Teanaway Community Forest Advisory Committee

11 September 2014

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Stream Restoration Priorities

- Federally listed: Steelhead and/or Bull Trout
 - Currently Present
 - Production potential (number of fish produced)
- Degree of degradation (existing condition)
 - Rate of Incision is degradation on-going?
 - likelihood of success short and long term

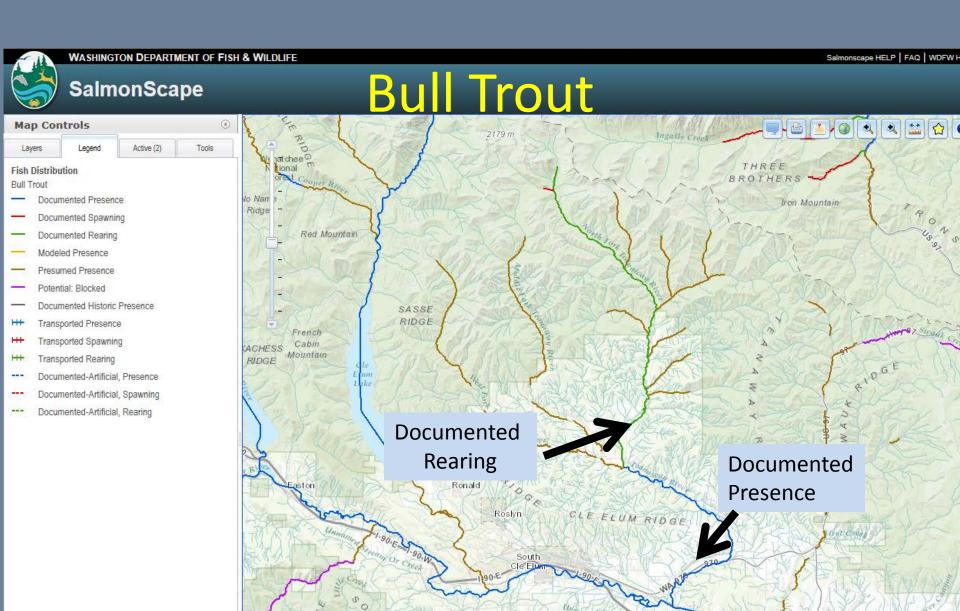


Steelhead on redd

Build success in tributaries before going to mainstem

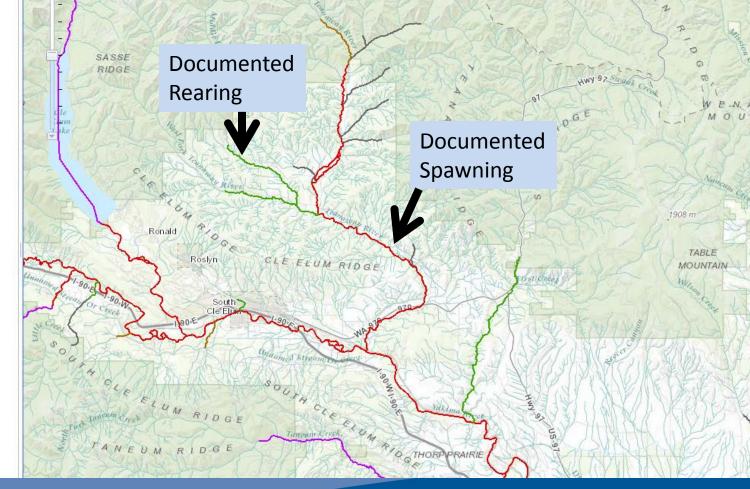






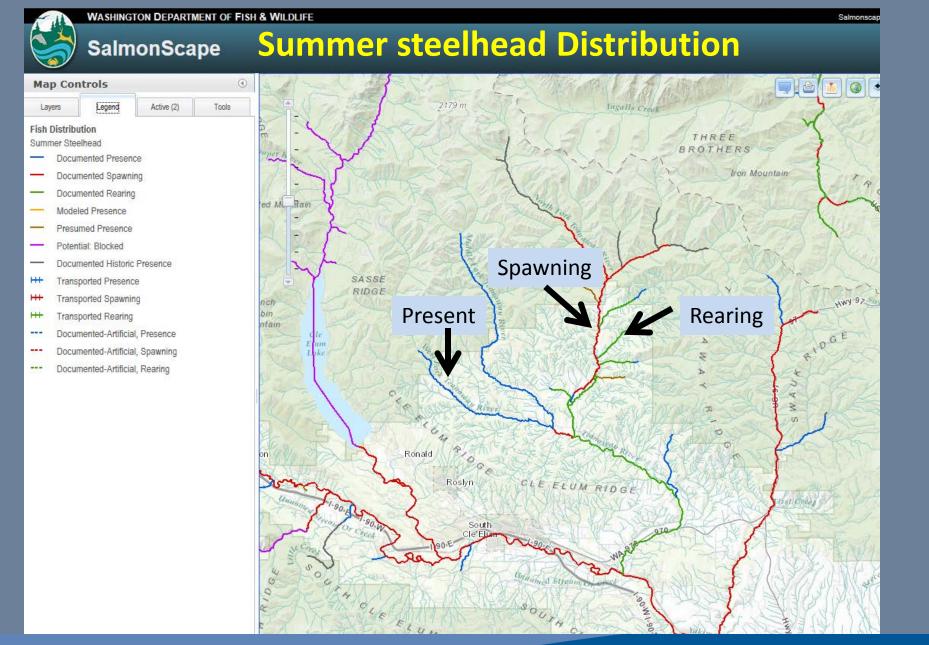












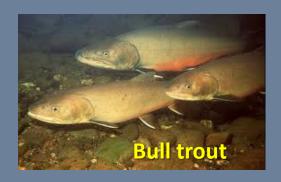




High Priority Streams

1. Stafford Creek

- Bull trout (rearing juveniles)
- Steelhead



2. Indian Creek

- Steelhead
- High potential
- Road already realigned
- On-going project







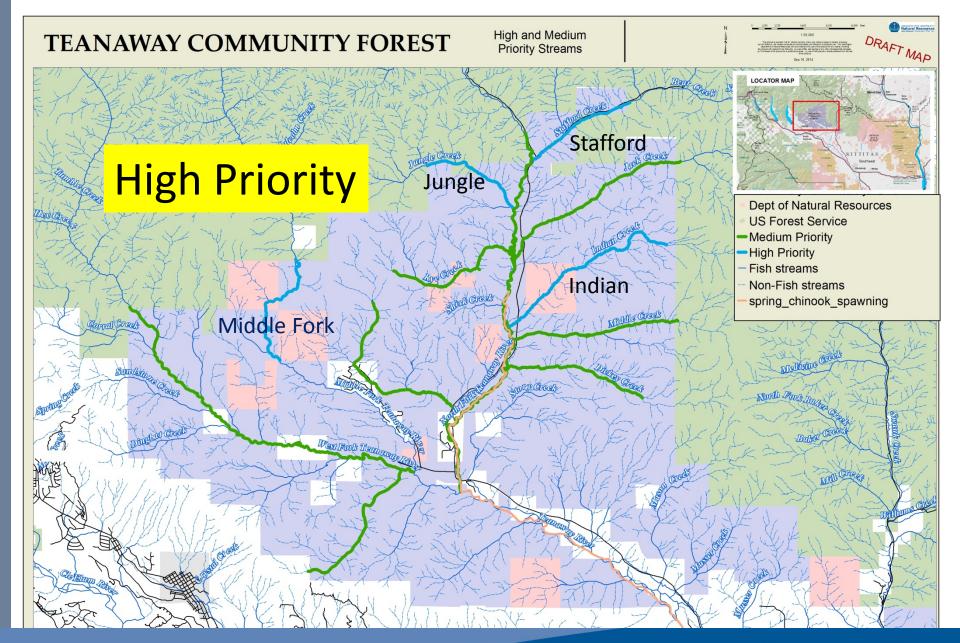
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- 3. Jungle Creek
 - High biological payback
 - Includes USFS land



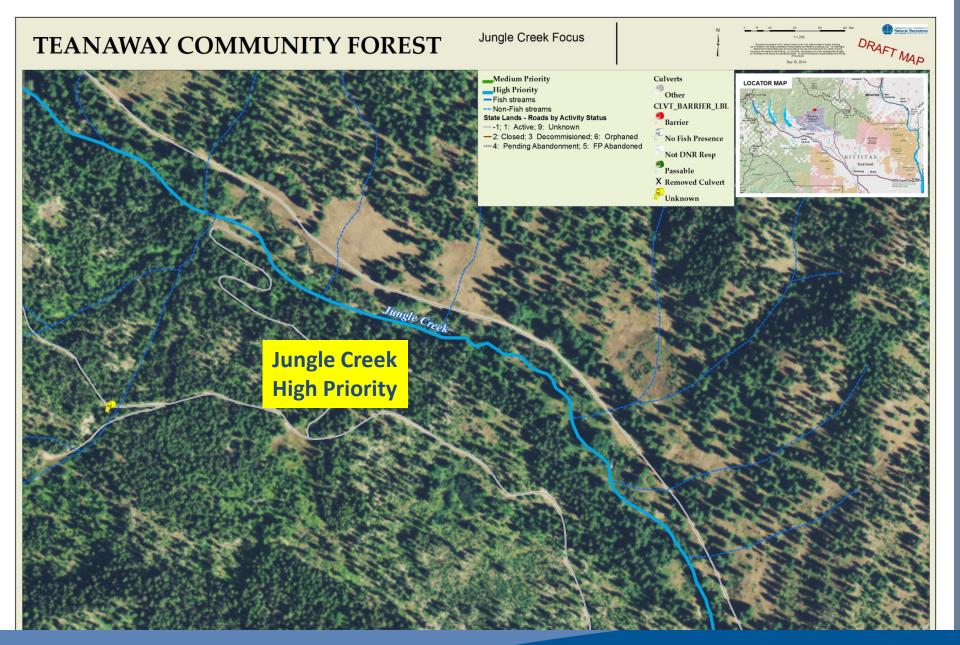
- 4. Middle Fork Teanaway River (above Indian Camp)
 - High potential for restoration success











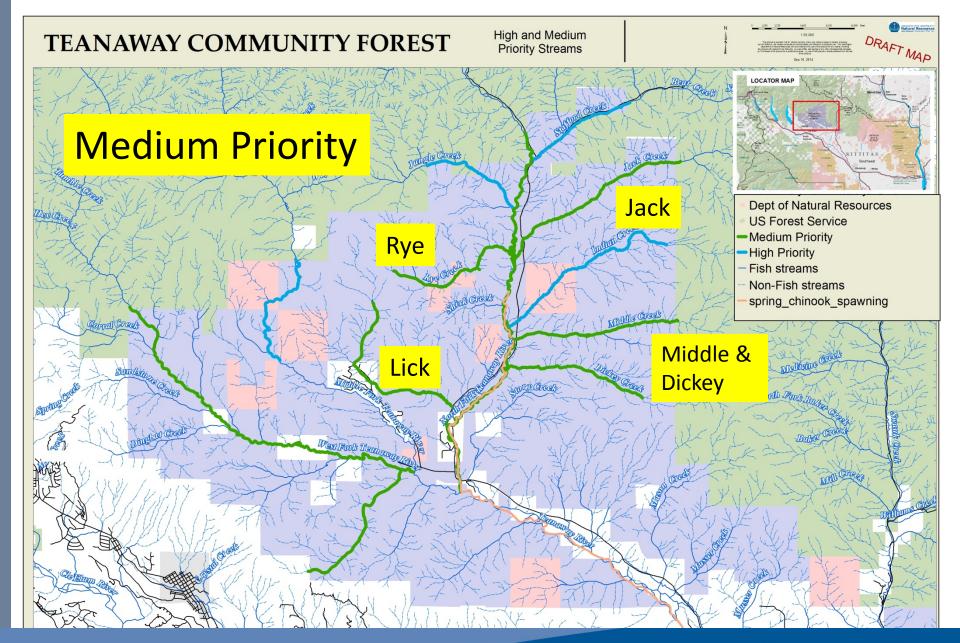






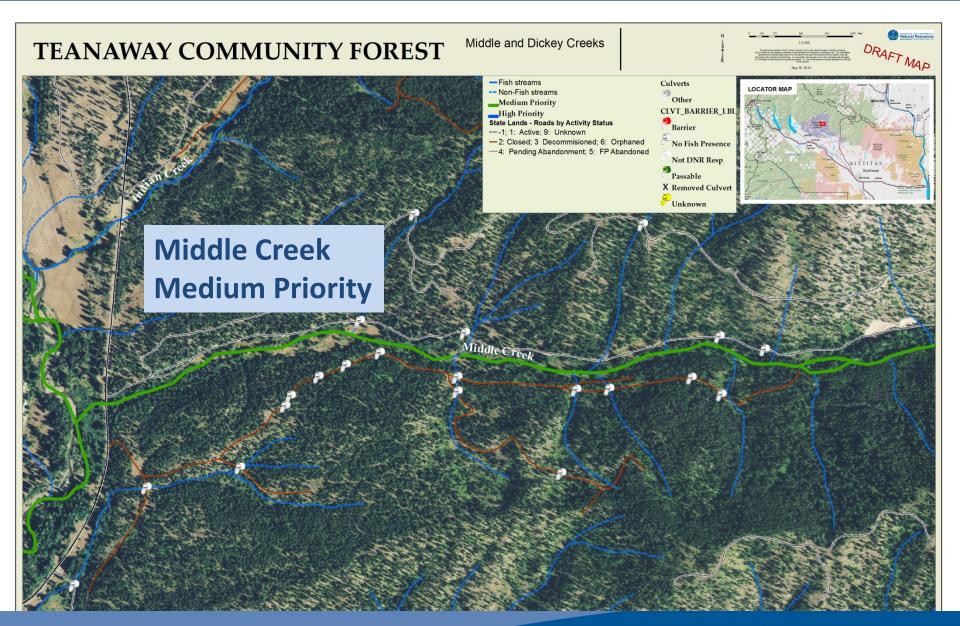
















Stream Priority & Crosswalk

- Roads & Streams
- Grazing & Streams
- Trails & Streams
- Campgrounds & Streams
- ??? & Streams



