa.gov/publications/pub.php?id=00605">http://wdfw.wa.gov/publications/pub.php?id=00605</a>

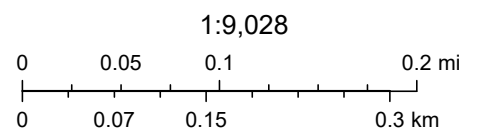
DISCLAIMER. This report includes information that the Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife (WDFW) maintains in a central computer database. It is not an attempt to provide you with an official agency response as to the impacts of your project on fish and wildlife. This information only documents the location of fish and wildlife resources to the best of our knowledge. It is not a complete inventory and it is important to note that fish and wildlife resources may occur in areas not currently known to WDFW biologists, or in areas for which comprehensive surveys have not been conducted. Site specific surveys are frequently necessary to rule out the presence of priority resources. Locations of fish and wildlife resources are subject to variation caused by disturbance, changes in season and weather, and other factors. WDFW does not recommend using reports more than six months old.



# Figure 4 WDFW Salmonscape Mapping












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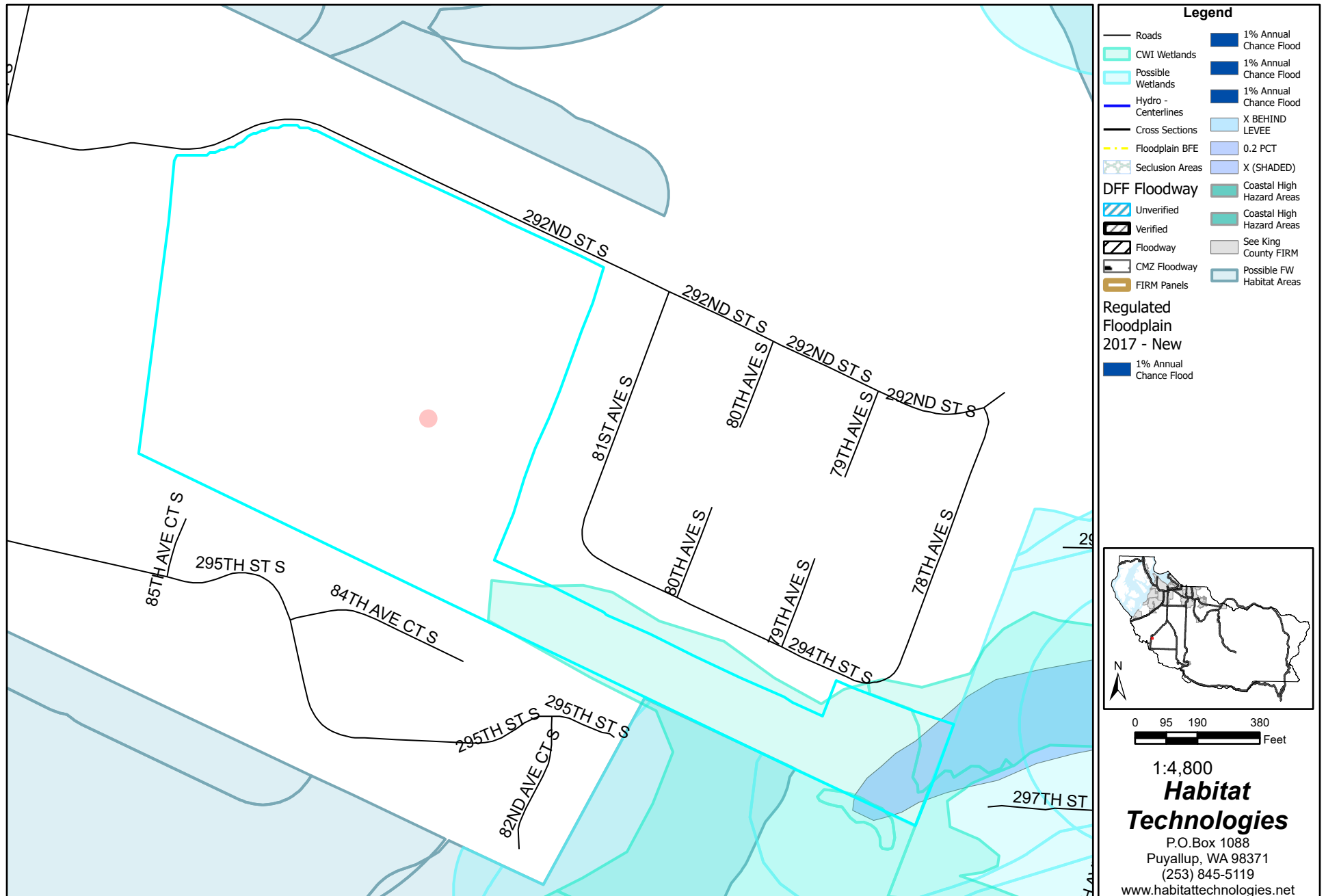


**Figure 5 Forest Practices Water Type Map**



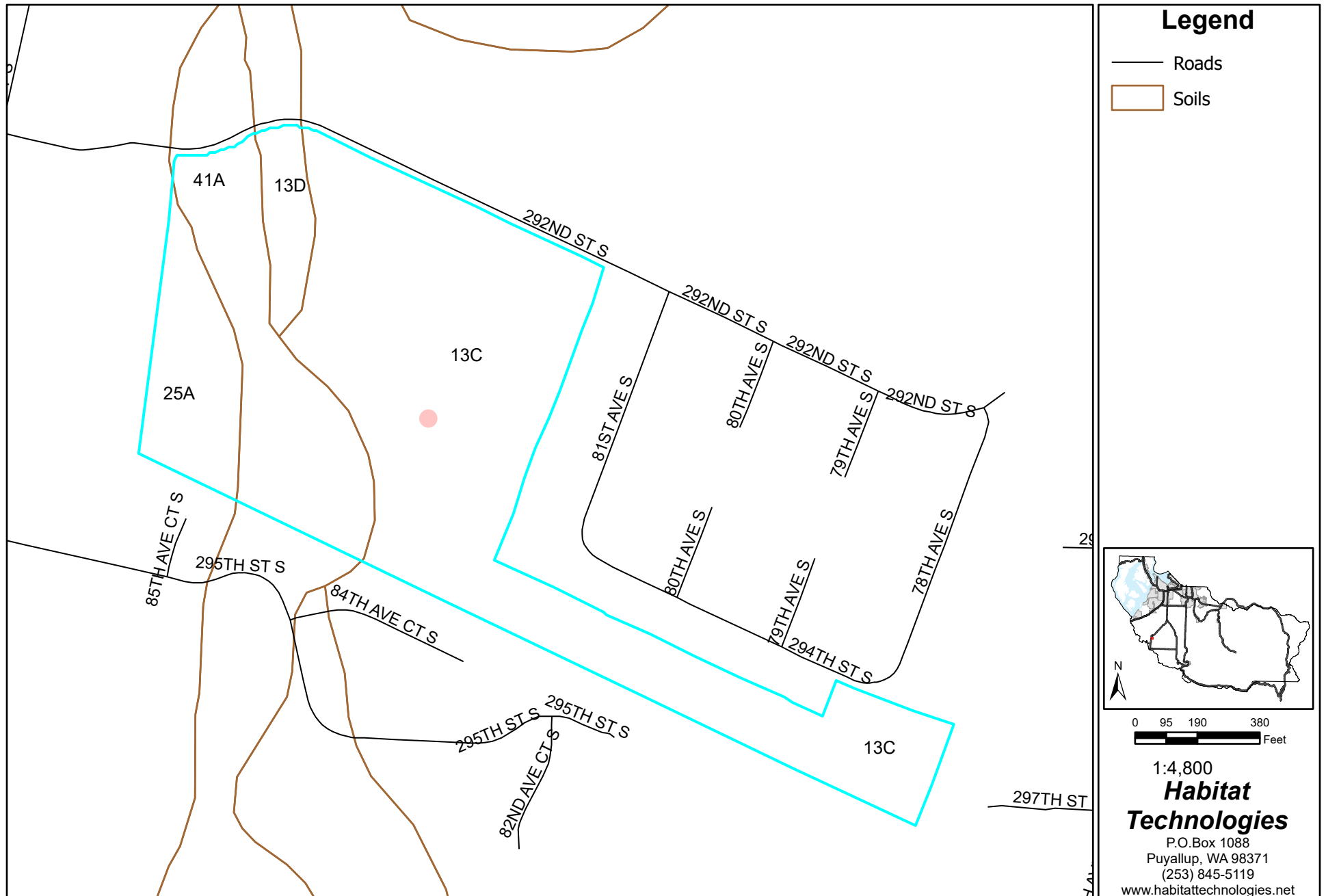
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# Figure 6 Pierce County Mapping



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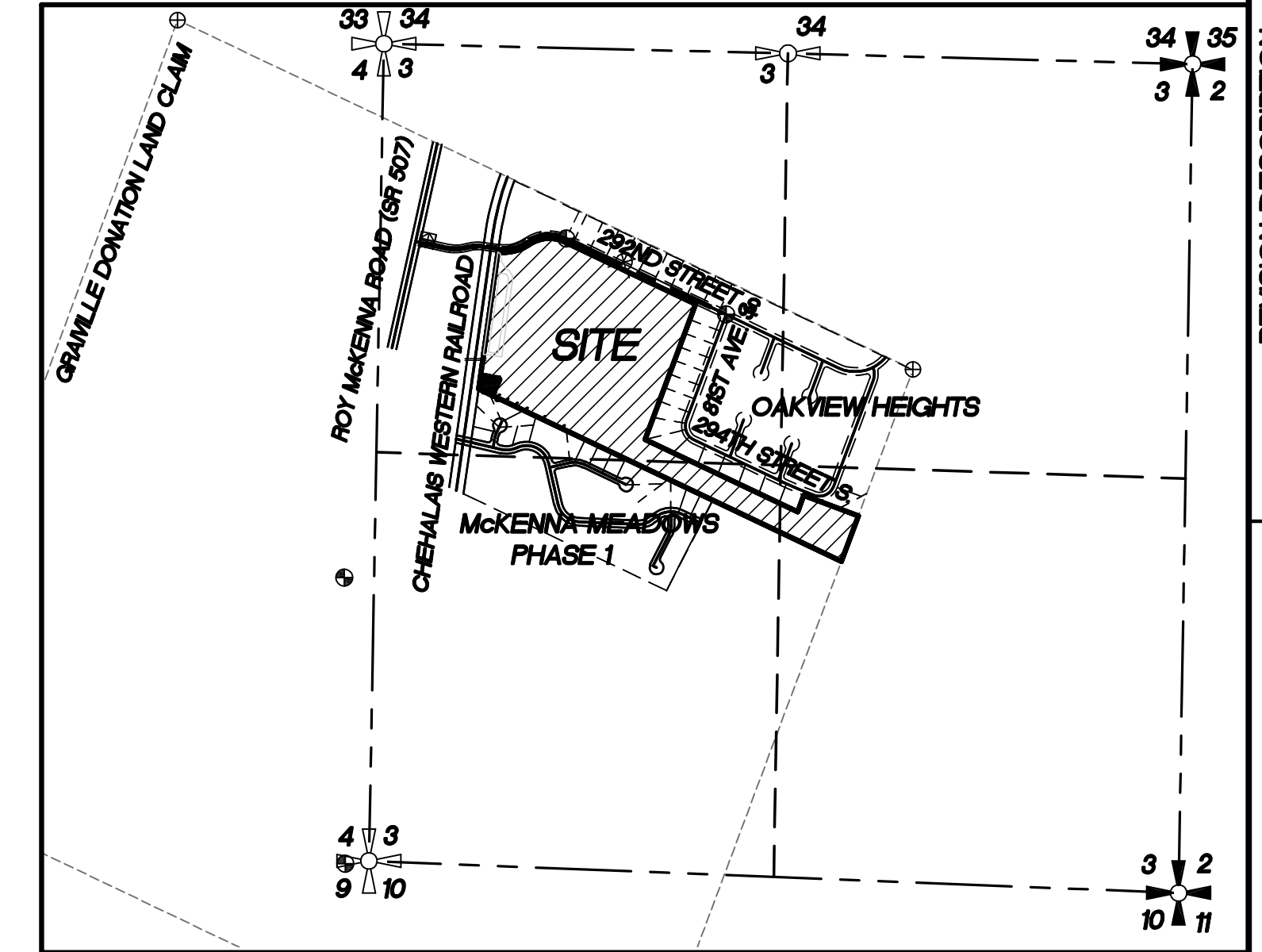
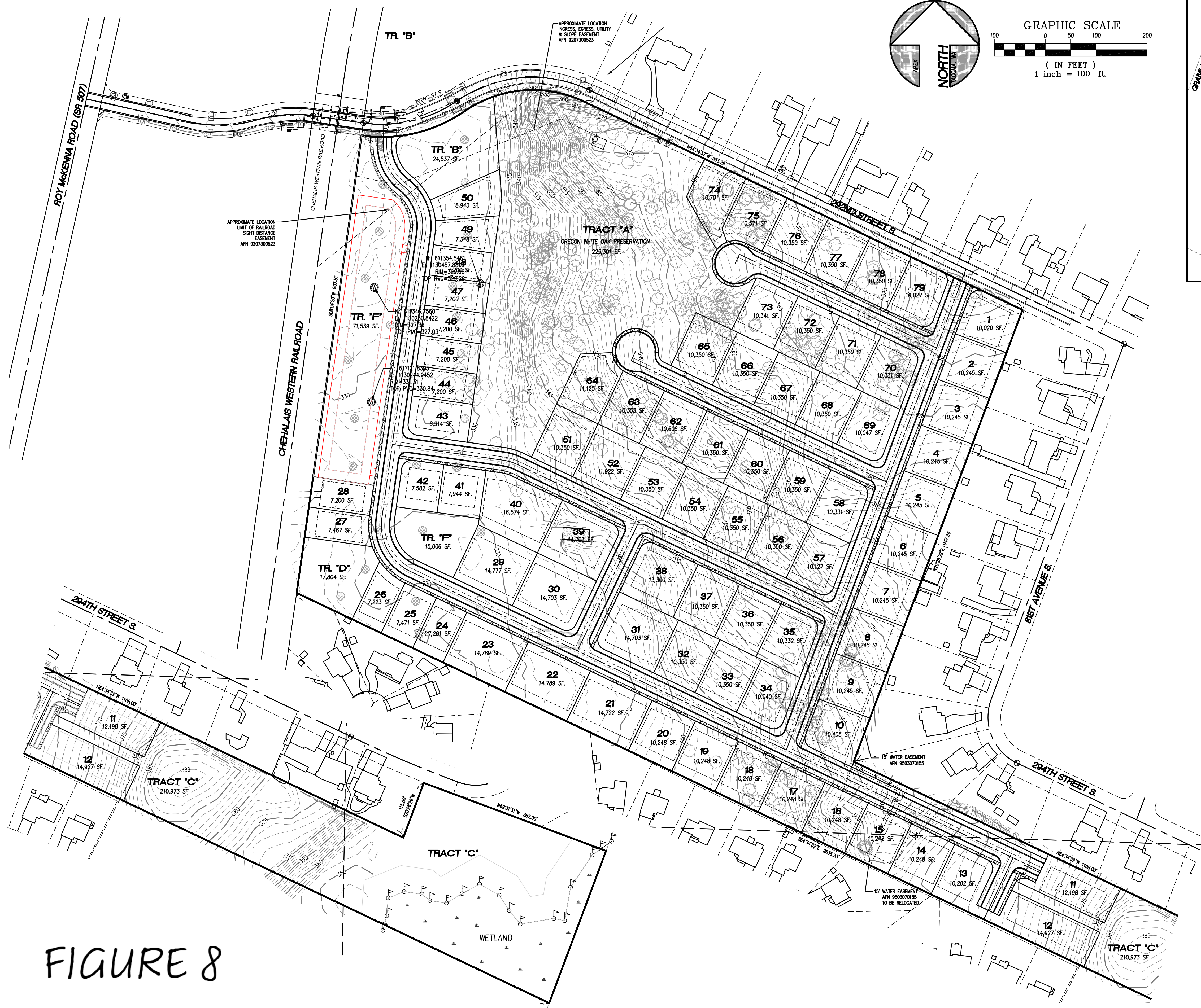
Figure 7 Soils Mapping



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# OAKVIEW PRELIMINARY PLAT

PORTIONS THE NORTHWEST QUARTER, NORTHEAST QUARTER, SOUTHEAST QUARTER AND THE SOUTHWEST QUARTER OF SECTION 03, TOWNSHIP 17 NORTH, RANGE 02 EAST, W.M.  
CITY OF ROY, PIERCE COUNTY, WASHINGTON



**LEGAL DESCRIPTION**  
LOT 3, TOWN OF ROY SHORT PLAT RECORDED OCTOBER 11, 2006 UNDER RECORDING NUMBER 200610115003, RECORDS OF PIERCE COUNTY AUDITOR;  
SITUATE IN THE CITY OF ROY, COUNTY OF PIERCE, STATE OF WASHINGTON.

**UTILITIES**  
WATER : CITY OF ROY  
SEWER : INDIVIDUAL SEPTIC SYSTEMS  
POWER :  
TELEPHONE :  
GAS :  
CABLE TV :

**PLAT DATA**  
PLAT AREA : 1,670,933+/- SF. ( 38.36+/- ACRES ) ASSESSOR'S RECORDS  
PARCEL NUMBER : 021703-6-009  
EXISTING ZONING : SFR  
JURISDICTION : CITY OF ROY, WASHINGTON  
SITE ADDRESS : 29401 SR 507 S.  
NUMBER OF LOTS : 79  
MIN. LOT AREA : 7,200 SF.  
AVG. LOT AREA : 10,454+/- SF.  
GROSS DENSITY : 2.05 DUS./AC.  
NUMBER OF TRACTS : 5  
TRACT "A" = 225,301+/- SF. OREGON WHITE OAK PRESERVATION  
TRACT "B" = 24,537+/- SF. OPEN SPACE/PRIMARY & RESERVE DRAINFIELDS  
TRACT "C" = 210,973+/- SF. OPEN SPACE/WETLAND AND W.L. BUFFER  
TRACT "D" = 17,804+/- SF. OPEN SPACE/PRIMARY & RESERVE DRAINFIELDS  
TRACT "E" = 15,006+/- SF. OPEN SPACE/PRIMARY & RESERVE DRAINFIELDS  
TRACT "F" = 71,539+/- SF. STORM FACILITY  
TOTAL TRACT AREA : 565,160+/- SF. ( 12.97+/- ACRES )  
STREETS : 5,405+/- LF. 50' PUBLIC STREET R/W, 279,845+/- SF. ( 6.42+/- SF. )  
YARD SETBACKS : FRONT YARD = 15 FEET DWELLING, 20 FEET GARAGE  
SIDE YARD = INTERIOR 5 FEET FIRST FLOOR, 8 FEET SECOND FLOOR  
STREET SIDE YARD = 15 FEET DWELLING, 20 FEET GARAGE  
REAR YARD = 20 FEET  
NOTE : SETBACKS SHOWN FOR DWELLING FIRST FLOOR

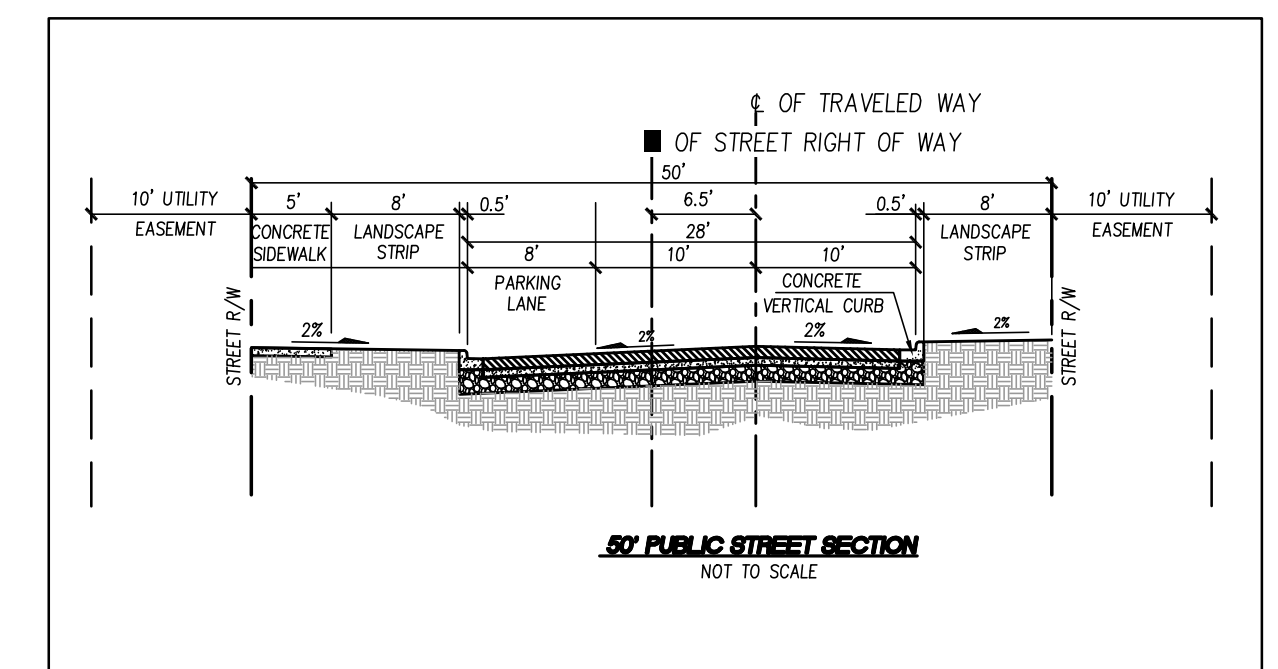


FIGURE 8

REV NO	REVISION DESCRIPTION	DATE	BY

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## **APPENDIX A – Wetland Field Data Worksheets**



# WETLAND DETERMINATION DATA FORM – Western Mountains, Valleys, and Coast Region

Project/Site: Parcel 0217036009 City/County: City of Roy Sampling Date: many  
 Applicant/Owner: \_\_\_\_\_ State: WA Sampling Point: SP1  
 Investigator(s): Habitat Technologies Section, Township, Range: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Landform (hillslope, terrace, etc.): terrace Local relief (concave, convex, none): rolling Slope (%): \_\_\_\_\_  
 Subregion (LRR): A Lat: \_\_\_\_\_ Long: \_\_\_\_\_ Datum: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Soil Map Unit Name: Everette NWI classification: well

Are climatic / hydrologic conditions on the site typical for this time of year? Yes  No  (If no, explain in Remarks.)  
 Are Vegetation \_\_\_\_\_, Soil \_\_\_\_\_, or Hydrology \_\_\_\_\_ significantly disturbed? Are "Normal Circumstances" present? Yes  No   
 Are Vegetation \_\_\_\_\_, Soil \_\_\_\_\_, or Hydrology \_\_\_\_\_ naturally problematic? (If needed, explain any answers in Remarks.)

## SUMMARY OF FINDINGS – Attach site map showing sampling point locations, transects, important features, etc.

Hydrophytic Vegetation Present? Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Hydric Soil Present? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Wetland Hydrology Present? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<b>Is the Sampled Area within a Wetland?</b> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Remarks: Assessments completed 1994, 2005-2008, spring 2012, spring 2013, summer-fall 2018, fall/winter 2021/2022 location in southeastern corner adjacent to identified wetland	

## VEGETATION – Use scientific names of plants.

	Absolute % Cover	Dominant Species?	Indicator Status	
<b>Tree Stratum</b> (Plot size: 15ft radius)				
1. _____	_____	_____	_____	<b>Dominance Test worksheet:</b> Number of Dominant Species That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC: <u>3</u> (A)  Total Number of Dominant Species Across All Strata: <u>4</u> (B)  Percent of Dominant Species That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC: <u>75%</u> (A/B)
2. <u>Populus trichocarpa</u>	<u>80</u>	<u>yes</u>	<u>FAC</u>	
3. _____	_____	_____	_____	
4. _____	_____	_____	_____	
	<u>80</u>	= Total Cover		
<b>Sapling/Shrub Stratum</b> (Plot size: 15ft radius)				
1. <u>Rubus armeniacus</u>	<u>25</u>	<u>yes</u>	<u>FAC</u>	<b>Prevalence Index worksheet:</b> Total % Cover of: _____ Multiply by: OBL species _____ x 1 = _____ FACW species _____ x 2 = _____ FAC species _____ x 3 = _____ FACU species _____ x 4 = _____ UPL species _____ x 5 = _____ Column Totals: _____ (A) _____ (B)  Prevalence Index = B/A = _____
2. <u>Acer circinatum</u>	<u>60</u>	<u>yes</u>	<u>FAC</u>	
3. <u>Physocarpus capitatus</u>	<u>&lt;5</u>	<u>no</u>	<u>FACW</u>	
4. <u>Symphoricarpus albus</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>no</u>	<u>FACU</u>	
5. <u>Rubus ursinus</u>	<u>&lt;5</u>	<u>no</u>	<u>FACU</u>	
	<u>100%</u>	= Total Cover		
<b>Herb Stratum</b> (Plot size: 15ft radius)				
1. _____	_____	_____	_____	<b>Hydrophytic Vegetation Indicators:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Rapid Test for Hydrophytic Vegetation <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Dominance Test is >50% <input type="checkbox"/> Prevalence Index is ≤3.0 <sup>1</sup> <input type="checkbox"/> Morphological Adaptations <sup>1</sup> (Provide supporting data in Remarks or on a separate sheet) <input type="checkbox"/> Wetland Non-Vascular Plants <sup>1</sup> <input type="checkbox"/> Problematic Hydrophytic Vegetation <sup>1</sup> (Explain)  <sup>1</sup> Indicators of hydric soil and wetland hydrology must be present, unless disturbed or problematic.
2. <u>Polystichum munitum</u>	<u>40</u>	<u>yes</u>	<u>FACU</u>	
3. _____	_____	_____	_____	
4. _____	_____	_____	_____	
5. _____	_____	_____	_____	
6. _____	_____	_____	_____	
7. _____	_____	_____	_____	
8. _____	_____	_____	_____	
9. _____	_____	_____	_____	
10. _____	_____	_____	_____	
11. _____	_____	_____	_____	
	<u>40</u>	= Total Cover		
<b>Woody Vine Stratum</b> (Plot size: 15ft radius)				
1. _____	_____	_____	_____	<b>Hydrophytic Vegetation Present?</b> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
2. _____	_____	_____	_____	
	_____	= Total Cover		
<b>% Bare Ground in Herb Stratum</b> % _____				
Remarks: deciduous forest adjacent to wetland				



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 Are Vegetation \_\_\_\_\_, Soil \_\_\_\_\_, or Hydrology \_\_\_\_\_ significantly disturbed? Are "Normal Circumstances" present? Yes  No   
 Are Vegetation \_\_\_\_\_, Soil \_\_\_\_\_, or Hydrology \_\_\_\_\_ naturally problematic? (If needed, explain any answers in Remarks.)

## SUMMARY OF FINDINGS – Attach site map showing sampling point locations, transects, important features, etc.

Hydrophytic Vegetation Present? Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Hydric Soil Present? Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Wetland Hydrology Present? Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Is the Sampled Area within a Wetland?</b> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
Remarks: Assessments completed 1994, 2005-2008, spring 2012, spring 2013, summer-fall 2018, fall/winter 2021/2022 location at edgw of southeastern corner wetland	

## VEGETATION – Use scientific names of plants.

	Absolute % Cover	Dominant Species?	Indicator Status	
<b>Tree Stratum</b> (Plot size: 15ft radius)				
1. <u>Fraxinus latifolia</u>	<u>75</u>	<u>yes</u>	<u>FACU</u>	<b>Dominance Test worksheet:</b> Number of Dominant Species That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC: <u>4</u> (A)  Total Number of Dominant Species Across All Strata: <u>5</u> (B)  Percent of Dominant Species That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC: <u>80%</u> (A/B)
2. <u>Populus trichocarpa</u>	<u>20</u>	<u>yes</u>	<u>FAC</u>	
3. <u>Alnus rubra</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>no</u>	<u>FAC</u>	
4. _____				
	<u>100</u>	= Total Cover		
<b>Sapling/Shrub Stratum</b> (Plot size: 15ft radius)				
1. <u>Rubus armeniacus</u>	<u>trace</u>	<u>no</u>	<u>FAC</u>	<b>Prevalence Index worksheet:</b> Total % Cover of: _____ Multiply by: OBL species _____ x 1 = _____ FACW species _____ x 2 = _____ FAC species _____ x 3 = _____ FACU species _____ x 4 = _____ UPL species _____ x 5 = _____ Column Totals: _____ (A) _____ (B)  Prevalence Index = B/A = _____
2. <u>Acer circinatum</u>	<u>trace</u>	<u>no</u>	<u>FAC</u>	
3. _____			<u>FACW</u>	
4. <u>Symphoricarpus albus</u>	<u>30</u>	<u>yes</u>	<u>FACU</u>	
5. _____				
	<u>30%</u>	= Total Cover		
<b>Herb Stratum</b> (Plot size: 15ft radius)				
1. <u>Phalaris arundinacea</u>	<u>60</u>	<u>yes</u>	<u>FACW</u>	<b>Hydrophytic Vegetation Indicators:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Rapid Test for Hydrophytic Vegetation <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Dominance Test is >50% <input type="checkbox"/> Prevalence Index is ≤3.0 <sup>1</sup> <input type="checkbox"/> Morphological Adaptations <sup>1</sup> (Provide supporting data in Remarks or on a separate sheet) <input type="checkbox"/> Wetland Non-Vascular Plants <sup>1</sup> <input type="checkbox"/> Problematic Hydrophytic Vegetation <sup>1</sup> (Explain) <sup>1</sup> Indicators of hydric soil and wetland hydrology must be present, unless disturbed or problematic.
2. <u>Carex obnupta</u>	<u>40</u>	<u>yes</u>	<u>OBL</u>	
3. _____				
4. _____				
5. _____				
6. _____				
7. _____				
8. _____				
9. _____				
10. _____				
11. _____				
	<u>100</u>	= Total Cover		
<b>Woody Vine Stratum</b> (Plot size: 15ft radius)				
1. _____				<b>Hydrophytic Vegetation Present?</b> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
2. _____				
% Bare Ground in Herb Stratum <u>  </u> %				
Remarks: deciduous forest within wetland				

**SOIL**

Sampling Point: SP2

<b>Profile Description: (Describe to the depth needed to document the indicator or confirm the absence of indicators.)</b>								
Depth (inches)	Matrix		Redox Features			Loc <sup>2</sup>	Texture	Remarks
	Color (moist)	%	Color (moist)	%	Type <sup>1</sup>			
0-8	10YR 2/1	100					GL	sandy loam
8-22	10YR 4/1	80	10YR 4/6	20	C	M	GL	gravelly sandy loam

# WETLAND DETERMINATION DATA FORM – Western Mountains, Valleys, and Coast Region

Project/Site: Parcel 0217036009 City/County: City of Roy Sampling Date: many  
 Applicant/Owner: \_\_\_\_\_ State: WA Sampling Point: SP4  
 Investigator(s): Habitat Technologies Section, Township, Range: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Landform (hillslope, terrace, etc.): terrace Local relief (concave, convex, none): rolling Slope (%): \_\_\_\_\_  
 Subregion (LRR): A Lat: \_\_\_\_\_ Long: \_\_\_\_\_ Datum: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Soil Map Unit Name: Everette NWI classification: well

Are climatic / hydrologic conditions on the site typical for this time of year? Yes  No  (If no, explain in Remarks.)  
 Are Vegetation \_\_\_\_\_, Soil \_\_\_\_\_, or Hydrology \_\_\_\_\_ significantly disturbed? Are "Normal Circumstances" present? Yes  No   
 Are Vegetation \_\_\_\_\_, Soil \_\_\_\_\_, or Hydrology \_\_\_\_\_ naturally problematic? (If needed, explain any answers in Remarks.)

## SUMMARY OF FINDINGS – Attach site map showing sampling point locations, transects, important features, etc.

Hydrophytic Vegetation Present? Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Hydric Soil Present? Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Wetland Hydrology Present? Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Is the Sampled Area within a Wetland?</b> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
Remarks: Assessments completed 1994, 2005-2008, spring 2012, spring 2013, summer-fall 2018, fall/winter 2021/2022 location in southeastern corner inside boundary of wetland	

## VEGETATION – Use scientific names of plants.

	Absolute % Cover	Dominant Species?	Indicator Status	
<b>Tree Stratum</b> (Plot size: 15ft radius)				
1. <u>Fraxinus latifolia</u>	50	yes	FACU	<b>Dominance Test worksheet:</b> Number of Dominant Species That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC: <u>6</u> (A)  Total Number of Dominant Species Across All Strata: <u>6</u> (B)  Percent of Dominant Species That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC: <u>100%</u> (A/B)
2. <u>Populus trichocarpa</u>	50	yes	FAC	
3. <u>Alnus rubra</u>	<5	no	FAC	
4. _____				
	100	= Total Cover		
<b>Sapling/Shrub Stratum</b> (Plot size: 15ft radius)				
1. _____				<b>Prevalence Index worksheet:</b> Total % Cover of: _____ Multiply by: OBL species _____ x 1 = _____ FACW species _____ x 2 = _____ FAC species _____ x 3 = _____ FACU species _____ x 4 = _____ UPL species _____ x 5 = _____ Column Totals: _____ (A) _____ (B)  Prevalence Index = B/A = _____
2. _____				
3. <u>Cornus stolonifera</u>	50	yes	FACW	
4. <u>Symphoricarpus albus</u>	50	yes	FACU	
5. _____				
	100%	= Total Cover		
<b>Herb Stratum</b> (Plot size: 15ft radius)				
1. <u>Phalaris arundinacea</u>	40	yes	FACw	<b>Hydrophytic Vegetation Indicators:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Rapid Test for Hydrophytic Vegetation <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Dominance Test is >50% <input type="checkbox"/> Prevalence Index is ≤3.0 <sup>1</sup> <input type="checkbox"/> Morphological Adaptations <sup>1</sup> (Provide supporting data in Remarks or on a separate sheet) <input type="checkbox"/> Wetland Non-Vascular Plants <sup>1</sup> <input type="checkbox"/> Problematic Hydrophytic Vegetation <sup>1</sup> (Explain) <sup>1</sup> Indicators of hydric soil and wetland hydrology must be present, unless disturbed or problematic.
2. <u>carex obnupta</u>	20	yes	OBL	
3. _____				
4. _____				
5. _____				
6. _____				
7. _____				
8. _____				
9. _____				
10. _____				
11. _____				
	60	= Total Cover		
<b>Woody Vine Stratum</b> (Plot size: 15ft radius)				
1. _____				<b>Hydrophytic Vegetation Present?</b> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
2. _____				
% Bare Ground in Herb Stratum <u>  </u> %				
Remarks: shallow depression				

**SOIL**

Sampling Point: SP4

<b>Profile Description: (Describe to the depth needed to document the indicator or confirm the absence of indicators.)</b>								
Depth (inches)	Matrix		Redox Features			Loc <sup>2</sup>	Texture	Remarks
	Color (moist)	%	Color (moist)	%	Type <sup>1</sup>			
0-3	10YR 3/1	100						silty loam
3-22	10YR 4/1	85	10YR 4/6	15	C	M		silty gravelly sandy loam

# WETLAND DETERMINATION DATA FORM – Western Mountains, Valleys, and Coast Region

Project/Site: Parcel 11915320000 City/County: City of Roy Sampling Date: many  
 Applicant/Owner: \_\_\_\_\_ State: WA Sampling Point: SP4  
 Investigator(s): Habitat Technologies Section, Township, Range: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Landform (hillslope, terrace, etc.): terrace Local relief (concave, convex, none): rolling Slope (%): \_\_\_\_\_  
 Subregion (LRR): A Lat: \_\_\_\_\_ Long: \_\_\_\_\_ Datum: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Soil Map Unit Name: Everette NWI classification: well

Are climatic / hydrologic conditions on the site typical for this time of year? Yes  No  (If no, explain in Remarks.)  
 Are Vegetation \_\_\_\_\_, Soil \_\_\_\_\_, or Hydrology \_\_\_\_\_ significantly disturbed? Are "Normal Circumstances" present? Yes  No   
 Are Vegetation \_\_\_\_\_, Soil \_\_\_\_\_, or Hydrology \_\_\_\_\_ naturally problematic? (If needed, explain any answers in Remarks.)

## SUMMARY OF FINDINGS – Attach site map showing sampling point locations, transects, important features, etc.

Hydrophytic Vegetation Present? Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Hydric Soil Present? Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Wetland Hydrology Present? Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Is the Sampled Area within a Wetland?</b> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
Remarks: Assessments completed 1994, 2005-2008, spring 2012, spring 2013, summer-fall 2018, fall/winter 2021/2022 location in southeastern corner inside boundary of wetland	

## VEGETATION – Use scientific names of plants.

<u>Tree Stratum</u> (Plot size: <u>15ft radius</u> )	Absolute % Cover	Dominant Species?	Indicator Status	<b>Dominance Test worksheet:</b>
1. <u>Fraxinus latifolia</u>	<u>50</u>	<u>yes</u>	<u>FACU</u>	Number of Dominant Species That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC: <u>6</u> (A)  Total Number of Dominant Species Across All Strata: <u>6</u> (B)  Percent of Dominant Species That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC: <u>100%</u> (A/B)
2. <u>Populus trichocarpa</u>	<u>50</u>	<u>yes</u>	<u>FAC</u>	
3. <u>Alnus rubra</u>	<u>&lt;5</u>	<u>no</u>	<u>FAC</u>	
4. _____	_____	_____	_____	
	<u>100</u>	= Total Cover		
<u>Sapling/Shrub Stratum</u> (Plot size: <u>15ft radius</u> )	Absolute % Cover	Dominant Species?	Indicator Status	<b>Prevalence Index worksheet:</b>
1. _____	_____	_____	_____	Total % Cover of: _____ Multiply by: OBL species _____ x 1 = _____ FACW species _____ x 2 = _____ FAC species _____ x 3 = _____ FACU species _____ x 4 = _____ UPL species _____ x 5 = _____ Column Totals: _____ (A) _____ (B)  Prevalence Index = B/A = _____
2. _____	_____	_____	_____	
3. <u>Cornus stolonifera</u>	<u>50</u>	<u>yes</u>	<u>FACW</u>	
4. <u>Symphoricarpus albus</u>	<u>50</u>	<u>yes</u>	<u>FACU</u>	
5. _____	_____	_____	_____	
	<u>100%</u>	= Total Cover		
<u>Herb Stratum</u> (Plot size: <u>15ft radius</u> )	Absolute % Cover	Dominant Species?	Indicator Status	<b>Hydrophytic Vegetation Indicators:</b>
1. <u>Phalaris arundinacea</u>	<u>40</u>	<u>yes</u>	<u>FACw</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> Rapid Test for Hydrophytic Vegetation <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Dominance Test is >50% <input type="checkbox"/> Prevalence Index is ≤3.0 <sup>1</sup> <input type="checkbox"/> Morphological Adaptations <sup>1</sup> (Provide supporting data in Remarks or on a separate sheet) <input type="checkbox"/> Wetland Non-Vascular Plants <sup>1</sup> <input type="checkbox"/> Problematic Hydrophytic Vegetation <sup>1</sup> (Explain) <sup>1</sup> Indicators of hydric soil and wetland hydrology must be present, unless disturbed or problematic.
2. <u>carex obnupta</u>	<u>20</u>	<u>yes</u>	<u>OBL</u>	
3. _____	_____	_____	_____	
4. _____	_____	_____	_____	
5. _____	_____	_____	_____	
6. _____	_____	_____	_____	
7. _____	_____	_____	_____	
8. _____	_____	_____	_____	
9. _____	_____	_____	_____	
10. _____	_____	_____	_____	
11. _____	_____	_____	_____	
	<u>60</u>	= Total Cover		
<u>Woody Vine Stratum</u> (Plot size: <u>15ft radius</u> )	Absolute % Cover	Dominant Species?	Indicator Status	<b>Hydrophytic Vegetation Present?</b> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
1. _____	_____	_____	_____	
2. _____	_____	_____	_____	
	_____	= Total Cover		
% Bare Ground in Herb Stratum <u>%</u>				
Remarks: shallow depression				

**SOIL**

Sampling Point: SP4

<b>Profile Description: (Describe to the depth needed to document the indicator or confirm the absence of indicators.)</b>								
Depth (inches)	Matrix		Redox Features			Loc <sup>2</sup>	Texture	Remarks
	Color (moist)	%	Color (moist)	%	Type <sup>1</sup>			
0-3	10YR 3/1	100						silty loam
3-22	10YR 4/1	85	10YR 4/6	15	C	M		silty gravelly sandy loam



# WETLAND DETERMINATION DATA FORM – Western Mountains, Valleys, and Coast Region

Project/Site: Parcel 0217036009 City/County: City of Roy Sampling Date: many  
 Applicant/Owner: \_\_\_\_\_ State: WA Sampling Point: SP5  
 Investigator(s): Habitat Technologies Section, Township, Range: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Landform (hillslope, terrace, etc.): terrace Local relief (concave, convex, none): rolling Slope (%): \_\_\_\_\_  
 Subregion (LRR): A Lat: \_\_\_\_\_ Long: \_\_\_\_\_ Datum: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Soil Map Unit Name: Everette NWI classification: well

Are climatic / hydrologic conditions on the site typical for this time of year? Yes  No  (If no, explain in Remarks.)  
 Are Vegetation \_\_\_\_\_, Soil \_\_\_\_\_, or Hydrology \_\_\_\_\_ significantly disturbed? Are "Normal Circumstances" present? Yes  No   
 Are Vegetation \_\_\_\_\_, Soil \_\_\_\_\_, or Hydrology \_\_\_\_\_ naturally problematic? (If needed, explain any answers in Remarks.)

## SUMMARY OF FINDINGS – Attach site map showing sampling point locations, transects, important features, etc.

Hydrophytic Vegetation Present? Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Hydric Soil Present? Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Wetland Hydrology Present? Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Is the Sampled Area within a Wetland?</b> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
Remarks: Assessments completed 1994, 2005-2008, spring 2012, spring 2013, summer-fall 2018, fall/winter 2021/2022 location in southeastern corner inside boundary of wetland	

## VEGETATION – Use scientific names of plants.

	Absolute % Cover	Dominant Species?	Indicator Status		
<b>Tree Stratum</b> (Plot size: 15ft radius)					
1. _____				<b>Dominance Test worksheet:</b> Number of Dominant Species That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC: <u>3</u> (A)  Total Number of Dominant Species Across All Strata: <u>3</u> (B)  Percent of Dominant Species That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC: <u>100%</u> (A/B)	
2. <u>Populus trichocarpa</u>	<u>40</u>	<u>yes</u>	<u>FAC</u>		
3. _____					
4. _____					
	<u>40</u>	= Total Cover			
<b>Sapling/Shrub Stratum</b> (Plot size: 15ft radius)					
1. _____				<b>Prevalence Index worksheet:</b> Total % Cover of: _____ Multiply by: OBL species _____ x 1 = _____ FACW species _____ x 2 = _____ FAC species _____ x 3 = _____ FACU species _____ x 4 = _____ UPL species _____ x 5 = _____ Column Totals: _____ (A) _____ (B)  Prevalence Index = B/A = _____	
2. _____					
3. <u>Cornus stolonifera</u>	<u>80</u>	<u>yes</u>	<u>FACW</u>		
4. _____					
5. _____					
	<u>80%</u>	= Total Cover			
<b>Herb Stratum</b> (Plot size: 15ft radius)					
1. <u>Phalaris arundinacea</u>	<u>trace</u>	<u>no</u>	<u>FACw</u>		
2. <u>carex obnupta</u>	<u>20</u>	<u>yes</u>	<u>OBL</u>		
3. _____					
4. _____					
5. _____					
6. _____					
7. _____					
8. _____					
9. _____					
10. _____					
11. _____					
	<u>20</u>	= Total Cover			
<b>Woody Vine Stratum</b> (Plot size: 15ft radius)					
1. _____					
2. _____					
% Bare Ground in Herb Stratum <u>  </u> %					
Remarks: shallow depression				<b>Hydrophytic Vegetation Indicators:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Rapid Test for Hydrophytic Vegetation <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Dominance Test is >50% <input type="checkbox"/> Prevalence Index is ≤3.0 <sup>1</sup> <input type="checkbox"/> Morphological Adaptations <sup>1</sup> (Provide supporting data in Remarks or on a separate sheet) <input type="checkbox"/> Wetland Non-Vascular Plants <sup>1</sup> <input type="checkbox"/> Problematic Hydrophytic Vegetation <sup>1</sup> (Explain) <sup>1</sup> Indicators of hydric soil and wetland hydrology must be present, unless disturbed or problematic.	
				<b>Hydrophytic Vegetation Present?</b> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	



# WETLAND DETERMINATION DATA FORM – Western Mountains, Valleys, and Coast Region

Project/Site: Parcel 0217036009 City/County: City of Roy Sampling Date: many  
 Applicant/Owner: \_\_\_\_\_ State: WA Sampling Point: SP6  
 Investigator(s): Habitat Technologies Section, Township, Range: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Landform (hillslope, terrace, etc.): terrace Local relief (concave, convex, none): rolling Slope (%): \_\_\_\_\_  
 Subregion (LRR): A Lat: \_\_\_\_\_ Long: \_\_\_\_\_ Datum: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Soil Map Unit Name: Everette NWI classification: well

Are climatic / hydrologic conditions on the site typical for this time of year? Yes  No  (If no, explain in Remarks.)  
 Are Vegetation \_\_\_\_\_, Soil \_\_\_\_\_, or Hydrology \_\_\_\_\_ significantly disturbed? Are "Normal Circumstances" present? Yes  No   
 Are Vegetation \_\_\_\_\_, Soil \_\_\_\_\_, or Hydrology \_\_\_\_\_ naturally problematic? (If needed, explain any answers in Remarks.)

## SUMMARY OF FINDINGS – Attach site map showing sampling point locations, transects, important features, etc.

Hydrophytic Vegetation Present? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Hydric Soil Present? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Wetland Hydrology Present? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<b>Is the Sampled Area within a Wetland?</b> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Remarks: Assessments completed 1994, 2005-2008, spring 2012, spring 2013, summer-fall 2018, fall/winter 2021/2022 upland in southeastern portion of site. once managed pasture now overgrowing	

## VEGETATION – Use scientific names of plants.

	Absolute % Cover	Dominant Species?	Indicator Status		
<b>Tree Stratum</b> (Plot size: 15ft radius)					
1. <u>Alnus rubra</u>	10	no	FAC	<b>Dominance Test worksheet:</b> Number of Dominant Species That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC: <u>0</u> (A)  Total Number of Dominant Species Across All Strata: <u>3</u> (B)  Percent of Dominant Species That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC: <u>0%</u> (A/B)	
2. <u>Prunus emarginata</u>	10	no	FACU		
3. _____					
4. _____					
	20	= Total Cover			
<b>Sapling/Shrub Stratum</b> (Plot size: 15ft radius)					
1. <u>Rubus laciniatus</u>	40	yes	FACU	<b>Prevalence Index worksheet:</b> Total % Cover of: _____ Multiply by: OBL species _____ x 1 = _____ FACW species _____ x 2 = _____ FAC species _____ x 3 = _____ FACU species _____ x 4 = _____ UPL species _____ x 5 = _____ Column Totals: _____ (A) _____ (B)  Prevalence Index = B/A = _____	
2. <u>Symphoricarpos albus</u>	30	yes	FACU		
3. <u>Berberis aquifolium</u>	10	no	UPL		
4. _____					
5. _____					
	80%	= Total Cover			
<b>Herb Stratum</b> (Plot size: 15ft radius)					
1. <u>Polystichum munitum</u>	20	yes	FACU		
2. _____					
3. _____					
4. _____					
5. _____					
6. _____					
7. _____					
8. _____					
9. _____					
10. _____					
11. _____					
	20	= Total Cover			
<b>Woody Vine Stratum</b> (Plot size: 15ft radius)					
1. _____					
2. _____					
= Total Cover					
<b>% Bare Ground in Herb Stratum</b> % _____					
Remarks: once managed pasture now overgrown					

**SOIL**

Sampling Point: SP6

**Profile Description: (Describe to the depth needed to document the indicator or confirm the absence of indicators.)**

Depth (inches)	Matrix		Redox Features			Loc <sup>2</sup>	Texture	Remarks
	Color (moist)	%	Color (moist)	%	Type <sup>1</sup>			
0-16	10YR 3/2	100						gravelly sandy loam
16-22	10YR 4/3	100						gravelly sandy loam

<sup>1</sup>Type: C=Concentration, D=Depletion, RM=Reduced Matrix, CS=Covered or Coated Sand Grains.      <sup>2</sup>Location: PL=Pore Lining, M=Matrix.

**Hydric Soil Indicators: (Applicable to all LRRs, unless otherwise noted.)**

<input type="checkbox"/> Histosol (A1)	<input type="checkbox"/> Sandy Redox (S5)	<b>Indicators for Problematic Hydric Soils<sup>3</sup>:</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> Histic Epipedon (A2)	<input type="checkbox"/> Stripped Matrix (S6)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Black Histic (A3)	<input type="checkbox"/> Loamy Mucky Mineral (F1) (except MLRA 1)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Hydrogen Sulfide (A4)	<input type="checkbox"/> Loamy Gleyed Matrix (F2)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Depleted Below Dark Surface (A11)	<input type="checkbox"/> Depleted Matrix (F3)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Thick Dark Surface (A12)	<input type="checkbox"/> Redox Dark Surface (F6)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Sandy Mucky Mineral (S1)	<input type="checkbox"/> Depleted Dark Surface (F7)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Sandy Gleyed Matrix (S4)	<input type="checkbox"/> Redox Depressions (F8)	

2 cm Muck (A10)  
 Red Parent Material (TF2)  
 Very Shallow Dark Surface (TF12)  
 Other (Explain in Remarks)

<sup>3</sup>Indicators of hydrophytic vegetation and wetland hydrology must be present, unless disturbed or problematic.

**Restrictive Layer (if present):**  
 Type: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Depth (inches): \_\_\_\_\_

**Hydric Soil Present? Yes  No**

Remarks: NO prominent field indicators of hydric soils.

**HYDROLOGY**

**Wetland Hydrology Indicators:**

<u>Primary Indicators (minimum of one required; check all that apply)</u>	<u>Secondary Indicators (2 or more required)</u>
<input type="checkbox"/> Surface Water (A1) <input type="checkbox"/> High Water Table (A2) <input type="checkbox"/> Saturation (A3) <input type="checkbox"/> Water Marks (B1) <input type="checkbox"/> Sediment Deposits (B2) <input type="checkbox"/> Drift Deposits (B3) <input type="checkbox"/> Algal Mat or Crust (B4) <input type="checkbox"/> Iron Deposits (B5) <input type="checkbox"/> Surface Soil Cracks (B6) <input type="checkbox"/> Inundation Visible on Aerial Imagery (B7) <input type="checkbox"/> Sparsely Vegetated Concave Surface (B8)	<input type="checkbox"/> Water-Stained Leaves (B9) (except MLRA 1, 2, 4A, and 4B) <input type="checkbox"/> Salt Crust (B11) <input type="checkbox"/> Aquatic Invertebrates (B13) <input type="checkbox"/> Hydrogen Sulfide Odor (C1) <input type="checkbox"/> Oxidized Rhizospheres along Living Roots (C3) <input type="checkbox"/> Presence of Reduced Iron (C4) <input type="checkbox"/> Recent Iron Reduction in Tilled Soils (C6) <input type="checkbox"/> Stunted or Stressed Plants (D1) (LRR A) <input type="checkbox"/> Other (Explain in Remarks)
	<input type="checkbox"/> Water-Stained Leaves (B9) (MLRA 1, 2, 4A, and 4B) <input type="checkbox"/> Drainage Patterns (B10) <input type="checkbox"/> Dry-Season Water Table (C2) <input type="checkbox"/> Saturation Visible on Aerial Imagery (C9) <input type="checkbox"/> Geomorphic Position (D2) <input type="checkbox"/> Shallow Aquitard (D3) <input type="checkbox"/> FAC-Neutral Test (D5) <input type="checkbox"/> Raised Ant Mounds (D6) (LRR A) <input type="checkbox"/> Frost-Heave Hummocks (D7)

**Field Observations:**

Surface Water Present? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	Depth (inches): _____	<b>Wetland Hydrology Present? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></b>
Water Table Present? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	Depth (inches): _____	
Saturation Present? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> (includes capillary fringe)	Depth (inches): _____	

Describe Recorded Data (stream gauge, monitoring well, aerial photos, previous inspections), if available:

Remarks: No prominent field indicators of wetland hydrology. drains well

# WETLAND DETERMINATION DATA FORM – Western Mountains, Valleys, and Coast Region

Project/Site: Parcel 0217036009 City/County: City of Roy Sampling Date: many  
 Applicant/Owner: \_\_\_\_\_ State: WA Sampling Point: SP7  
 Investigator(s): Habitat Technologies Section, Township, Range: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Landform (hillslope, terrace, etc.): terrace Local relief (concave, convex, none): rolling Slope (%): \_\_\_\_\_  
 Subregion (LRR): A Lat: \_\_\_\_\_ Long: \_\_\_\_\_ Datum: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Soil Map Unit Name: Everette NWI classification: well

Are climatic / hydrologic conditions on the site typical for this time of year? Yes  No  (If no, explain in Remarks.)  
 Are Vegetation \_\_\_\_\_, Soil \_\_\_\_\_, or Hydrology \_\_\_\_\_ significantly disturbed? Are "Normal Circumstances" present? Yes  No   
 Are Vegetation \_\_\_\_\_, Soil \_\_\_\_\_, or Hydrology \_\_\_\_\_ naturally problematic? (If needed, explain any answers in Remarks.)

## SUMMARY OF FINDINGS – Attach site map showing sampling point locations, transects, important features, etc.

Hydrophytic Vegetation Present? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Hydric Soil Present? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Wetland Hydrology Present? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<b>Is the Sampled Area within a Wetland?</b> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Remarks: Assessments completed 1994, 2005-2008, spring 2012, spring 2013, summer-fall 2018, fall/winter 2021/2022 upland in central portion of site. once managed pasture now overgrowing	

## VEGETATION – Use scientific names of plants.

<u>Tree Stratum</u> (Plot size: <u>15ft radius</u> )	Absolute % Cover	Dominant Species?	Indicator Status	<b>Dominance Test worksheet:</b>
1. <u>Alnus rubra</u>	10	no	FAC	Number of Dominant Species That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC: <u>2</u> (A)  Total Number of Dominant Species Across All Strata: <u>4</u> (B)  Percent of Dominant Species That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC: <u>50%</u> (A/B)
2. <u>Thuja plicata</u>	40	yes	FACU	
3. _____	_____	_____	_____	
4. _____	_____	_____	_____	
50 = Total Cover				<b>Prevalence Index worksheet:</b> Total % Cover of: _____ Multiply by: OBL species _____ x 1 = _____ FACW species _____ x 2 = _____ FAC species _____ x 3 = _____ FACU species _____ x 4 = _____ UPL species _____ x 5 = _____ Column Totals: _____ (A) _____ (B)  Prevalence Index = B/A = _____
Sapling/Shrub Stratum	(Plot size: <u>15ft radius</u> )			
1. <u>Rubus laciniatus</u>	40	yes	FACU	
2. _____	_____	_____	_____	
3. <u>Acer cricatum</u>	20	yes	FAC	
4. _____	_____	_____	_____	
5. _____	_____	_____	_____	
60% = Total Cover				
Herb Stratum	(Plot size: <u>15ft radius</u> )			
1. <u>Polystichum munitum</u>	20	yes	FACU	<b>Hydrophytic Vegetation Indicators:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Rapid Test for Hydrophytic Vegetation <input type="checkbox"/> Dominance Test is >50% <input type="checkbox"/> Prevalence Index is ≤3.0 <sup>1</sup> <input type="checkbox"/> Morphological Adaptations <sup>1</sup> (Provide supporting data in Remarks or on a separate sheet) <input type="checkbox"/> Wetland Non-Vascular Plants <sup>1</sup> <input type="checkbox"/> Problematic Hydrophytic Vegetation <sup>1</sup> (Explain) <sup>1</sup> Indicators of hydric soil and wetland hydrology must be present, unless disturbed or problematic.
2. _____	_____	_____	_____	
3. _____	_____	_____	_____	
4. _____	_____	_____	_____	
5. _____	_____	_____	_____	
6. _____	_____	_____	_____	
7. _____	_____	_____	_____	
8. _____	_____	_____	_____	
9. _____	_____	_____	_____	
10. _____	_____	_____	_____	
11. _____	_____	_____	_____	
20 = Total Cover				
Woody Vine Stratum	(Plot size: <u>15ft radius</u> )			
1. _____	_____	_____	_____	
2. _____	_____	_____	_____	
_____ = Total Cover				
% Bare Ground in Herb Stratum <u>  </u>				
Remarks: once managed pasture now overgrown				

**SOIL**

Sampling Point: SP7

<b>Profile Description: (Describe to the depth needed to document the indicator or confirm the absence of indicators.)</b>								
Depth (inches)	Matrix		Redox Features			Loc <sup>2</sup>	Texture	Remarks
	Color (moist)	%	Color (moist)	%	Type <sup>1</sup>			
0-3	10YR 3/2	100						gravelly sandy loam
3-22	10YR 4/3	100						gravelly sandy loam

# WETLAND DETERMINATION DATA FORM – Western Mountains, Valleys, and Coast Region

Project/Site: Parcel 0217036009 City/County: City of Roy Sampling Date: many  
 Applicant/Owner: \_\_\_\_\_ State: WA Sampling Point: SP8  
 Investigator(s): Habitat Technologies Section, Township, Range: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Landform (hillslope, terrace, etc.): terrace Local relief (concave, convex, none): rolling Slope (%): \_\_\_\_\_  
 Subregion (LRR): A Lat: \_\_\_\_\_ Long: \_\_\_\_\_ Datum: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Soil Map Unit Name: Everette NWI classification: well

Are climatic / hydrologic conditions on the site typical for this time of year? Yes  No  (If no, explain in Remarks.)  
 Are Vegetation \_\_\_\_\_, Soil \_\_\_\_\_, or Hydrology \_\_\_\_\_ significantly disturbed? Are "Normal Circumstances" present? Yes  No   
 Are Vegetation \_\_\_\_\_, Soil \_\_\_\_\_, or Hydrology \_\_\_\_\_ naturally problematic? (If needed, explain any answers in Remarks.)

## SUMMARY OF FINDINGS – Attach site map showing sampling point locations, transects, important features, etc.

Hydrophytic Vegetation Present? Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Hydric Soil Present? Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Wetland Hydrology Present? Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Is the Sampled Area within a Wetland?</b> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
Remarks: Assessments completed 1994, 2005-2008, spring 2012, spring 2013, summer-fall 2018, fall/winter 2021/2022 excavated pond in very southeastern corner of site	

## VEGETATION – Use scientific names of plants.

	Absolute % Cover	Dominant Species?	Indicator Status	
<b>Tree Stratum</b> (Plot size: 15ft radius)				
1. <u>Pyrus fusca</u>	40	yes	FACW	<b>Dominance Test worksheet:</b> Number of Dominant Species That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC: <u>2</u> (A)  Total Number of Dominant Species Across All Strata: <u>2</u> (B)  Percent of Dominant Species That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC: <u>100%</u> (A/B)
2. _____	_____	_____	_____	
3. _____	_____	_____	_____	
4. _____	_____	_____	_____	
	40	= Total Cover		
<b>Sapling/Shrub Stratum</b> (Plot size: 15ft radius)				
1. <u>Cornus stolonifera</u>	60	yes	FACW	<b>Prevalence Index worksheet:</b> Total % Cover of: _____ Multiply by: OBL species _____ x 1 = _____ FACW species _____ x 2 = _____ FAC species _____ x 3 = _____ FACU species _____ x 4 = _____ UPL species _____ x 5 = _____ Column Totals: _____ (A) _____ (B)  Prevalence Index = B/A = _____
2. _____	_____	_____	_____	
3. _____	_____	_____	_____	
4. _____	_____	_____	_____	
5. _____	_____	_____	_____	
<b>Herb Stratum</b> (Plot size: 15ft radius)				
1. _____	_____	_____	_____	<b>Hydrophytic Vegetation Indicators:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Rapid Test for Hydrophytic Vegetation <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Dominance Test is >50% <input type="checkbox"/> Prevalence Index is ≤3.0 <sup>1</sup> <input type="checkbox"/> Morphological Adaptations <sup>1</sup> (Provide supporting data in Remarks or on a separate sheet) <input type="checkbox"/> Wetland Non-Vascular Plants <sup>1</sup> <input type="checkbox"/> Problematic Hydrophytic Vegetation <sup>1</sup> (Explain)  <sup>1</sup> Indicators of hydric soil and wetland hydrology must be present, unless disturbed or problematic.
2. _____	_____	_____	_____	
3. _____	_____	_____	_____	
4. _____	_____	_____	_____	
5. _____	_____	_____	_____	
6. _____	_____	_____	_____	
7. _____	_____	_____	_____	
8. _____	_____	_____	_____	
9. _____	_____	_____	_____	
10. _____	_____	_____	_____	
11. _____	_____	_____	_____	
	_____ = Total Cover			
<b>Woody Vine Stratum</b> (Plot size: 15ft radius)				
1. _____	_____	_____	_____	<b>Hydrophytic Vegetation Present?</b> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
2. _____	_____	_____	_____	
	_____ = Total Cover			
<b>% Bare Ground in Herb Stratum</b> % _____				
Remarks: excavated pond				





## WETLAND DETERMINATION DATA FORM – Western Mountains, Valleys, and Coast Region

Project/Site: Parcel 0217036009 City/County: City of Roy Sampling Date: many  
 Applicant/Owner: \_\_\_\_\_ State: WA Sampling Point: SP9  
 Investigator(s): Habitat Technologies Section, Township, Range: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Landform (hillslope, terrace, etc.): terrace Local relief (concave, convex, none): rolling Slope (%): \_\_\_\_\_  
 Subregion (LRR): A Lat: \_\_\_\_\_ Long: \_\_\_\_\_ Datum: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Soil Map Unit Name: Everette NWI classification: well

Are climatic / hydrologic conditions on the site typical for this time of year? Yes  No  (If no, explain in Remarks.)  
 Are Vegetation \_\_\_\_\_, Soil \_\_\_\_\_, or Hydrology \_\_\_\_\_ significantly disturbed? Are "Normal Circumstances" present? Yes  No   
 Are Vegetation \_\_\_\_\_, Soil \_\_\_\_\_, or Hydrology \_\_\_\_\_ naturally problematic? (If needed, explain any answers in Remarks.)

### SUMMARY OF FINDINGS – Attach site map showing sampling point locations, transects, important features, etc.

Hydrophytic Vegetation Present? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Hydric Soil Present? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Wetland Hydrology Present? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<b>Is the Sampled Area within a Wetland?</b> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Remarks: Assessments completed 1994, 2005-2008, spring 2012, spring 2013, summer-fall 2018, fall/winter 2021/2022 southern portion of site	

### VEGETATION – Use scientific names of plants.

<u>Tree Stratum</u> (Plot size: <u>15ft radius</u> )	Absolute % Cover	Dominant Species?	Indicator Status	<b>Dominance Test worksheet:</b>
1. _____	_____	_____	_____	Number of Dominant Species That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC: <u>1</u> (A)  Total Number of Dominant Species Across All Strata: <u>2</u> (B)  Percent of Dominant Species That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC: <u>50%</u> (A/B)
2. _____	_____	_____	_____	
3. _____	_____	_____	_____	
4. _____	_____	_____	_____	
_____ = Total Cover				<b>Prevalence Index worksheet:</b> _____ Total % Cover of: _____ Multiply by: OBL species _____ x 1 = _____ FACW species _____ x 2 = _____ FAC species _____ x 3 = _____ FACU species _____ x 4 = _____ UPL species _____ x 5 = _____ Column Totals: _____ (A) _____ (B)  Prevalence Index = B/A = _____
<u>Sapling/Shrub Stratum</u> (Plot size: <u>15ft radius</u> )				
1. <u>Alnus rubra</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>no</u>	<u>FAC</u>	
2. <u>Oemleria cerasiformis</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>no</u>	<u>FACU</u>	
3. <u>Acer circinatum</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>no</u>	<u>FAC</u>	
4. <u>Rubus armeniacus</u>	<u>35</u>	<u>yes</u>	<u>FAC</u>	
5. <u>Rubus laciniatus</u>	<u>35</u>	<u>yes</u>	<u>FACU</u>	
_____ = Total Cover				
<u>Herb Stratum</u> (Plot size: <u>15ft radius</u> )				
1. _____	_____	_____	_____	
2. _____	_____	_____	_____	
3. _____	_____	_____	_____	
4. _____	_____	_____	_____	
5. _____	_____	_____	_____	
6. _____	_____	_____	_____	
7. _____	_____	_____	_____	
8. _____	_____	_____	_____	
9. _____	_____	_____	_____	
10. _____	_____	_____	_____	
11. _____	_____	_____	_____	
_____ = Total Cover				
<u>Woody Vine Stratum</u> (Plot size: <u>15ft radius</u> )				
1. _____	_____	_____	_____	
2. _____	_____	_____	_____	
_____ = Total Cover				
<u>% Bare Ground in Herb Stratum</u> %				
_____ = Total Cover				
Remarks: once managed pasture now overgrowing				

**Hydrophytic Vegetation Present?** Yes  No



# WETLAND DETERMINATION DATA FORM – Western Mountains, Valleys, and Coast Region

Project/Site: Parcel 0217036009 City/County: City of Roy Sampling Date: many  
 Applicant/Owner: \_\_\_\_\_ State: WA Sampling Point: SP14  
 Investigator(s): Habitat Technologies Section, Township, Range: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Landform (hillslope, terrace, etc.): terrace Local relief (concave, convex, none): rolling Slope (%): \_\_\_\_\_  
 Subregion (LRR): A Lat: \_\_\_\_\_ Long: \_\_\_\_\_ Datum: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Soil Map Unit Name: Everette NWI classification: well

Are climatic / hydrologic conditions on the site typical for this time of year? Yes  No  (If no, explain in Remarks.)  
 Are Vegetation \_\_\_\_\_, Soil \_\_\_\_\_, or Hydrology \_\_\_\_\_ significantly disturbed? Are "Normal Circumstances" present? Yes  No   
 Are Vegetation \_\_\_\_\_, Soil \_\_\_\_\_, or Hydrology \_\_\_\_\_ naturally problematic? (If needed, explain any answers in Remarks.)

## SUMMARY OF FINDINGS – Attach site map showing sampling point locations, transects, important features, etc.

Hydrophytic Vegetation Present? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Hydric Soil Present? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Wetland Hydrology Present? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<b>Is the Sampled Area within a Wetland?</b> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Remarks: Assessments completed 1994, 2005-2008, spring 2012, spring 2013, summer-fall 2018, fall/winter 2021/2022 once pasture woodlot in northcentral part of site	

## VEGETATION – Use scientific names of plants.

<u>Tree Stratum</u> (Plot size: <u>15ft radius</u> )	Absolute % Cover	Dominant Species?	Indicator Status	<b>Dominance Test worksheet:</b>																
1. <u>Pseudotsuga menziesii</u>	<u>60</u>	<u>yes</u>	<u>FACU</u>	Number of Dominant Species That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC: <u>1</u> (A)  Total Number of Dominant Species Across All Strata: <u>2</u> (B)  Percent of Dominant Species That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC: <u>50%</u> (A/B)																
2. <u>Quercus garryana</u>	<u>40</u>	<u>yes</u>	<u>UPL</u>																	
3. _____	_____	_____	_____																	
4. _____	_____	_____	_____																	
<u>100</u> = Total Cover				<b>Prevalence Index worksheet:</b> <table style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <td style="width: 50%;"><u>        </u> Total % Cover of:</td> <td style="width: 50%;"><u>        </u> Multiply by:</td> </tr> <tr> <td>OBL species _____</td> <td>x 1 = _____</td> </tr> <tr> <td>FACW species _____</td> <td>x 2 = _____</td> </tr> <tr> <td>FAC species _____</td> <td>x 3 = _____</td> </tr> <tr> <td>FACU species _____</td> <td>x 4 = _____</td> </tr> <tr> <td>UPL species _____</td> <td>x 5 = _____</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Column Totals: _____ (A)</td> <td>_____ (B)</td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="2" style="text-align: center;">Prevalence Index = B/A = _____</td> </tr> </table>	<u>        </u> Total % Cover of:	<u>        </u> Multiply by:	OBL species _____	x 1 = _____	FACW species _____	x 2 = _____	FAC species _____	x 3 = _____	FACU species _____	x 4 = _____	UPL species _____	x 5 = _____	Column Totals: _____ (A)	_____ (B)	Prevalence Index = B/A = _____	
<u>        </u> Total % Cover of:	<u>        </u> Multiply by:																			
OBL species _____	x 1 = _____																			
FACW species _____	x 2 = _____																			
FAC species _____	x 3 = _____																			
FACU species _____	x 4 = _____																			
UPL species _____	x 5 = _____																			
Column Totals: _____ (A)	_____ (B)																			
Prevalence Index = B/A = _____																				
<b>Sapling/Shrub Stratum</b> (Plot size: <u>15ft radius</u> )																				
1. <u>Corylus cornuts</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>no</u>	<u>FACU</u>																	
2. <u>Symphoricarpus albus</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>no</u>	<u>FACU</u>																	
3. _____	_____	_____	_____																	
4. <u>Rubus armeniacus</u>	<u>55</u>	<u>yes</u>	<u>FAC</u>																	
5. <u>Rubus laciniatus</u>	<u>35</u>	<u>yes</u>	<u>FACU</u>																	
<u>100%</u> = Total Cover																				
<b>Herb Stratum</b> (Plot size: <u>15ft radius</u> )																				
1. _____	_____	_____	_____																	
2. _____	_____	_____	_____																	
3. _____	_____	_____	_____																	
4. _____	_____	_____	_____																	
5. _____	_____	_____	_____																	
6. _____	_____	_____	_____																	
7. _____	_____	_____	_____																	
8. _____	_____	_____	_____																	
9. _____	_____	_____	_____																	
10. _____	_____	_____	_____																	
11. _____	_____	_____	_____																	
_____ = Total Cover																				
<b>Woody Vine Stratum</b> (Plot size: <u>15ft radius</u> )																				
1. _____	_____	_____	_____																	
2. _____	_____	_____	_____																	
_____ = Total Cover																				
<b>% Bare Ground in Herb Stratum</b> <u>        </u> %																				
_____ = Total Cover																				
Remarks: once managed pasture now overgrowing																				

**Hydrophytic Vegetation Indicators:**

Rapid Test for Hydrophytic Vegetation  
 Dominance Test is >50%  
 Prevalence Index is ≤3.0<sup>1</sup>  
 Morphological Adaptations<sup>1</sup> (Provide supporting data in Remarks or on a separate sheet)  
 Wetland Non-Vascular Plants<sup>1</sup>  
 Problematic Hydrophytic Vegetation<sup>1</sup> (Explain)

<sup>1</sup>Indicators of hydric soil and wetland hydrology must be present, unless disturbed or problematic.

**Hydrophytic Vegetation Present?** Yes  No

**SOIL**

Sampling Point: SP14

<b>Profile Description: (Describe to the depth needed to document the indicator or confirm the absence of indicators.)</b>								
Depth (inches)	Matrix		Redox Features			Loc <sup>2</sup>	Texture	Remarks
	Color (moist)	%	Color (moist)	%	Type <sup>1</sup>			
0-6	10YR 3/2	100						gravelly sandy loam
6-22	10YR 4/4	100						gravelly sandy loam

# WETLAND DETERMINATION DATA FORM – Western Mountains, Valleys, and Coast Region

Project/Site: Parcel 0217036009 City/County: City of Roy Sampling Date: many  
 Applicant/Owner: \_\_\_\_\_ State: WA Sampling Point: SP15  
 Investigator(s): Habitat Technologies Section, Township, Range: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Landform (hillslope, terrace, etc.): terrace Local relief (concave, convex, none): rolling Slope (%): \_\_\_\_\_  
 Subregion (LRR): A Lat: \_\_\_\_\_ Long: \_\_\_\_\_ Datum: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Soil Map Unit Name: Spanaway gravelly sandy loam NWI classification: well

Are climatic / hydrologic conditions on the site typical for this time of year? Yes  No  (If no, explain in Remarks.)  
 Are Vegetation \_\_\_\_\_, Soil \_\_\_\_\_, or Hydrology \_\_\_\_\_ significantly disturbed? Are "Normal Circumstances" present? Yes  No   
 Are Vegetation \_\_\_\_\_, Soil \_\_\_\_\_, or Hydrology \_\_\_\_\_ naturally problematic? (If needed, explain any answers in Remarks.)

## SUMMARY OF FINDINGS – Attach site map showing sampling point locations, transects, important features, etc.

Hydrophytic Vegetation Present? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Hydric Soil Present? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Wetland Hydrology Present? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<b>Is the Sampled Area within a Wetland?</b> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Remarks: Assessments completed 1994, 2005-2008, spring 2012, spring 2013, summer-fall 2018, fall/winter 2021/2022 once managed pasture in northwestern portion of site	

## VEGETATION – Use scientific names of plants.

<u>Tree Stratum</u> (Plot size: <u>15ft radius</u> )	Absolute % Cover	Dominant Species?	Indicator Status	<b>Dominance Test worksheet:</b>
1. <u>Quercus garryana</u>	<u>&lt;10</u>	<u>no</u>	<u>UPL</u>	Number of Dominant Species That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC: <u>1</u> (A)  Total Number of Dominant Species Across All Strata: <u>2</u> (B)  Percent of Dominant Species That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC: <u>50%</u> (A/B)
2. _____	_____	_____	_____	
3. _____	_____	_____	_____	
4. _____	_____	_____	_____	
<u>&lt;10</u> = Total Cover				<b>Prevalence Index worksheet:</b> Total % Cover of: _____ Multiply by: OBL species _____ x 1 = _____ FACW species _____ x 2 = _____ FAC species _____ x 3 = _____ FACU species _____ x 4 = _____ UPL species _____ x 5 = _____ Column Totals: _____ (A) _____ (B)  Prevalence Index = B/A = _____
<u>Sapling/Shrub Stratum</u> (Plot size: <u>15ft radius</u> )				
1. <u>Corylus cornuta</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>no</u>	<u>FACU</u>	
2. <u>Symphoricarpus albus</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>no</u>	<u>FACU</u>	
3. <u>Cytisus scorparius</u>	<u>20</u>	<u>yes</u>	<u>UPL</u>	
4. <u>Rubus armeniacus</u>	<u>20</u>	<u>yes</u>	<u>FAC</u>	
5. _____	_____	_____	_____	
<u>60</u> = Total Cover				
<u>Herb Stratum</u> (Plot size: <u>15ft radius</u> )				
1. <u>Poa spp.</u>	_____	_____	<u>FAC</u>	
2. <u>Festuca spp.</u>	_____	_____	<u>FAC</u>	
3. <u>Lolium spp.</u>	_____	_____	<u>--</u>	
4. <u>Dactyolus glomerata</u>	_____	_____	<u>FACU</u>	
5. <u>Hypochaeris lanatum</u>	_____	_____	<u>FACU</u>	
6. <u>Taraxacum officinale</u>	_____	_____	<u>FACU</u>	
7. <u>Bellis spp.</u>	_____	_____	_____	
8. <u>Plantago major</u>	_____	_____	<u>FACU</u>	
9. <u>Holcus lanatus</u>	_____	_____	<u>FAC</u>	
10. <u>Anthoxanthum odoratum</u>	_____	_____	<u>FACU</u>	
11. _____	_____	_____	_____	
_____ = Total Cover				
<u>Woody Vine Stratum</u> (Plot size: <u>15ft radius</u> )				
1. _____	_____	_____	_____	
2. _____	_____	_____	_____	
_____ = Total Cover				
<u>% Bare Ground in Herb Stratum</u> %				
_____ = Total Cover				

**Hydrophytic Vegetation Indicators:**  
 Rapid Test for Hydrophytic Vegetation  
 Dominance Test is >50%  
 Prevalence Index is ≤3.0<sup>1</sup>  
 Morphological Adaptations<sup>1</sup> (Provide supporting data in Remarks or on a separate sheet)  
 Wetland Non-Vascular Plants<sup>1</sup>  
 Problematic Hydrophytic Vegetation<sup>1</sup> (Explain)  
<sup>1</sup>Indicators of hydric soil and wetland hydrology must be present, unless disturbed or problematic.

**Hydrophytic Vegetation Present?** Yes  No

Remarks: once managed pasture now overgrowing with blackberries and Scots broom. No dominate grasses/herbs



## WETLAND DETERMINATION DATA FORM – Western Mountains, Valleys, and Coast Region

Project/Site: Parcel 0217036009 City/County: City of Roy Sampling Date: many  
 Applicant/Owner: \_\_\_\_\_ State: WA Sampling Point: SP17  
 Investigator(s): Habitat Technologies Section, Township, Range: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Landform (hillslope, terrace, etc.): terrace Local relief (concave, convex, none): rolling Slope (%): \_\_\_\_\_  
 Subregion (LRR): A Lat: \_\_\_\_\_ Long: \_\_\_\_\_ Datum: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Soil Map Unit Name: Spanaway gravelly sandy loam NWI classification: well

Are climatic / hydrologic conditions on the site typical for this time of year? Yes  No  (If no, explain in Remarks.)  
 Are Vegetation \_\_\_\_\_, Soil \_\_\_\_\_, or Hydrology \_\_\_\_\_ significantly disturbed? Are "Normal Circumstances" present? Yes  No   
 Are Vegetation \_\_\_\_\_, Soil \_\_\_\_\_, or Hydrology \_\_\_\_\_ naturally problematic? (If needed, explain any answers in Remarks.)

### SUMMARY OF FINDINGS – Attach site map showing sampling point locations, transects, important features, etc.

Hydrophytic Vegetation Present? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Hydric Soil Present? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Wetland Hydrology Present? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<b>Is the Sampled Area within a Wetland?</b> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Remarks: Assessments completed 1994, 2005-2008, spring 2012, spring 2013, summer-fall 2018, fall/winter 2021/2022 once managed pasture in southwestern portion of site	

### VEGETATION – Use scientific names of plants.

Tree Stratum (Plot size: 15ft radius)	Absolute % Cover	Dominant Species?	Indicator Status	
1. _____	_____	_____	_____	<b>Dominance Test worksheet:</b> Number of Dominant Species That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC: _____ (A)  Total Number of Dominant Species Across All Strata: _____ (B)  Percent of Dominant Species That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC: _____ (A/B)
2. _____	_____	_____	_____	
3. _____	_____	_____	_____	
4. _____	_____	_____	_____	
_____ = Total Cover				
<b>Sapling/Shrub Stratum (Plot size: 15ft radius)</b>				
1. _____	_____	_____	_____	<b>Prevalence Index worksheet:</b> Total % Cover of: _____ Multiply by: OBL species _____ x 1 = _____ FACW species _____ x 2 = _____ FAC species _____ x 3 = _____ FACU species _____ x 4 = _____ UPL species _____ x 5 = _____ Column Totals: _____ (A) _____ (B)  Prevalence Index = B/A = _____
2. _____	_____	_____	_____	
3. <u>Cytisus scorparius</u>	<u>20</u>	<u>yes</u>	<u>UPL</u>	
4. _____	_____	_____	_____	
5. _____	_____	_____	_____	
_____ = Total Cover				
<b>Herb Stratum (Plot size: 15ft radius)</b>				
1. <u>Poa spp.</u>	_____	_____	<u>FAC</u>	<b>Hydrophytic Vegetation Indicators:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Rapid Test for Hydrophytic Vegetation <input type="checkbox"/> Dominance Test is >50% <input type="checkbox"/> Prevalence Index is ≤3.0 <sup>1</sup> <input type="checkbox"/> Morphological Adaptations <sup>1</sup> (Provide supporting data in Remarks or on a separate sheet) <input type="checkbox"/> Wetland Non-Vascular Plants <sup>1</sup> <input type="checkbox"/> Problematic Hydrophytic Vegetation <sup>1</sup> (Explain) <sup>1</sup> Indicators of hydric soil and wetland hydrology must be present, unless disturbed or problematic.
2. <u>Festuca spp.</u>	_____	_____	<u>FAC</u>	
3. <u>Lolium spp.</u>	_____	_____	<u>--</u>	
4. <u>Dactylois glomerata</u>	_____	_____	<u>FACU</u>	
5. <u>Hypochaeris lanatum</u>	_____	_____	<u>FACU</u>	
6. <u>Taraxacum officinale</u>	_____	_____	<u>FACU</u>	
7. <u>Bellis spp.</u>	_____	_____	_____	
8. <u>Plantago major</u>	_____	_____	<u>FACU</u>	
9. <u>Holcus lanatus</u>	_____	_____	<u>FAC</u>	
10. <u>Anthoxanthum odoratum</u>	_____	_____	<u>FACU</u>	
11. <u>Phleum pratense</u>	_____	_____	<u>FACU</u>	
_____ = Total Cover				
<b>Woody Vine Stratum (Plot size: 15ft radius)</b>				
1. _____	_____	_____	_____	<b>Hydrophytic Vegetation Present?</b> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
2. _____	_____	_____	_____	
_____ = Total Cover				
% Bare Ground in Herb Stratum % _____				

Remarks: once managed pasture now overgrowing with Scots broom. No dominate grasses/herbs more FACU than FAC

**SOIL**

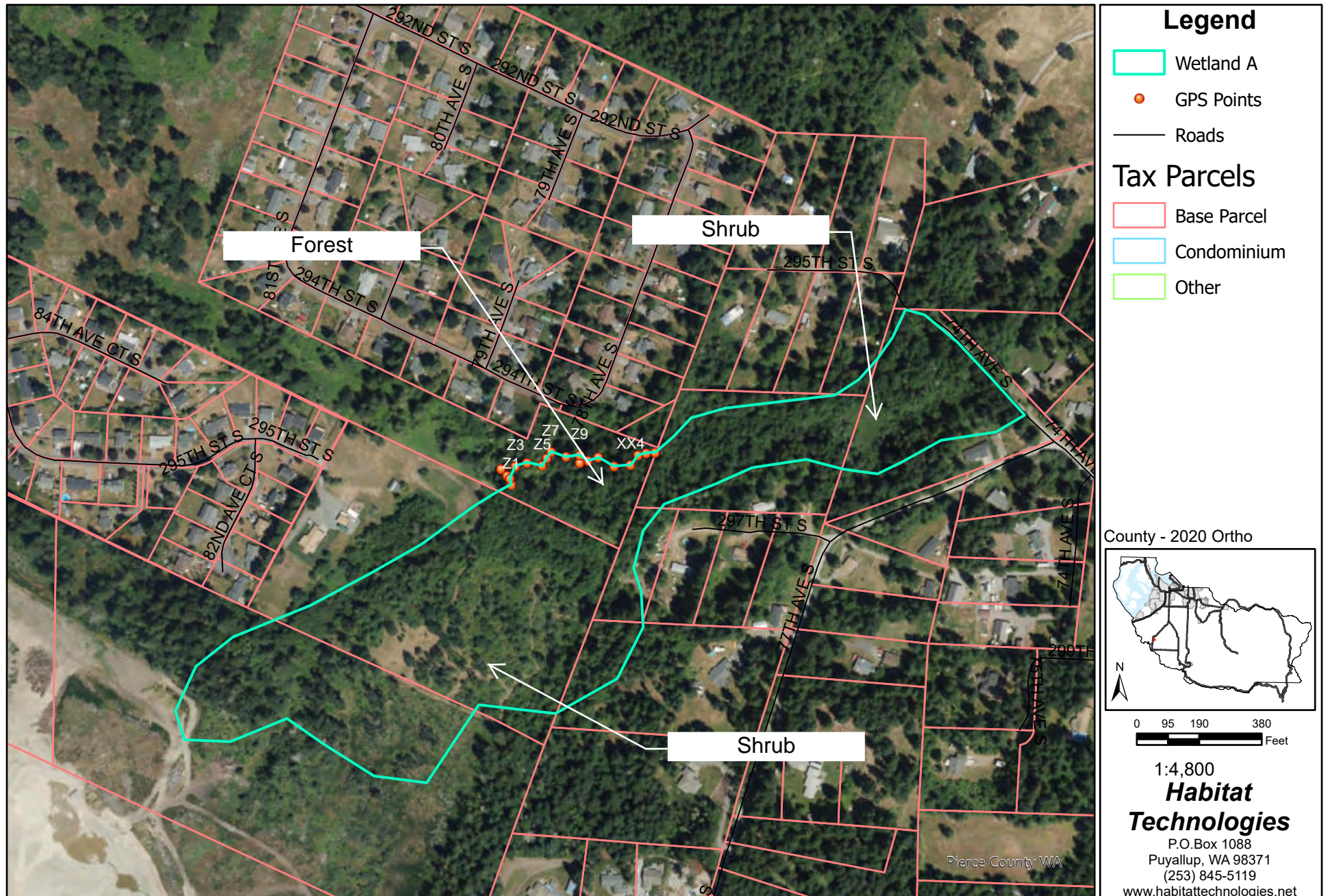
Sampling Point: SP17

<b>Profile Description: (Describe to the depth needed to document the indicator or confirm the absence of indicators.)</b>							
Depth (inches)	Matrix		Redox Features			Texture	Remarks
	Color (moist)	%	Color (moist)	%	Type <sup>1</sup>		
0-12	10YR 3/3	100					sandy loam
13-22	10YR 4/3	100					sandy loam



## **APPENDIX B – Wetland Rating Worksheets**

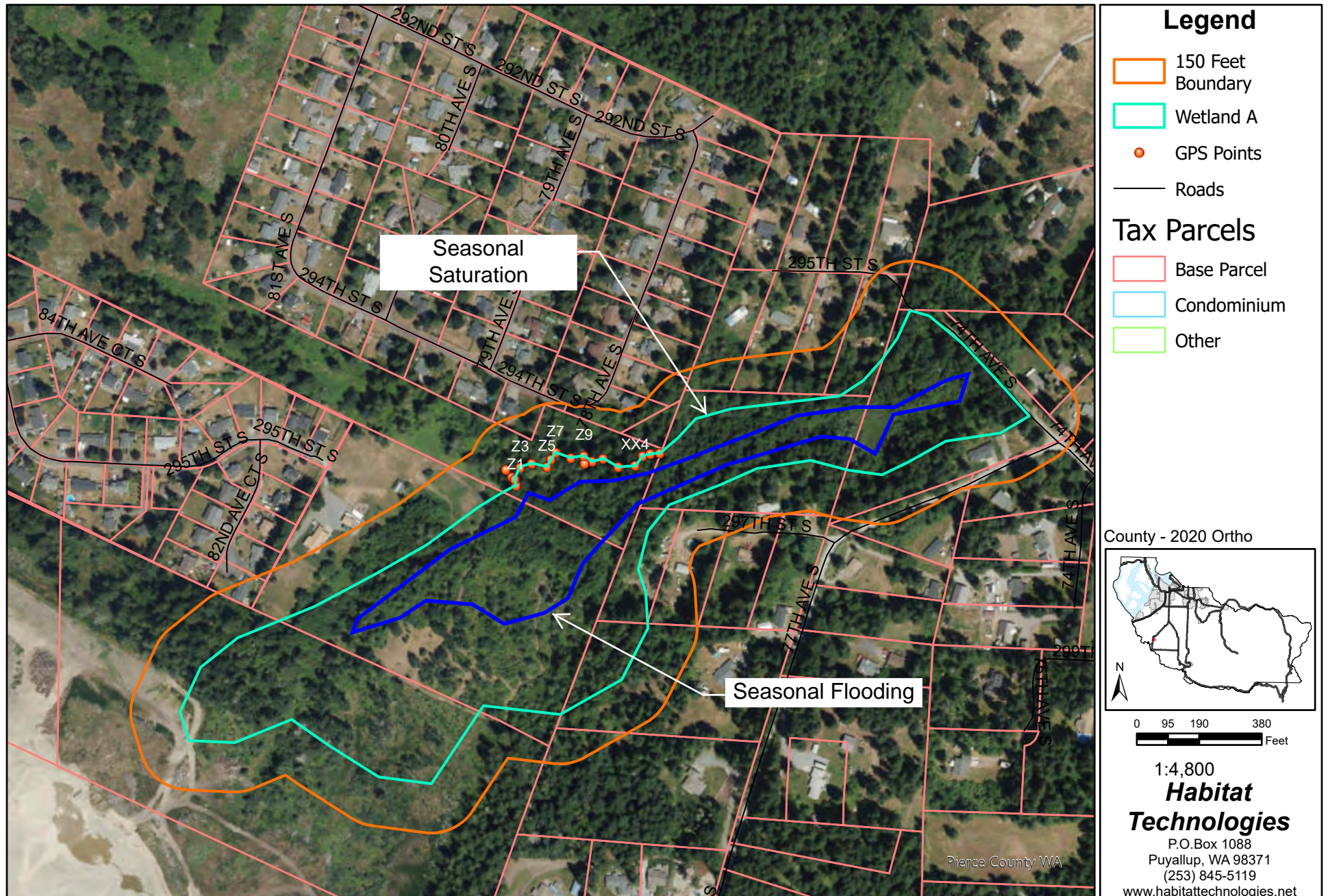
Figure A1



The map features are approximate and are intended only to provide an indication of said feature. Additional areas that have not been mapped may be present. This is not a survey. Orthophotos and other data may not align. The County assumes no liability for variations ascertained by actual survey. ALL DATA IS EXPRESSLY PROVIDED 'AS IS' AND 'WITH ALL FAULTS'. The County makes no warranty of fitness for a particular purpose.

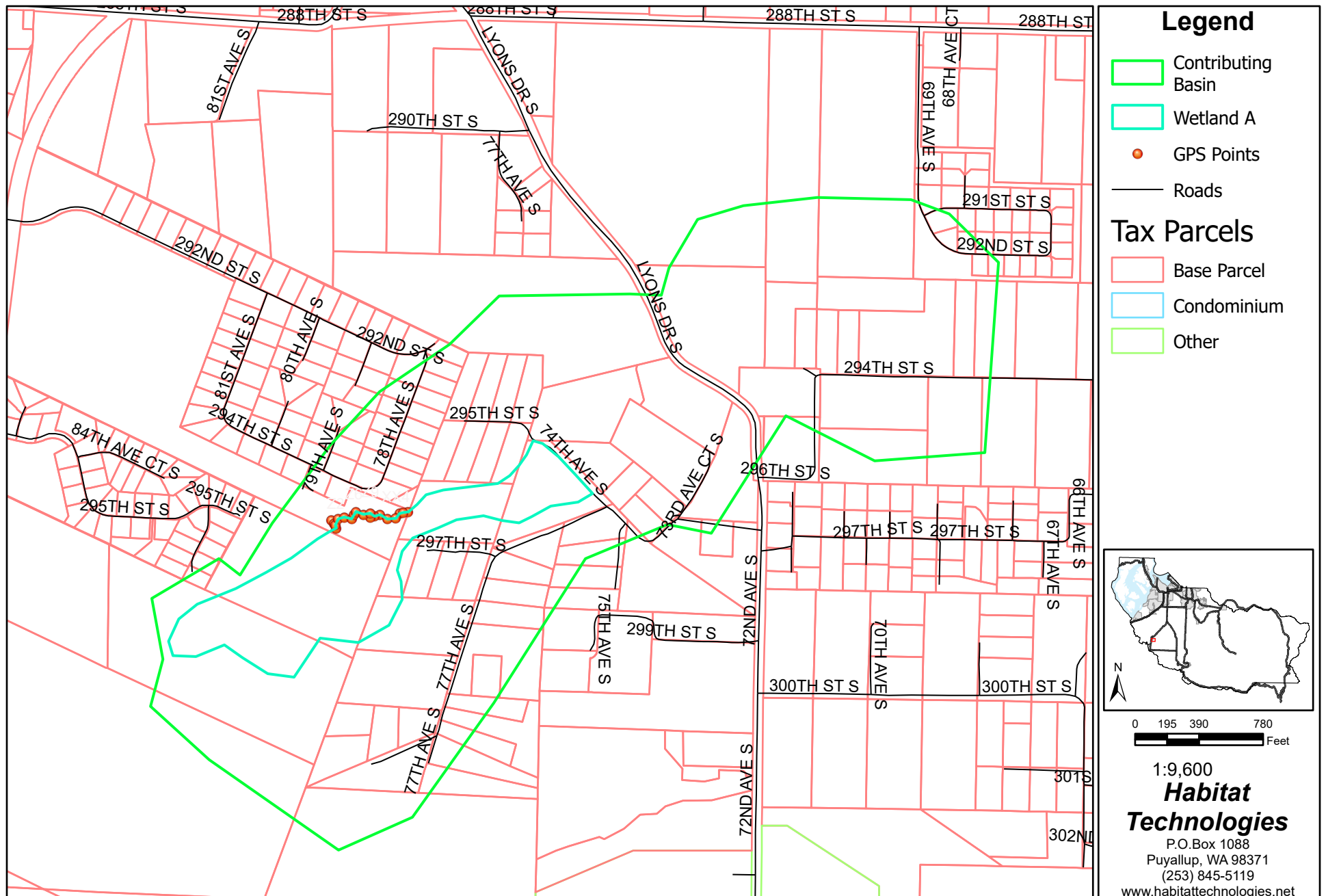
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Figure A2



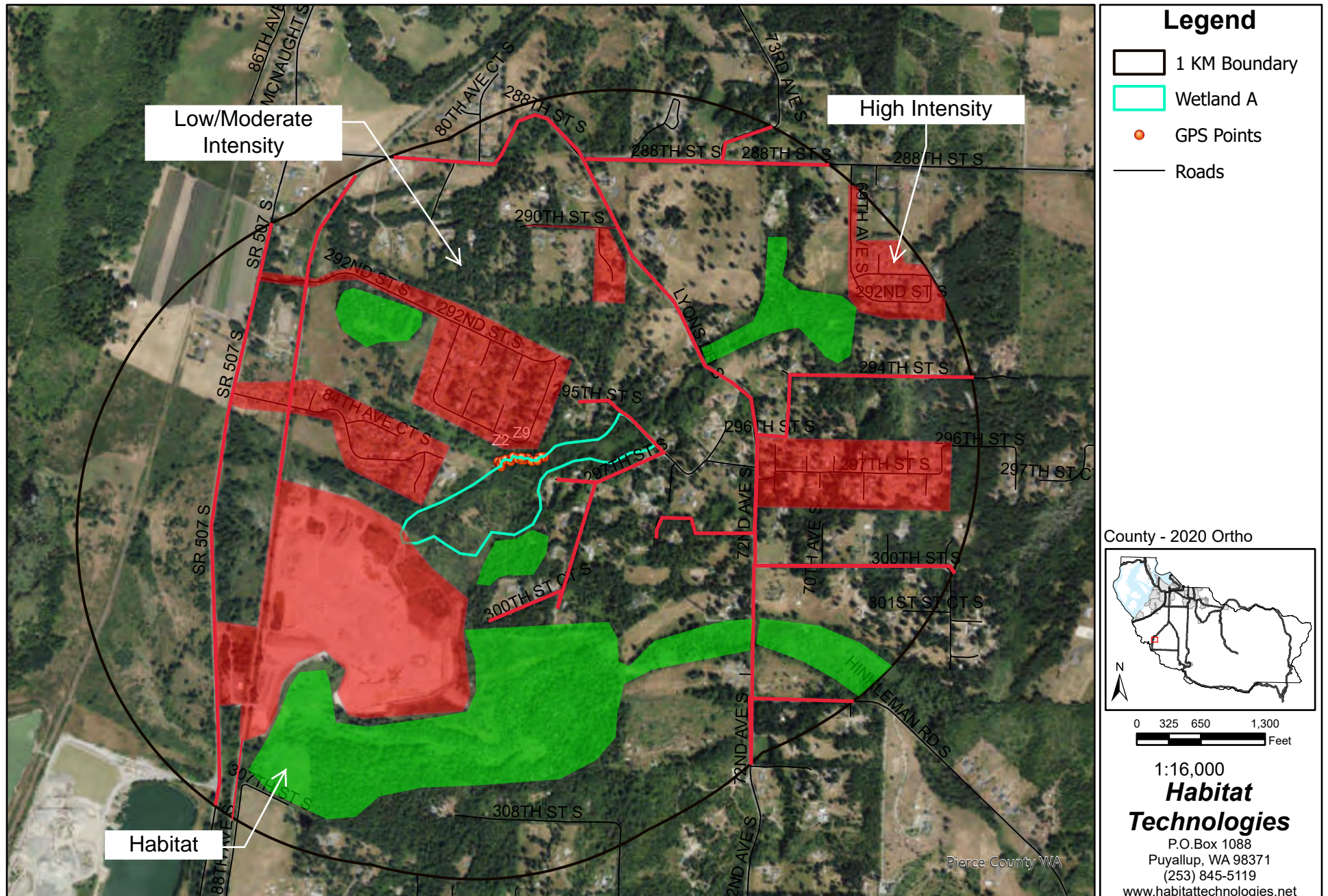
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Figure A3



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Figure A4



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Figure W1



**Assessed Water/Sediment**



Water

-  Category 5 - 303d
-  Category 4C
-  Category 4B
-  Category 4A
-  Category 2
-  Category 1

Sediment

-  Category 5 - 303d
-  Category 4C
-  Category 4B
-  Category 4A
-  Category 2
-  Category 1

**WQ Improvement Projects**

-  Approved
-  In Development

**Subbasins (12 digit HUCs)**

-  HUC boundary

Wetland name or number A

## RATING SUMMARY – Western Washington

Name of wetland (or ID #): Wetland A Date of site visit: 20 APR 2022

Rated by Habitat Technologies Trained by Ecology?  Yes  No Date of training 2014

HGM Class used for rating Depressional Wetland has multiple HGM classes?  Y  N

**NOTE: Form is not complete without the figures requested (figures can be combined).**

Source of base aerial photo/map Pierce County GIS

**OVERALL WETLAND CATEGORY 3** (based on functions  or special characteristics )

### 1. Category of wetland based on FUNCTIONS

**Category I** – Total score = 23 - 27

**Category II** – Total score = 20 - 22

**Category III** – Total score = 16 - 19

**Category IV** – Total score = 9 - 15

FUNCTION	Improving Water Quality	Hydrologic	Habitat	
<i>Circle the appropriate ratings</i>				
Site Potential	H <input type="checkbox"/> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> L	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> M L	H <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> L	
Landscape Potential	H <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> L	H <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> L	H <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> L	
Value	H <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> L	H <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> L	H M <input type="checkbox"/> L	<b>TOTAL</b>
<b>Score Based on Ratings</b>	6	7	5	18

**Score for each function based on three ratings (order of ratings is not important)**

9 = H,H,H

8 = H,H,M

7 = H,H,L

7 = H,M,M

6 = H,M,L

6 = M,M,M

5 = H,L,L

5 = M,M,L

4 = M,L,L

3 = L,L,L

### 2. Category based on SPECIAL CHARACTERISTICS of wetland

CHARACTERISTIC	CATEGORY
Estuarine	I II
Wetland of High Conservation Value	I
Bog	I
Mature Forest	I
Old Growth Forest	I
Coastal Lagoon	I II
Interdunal	I II III IV
None of the above	X

Wetland name or number  A

## Maps and figures required to answer questions correctly for Western Washington

### Depressional Wetlands

Map of:	To answer questions:	Figure #
Cowardin plant classes	D 1.3, H 1.1, H 1.4	A1
Hydroperiods	D 1.4, H 1.2	A2
Location of outlet ( <i>can be added to map of hydroperiods</i> )	D 1.1, D 4.1	A2
Boundary of area within 150 ft of the wetland ( <i>can be added to another figure</i> )	D 2.2, D 5.2	A2
Map of the contributing basin	D 4.3, D 5.3	A3
1 km Polygon: Area that extends 1 km from entire wetland edge - including polygons for accessible habitat and undisturbed habitat	H 2.1, H 2.2, H 2.3	A4
Screen capture of map of 303(d) listed waters in basin (from Ecology website)	D 3.1, D 3.2	W1
Screen capture of list of TMDLs for WRIA in which unit is found (from web)	D 3.3	W1

### Riverine Wetlands

Map of:	To answer questions:	Figure #
Cowardin plant classes	H 1.1, H 1.4	↑
Hydroperiods	H 1.2	↑
Ponded depressions	R 1.1	↑
Boundary of area within 150 ft of the wetland ( <i>can be added to another figure</i> )	R 2.4	↑
Plant cover of trees, shrubs, and herbaceous plants	R 1.2, R 4.2	↑
Width of unit vs. width of stream ( <i>can be added to another figure</i> )	R 4.1	N/A
Map of the contributing basin	R 2.2, R 2.3, R 5.2	↑
1 km Polygon: Area that extends 1 km from entire wetland edge - including polygons for accessible habitat and undisturbed habitat	H 2.1, H 2.2, H 2.3	↑
Screen capture of map of 303(d) listed waters in basin (from Ecology website)	R 3.1	↓
Screen capture of list of TMDLs for WRIA in which unit is found (from web)	R 3.2, R 3.3	↓

### Lake Fringe Wetlands

Map of:	To answer questions:	Figure #
Cowardin plant classes	L 1.1, L 4.1, H 1.1, H 1.4	↑
Plant cover of trees, shrubs, and herbaceous plants	L 1.2	↑
Boundary of area within 150 ft of the wetland ( <i>can be added to another figure</i> )	L 2.2	↑
1 km Polygon: Area that extends 1 km from entire wetland edge - including polygons for accessible habitat and undisturbed habitat	H 2.1, H 2.2, H 2.3	N/A
Screen capture of map of 303(d) listed waters in basin (from Ecology website)	L 3.1, L 3.2	↓
Screen capture of list of TMDLs for WRIA in which unit is found (from web)	L 3.3	↓

### Slope Wetlands

Map of:	To answer questions:	Figure #
Cowardin plant classes	H 1.1, H 1.4	↑
Hydroperiods	H 1.2	↑
Plant cover of <b>dense</b> trees, shrubs, and herbaceous plants	S 1.3	↑
Plant cover of <b>dense, rigid</b> trees, shrubs, and herbaceous plants ( <i>can be added to figure above</i> )	S 4.1	N/A
Boundary of 150 ft buffer ( <i>can be added to another figure</i> )	S 2.1, S 5.1	↑
1 km Polygon: Area that extends 1 km from entire wetland edge - including polygons for accessible habitat and undisturbed habitat	H 2.1, H 2.2, H 2.3	↑
Screen capture of map of 303(d) listed waters in basin (from Ecology website)	S 3.1, S 3.2	↓
Screen capture of list of TMDLs for WRIA in which unit is found (from web)	S 3.3	↓



## HGM Classification of Wetlands in Western Washington

For questions 1-7, the criteria described must apply to the entire unit being rated.

If the hydrologic criteria listed in each question do not apply to the entire unit being rated, you probably have a unit with multiple HGM classes. In this case, identify which hydrologic criteria in questions 1-7 apply, and go to Question 8.

1. Are the water levels in the entire unit usually controlled by tides except during floods?

NO – go to 2

YES – the wetland class is **Tidal Fringe** – go to 1.1

- 1.1 Is the salinity of the water during periods of annual low flow below 0.5 ppt (parts per thousand)?

NO – **Saltwater Tidal Fringe (Estuarine)**

YES – **Freshwater Tidal Fringe**

*If your wetland can be classified as a Freshwater Tidal Fringe use the forms for **Riverine** wetlands. If it is Saltwater Tidal Fringe it is an **Estuarine** wetland and is not scored. This method **cannot** be used to score functions for estuarine wetlands.*

2. The entire wetland unit is flat and precipitation is the only source (>90%) of water to it. Groundwater and surface water runoff are NOT sources of water to the unit.

NO – go to 3

YES – The wetland class is **Flats**

*If your wetland can be classified as a Flats wetland, use the form for **Depressional** wetlands.*

3. Does the entire wetland unit **meet all** of the following criteria?

The vegetated part of the wetland is on the shores of a body of permanent open water (without any plants on the surface at any time of the year) at least 20 ac (8 ha) in size;

At least 30% of the open water area is deeper than 6.6 ft (2 m).

NO – go to 4

YES – The wetland class is **Lake Fringe** (Lacustrine Fringe)

4. Does the entire wetland unit **meet all** of the following criteria?

The wetland is on a slope (*slope can be very gradual*),

The water flows through the wetland in one direction (unidirectional) and usually comes from seeps. It may flow subsurface, as sheetflow, or in a swale without distinct banks,

The water leaves the wetland **without being impounded**.

NO – go to 5

YES – The wetland class is **Slope**

**NOTE:** Surface water does not pond in these type of wetlands except occasionally in very small and shallow depressions or behind hummocks (depressions are usually <3 ft diameter and less than 1 ft deep).

5. Does the entire wetland unit **meet all** of the following criteria?

The unit is in a valley, or stream channel, where it gets inundated by overbank flooding from that stream or river,

The overbank flooding occurs at least once every 2 years.

Wetland name or number   A  

**NO – go to 6**

**YES – The wetland class is Riverine**

**NOTE:** The Riverine unit can contain depressions that are filled with water when the river is not flooding

6. Is the entire wetland unit in a topographic depression in which water ponds, or is saturated to the surface, at some time during the year? *This means that any outlet, if present, is higher than the interior of the wetland.*

NO – go to 7

**YES – The wetland class is Depressional**

7. Is the entire wetland unit located in a very flat area with no obvious depression and no overbank flooding? The unit does not pond surface water more than a few inches. The unit seems to be maintained by high groundwater in the area. The wetland may be ditched, but has no obvious natural outlet.

**NO – go to 8**

**YES – The wetland class is Depressional**

8. Your wetland unit seems to be difficult to classify and probably contains several different HGM classes. For example, seeps at the base of a slope may grade into a riverine floodplain, or a small stream within a Depressional wetland has a zone of flooding along its sides. **GO BACK AND IDENTIFY WHICH OF THE HYDROLOGIC REGIMES DESCRIBED IN QUESTIONS 1-7 APPLY TO DIFFERENT AREAS IN THE UNIT** (make a rough sketch to help you decide). Use the following table to identify the appropriate class to use for the rating system if you have several HGM classes present within the wetland unit being scored.

**NOTE:** Use this table only if the class that is recommended in the second column represents 10% or more of the total area of the wetland unit being rated. If the area of the HGM class listed in column 2 is less than 10% of the unit; classify the wetland using the class that represents more than 90% of the total area.

HGM classes within the wetland unit being rated	HGM class to use in rating
Slope + Riverine	Riverine
Slope + Depressional	Depressional
Slope + Lake Fringe	Lake Fringe
Depressional + Riverine along stream within boundary of depression	Depressional
Depressional + Lake Fringe	Depressional
Riverine + Lake Fringe	Riverine
Salt Water Tidal Fringe and any other class of freshwater wetland	Treat as ESTUARINE

*If you are still unable to determine which of the above criteria apply to your wetland, or if you have **more than 2 HGM classes** within a wetland boundary, classify the wetland as Depressional for the rating.*

Wetland name or number   A  

<b>DEPRESSIONAL AND FLATS WETLANDS</b>		
<b>Water Quality Functions - Indicators that the site functions to improve water quality</b>		
<b>D 1.0. Does the site have the potential to improve water quality?</b>		
D 1.1. <u>Characteristics of surface water outflows from the wetland:</u> Wetland is a depression or flat depression (QUESTION 7 on key) with no surface water leaving it (no outlet). Wetland has an intermittently flowing stream or ditch, OR highly constricted permanently flowing outlet. Wetland has an unconstricted, or slightly constricted, surface outlet that is permanently flowing Wetland is a flat depression (QUESTION 7 on key), whose outlet is a permanently flowing ditch.	points = 3 points = 2 points = 1 points = 1	<b>3</b>
D 1.2. <u>The soil 2 in below the surface (or duff layer) is true clay or true organic (use NRCS definitions).</u> Yes = 4 No = 0		<b>0</b>
D 1.3. <u>Characteristics and distribution of persistent plants (Emergent, Scrub-shrub, and/or Forested Cowardin classes):</u> Wetland has persistent, ungrazed, plants > 95% of area Wetland has persistent, ungrazed, plants > ½ of area Wetland has persistent, ungrazed plants > 1/10 of area Wetland has persistent, ungrazed plants < 1/10 of area	points = 5 points = 3 points = 1 points = 0	<b>3</b>
D 1.4. <u>Characteristics of seasonal ponding or inundation:</u> <i>This is the area that is ponded for at least 2 months. See description in manual.</i> Area seasonally ponded is > ½ total area of wetland Area seasonally ponded is > ¼ total area of wetland Area seasonally ponded is < ¼ total area of wetland	points = 4 points = 2 points = 0	<b>2</b>
<b>Total for D 1</b> Add the points in the boxes above		<b>8</b>

**Rating of Site Potential** If score is:    12-16 = H   X   6-11 = M    0-5 = L Record the rating on the first page

<b>D 2.0. Does the landscape have the potential to support the water quality function of the site?</b>		
D 2.1. Does the wetland unit receive stormwater discharges?	Yes = 1 No = 0	<b>0</b>
D 2.2. Is > 10% of the area within 150 ft of the wetland in land uses that generate pollutants?	Yes = 1 No = 0	<b>1</b>
D 2.3. Are there septic systems within 250 ft of the wetland?	Yes = 1 No = 0	<b>1</b>
D 2.4. Are there other sources of pollutants coming into the wetland that are not listed in questions D 2.1-D 2.3? Source _____	Yes = 1 No = 0	<b>0</b>
<b>Total for D 2</b> Add the points in the boxes above		<b>2</b>

**Rating of Landscape Potential** If score is:    3 or 4 = H   X   1 or 2 = M    0 = L Record the rating on the first page

<b>D 3.0. Is the water quality improvement provided by the site valuable to society?</b>		
D 3.1. Does the wetland discharge directly (i.e., within 1 mi) to a stream, river, lake, or marine water that is on the 303(d) list?	Yes = 1 No = 0	<b>0</b>
D 3.2. Is the wetland in a basin or sub-basin where an aquatic resource is on the 303(d) list?	Yes = 1 No = 0	<b>1</b>
D 3.3. Has the site been identified in a watershed or local plan as important for maintaining water quality (answer YES if there is a TMDL for the basin in which the unit is found)?	Yes = 2 No = 0	<b>0</b>
<b>Total for D 3</b> Add the points in the boxes above		<b>1</b>

**Rating of Value** If score is:    2-4 = H   X   1 = M    0 = L Record the rating on the first page

Wetland name or number A

**DEPRESSIONAL AND FLATS WETLANDS**

**Hydrologic Functions** - Indicators that the site functions to reduce flooding and stream degradation

D 4.0. Does the site have the potential to reduce flooding and erosion?		
D 4.1. Characteristics of surface water outflows from the wetland:		
Wetland is a depression or flat depression with no surface water leaving it (no outlet)	points = 4	4
Wetland has an intermittently flowing stream or ditch, OR highly constricted permanently flowing outlet	points = 2	
Wetland is a flat depression (QUESTION 7 on key), whose outlet is a permanently flowing ditch	points = 1	
Wetland has an unconstricted, or slightly constricted, surface outlet that is permanently flowing	points = 0	
D 4.2. Depth of storage during wet periods: Estimate the height of ponding above the bottom of the outlet. For wetlands with no outlet, measure from the surface of permanent water or if dry, the deepest part.		
Marks of ponding are 3 ft or more above the surface or bottom of outlet	points = 7	3
Marks of ponding between 2 ft to < 3 ft from surface or bottom of outlet	points = 5	
Marks are at least 0.5 ft to < 2 ft from surface or bottom of outlet	points = 3	
The wetland is a "headwater" wetland	points = 3	
Wetland is flat but has small depressions on the surface that trap water	points = 1	
Marks of ponding less than 0.5 ft (6 in)	points = 0	
D 4.3. Contribution of the wetland to storage in the watershed: Estimate the ratio of the area of upstream basin contributing surface water to the wetland to the area of the wetland unit itself.		
The area of the basin is less than 10 times the area of the unit	points = 5	5
The area of the basin is 10 to 100 times the area of the unit	points = 3	
The area of the basin is more than 100 times the area of the unit	points = 0	
Entire wetland is in the Flats class	points = 5	
Total for D 4	Add the points in the boxes above	12

**Rating of Site Potential** If score is: X 12-16 = H \_\_\_ 6-11 = M \_\_\_ 0-5 = L Record the rating on the first page

D 5.0. Does the landscape have the potential to support hydrologic functions of the site?		
D 5.1. Does the wetland receive stormwater discharges?	Yes = 1 No = 0	0
D 5.2. Is >10% of the area within 150 ft of the wetland in land uses that generate excess runoff?	Yes = 1 No = 0	1
D 5.3. Is more than 25% of the contributing basin of the wetland covered with intensive human land uses (residential at >1 residence/ac, urban, commercial, agriculture, etc.)?	Yes = 1 No = 0	0
Total for D 5	Add the points in the boxes above	1

**Rating of Landscape Potential** If score is: \_\_\_ 3 = H X 1 or 2 = M \_\_\_ 0 = L Record the rating on the first page

D 6.0. Are the hydrologic functions provided by the site valuable to society?		
D 6.1. The unit is in a landscape that has flooding problems. Choose the description that best matches conditions around the wetland unit being rated. Do not add points. Choose the highest score if more than one condition is met.		
The wetland captures surface water that would otherwise flow down-gradient into areas where flooding has damaged human or natural resources (e.g., houses or salmon redds):		1
• Flooding occurs in a sub-basin that is immediately down-gradient of unit.	points = 2	
• Surface flooding problems are in a sub-basin farther down-gradient.	points = 1	
Flooding from groundwater is an issue in the sub-basin.	points = 1	
The existing or potential outflow from the wetland is so constrained by human or natural conditions that the water stored by the wetland cannot reach areas that flood. Explain why _____	points = 0	
There are no problems with flooding downstream of the wetland.	points = 0	
D 6.2. Has the site been identified as important for flood storage or flood conveyance in a regional flood control plan?	Yes = 2 No = 0	0
Total for D 6	Add the points in the boxes above	1

**Rating of Value** If score is: \_\_\_ 2-4 = H X 1 = M \_\_\_ 0 = L Record the rating on the first page

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**These questions apply to wetlands of all HGM classes.**

**HABITAT FUNCTIONS** - Indicators that site functions to provide important habitat

H 1.0. Does the site have the potential to provide habitat?

H 1.1. Structure of plant community: *Indicators are Cowardin classes and strata within the Forested class. Check the Cowardin plant classes in the wetland. Up to 10 patches may be combined for each class to meet the threshold of ¼ ac or more than 10% of the unit if it is smaller than 2.5 ac. Add the number of structures checked.*

- |  |                                  |   |
|--|----------------------------------|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Aquatic bed   | 4 structures or more: points = 4 | 2 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Emergent  | 3 structures: points = 2         |   |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Scrub-shrub (areas where shrubs have > 30% cover)  | 2 structures: points = 1         |   |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Forested (areas where trees have > 30% cover)  | 1 structure: points = 0          |   |
| <i>If the unit has a Forested class, check if:</i>   |                                  |   |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Forested class has 3 out of 5 strata (canopy, sub-canopy, shrubs, herbaceous, moss/ground-cover) that each cover 20% within the Forested polygon |                                  |   |

H 1.2. Hydroperiods

Check the types of water regimes (hydroperiods) present within the wetland. The water regime has to cover more than 10% of the wetland or ¼ ac to count (*see text for descriptions of hydroperiods*).

- |  |                                     |   |
|--|-------------------------------------|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Permanently flooded or inundated                                    | 4 or more types present: points = 3 | 1 |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Seasonally flooded or inundated                          | 3 types present: points = 2         |   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Occasionally flooded or inundated                                   | 2 types present: points = 1         |   |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Saturated only   | 1 type present: points = 0          |   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Permanently flowing stream or river in, or adjacent to, the wetland |                                     |   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Seasonally flowing stream in, or adjacent to, the wetland           |                                     |   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Lake Fringe wetland</b>  | <b>2 points</b>                     |   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Freshwater tidal wetland</b>                                     | <b>2 points</b>                     |   |

H 1.3. Richness of plant species

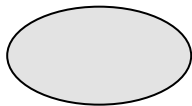
Count the number of plant species in the wetland that cover at least 10 ft<sup>2</sup>.

*Different patches of the same species can be combined to meet the size threshold and you do not have to name the species. Do not include Eurasian milfoil, reed canarygrass, purple loosestrife, Canadian thistle*

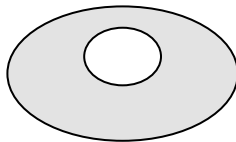
- |                              |            |   |
|------------------------------|------------|---|
| If you counted: > 19 species | points = 2 | 2 |
| 5 - 19 species               | points = 1 |   |
| < 5 species                  | points = 0 |   |

H 1.4. Interspersion of habitats

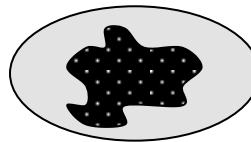
Decide from the diagrams below whether interspersion among Cowardin plants classes (described in H 1.1), or the classes and unvegetated areas (can include open water or mudflats) is high, moderate, low, or none. *If you have four or more plant classes or three classes and open water, the rating is always high.*



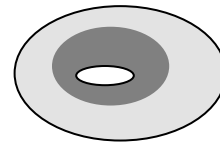
None = 0 points



Low = 1 point

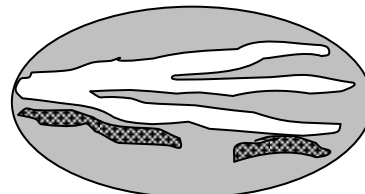
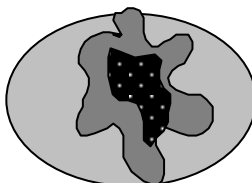
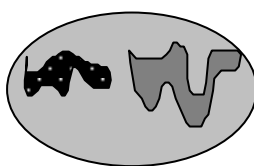


Moderate = 2 points



1

All three diagrams in this row are **HIGH** = 3points



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<p>H 1.5. Special habitat features:</p> <p>Check the habitat features that are present in the wetland. <i>The number of checks is the number of points.</i></p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Large, downed, woody debris within the wetland (&gt; 4 in diameter and 6 ft long).</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Standing snags (dbh &gt; 4 in) within the wetland</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Undercut banks are present for at least 6.6 ft (2 m) <b>and/or</b> overhanging plants extends at least 3.3 ft (1 m) over a stream (or ditch) in, or contiguous with the wetland, for at least 33 ft (10 m)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Stable steep banks of fine material that might be used by beaver or muskrat for denning (&gt; 30 degree slope) OR signs of recent beaver activity are present (<i>cut shrubs or trees that have not yet weathered where wood is exposed</i>)</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> At least ¼ ac of thin-stemmed persistent plants or woody branches are present in areas that are permanently or seasonally inundated (<i>structures for egg-laying by amphibians</i>)</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Invasive plants cover less than 25% of the wetland area in every stratum of plants (<i>see H 1.1 for list of strata</i>)</p>	4
<p>Total for H 1</p>	<p>Add the points in the boxes above</p> <p>10</p>

**Rating of Site Potential** If score is:   15-18   = H   X  7-14   = M   0-6   = L *Record the rating on the first page*

<p>H 2.0. Does the landscape have the potential to support the habitat functions of the site?</p>	
<p>H 2.1. Accessible habitat (include <i>only habitat that directly abuts wetland unit</i>).</p> <p><i>Calculate:</i>           % undisturbed habitat <u>  1  </u> + [(% moderate and low intensity land uses)/2] <u>  3  </u> = <u>  4  </u> %</p> <p>If total accessible habitat is:</p> <p>&gt; 1/3 (33.3%) of 1 km Polygon <span style="float: right;">points = 3</span></p> <p>20-33% of 1 km Polygon <span style="float: right;">points = 2</span></p> <p>10-19% of 1 km Polygon <span style="float: right;">points = 1</span></p> <p>&lt; 10% of 1 km Polygon <span style="float: right;">points = 0</span></p>	0
<p>H 2.2. Undisturbed habitat in 1 km Polygon around the wetland.</p> <p><i>Calculate:</i>           % undisturbed habitat <u>  12  </u> + [(% moderate and low intensity land uses)/2] <u>  36  </u> = <u>  48  </u> %</p> <p>Undisturbed habitat &gt; 50% of Polygon <span style="float: right;">points = 3</span></p> <p>Undisturbed habitat 10-50% and in 1-3 patches <span style="float: right;">points = 2</span></p> <p>Undisturbed habitat 10-50% and &gt; 3 patches <span style="float: right;">points = 1</span></p> <p>Undisturbed habitat &lt; 10% of 1 km Polygon <span style="float: right;">points = 0</span></p>	1
<p>H 2.3. Land use intensity in 1 km Polygon: If</p> <p>&gt; 50% of 1 km Polygon is high intensity land use <span style="float: right;">points = (- 2)</span></p> <p>≤ 50% of 1 km Polygon is high intensity <span style="float: right;">points = 0</span></p>	0
<p>Total for H 2</p>	<p>Add the points in the boxes above</p> <p>1</p>

**Rating of Landscape Potential** If score is:   4-6   = H   X  1-3   = M   < 1   = L *Record the rating on the first page*

<p>H 3.0. Is the habitat provided by the site valuable to society?</p>	
<p>H 3.1. Does the site provide habitat for species valued in laws, regulations, or policies? <i>Choose only the highest score that applies to the wetland being rated.</i></p> <p>Site meets ANY of the following criteria: <span style="float: right;">points = 2</span></p> <p>— It has 3 or more priority habitats within 100 m (see next page)</p> <p>— It provides habitat for Threatened or Endangered species (any plant or animal on the state or federal lists)</p> <p>— It is mapped as a location for an individual WDFW priority species</p> <p>— It is a Wetland of High Conservation Value as determined by the Department of Natural Resources</p> <p>— It has been categorized as an important habitat site in a local or regional comprehensive plan, in a Shoreline Master Plan, or in a watershed plan</p> <p>Site has 1 or 2 priority habitats (listed on next page) within 100 m <span style="float: right;">points = 1</span></p> <p>Site does not meet any of the criteria above <span style="float: right;">points = 0</span></p>	0

**Rating of Value** If score is:   2   = H   1   = M   X  0   = L *Record the rating on the first page*

## WDFW Priority Habitats

Priority habitats listed by WDFW (see complete descriptions of WDFW priority habitats, and the counties in which they can be found, in: Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife. 2008. Priority Habitat and Species List. Olympia, Washington. 177 pp. <http://wdfw.wa.gov/publications/00165/wdfw00165.pdf> or access the list from here: <http://wdfw.wa.gov/conservation/phs/list/>)

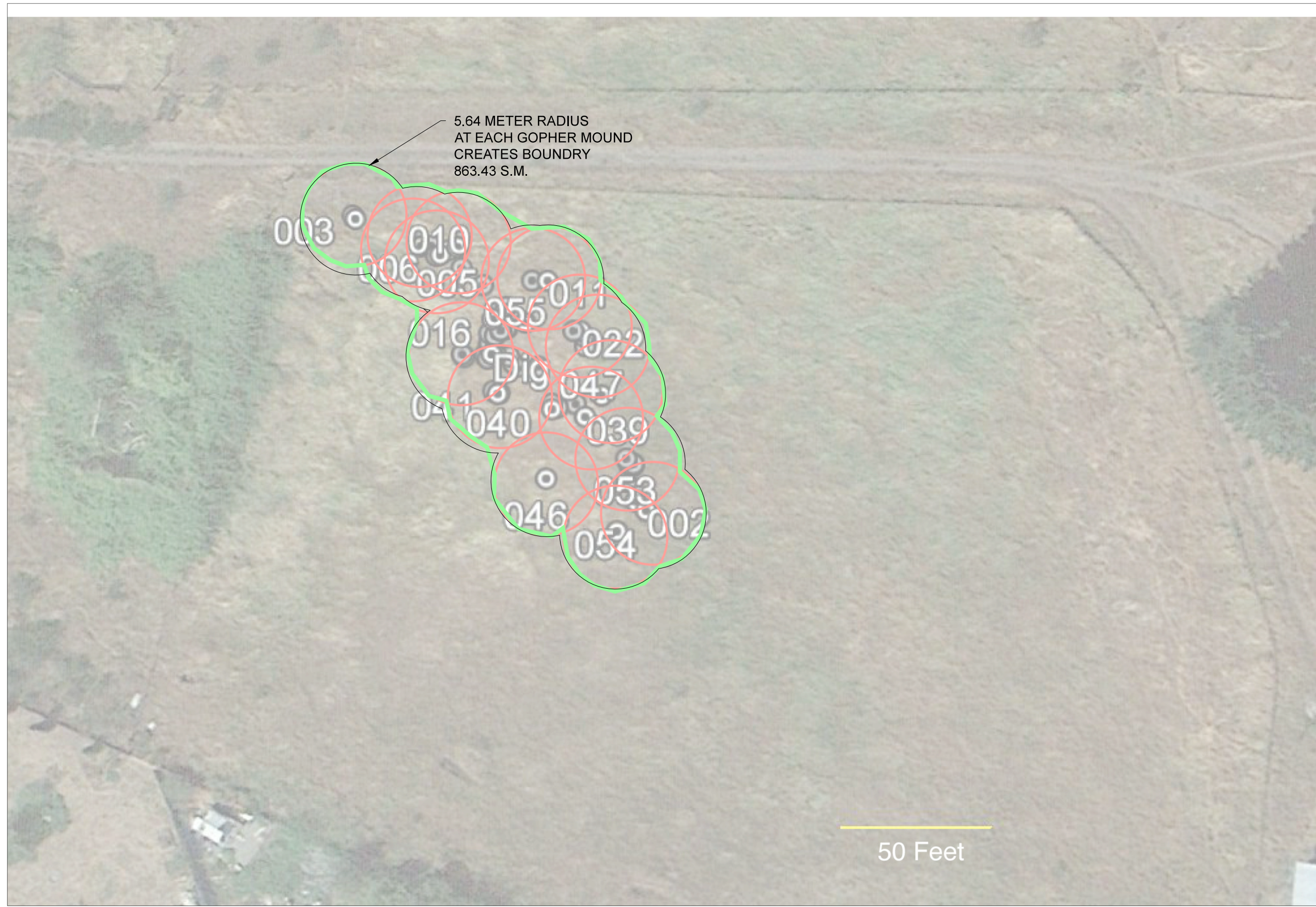
Count how many of the following priority habitats are within 330 ft (100 m) of the wetland unit: **NOTE:** *This question is independent of the land use between the wetland unit and the priority habitat.*

- **Aspen Stands:** Pure or mixed stands of aspen greater than 1 ac (0.4 ha).
- **Biodiversity Areas and Corridors:** Areas of habitat that are relatively important to various species of native fish and wildlife (*full descriptions in WDFW PHS report*).
- **Herbaceous Balds:** Variable size patches of grass and forbs on shallow soils over bedrock.
- **Old-growth/Mature forests:** Old-growth west of Cascade crest – Stands of at least 2 tree species, forming a multi-layered canopy with occasional small openings; with at least 8 trees/ac (20 trees/ha ) > 32 in (81 cm) dbh or > 200 years of age. Mature forests – Stands with average diameters exceeding 21 in (53 cm) dbh; crown cover may be less than 100%; decay, decadence, numbers of snags, and quantity of large downed material is generally less than that found in old-growth; 80-200 years old west of the Cascade crest.
- **Oregon White Oak:** Woodland stands of pure oak or oak/conifer associations where canopy coverage of the oak component is important (*full descriptions in WDFW PHS report p. 158 – see web link above*).
- **Riparian:** The area adjacent to aquatic systems with flowing water that contains elements of both aquatic and terrestrial ecosystems which mutually influence each other.
- **Westside Prairies:** Herbaceous, non-forested plant communities that can either take the form of a dry prairie or a wet prairie (*full descriptions in WDFW PHS report p. 161 – see web link above*).
- **Instream:** The combination of physical, biological, and chemical processes and conditions that interact to provide functional life history requirements for instream fish and wildlife resources.
- **Nearshore:** Relatively undisturbed nearshore habitats. These include Coastal Nearshore, Open Coast Nearshore, and Puget Sound Nearshore. (*full descriptions of habitats and the definition of relatively undisturbed are in WDFW report – see web link on previous page*).
- **Caves:** A naturally occurring cavity, recess, void, or system of interconnected passages under the earth in soils, rock, ice, or other geological formations and is large enough to contain a human.
- **Cliffs:** Greater than 25 ft (7.6 m) high and occurring below 5000 ft elevation.
- **Talus:** Homogenous areas of rock rubble ranging in average size 0.5 - 6.5 ft (0.15 - 2.0 m), composed of basalt, andesite, and/or sedimentary rock, including riprap slides and mine tailings. May be associated with cliffs.
- **Snags and Logs:** Trees are considered snags if they are dead or dying and exhibit sufficient decay characteristics to enable cavity excavation/use by wildlife. Priority snags have a diameter at breast height of > 20 in (51 cm) in western Washington and are > 6.5 ft (2 m) in height. Priority logs are > 12 in (30 cm) in diameter at the largest end, and > 20 ft (6 m) long.

**Note:** All vegetated wetlands are by definition a priority habitat but are not included in this list because they are addressed elsewhere.

## **APPENDIX C – 2008 Gopher Occupied Area**





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## PHOTOS



Prior managed pasture in the southwestern portion of the project site.



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