

VSP 5 Year Report for Okanogan County

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PROTECTION Goals

- The watershed work group asserts that the work plan's PROTECTION goals and benchmarks have been met during the past five years.
- The watershed work group asserts that the work plan's PROTECTION goals and benchmarks have NOT been met during the past five years.

ENHANCEMENT Goals

- The watershed work group asserts that the work plan's ENHANCEMENT goals and benchmarks have been met during the past five years.
- The watershed work group asserts that the work plan's ENHANCEMENT goals and benchmarks have NOT been met during the past five years.

Strategies and Performance Metrics, Benchmark Results and Monitoring

Goal: 1 - Protect critical areas through voluntary measures.

Benchmark: 1 - No net loss of implemented soil, water, nutrient, pest, range or habitat management practices.

Critical Aquifer Recharge

48 - Methow

Strategy/Metric Description

Benchmarks are measured county-wide for soil management practices. Practices within each WRIA were recorded.

Accomplishment

69.1 acres of soil management practices were installed and documented in the Methow WRIA, contributing to the county total of 1,550 acres. The county benchmark of 135 acres was exceeded.

Status

Exceeded

Please review the supplement submitted with this 5-Year Report for a brief introduction and a summary table of all practice implementation and benchmarks.

Benchmarks are measured county-wide for water management practices. Practices within each WRIA were recorded.

262.5 acres of water management practices were documented, contributing to the county totals of 1,386 acres and 13 units. The county benchmark is 135 acres

Exceeded

and less than one unit.

Benchmarks are measured county-wide for nutrient management practices. Practices within each WRIA were recorded. **90.9 acres of acres** of nutrient management practices were documented, contributing to the county total of 1,034 acres and one facility. The county benchmark of 135 acres. Exceeded

Benchmarks are measured county-wide for pest management practices. Practices within each WRIA were recorded. 1.4 acres of pest management practices (integrated pest management) were documented, contributing to the county total of 2,597 acres. The county benchmark is 1,110 acres. Exceeded

Benchmarks are measured county-wide for range management practices. Practices within each WRIA were recorded. 3,435.3 acres of range management practices were documented, contributing to the county totals of 46,136 acres, 29 units and 0 feet. The county benchmark is 1,750 acres, 3.5 units and 35 feet (feet of Access Road metric was not met). Not met

Benchmarks are measured county-wide for habitat management practices. Practices within each WRIA were recorded. 465.25 acres, 0.63 miles and 24 units of habitat management practices were documented, contributing to the county totals of 1,127 acres, 3.0 miles and 535 habitat structures. In total, the county benchmark is 880 acres, 0.85 miles, and <1 project. Three culverts were improved for fish passage. Exceeded

Benchmark Met?

Yes No

Comments

The protection benchmarks for soil management, water management, nutrient management, pest management, and habitat management were all exceeded. For range management practices, the targets for acres and units of practices were met (prescribed grazing and watering facilities, for example) but the target for Access Road of 35 feet was not met.

Benchmarks are not associated with specific critical areas because conservation practices have multiple natural resource benefits (Okanogan County VSP Work Plan, pg 117).

To address the adaptive management for the 'Access Road' metric without repetitive entries in this report template, this entry will be the only one marked as "No" for the question 'Benchmark Met?' regarding the 'Access Road'. Benchmarks were established County-wide, and are the same for all critical areas and WRIsAs.

Adaptive Management?

Yes No

Re-evaluate 'Access Road' as a metric for its value as a Key Stewardship Practice and protection metric. If the metric is maintained, collect implementation data via stewardship checklists.

Benchmark Monitoring

All documented practices were planned and installed with assistance from NRCS or Okanogan CD Planners or organizations working with

Monitoring sufficient?

Yes No

individuals on fish habitat recovery projects. The projects and practices in this report included site specific, on-the ground elements for their plans. Each project was planned to NRCS specification and/or with specific habitat improvement goals.

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Fish and Wildlife Habitat

48 - Methow

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resource benefits.

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Monitoring sufficient?

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Frequently Flooded
48 - Methow

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Monitoring sufficient?

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Geologic Hazard

48 - Methow

Strategy/Metric Description

Accomplishment

Status

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All protection metrics and measures reported in previous sections for the Methow WRIA apply to protect geologically hazardous areas.

Met

Benchmark Met?

Comments

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Wetlands

48 - Methow

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Critical Aquifer Recharge

49 - Okanogan

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Adaptive Management?

Yes No

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this report. The Adaptive Management related to the Access Road metric is the same for all critical areas and WRIAs.

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Frequently Flooded

49 - Okanogan

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Wetlands

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Adaptive Management?

Yes No

Benchmark Monitoring

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Monitoring sufficient?

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Critical Aquifer Recharge

50 - Foster

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Benchmarks are measured county-wide for soil management practices. Practices within each WRIA were recorded.	996 acres of soil management practices were documented in the Foster WRIA, contributing to the county total of 1,550 acres. The county benchmark of 135 acres was exceeded.	Met
Benchmarks are measured county-wide for pest, nutrient, range and water management practices. Practices within each WRIA were recorded.	0 practices were documented towards pest, nutrient, range and water management in the Foster WRIA. All VSP benchmarks were met for the County, except for the Access Road measure for range management.	Met
Benchmarks are measured county-wide for habitat management practices. Practices within each WRIA were recorded.	Two culverts were improved for fish passage. The county benchmark of 880 acres, 0.85 miles, and <1 project was exceeded; the county total is 1,127 acres, 3.0 miles and 535 habitat structures.	Met

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Foster Creek is completely within the Colville Reservation. Adaptive management is needed to address the application of VSP on private land within the Reservation. This entry (Foster/Critical Aquifer Recharge) is the only entry which will be checked for 'Adaptive Management?' to avoid repetition in the 5-Year Report, but the task will apply to all critical areas in the WRIA.

Adaptive Management?

Yes No

The Foster WRIA is completely within the Reservation. Okanogan CD and Okanogan County Planning Department will re-engage with the Colville Confederates Tribes about applying VSP within the Reservation. Currently, the County defers to the Tribes' Planning Department and natural resource programs to monitor and protect critical areas on the Reservation.

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Monitoring sufficient?

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Fish and Wildlife Habitat

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50 - Foster

<u>Strategy/Metric Description</u>	<u>Accomplishment</u>	<u>Status</u>
Benchmarks are measured county-wide for soil management practices. Practices within each WRIA were recorded.	996 acres of soil management practices were documented in the Foster WRIA, contributing to the county total of 1,550 acres. The county benchmark of 135 acres was exceeded.	Met
Benchmarks are measured county-wide for pest, nutrient, range and water management practices. Practices within each WRIA were recorded.	0 practices were documented towards pest, nutrient, range and water management in the Foster WRIA. All VSP benchmarks were met for the County, except for the Access Road measure for range management.	Met
Benchmarks are measured county-wide for habitat management practices. Practices within each WRIA were recorded.	Two culverts were improved for fish passage. The county benchmark of 880 acres, 0.85 miles, and <1 project was exceeded; the county total is 1,127 acres, 3.0 miles and 535 habitat structures.	Met

Benchmark Met?

Comments

Adaptive Management?

Yes No

Yes No

The County's protection benchmarks for soil management, water management, nutrient management, pest management, and habitat management were all exceeded. For range management practices, the targets for acres and units of practices were met (prescribed grazing and watering facilities, for example) but the target for Access Road of 35 feet was not met.

Benchmarks are not associated with specific critical areas because conservation practices have multiple natural resource benefits.

Benchmark Monitoring

Monitoring sufficient?

All documented practices were planned and installed with assistance from NRCS or Okanogan CD Planners or organizations working with individuals on fish habitat recovery projects. The projects and practices in this report included site specific, on-the ground elements for their plans. Each project was planned to NRCS specification and/or with specific habitat improvement goals.

Yes No

Goal: 1 - Protect critical areas through voluntary measures.

Benchmark: 1 - No net loss of implemented soil, water, nutrient, pest, range or habitat management practices.

Frequently Flooded

50 - Foster

<u>Strategy/Metric Description</u>	<u>Accomplishment</u>	<u>Status</u>
Benchmarks are measured county-wide for habitat management practices. Practices within each WRIA were recorded.	Two culverts were improved for fish passage. The county benchmark of 880 acres, 0.85 miles, and <1 project was exceeded; the county total is 1,127 acres, 3.0 miles and 535 habitat structures.	Met
Benchmarks are measured county-wide for pest, nutrient, range and water management practices. Practices within each WRIA were recorded.	0 practices were documented towards pest, nutrient, range and water management in the Foster WRIA. All VSP benchmarks were met for the County, except for the Access Road measure for range management.	Met
Benchmarks are measured county-wide for soil management practices. Practices within each WRIA were recorded.	996 acres of soil management practices were documented in the Foster WRIA, contributing to the county total of 1,550 acres. The county benchmark of 135 acres was exceeded.	Met

Benchmark Met?

Yes No

Comments

The County's protection benchmarks for soil management, water management, nutrient management, pest management, and habitat management were all exceeded. For range management practices, the targets for acres and units of practices were met (prescribed grazing and watering facilities, for example) but the target for Access Road of 35 feet was not met.

Benchmarks are not associated with specific critical areas because conservation practices have multiple natural resource benefits.

Adaptive Management?

Yes No

Benchmark Monitoring

All documented practices were planned and installed with assistance from NRCS or Okanogan CD Planners or organizations working with individuals on fish habitat recovery projects. The projects and practices in this report included site specific, on-the ground elements for their plans. Each project was planned to NRCS specification and/or with specific habitat improvement goals.

Monitoring sufficient?

Yes No

Goal: 1 - Protect critical areas through voluntary measures.

Benchmark: 1 - No net loss of implemented soil, water, nutrient, pest, range or habitat management practices.

Geologic Hazard

50 - Foster

<u>Strategy/Metric Description</u>	<u>Accomplishment</u>	<u>Status</u>
Benchmarks are measured county-wide for soil management practices. Practices within each WRIA were recorded.	996 acres of soil management practices were documented in the Foster WRIA, contributing to the county total of 1,550 acres. The county benchmark of 135 acres was exceeded.	Met
Benchmarks are measured county-wide for pest, nutrient, range and water management practices. Practices within each WRIA were recorded.	0 practices were documented towards pest, nutrient, range and water management in the Foster WRIA. All VSP benchmarks were met for the County, except for the Access Road measure for range management.	Met
Benchmarks are measured county-wide for habitat management practices. Practices within each WRIA were recorded.	Two culverts were improved for fish passage. The county benchmark of 880 acres, 0.85 miles, and <1 project was exceeded; the county total is 1,127 acres, 3.0 miles and 535 habitat structures.	Met

Benchmark Met?

Yes No

Comments

The County's protection benchmarks for soil management, water management, nutrient management, pest management, and habitat management were all exceeded. For range management practices, the targets for acres and units of practices were met (prescribed grazing and watering facilities, for example) but the target for Access Road of 35 feet was not met.

Benchmarks are not associated with specific critical areas because conservation practices have multiple natural resource benefits.

Adaptive Management?

Yes No

Benchmark Monitoring

All documented practices were planned and installed with assistance from NRCS or Okanogan CD Planners or organizations working with individuals on fish habitat recovery projects. The projects and practices in this report included site specific, on-the ground elements for their plans. Each project was planned to NRCS specification and/or with specific habitat improvement goals.

Monitoring sufficient?

Yes No

Goal: 1 - Protect critical areas through voluntary measures.

Benchmark: 1 - No net loss of implemented soil, water, nutrient, pest, range or habitat management practices.

Wetlands

50 - Foster

Strategy/Metric Description

Accomplishment

Status

Benchmarks are measured county-wide for soil management practices. Practices within each WRIA were recorded.

996 acres of soil management practices were documented in the Foster WRIA, contributing to the county total of 1,550 acres. The county benchmark of 135 acres was exceeded.

Exceeded

Benchmarks are measured county-wide for habitat management practices. Practices within each WRIA were recorded.

Two culverts were improved for fish passage. The county benchmark of 880 acres, 0.85 miles, and <1 project was exceeded; the county total is 1,127 acres, 3.0 miles and 535 habitat structures.

Exceeded

Benchmarks are measured county-wide for pest, nutrient, range and water management practices. Practices within each WRIA were recorded.

0 practices were documented towards pest, nutrient, range and water management in the Foster WRIA. All VSP benchmarks were met for the County, except for the Access Road measure for range management.

Not met

Benchmark Met?

Comments

Adaptive Management?

Yes No

The County's protection benchmarks for soil management, water management, nutrient management, pest management, and habitat management were all exceeded. For range management practices, the targets for acres and units of practices were met (prescribed grazing and watering facilities, for example) but the target for Access Road of 35 feet was not met.

Yes No

Benchmarks are not associated with specific critical areas because conservation practices have multiple natural resource benefits.

Benchmark Monitoring

Monitoring sufficient?

All documented practices were planned and installed with assistance from NRCS or Okanogan CD Planners or organizations working with individuals on fish habitat recovery projects. The projects and practices in this report included site specific, on-the ground elements for their plans. Each project was planned to NRCS specification and/or with specific habitat improvement goals.

Yes No

Goal: 1 - Protect critical areas through voluntary measures.
Benchmark: 1 - No net loss of implemented soil, water, nutrient, pest, range or habitat management practices.

Critical Aquifer Recharge
51 - Nespelem

<u>Strategy/Metric Description</u>	<u>Accomplishment</u>	<u>Status</u>
Benchmarks are measured County-wide for six stewardship practice categories: Soil, Water, Nutrient, Pest, Range and Habitat. Practices are documented by WRIA.	No practices were documented in the Nespelem WRIA. All county protection benchmarks were exceeded, except the Access Road metric, a small component of the range management practice type (as documented in other entries of this report).	Met

<u>Benchmark Met?</u>	<u>Comments</u>	<u>Adaptive Management?</u>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<p>The County's protection benchmarks for soil management, water management, nutrient management, pest management, and habitat management were all exceeded. For range management practices, the targets for acres and units of practices were met (prescribed grazing and watering facilities, for example) but the target for Access Road of 35 feet was not met.</p> <p>Benchmarks are not associated with specific critical areas because conservation practices have multiple natural resource benefits.</p> <p>The Nespelem WRIA is completely within the Colville Reservation. Adaptive management is needed to address the application of VSPon private land within the Reservation. This entry (Foster/Critical Aquifer Recharge) is the only entry which will be checked for 'Adaptive Management?' to avoid repetition in the 5-Year Report, but the task will apply to all critical areas in the WRIA.</p>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <p>The Nespelem WRIA is completely within the Reservation. Okanogan CD and Okanogan County Planning Department will re-engage with the Colville Confederates Tribes about applying VSP within the Reservation. Currently, the County defers to the Tribes' Planning Department and natural resource programs to monitor and protect critical areas on the Reservation.</p>

<u>Benchmark Monitoring</u>	<u>Monitoring sufficient?</u>
All documented practices were planned and installed with assistance from NRCS or Okanogan CD Planners or organizations working with individuals on fish habitat recovery projects. The projects and practices in this report included site specific, on-the-ground elements for their plans. Each project was planned to NRCS specification and/or with specific habitat improvement goals.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

Goal: 1 - Protect critical areas through voluntary measures.

Fish and Wildlife Habitat

Benchmark: 1 - No net loss of implemented soil, water, nutrient, pest, range or habitat management practices.

51 - Nespelem

Strategy/Metric Description

Accomplishment

Status

Benchmarks are measured County-wide for six stewardship practice categories: Soil, Water, Nutrient, Pest, Range and Habitat. Practices are documented by WRIA.

No practices were documented in the Nespelem WRIA. All county protection benchmarks were exceeded, except the Access Road metric, a small component of the range management practice type (as documented in other entries of this report).

Met

Benchmark Met?

Comments

Adaptive Management?

Yes No

Yes No

The County's protection benchmarks for soil management, water management, nutrient management, pest management, and habitat management were all exceeded. For range management practices, the targets for acres and units of practices were met (prescribed grazing and watering facilities, for example) but the target for Access Road of 35 feet was not met.

Benchmarks are not associated with specific critical areas because conservation practices have multiple natural resource benefits.

Benchmark Monitoring

Monitoring sufficient?

All documented practices were planned and installed with assistance from NRCS or Okanogan CD Planners or organizations working with individuals on fish habitat recovery projects. The projects and practices in this report included site specific, on-the ground elements for their plans. Each project was planned to NRCS specification and/or with specific habitat improvement goals.

Yes No

Goal: 1 - Protect critical areas through voluntary measures.

Benchmark: 1 - No net loss of implemented soil, water, nutrient, pest, range or habitat management practices.

Frequently Flooded

51 - Nespelem

Strategy/Metric Description

Benchmarks are measured County-wide for six stewardship practice categories: Soil, Water, Nutrient, Pest, Range and Habitat. Practices are documented by WRIA.

Accomplishment

No practices were documented in the Nespelem WRIA. All county protection benchmarks were exceeded, except the Access Road metric, a small component of the range management practice type (as documented in other entries of this report).

Status

Met

Benchmark Met?

Yes No

Comments

The County's protection benchmarks for soil management, water management, nutrient management, pest management, and habitat management were all exceeded. For range management practices, the targets for acres and units of practices were met (prescribed grazing and watering facilities, for example) but the target for Access Road of 35 feet was not met.

Benchmarks are not associated with specific critical areas because conservation practices have multiple natural resource benefits.

Adaptive Management?

Yes No

Benchmark Monitoring

All documented practices were planned and installed with assistance from NRCS or Okanogan CD Planners or organizations working with individuals on fish habitat recovery projects. The projects and practices in this report included site specific, on-the ground elements for their plans. Each project was planned to NRCS specification and/or with specific habitat improvement goals.

Monitoring sufficient?

Yes No

Goal: 1 - Protect critical areas through voluntary measures.

Benchmark: 1 - No net loss of implemented soil, water, nutrient, pest, range or habitat management practices.

Geologic Hazard

51 - Nespelem

Strategy/Metric Description

Benchmarks are measured County-wide for six stewardship practice categories: Soil, Water, Nutrient, Pest, Range and Habitat. Practices are documented by WRIA.

Accomplishment

No practices were documented in the Nespelem WRIA. All county protection benchmarks were exceeded, except the Access Road metric, a small component of the range management practice type (as documented in other entries of this report).

Status

Met

Benchmark Met?

Yes No

Comments

The County's protection benchmarks for soil management, water management, nutrient management, pest management, and habitat management were all exceeded. For range management practices, the targets for acres and units of practices were met (prescribed grazing and watering facilities, for example) but the target for Access Road of 35 feet was not met.

Benchmarks are not associated with specific critical areas because conservation practices have multiple natural resource benefits.

Adaptive Management?

Yes No

Benchmark Monitoring

All documented practices were planned and installed with assistance from NRCS or Okanogan CD Planners or organizations working with individuals on fish habitat recovery projects. The projects and practices in this report included site specific, on-the ground elements for their plans. Each project was planned to NRCS specification and/or with specific habitat improvement goals.

Monitoring sufficient?

Yes No

Goal: 1 - Protect critical areas through voluntary measures.
Benchmark: 1 - No net loss of implemented soil, water, nutrient, pest, range or habitat management practices.

Wetlands
51 - Nespelem

<u>Strategy/Metric Description</u>	<u>Accomplishment</u>	<u>Status</u>
Benchmarks are measured county-wide for six stewardship practice categories: Soil, Water, Nutrient, Pest, Range and Habitat.	No practices were documented in the Nespelem WRIA. All county protection benchmarks were exceeded, except the Access Road metric, a small component of the range management practice type (as documented in other entries of this report).	Met

<u>Benchmark Met?</u>	<u>Comments</u>	<u>Adaptive Management?</u>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<p>The County's protection benchmarks for soil management, water management, nutrient management, pest management, and habitat management were all exceeded. For range management practices, the targets for acres and units of practices were met (prescribed grazing and watering facilities, for example) but the target for Access Road of 35 feet was not met.</p> <p>Benchmarks are not associated with specific critical areas because conservation practices have multiple natural resource benefits.</p>	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No

<u>Benchmark Monitoring</u>	<u>Monitoring sufficient?</u>
All documented practices were planned and installed with assistance from NRCS or Okanogan CD Planners or organizations working with individuals on fish habitat recovery projects. The projects and practices in this report included site specific, on-the ground elements for their plans. Each project was planned to NRCS specification and/or with specific habitat improvement goals.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

Goal: 1 - Protect critical areas through voluntary measures.

Benchmark: 1 - No net loss of implemented soil, water, nutrient, pest, range or habitat management practices.

Critical Aquifer Recharge

52 - Sanpoil

Strategy/Metric Description

Accomplishment

Status

Benchmarks are measured county-wide for six stewardship practice categories: Soil, Water, Nutrient, Pest, Range and Habitat.

No practices were documented in the San Poil WRIA. All county protection benchmarks were exceeded, except the Access Road metric, a small component of the range management practice type (as documented in other entries of this report).

Met

Benchmark Met?

Comments

Adaptive Management?

Yes No

The County protection benchmarks for soil management, water management, nutrient management, pest management, and habitat management were all exceeded. For range management practices, the targets for acres and units of practices were met (prescribed grazing and watering facilities, for example) but the target for Access Road of 35 feet was not met.

The Sanpoil WRIA contains only 2% (~8,800 acres) of the Counties agricultural land. Some land is within the Colville Reservation. Adaptive Management will clarify application of VSP within the Reservation and conduct outreach to watersheds without documented implementation practices, although they contain a low percentage of agricultural lands.

** To reduce repetition, this entry will be marked for Adaptive Management and not on other Sanpoil critical areas, although adaptive management will apply to all critical areas.**

Yes No

Re-evaluate 'Access Road' as a metric for its value as a Key Stewardship Practice and protection metric.

Consider forest health practices as a key stewardship practice for fish and wildlife habitat conservation areas.

Re-engage with the Colville Confederated Tribes about the application of VSP within the boundaries of the Reservation. Consider documenting forest health practices as key stewardship practices for fish and wildlife habitat conservation areas.

Benchmark Monitoring

All documented practices were planned and installed with assistance from NRCS or Okanogan CD Planners or organizations working with individuals on fish habitat recovery projects. The projects and practices in this report included site specific, on-the ground elements for their plans. Each project was planned to NRCS specification and/or with specific habitat improvement goals.

Monitoring sufficient?

Yes No

Goal: 1 - Protect critical areas through voluntary measures.

Benchmark: 1 - No net loss of implemented soil, water, nutrient, pest, range or habitat management practices.

Fish and Wildlife Habitat

52 - Sanpoil

Strategy/Metric Description

Accomplishment

Status

Benchmarks are measured county-wide for six stewardship practice categories: Soil, Water, Nutrient, Pest, Range and Habitat.

No practices were documented in the San Poil WRIA. All county protection benchmarks were exceeded, except the Access Road metric, a small component of the range management practice type (as documented in other entries of this report).

Met

Benchmark Met?

Comments

Adaptive Management?

Yes No

The County protection benchmarks for soil management, water management, nutrient management, pest management, and habitat management were all exceeded. For range management practices, the targets for acres and units of practices were met (prescribed grazing and watering facilities, for example) but the target for Access Road of 35 feet was not met.

Yes No

The Sanpoil WRIA contains only 2% (~8,800 acres) of the Counties agricultural land. Some land is within the Colville Reservation. Adaptive Management will clarify application of VSP within the Reservation and conduct outreach to watersheds without documented implementation practices, although they contain a low percentage of agricultural lands.

Benchmark Monitoring

Monitoring sufficient?

All documented practices were planned and installed with assistance from NRCS or Okanogan CD Planners or organizations working with individuals on fish habitat recovery projects. The projects and practices in this report included site specific, on-the ground elements for their plans. Each project was planned to NRCS specification and/or with specific habitat improvement goals.

Yes No

Goal: 1 - Protect critical areas through voluntary measures.
Benchmark: 1 - No net loss of implemented soil, water, nutrient, pest, range or habitat management practices.

Frequently Flooded
52 - Sanpoil

<u>Strategy/Metric Description</u>	<u>Accomplishment</u>	<u>Status</u>
Benchmarks are measured county-wide for six stewardship practice categories: Soil, Water, Nutrient, Pest, Range and Habitat.	No practices were documented in the San Poil WRIA. All county protection benchmarks were exceeded, except the Access Road metric, a small component of the range management practice type (as documented in other entries of this report).	Met

<u>Benchmark Met?</u>	<u>Comments</u>	<u>Adaptive Management?</u>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<p>The County protection benchmarks for soil management, water management, nutrient management, pest management, and habitat management were all exceeded. For range management practices, the targets for acres and units of practices were met (prescribed grazing and watering facilities, for example) but the target for Access Road of 35 feet was not met.</p> <p>The Sanpoil WRIA contains only 2% (~8,800 acres) of the Counties agricultural land. Some land is within the Colville Reservation. Adaptive Management will clarify application of VSP within the Reservation and conduct outreach towatersheds without documented implementation practices, although they contain a low percentage of agricultural lands.</p>	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No

<u>Benchmark Monitoring</u>	<u>Monitoring sufficient?</u>
All documented practices were planned and installed with assistance from NRCS or Okanogan CD Planners or organizations working with individuals on fish habitat recovery projects. The projects and practices in this report included site specific, on-the ground elements for their plans. Each project was planned to NRCS specification and/or with specific habitat improvement goals.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

Goal: 1 - Protect critical areas through voluntary measures.
Benchmark: 1 - No net loss of implemented soil, water, nutrient, pest, range or habitat management practices.

Geologic Hazard
52 - Sanpoil

<u>Strategy/Metric Description</u>	<u>Accomplishment</u>	<u>Status</u>
Benchmarks are measured county-wide for six stewardship practice categories: Soil, Water, Nutrient, Pest, Range and Habitat.	No practices were documented in the San Poil WRIA. All county protection benchmarks were exceeded, except the Access Road metric, a small component of the range management practice type (as documented in other entries of this report).	Met

<u>Benchmark Met?</u>	<u>Comments</u>	<u>Adaptive Management?</u>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<p>The County protection benchmarks for soil management, water management, nutrient management, pest management, and habitat management were all exceeded. For range management practices, the targets for acres and units of practices were met (prescribed grazing and watering facilities, for example) but the target for Access Road of 35 feet was not met.</p> <p>The Sanpoil WRIA contains only 2% (~8,800 acres) of the Counties agricultural land. Some land is within the Colville Reservation. Adaptive Management will clarify application of VSP within the Reservation and conduct outreach towatersheds without documented implementation practices, although they contain a low percentage of agricultural lands.</p>	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No

<u>Benchmark Monitoring</u>	<u>Monitoring sufficient?</u>
<p>All documented practices were planned and installed with assistance from NRCS or Okanogan CD Planners or organizations working with individuals on fish habitat recovery projects. The projects and practices in this report included site specific, on-the ground elements for their plans. Each project was planned to NRCS specification and/or with specific habitat improvement goals.</p>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

Goal: 1 - Protect critical areas through voluntary measures.
Benchmark: 1 - No net loss of implemented soil, water, nutrient, pest, range or habitat management practices.

Wetlands
52 - Sanpoil

<u>Strategy/Metric Description</u>	<u>Accomplishment</u>	<u>Status</u>
Benchmarks are measured county-wide for six stewardship practice categories: Soil, Water, Nutrient, Pest, Range and Habitat. Practices are documented by WRIA.	No VSP practices were documented in the Sanpoil WRIA. All county protection benchmarks were exceeded, except the Access Road metric, a small component of the range management practice type (as documented in other entries of this report).	Met

<u>Benchmark Met?</u>	<u>Comments</u>	<u>Adaptive Management?</u>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<p>The County protection benchmarks for soil management, water management, nutrient management, pest management, and habitat management were all exceeded. For range management practices, the targets for acres and units of practices were met (prescribed grazing and watering facilities, for example) but the target for Access Road of 35 feet was not met.</p> <p>The Sanpoil WRIA contains only 2% (~8,800 acres) of the Counties agricultural land.</p>	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <p>Re-evaluate 'Access Road' as a metric for its value as a Key Stewardship Practice and protection metric.</p> <p>Re-engage with the Colville Confederated Tribes about the application of VSP within the boundaries of the Reservation. Consider documenting forest health practices as key stewardship practices for fish and wildlife habitat conservation areas.</p>

Benchmark Monitoring
 All documented practices were planned and installed with assistance from NRCS or Okanogan CD Planners or organizations working with individuals on fish habitat recovery projects. The projects and practices in this report included site specific, on-the ground elements for their plans. Each project was planned to NRCS specification and/or with specific habitat improvement goals.

Monitoring sufficient?
 Yes No

Goal: 1 - Protect critical areas through voluntary measures.

Benchmark: 1 - No net loss of implemented soil, water, nutrient, pest, range or habitat management practices.

Critical Aquifer Recharge

53 - Lower Lake Roosevelt

Strategy/Metric Description

Accomplishment

Status

Benchmarks are measured County-wide for six stewardship practice categories: Soil, Water, Nutrient, Pest, Range and Habitat.

No practices were documented in the Lower Lake Roosevelt WRIA. All county protection benchmarks were exceeded, except the Access Road metric, a small component of the range management practice type (as documented in other entries of this report).

Met

Benchmark Met?

Comments

Adaptive Management?

Yes No

Yes No

The County's protection benchmarks for soil management, water management, nutrient management, pest management, and habitat management were all exceeded. For range management practices, the targets for acres and units of practices were met (prescribed grazing and watering facilities, for example) but the target for Access Road of 35 feet was not met.

Benchmarks are not associated with specific critical areas because conservation practices have multiple natural resource benefits.

The Lower Lake Roosevelt WRIA contains only 2% (~7,300 acres) of the County's agricultural land. The Lower Lake Roosevelt WRIA is completely within the Colville Reservation. Adaptive management is needed to address the application of VSP on private land within the Reservation. This entry (Lower Lake Roosevelt/Critical Aquifer Recharge) is the only entry which will be checked for 'Adaptive Management?' to avoid repetition in the 5-Year Report, but the task will apply to all critical areas in the WRIA.

Benchmark Monitoring

Monitoring sufficient?

All documented practices were planned and installed with assistance from NRCS or Okanogan CD Planners or organizations working with individuals on fish habitat recovery projects. The projects and practices in this report included site specific, on-the ground elements for their plans. Each project was planned to NRCS specification and/or with specific habitat improvement goals.

Yes No

Goal: 1 - Protect critical areas through voluntary measures.

Benchmark: 1 - No net loss of implemented soil, water, nutrient, pest, range or habitat management practices.

Fish and Wildlife Habitat

53 - Lower Lake Roosevelt

Strategy/Metric Description

Benchmarks are measured County-wide for six stewardship practice categories: Soil, Water, Nutrient, Pest, Range and Habitat.

Accomplishment

No practices were documented in the Lower Lake Roosevelt WRIA. All county protection benchmarks were exceeded, except the Access Road metric, a small component of the range management practice type (as documented in other entries of this report).

Status

Met

Benchmark Met?

Yes No

Comments

The County protection benchmarks for soil management, water management, nutrient management, pest management, and habitat management were all exceeded. For range management practices, the targets for acres and units of practices were met (prescribed grazing and watering facilities, for example) but the target for Access Road of 35 feet was not met.

The Lower Lake Roosevelt WRIA contains only 2% (~7,300 acres) of the County's agricultural land. All land is within the Colville Reservation. Adaptive Management will clarify application of VSP within the Reservation.

Adaptive Management?

Yes No

Benchmark Monitoring

All documented practices were planned and installed with assistance from NRCS or Okanogan CD Planners or organizations working with individuals on fish habitat recovery projects. The projects and practices in this report included site specific, on-the ground elements for their plans. Each project was planned to NRCS specification and/or with specific habitat improvement goals.

Monitoring sufficient?

Yes No

Goal: 1 - Protect critical areas through voluntary measures.

Benchmark: 1 - No net loss of implemented soil, water, nutrient, pest, range or habitat management practices.

Frequently Flooded

53 - Lower Lake Roosevelt

Strategy/Metric Description

Benchmarks are measured County-wide for six stewardship practice categories: Soil, Water, Nutrient, Pest, Range and Habitat.

Accomplishment

No practices were documented in the Lower Lake Roosevelt WRIA. All county protection benchmarks were exceeded, except the Access Road metric, a small component of the range management practice type (as documented in other entries of this report).

Status

Met

Benchmark Met?

Yes No

Comments

The County protection benchmarks for soil management, water management, nutrient management, pest management, and habitat management were all exceeded. For range management practices, the targets for acres and units of practices were met (prescribed grazing and watering facilities, for example) but the target for Access Road of 35 feet was not met.

The Lower Lake Roosevelt WRIA contains only 2% (~7,300 acres) of the County's agricultural land. All land is within the Colville Reservation. Adaptive Management will clarify application of VSP within the Reservation.

Adaptive Management?

Yes No

Benchmark Monitoring

All documented practices were planned and installed with assistance from NRCS or Okanogan CD Planners or organizations working with individuals on fish habitat recovery projects. The projects and practices in this report included site specific, on-the ground elements for their plans. Each project was planned to NRCS specification and/or with specific habitat improvement goals.

Monitoring sufficient?

Yes No

Goal: 1 - Protect critical areas through voluntary measures.

Benchmark: 1 - No net loss of implemented soil, water, nutrient, pest, range or habitat management practices.

Geologic Hazard

53 - Lower Lake Roosevelt

Strategy/Metric Description

Benchmarks are measured County-wide for six stewardship practice categories: Soil, Water, Nutrient, Pest, Range and Habitat.

Accomplishment

No practices were documented in the Lower Lake Roosevelt WRIA. All county protection benchmarks were exceeded, except the Access Road metric, a small component of the range management practice type (as documented in other entries of this report).

Status

Met

Benchmark Met?

Yes No

Comments

The County protection benchmarks for soil management, water management, nutrient management, pest management, and habitat management were all exceeded. For range management practices, the targets for acres and units of practices were met (prescribed grazing and watering facilities, for example) but the target for Access Road of 35 feet was not met.

The Lower Lake Roosevelt WRIA contains only 2% (~7,300 acres) of the County's agricultural land. All land is within the Colville Reservation. Adaptive Management will clarify application of VSP within the Reservation.

Adaptive Management?

Yes No

Benchmark Monitoring

All documented practices were planned and installed with assistance from NRCS or Okanogan CD Planners or organizations working with individuals on fish habitat recovery projects. The projects and practices in this report included site specific, on-the ground elements for their plans. Each project was planned to NRCS specification and/or with specific habitat improvement goals.

Monitoring sufficient?

Yes No

Goal: 1 - Protect critical areas through voluntary measures.

Benchmark: 1 - No net loss of implemented soil, water, nutrient, pest, range or habitat management practices.

Wetlands

53 - Lower Lake Roosevelt

Strategy/Metric Description

Accomplishment

Status

Benchmarks are measured county-wide for six stewardship practice categories: Soil, Water, Nutrient, Pest, Range and Habitat.

No practices were documented in the Lower Lake Roosevelt WRIA. All county protection benchmarks were exceeded, except the Access Road metric, a small component of the range management practice type (as documented in other entries of this report).

Met

Benchmark Met?

Comments

Adaptive Management?

Yes No

The County protection benchmarks for soil management, water management, nutrient management, pest management, and habitat management were all exceeded. For range management practices, the targets for acres and units of practices were met (prescribed grazing and watering facilities, for example) but the target for Access Road of 35 feet was not met.

Yes No

The Lower Lake Roosevelt WRIA contains only 2% (~7,300 acres) of the County's agricultural land. All land is within the Colville Reservation. Adaptive Management will clarify application of VSP within the Reservation.

Benchmark Monitoring

Monitoring sufficient?

All documented practices were planned and installed with assistance from NRCS or Okanogan CD Planners or organizations working with individuals on fish habitat recovery projects. The projects and practices in this report included site specific, on-the ground elements for their plans. Each project was planned to NRCS specification and/or with specific habitat improvement goals.

Yes No

Goal: 1 - Protect critical areas through voluntary measures.

Benchmark: 1 - No net loss of implemented soil, water, nutrient, pest, range or habitat management practices.

Critical Aquifer Recharge

60 - Kettle

<u>Strategy/Metric Description</u>	<u>Accomplishment</u>	<u>Status</u>
Benchmarks are measured county-wide for pest, nutrient, water, soil and habitat management practices. Practices are documented by WRIA.	0 VSP practices were documented towards pest, nutrient, soil or habitat management in the Kettle WRIA. All VSP benchmarks were met for the County, except for the Access Road measure for range management.	Met
Benchmarks are measured county-wide for range management practices. Practices are documented by WRIA.	1,299 acres of range management practices were documented, contributing to the county totals of 46,136 acres, 29 units and 0 feet. The county benchmark of 1,750 acres, 3.5 units was exceeded. 0 feet of 'Access Road' practice was installed; the county benchmark is 35 feet.	Met

Benchmark Met? **Comments** **Adaptive Management?**

Yes No

The County protection benchmarks for soil management, water management, nutrient management, pest management, and habitat management were all exceeded. For range management practices, the targets for acres and units of practices were met (prescribed grazing and watering facilities, for example) but the target for Access Road of 35 feet was not met.

Yes No

The Kettle WRIA contains ~ 7% of the County's agriculture. Most of the WRIA is located in Ferry County. Adaptive Management will conduct outreach within the Kettle WRIA to gain VSP participants. The Work Group will also consider adding forest health practices to the VSP work plan. Forest improvement activities are more common in the Kettle WRIA.

** To reduce repetition in the 5-Year Report, only this entry will be marked for Adaptive Management and not on other Kettle critical areas, although adaptive management will apply to ALL critical areas.**

Benchmark Monitoring

All documented practices were planned and installed with assistance from NRCS or Okanogan CD Planners or organizations working with individuals on fish habitat recovery projects. The projects and practices in this report included site specific, on-the ground elements for their plans. Each project was planned to NRCS specification and/or with specific habitat improvement goals.

Monitoring sufficient?

Yes No

Goal: 1 - Protect critical areas through voluntary measures.

Benchmark: 1 - No net loss of implemented soil, water, nutrient, pest, range or habitat management practices.

Fish and Wildlife Habitat

60 - Kettle

Strategy/Metric Description

Accomplishment

Status

Benchmarks are measured county-wide for pest, nutrient, water, soil and habitat management practices. Practices are documented by WRIA.

0 VSP practices were documented towards pest, nutrient, soil or habitat management in the Kettle WRIA. All VSP benchmarks were met for the County, except for the Access Road measure for range management.

Met

Benchmarks are measured county-wide for range management practices. Practices are documented by WRIA.

1,299 acres of range management practices were documented, contributing to the county totals of 46,136 acres, 29 units and 0 feet. The county benchmark of 1,750 acres, 3.5 units was exceeded. 0 feet of 'Access Road' practice was installed; the county benchmark is 35 feet.

Met

Benchmark Met?

Comments

Adaptive Management?

Yes No

The County protection benchmarks for soil management, water management, nutrient management, pest management, and habitat management were all exceeded. For range management practices, the targets for acres and units of practices were met (prescribed grazing and watering facilities, for example) but the target for Access Road of 35 feet was not met.

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Benchmark Monitoring

Monitoring sufficient?

All documented practices were planned and installed with assistance from NRCS or Okanogan CD Planners or organizations working with individuals on fish habitat recovery projects. The projects and practices in this report included site specific, on-the ground elements for their plans. Each project was planned to NRCS specification and/or with specific habitat improvement goals.

Yes No

Goal: 1 - Protect critical areas through voluntary measures.

Benchmark: 1 - No net loss of implemented soil, water, nutrient, pest, range or habitat management practices.

Frequently Flooded

60 - Kettle

Strategy/Metric Description

Accomplishment

Status

Benchmarks are measured county-wide for pest, nutrient, water, soil and habitat management practices. Practices are documented by WRIA.

0 VSP practices were documented towards pest, nutrient, soil or habitat management in the Kettle WRIA. All VSP benchmarks were met for the County, except for the Access Road measure for range management.

Met

Benchmarks are measured county-wide for range management practices. Practices are documented by WRIA.

1,299 acres of range management practices were documented, contributing to the county totals of 46,136 acres, 29 units and 0 feet. The county benchmark of 1,750 acres, 3.5 units was exceeded. 0 feet of 'Access Road' practice was installed; the county benchmark is 35 feet.

Met

Benchmark Met?

Comments

Adaptive Management?

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Benchmark Monitoring

Monitoring sufficient?

All documented practices were planned and installed with assistance from NRCS or Okanogan CD Planners or organizations working with individuals on fish habitat recovery projects. The projects and practices in this report included site specific, on-the ground elements for their plans. Each project was planned to NRCS specification and/or with specific habitat improvement goals.

Yes No

Goal: 1 - Protect critical areas through voluntary measures.

Benchmark: 1 - No net loss of implemented soil, water, nutrient, pest, range or habitat management practices.

Geologic Hazard

60 - Kettle

Strategy/Metric Description

Accomplishment

Status

Benchmarks are measured county-wide for pest, nutrient, water, soil and habitat management practices. Practices are documented by WRIA.

0 VSP practices were documented towards pest, nutrient, soil or habitat management in the Kettle WRIA. All VSP benchmarks were met for the County, except for the Access Road measure for range management.

Met

Benchmarks are measured county-wide for range management practices. Practices are documented by WRIA.

1,299 acres of range management practices were documented, contributing to the county totals of 46,136 acres, 29 units and 0 feet. The county benchmark of 1,750 acres, 3.5 units was exceeded. 0 feet of 'Access Road' practice was installed; the county benchmark is 35 feet.

Met

Benchmark Met?

Comments

Adaptive Management?

Yes No

The County protection benchmarks for soil management, water management, nutrient management, pest management, and habitat management were all exceeded. For range management practices, the targets for acres and units of practices were met (prescribed grazing and watering facilities, for example) but the target for Access Road of 35 feet was not met.

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The Kettle WRIA contains ~ 7% of the County's agriculture. Most of the WRIA is located in Ferry County. Adaptive Management will conduct outreach within the Kettle WRIA to gain VSP participants. The Work Group will also consider adding forest health practices to the VSP work plan. Forest improvement activities are more common in the Kettle WRIA.

Benchmark Monitoring

Monitoring sufficient?

All documented practices were planned and installed with assistance from NRCS or Okanogan CD Planners or organizations working with individuals on fish habitat recovery projects. The projects and practices in this report included site specific, on-the ground elements for their plans. Each project was planned to NRCS specification and/or with specific habitat improvement goals.

Yes No

Goal: 1 - Protect critical areas through voluntary measures.

Benchmark: 1 - No net loss of implemented soil, water, nutrient, pest, range or habitat management practices.

Wetlands

60 - Kettle

Strategy/Metric Description

Accomplishment

Status

Benchmarks are measured county-wide for range management practices. Practices are documented by WRIA.

1,299 acres of range management practices were documented, contributing to the county totals of 46,136 acres, 29 units and 0 feet. The county benchmark of 1,750 acres, 3.5 units was exceeded. 0 feet of 'Access Road' practice was installed; the county benchmark is 35 feet.

Not met

Benchmarks are measured county-wide for pest, nutrient, water, soil and habitat management practices. Practices are documented by WRIA.

0 VSP practices were documented towards pest, nutrient, soil or habitat management in the Kettle WRIA. All VSP benchmarks were met for the County, except for the Access Road measure for range management.

Met

Benchmark Met?

Comments

Adaptive Management?

Yes No

The County protection benchmarks for soil management, water management, nutrient management, pest management, and habitat management were all exceeded. For range management practices, the targets for acres and units of practices were met (prescribed grazing and watering facilities, for example) but the target for Access Road of 35 feet was not met.

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The Kettle WRIA contains ~ 7% of the County's agriculture. Most of the WRIA is located in Ferry County. Adaptive Management will conduct outreach within the Kettle WRIA to gain VSP participants. The Work Group will also consider adding forest health practices to the VSP work plan. Forest improvement activities are more common in the Kettle WRIA.

Benchmark Monitoring

Monitoring sufficient?

All documented practices were planned and installed with assistance from NRCS or Okanogan CD Planners or organizations working with individuals on fish habitat recovery projects. The projects and practices in this report included site specific, on-the ground elements for their plans. Each project was planned to NRCS specification and/or with specific habitat improvement goals.

Yes No

Goal: 2 - Enhance critical areas through voluntary measures.

Benchmark: 2 - Achieve participation beyond 2021 target levels for soil, water, nutrient, pest, range or habitat management practices.

Critical Aquifer Recharge

48 - Methow

Strategy/Metric Description

Enhancement is achieved by exceeding target protection metrics for key stewardship practice implementation. Additionally, conservation easements and trusted/leased water are considered enhancements.

Accomplishment

All protection metrics were exceeded except the "Access Road" metric, which was not met. In the Methow, at least 1,000 acres of agricultural land was enrolled in a conservation easement. Leases and infrastructure upgrades contributed at least 52 cfs towards streamflow in the Methow WRIA.

Status

Met

Benchmark Met?

Yes No

Comments

13 of 14 target benchmark metrics were exceeded for the County. Conservation easements and water trusts/leases were implemented in the Methow WRIA.

Adaptive Management?

Yes No

Benchmark Monitoring

All documented practices were planned and installed with assistance from NRCS or Okanogan CD Planners or organizations working with individuals on fish habitat recovery projects. The projects and practices in this report included site specific, on-the ground elements for their plans. Each project was planned to NRCS specification and/or with specific habitat improvement goals.

Monitoring sufficient?

Yes No

Goal: 2 - Enhance critical areas through voluntary measures.
Benchmark: 2 - Achieve participation beyond 2021 target levels for soil, water, nutrient, pest, range or habitat management practices.

Fish and Wildlife Habitat
48 - Methow

<u>Strategy/Metric Description</u>	<u>Accomplishment</u>	<u>Status</u>
Enhancement is achieved by exceeding target protection metrics for key stewardship practice implementation. Additionally, conservation easements and trusted/leased water are considered enhancements.	All protection metrics were exceeded except the "Access Road" metric, which was not met. In the Methow, at least 1,000 acres of agricultural land was enrolled in a conservation easement. Leases and infrastructure upgrades contributed at least 52 cfs towards streamflow in the Methow WRIA.	Met

<u>Benchmark Met?</u>	<u>Comments</u>	<u>Adaptive Management?</u>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	13 of 14 target benchmark metrics were exceeded for the County. Conservation easements and water trusts/leases were implemented in the Methow WRIA.	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No

<u>Benchmark Monitoring</u>	<u>Monitoring sufficient?</u>
All documented practices were planned and installed with assistance from NRCS or Okanogan CD Planners or organizations working with individuals on fish habitat recovery projects. The projects and practices in this report included site specific, on-the ground elements for their plans. Each project was planned to NRCS specification and/or with specific habitat improvement goals.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

Goal: 2 - Enhance critical areas through voluntary measures.
Benchmark: 2 - Achieve participation beyond 2021 target levels for soil, water, nutrient, pest, range or habitat management practices.

Frequently Flooded
48 - Methow

<u>Strategy/Metric Description</u>	<u>Accomplishment</u>	<u>Status</u>
Enhancement is achieved by exceeding target protection metrics for key stewardship practice implementation. Additionally, conservation easements and trusted/leased water are considered enhancements.	All protection metrics were exceeded except the "Access Road" metric, which was not met. In the Methow, at least 1,000 acres of agricultural land was enrolled in a conservation easement. Leases and infrastructure upgrades contributed at least 52 cfs towards streamflow in the Methow WRIA.	Met

<u>Benchmark Met?</u>	<u>Comments</u>	<u>Adaptive Management?</u>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	13 of 14 target benchmark metrics were exceeded for the County. Conservation easements and water trusts/leases were implemented in the Methow WRIA.	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No

<u>Benchmark Monitoring</u>	<u>Monitoring sufficient?</u>
All documented practices were planned and installed with assistance from NRCS or Okanogan CD Planners or organizations working with individuals on fish habitat recovery projects. The projects and practices in this report included site specific, on-the ground elements for their plans. Each project was planned to NRCS specification and/or with specific habitat improvement goals.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

Goal: 2 - Enhance critical areas through voluntary measures.
Benchmark: 2 - Achieve participation beyond 2021 target levels for soil, water, nutrient, pest, range or habitat management practices.

Geologic Hazard
48 - Methow

<u>Strategy/Metric Description</u>	<u>Accomplishment</u>	<u>Status</u>
Enhancement is achieved by exceeding target protection metrics for key stewardship practice implementation. Additionally, conservation easements and trusted/leased water are considered enhancements.	All protection metrics were exceeded except the "Access Road" metric, which was not met. In the Methow, at least 1,000 acres of agricultural land was enrolled in a conservation easement. Leases and infrastructure upgrades contributed at least 52 cfs towards streamflow in the Methow WRIA.	Met

<u>Benchmark Met?</u>	<u>Comments</u>	<u>Adaptive Management?</u>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	13 of 14 target benchmark metrics were exceeded for the County. Conservation easements and water trusts/leases were implemented in the Methow WRIA.	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No

<u>Benchmark Monitoring</u>	<u>Monitoring sufficient?</u>
All documented practices were planned and installed with assistance from NRCS or Okanogan CD Planners or organizations working with individuals on fish habitat recovery projects. The projects and practices in this report included site specific, on-the ground elements for their plans. Each project was planned to NRCS specification and/or with specific habitat improvement goals.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

Goal: 2 - Enhance critical areas through voluntary measures.
Benchmark: 2 - Achieve participation beyond 2021 target levels for soil, water, nutrient, pest, range or habitat management practices.

Wetlands
48 - Methow

<u>Strategy/Metric Description</u>	<u>Accomplishment</u>	<u>Status</u>
Enhancement is achieved by exceeding target protection metrics for key stewardship practice implementation. Additionally, conservation easements and trusted/leased water are considered enhancements.	All protection metrics were exceeded except the "Access Road" metric, which was not met. In the Methow, at least 1,000 acres of agricultural land was enrolled in a conservation easement. Leases and infrastructure upgrades contributed at least 52 cfs towards streamflow in the Methow WRIA.	Met

<u>Benchmark Met?</u>	<u>Comments</u>	<u>Adaptive Management?</u>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	13 of 14 target benchmark metrics were exceeded for the County. Conservation easements and water trusts/leases were implemented in the Methow WRIA.	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No

<u>Benchmark Monitoring</u>	<u>Monitoring sufficient?</u>
All documented practices were planned and installed with assistance from NRCS or Okanogan CD Planners or organizations working with individuals on fish habitat recovery projects. The projects and practices in this report included site specific, on-the ground elements for their plans. Each project was planned to NRCS specification and/or with specific habitat improvement goals.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

Goal: 2 - Enhance critical areas through voluntary measures.
Benchmark: 2 - Achieve participation beyond 2021 target levels for soil, water, nutrient, pest, range or habitat management practices.

Critical Aquifer Recharge
49 - Okanogan

<u>Strategy/Metric Description</u>	<u>Accomplishment</u>	<u>Status</u>
Enhancement is achieved by exceeding target protection metrics for key stewardship practice implementation. Additionally, conservation easements and trusted/leased water are considered enhancements.	All protection metrics were exceeded except the "Access Road" metric, which was not met. In the Okanogan, at least 3,000 acres of agricultural land was enrolled in a conservation easement. Leases and infrastructure upgrades contributed towards streamflow improvements in Loup Loup and Salmon Creeks.	Met

<u>Benchmark Met?</u>	<u>Comments</u>	<u>Adaptive Management?</u>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	13 of 14 target benchmark metrics were exceeded for the County. Conservation easements and water trusts/leases were implemented in the Okanogan WRIA.	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No

<u>Benchmark Monitoring</u>	<u>Monitoring sufficient?</u>
All documented practices were planned and installed with assistance from NRCS or Okanogan CD Planners or organizations working with individuals on fish habitat recovery projects. The projects and practices in this report included site specific, on-the ground elements for their plans. Each project was planned to NRCS specification and/or with specific habitat improvement goals.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

Goal: 2 - Enhance critical areas through voluntary measures.
Benchmark: 2 - Achieve participation beyond 2021 target levels for soil, water, nutrient, pest, range or habitat management practices.

Fish and Wildlife Habitat
49 - Okanogan

<u>Strategy/Metric Description</u>	<u>Accomplishment</u>	<u>Status</u>
Enhancement is achieved by exceeding target protection metrics for key stewardship practice implementation. Additionally, conservation easements and trusted/leased water are considered enhancements.	All protection metrics were exceeded except the "Access Road" metric, which was not met. In the Okanogan, at least 3,000 acres of agricultural land was enrolled in a conservation easement. Leases and infrastructure upgrades contributed towards streamflow improvements in Loup Loup and Salmon Creeks.	Met

<u>Benchmark Met?</u>	<u>Comments</u>	<u>Adaptive Management?</u>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	13 of 14 target benchmark metrics were exceeded for the County. Conservation easements and water trusts/leases were implemented in the Okanogan WRIA.	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No

<u>Benchmark Monitoring</u>	<u>Monitoring sufficient?</u>
All documented practices were planned and installed with assistance from NRCS or Okanogan CD Planners or organizations working with individuals on fish habitat recovery projects. The projects and practices in this report included site specific, on-the ground elements for their plans. Each project was planned to NRCS specification and/or with specific habitat improvement goals.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

Goal: 2 - Enhance critical areas through voluntary measures.
Benchmark: 2 - Achieve participation beyond 2021 target levels for soil, water, nutrient, pest, range or habitat management practices.

Frequently Flooded
49 - Okanogan

<u>Strategy/Metric Description</u>	<u>Accomplishment</u>	<u>Status</u>
Enhancement is achieved by exceeding target protection metrics for key stewardship practice implementation. Additionally, conservation easements and trusted/leased water are considered enhancements.	All protection metrics were exceeded except the "Access Road" metric, which was not met. In the Okanogan, at least 3,000 acres of agricultural land was enrolled in a conservation easement. Leases and infrastructure upgrades contributed towards streamflow improvements in Loup Loup and Salmon Creeks.	Met

<u>Benchmark Met?</u>	<u>Comments</u>	<u>Adaptive Management?</u>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	13 of 14 target benchmark metrics were exceeded for the County. Conservation easements and water trusts/leases were implemented in the Okanogan WRIA.	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No

<u>Benchmark Monitoring</u>	<u>Monitoring sufficient?</u>
All documented practices were planned and installed with assistance from NRCS or Okanogan CD Planners or organizations working with individuals on fish habitat recovery projects. The projects and practices in this report included site specific, on-the ground elements for their plans. Each project was planned to NRCS specification and/or with specific habitat improvement goals.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

Goal: 2 - Enhance critical areas through voluntary measures.
Benchmark: 2 - Achieve participation beyond 2021 target levels for soil, water, nutrient, pest, range or habitat management practices.

Geologic Hazard
49 - Okanogan

<u>Strategy/Metric Description</u>	<u>Accomplishment</u>	<u>Status</u>
Enhancement is achieved by exceeding target protection metrics for key stewardship practice implementation. Additionally, conservation easements and trusted/leased water are considered enhancements.	All protection metrics were exceeded except the "Access Road" metric, which was not met. In the Okanogan, at least 3,000 acres of agricultural land was enrolled in a conservation easement. Leases and infrastructure upgrades contributed towards streamflow improvements in Loup Loup and Salmon Creeks.	Met

<u>Benchmark Met?</u>	<u>Comments</u>	<u>Adaptive Management?</u>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	13 of 14 target benchmark metrics were exceeded for the County. Conservation easements and water trusts/leases were implemented in the Okanogan WRIA.	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No

<u>Benchmark Monitoring</u>	<u>Monitoring sufficient?</u>
All documented practices were planned and installed with assistance from NRCS or Okanogan CD Planners or organizations working with individuals on fish habitat recovery projects. The projects and practices in this report included site specific, on-the ground elements for their plans. Each project was planned to NRCS specification and/or with specific habitat improvement goals.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

Goal: 2 - Enhance critical areas through voluntary measures.
Benchmark: 2 - Achieve participation beyond 2021 target levels for soil, water, nutrient, pest, range or habitat management practices.

Wetlands
49 - Okanogan

<u>Strategy/Metric Description</u>	<u>Accomplishment</u>	<u>Status</u>
Enhancement is achieved by exceeding target protection metrics for key stewardship practice implementation. Additionally, conservation easements and trusted/leased water are considered enhancements.	All protection metrics were exceeded except the "Access Road" metric, which was not met. In the Okanogan, at least 3,000 acres of agricultural land was enrolled in a conservation easement. Leases and infrastructure upgrades contributed towards streamflow improvements in Loup Loup and Salmon Creeks.	Met

<u>Benchmark Met?</u>	<u>Comments</u>	<u>Adaptive Management?</u>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	13 of 14 target benchmark metrics were exceeded for the County. Conservation easements and water trusts/leases were implemented in the Okanogan WRIA.	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No

<u>Benchmark Monitoring</u>	<u>Monitoring sufficient?</u>
All documented practices were planned and installed with assistance from NRCS or Okanogan CD Planners or organizations working with individuals on fish habitat recovery projects. The projects and practices in this report included site specific, on-the ground elements for their plans. Each project was planned to NRCS specification and/or with specific habitat improvement goals.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

Goal: 2 - Enhance critical areas through voluntary measures.
Benchmark: 2 - Achieve participation beyond 2021 target levels for soil, water, nutrient, pest, range or habitat management practices.

Critical Aquifer Recharge
50 - Foster

<u>Strategy/Metric Description</u>	<u>Accomplishment</u>	<u>Status</u>
Enhancement is achieved by exceeding target protection metrics for key stewardship practice implementation for the County. Conservation easements and trusted/leased water are also considered enhancements.	All protection metrics were exceeded except the "Access Road" metric, which was not met.	Met

<u>Benchmark Met?</u>	<u>Comments</u>	<u>Adaptive Management?</u>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	13 of 14 target benchmark metrics were exceeded for the County.	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No

<u>Benchmark Monitoring</u>	<u>Monitoring sufficient?</u>
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Goal: 2 - Enhance critical areas through voluntary measures.
Benchmark: 2 - Achieve participation beyond 2021 target levels for soil, water, nutrient, pest, range or habitat management practices.

Fish and Wildlife Habitat
50 - Foster

<u>Strategy/Metric Description</u>	<u>Accomplishment</u>	<u>Status</u>
Enhancement is achieved by exceeding target protection metrics for key stewardship practice implementation for the County. Conservation easements and trusted/leased water are also considered enhancements.	All protection metrics were exceeded except the "Access Road" metric, which was not met.	Met

<u>Benchmark Met?</u>	<u>Comments</u>	<u>Adaptive Management?</u>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	13 of 14 target benchmark metrics were exceeded for the County.	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No

<u>Benchmark Monitoring</u>	<u>Monitoring sufficient?</u>
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Goal: 2 - Enhance critical areas through voluntary measures.
Benchmark: 2 - Achieve participation beyond 2021 target levels for soil, water, nutrient, pest, range or habitat management practices.

Frequently Flooded
50 - Foster

<u>Strategy/Metric Description</u>	<u>Accomplishment</u>	<u>Status</u>
Enhancement is achieved by exceeding target protection metrics for key stewardship practice implementation for the County. Conservation easements and trusted/leased water are also considered enhancements.	All protection metrics were exceeded except the "Access Road" metric, which was not met.	Met

<u>Benchmark Met?</u>	<u>Comments</u>	<u>Adaptive Management?</u>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	13 of 14 target benchmark metrics were exceeded for the County. V	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No

<u>Benchmark Monitoring</u>	<u>Monitoring sufficient?</u>
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Goal: 2 - Enhance critical areas through voluntary measures.
Benchmark: 2 - Achieve participation beyond 2021 target levels for soil, water, nutrient, pest, range or habitat management practices.

Geologic Hazard
50 - Foster

Strategy/Metric Description

Enhancement is achieved by exceeding target protection metrics for key stewardship practice implementation for the County. Conservation easements and trusted/leased water are also considered enhancements.

Accomplishment

All protection metrics were exceeded except the "Access Road" metric, which was not met.

Status

Met

Benchmark Met?

Yes No

Comments

13 of 14 target benchmark metrics were exceeded for the County.

Adaptive Management?

Yes No

Benchmark Monitoring

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Monitoring sufficient?

Yes No

Goal: 2 - Enhance critical areas through voluntary measures.
Benchmark: 2 - Achieve participation beyond 2021 target levels for soil, water, nutrient, pest, range or habitat management practices.

Wetlands
50 - Foster

Strategy/Metric Description

Enhancement is achieved by exceeding target protection metrics for key stewardship practice implementation for the County. Conservation easements and trusted/leased water are also considered enhancements.

Accomplishment

All protection metrics were exceeded except the "Access Road" metric, which was not met.

Status

Met

Benchmark Met?

Yes No

Comments

13 of 14 target benchmark metrics were exceeded for the County.

Adaptive Management?

Yes No

Benchmark Monitoring

All documented practices were planned and installed with assistance from NRCS or Okanogan CD Planners or organizations working with individuals on fish habitat recovery projects. The projects and practices in this report included site specific, on-the ground elements for their plans. Each project was planned to NRCS specification and/or with specific habitat improvement goals.

Monitoring sufficient?

Yes No

Goal: 2 - Enhance critical areas through voluntary measures.
Benchmark: 2 - Achieve participation beyond 2021 target levels for soil, water, nutrient, pest, range or habitat management practices.

Critical Aquifer Recharge
51 - Nesperlem

<u>Strategy/Metric Description</u>	<u>Accomplishment</u>	<u>Status</u>
Enhancement is achieved by exceeding target protection metrics for key stewardship practice implementation for the County. Conservation easements and trusted/leased water are also considered enhancements.	All protection metrics were exceeded except the "Access Road" metric, which was not met.	Met

<u>Benchmark Met?</u>	<u>Comments</u>	<u>Adaptive Management?</u>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	13 of 14 target benchmark metrics were exceeded for the County. Conservation easements and water trusts/leases were implemented in the Okanogan WRIA .	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No

<u>Benchmark Monitoring</u>	<u>Monitoring sufficient?</u>
All documented practices were planned and installed with assistance from NRCS or Okanogan CD Planners or organizations working with individuals on fish habitat recovery projects. The projects and practices in this report included site specific, on-the ground elements for their plans. Each project was planned to NRCS specification and/or with specific habitat improvement goals.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

Goal: 2 - Enhance critical areas through voluntary measures.
Benchmark: 2 - Achieve participation beyond 2021 target levels for soil, water, nutrient, pest, range or habitat management practices.

Fish and Wildlife Habitat
51 - Nesperlem

<u>Strategy/Metric Description</u>	<u>Accomplishment</u>	<u>Status</u>
Enhancement is achieved by exceeding target protection metrics for key stewardship practice implementation for the County. Conservation easements and trusted/leased water are also considered enhancements.	All protection metrics were exceeded except the "Access Road" metric, which was not met.	N/A

Goal: 2 - Enhance critical areas through voluntary measures.
Benchmark: 2 - Achieve participation beyond 2021 target levels for soil, water, nutrient, pest, range or habitat management practices.

Frequently Flooded
51 - Nespelem

Strategy/Metric Description

Enhancement is achieved by exceeding target protection metrics for key stewardship practice implementation for the County. Conservation easements and trusted/leased water are also considered enhancements.

Accomplishment

No practices were documented in the Nespelem WRIA. All county protection benchmarks were exceeded, except the Access Road metric, a small component of the range management practice type (as documented in other entries of this report).

Status

Met

Benchmark Met?

Yes No

Comments

Adaptive Management?

Yes No

Benchmark Monitoring

All documented practices were planned and installed with assistance from NRCS or Okanogan CD Planners or organizations working with individuals on fish habitat recovery projects. The projects and practices in this report included site specific, on-the ground elements for their plans. Each project was planned to NRCS specification and/or with specific habitat improvement goals.

Monitoring sufficient?

Yes No

Goal: 2 - Enhance critical areas through voluntary measures.
Benchmark: 2 - Achieve participation beyond 2021 target levels for soil, water, nutrient, pest, range or habitat management practices.

Geologic Hazard
51 - Nespelem

Strategy/Metric Description

Enhancement is achieved by exceeding target protection metrics for key stewardship practice implementation for the County. Conservation easements and trusted/leased water are also considered enhancements.

Accomplishment

No practices were documented in the Nespelem WRIA. All county protection benchmarks were exceeded, except the Access Road metric, a small component of the range management practice type (as documented in other entries of this report).

Status

Met

Benchmark Met?

Yes No

Comments

Adaptive Management?

Yes No

Benchmark Monitoring

All documented practices were planned and installed with assistance from NRCS or Okanogan CD Planners or organizations working with individuals on fish habitat recovery projects. The projects and practices in this report included site specific, on-the ground elements for their plans. Each project was planned to NRCS specification and/or with specific habitat improvement goals.

Monitoring sufficient?

Yes No

Goal: 2 - Enhance critical areas through voluntary measures.
Benchmark: 2 - Achieve participation beyond 2021 target levels for soil, water, nutrient, pest, range or habitat management practices.

Wetlands
51 - Nespelem

<u>Strategy/Metric Description</u>	<u>Accomplishment</u>	<u>Status</u>
Enhancement is achieved by exceeding target protection metrics for key stewardship practice implementation for the County. Conservation easements and trusted/leased water are also considered enhancements.	No practices were documented in the Nespelem WRIA. All county protection benchmarks were exceeded, except the Access Road metric, a small component of the range management practice type (as documented in other entries of this report).	Met

<u>Benchmark Met?</u>	<u>Comments</u>	<u>Adaptive Management?</u>
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

<u>Benchmark Monitoring</u>	<u>Monitoring sufficient?</u>
All documented practices were planned and installed with assistance from NRCS or Okanogan CD Planners or organizations working with individuals on fish habitat recovery projects. The projects and practices in this report included site specific, on-the ground elements for their plans. Each project was planned to NRCS specification and/or with specific habitat improvement goals.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

Goal: 2 - Enhance critical areas through voluntary measures.
Benchmark: 2 - Achieve participation beyond 2021 target levels for soil, water, nutrient, pest, range or habitat management practices.

Critical Aquifer Recharge
52 - Sanpoil

<u>Strategy/Metric Description</u>	<u>Accomplishment</u>	<u>Status</u>
Enhancement is achieved by exceeding target protection metrics for key stewardship practice implementation for the County. Conservation easements and trusted/leased water are also considered enhancements.	No practices were documented in the Sanpoil WRIA. All county protection benchmarks were exceeded, except the Access Road metric, a small component of the range management practice type (as documented in other entries of this report).	Met

<u>Benchmark Met?</u>	<u>Comments</u>	<u>Adaptive Management?</u>
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

<u>Benchmark Monitoring</u>	<u>Monitoring sufficient?</u>
All documented practices were planned and installed with assistance from NRCS or Okanogan CD Planners or organizations working with individuals on fish habitat recovery projects. The projects and practices in this report included site specific, on-the ground elements for their plans. Each project was planned to NRCS specification and/or with specific habitat improvement goals.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

Goal: 2 - Enhance critical areas through voluntary measures.
Benchmark: 2 - Achieve participation beyond 2021 target levels for soil, water, nutrient, pest, range or habitat management practices.

Fish and Wildlife Habitat
52 - Sanpoil

Strategy/Metric Description

Enhancement is achieved by exceeding target protection metrics for key stewardship practice implementation for the County. Conservation easements and trusted/leased water are also considered enhancements.

Accomplishment

No practices were documented in the Sanpoil WRIA. All county protection benchmarks were exceeded, except the Access Road metric, a small component of the range management practice type (as documented in other entries of this report).

Status

Met

Benchmark Met?

Yes No

Comments

Adaptive Management?

Yes No

Benchmark Monitoring

All documented practices were planned and installed with assistance from NRCS or Okanogan CD Planners or organizations working with individuals on fish habitat recovery projects. The projects and practices in this report included site specific, on-the ground elements for their plans. Each project was planned to NRCS specification and/or with specific habitat improvement goals.

Monitoring sufficient?

Yes No

Goal: 2 - Enhance critical areas through voluntary measures.
Benchmark: 2 - Achieve participation beyond 2021 target levels for soil, water, nutrient, pest, range or habitat management practices.

Frequently Flooded
52 - Sanpoil

Strategy/Metric Description

Enhancement is achieved by exceeding target protection metrics for key stewardship practice implementation for the County. Conservation easements and trusted/leased water are also considered enhancements.

Accomplishment

No practices were documented in the Sanpoil WRIA. All county protection benchmarks were exceeded, except the Access Road metric, a small component of the range management practice type (as documented in other entries of this report).

Status

Met

Benchmark Met?

Yes No

Comments

Adaptive Management?

Yes No

Benchmark Monitoring

All documented practices were planned and installed with assistance from NRCS or Okanogan CD Planners or organizations working with individuals on fish habitat recovery projects. The projects and practices in this report included site specific, on-the ground elements for their plans. Each project was planned to NRCS specification and/or with specific habitat improvement goals.

Monitoring sufficient?

Yes No

Goal: 2 - Enhance critical areas through voluntary measures.
Benchmark: 2 - Achieve participation beyond 2021 target levels for soil, water, nutrient, pest, range or habitat management practices.

Geologic Hazard
52 - Sanpoil

Strategy/Metric Description

Enhancement is achieved by exceeding target protection metrics for key stewardship practice implementation for the County. Conservation easements and trusted/leased water are also considered enhancements.

Accomplishment

No practices were documented in the Sanpoil WRIA. All county protection benchmarks were exceeded, except the Access Road metric, a small component of the range management practice type (as documented in other entries of this report).

Status

Met

Benchmark Met?

Yes No

Comments

Adaptive Management?

Yes No

Benchmark Monitoring

All documented practices were planned and installed with assistance from NRCS or Okanogan CD Planners or organizations working with individuals on fish habitat recovery projects. The projects and practices in this report included site specific, on-the ground elements for their plans. Each project was planned to NRCS specification and/or with specific habitat improvement goals.

Monitoring sufficient?

Yes No

Goal: 2 - Enhance critical areas through voluntary measures.
Benchmark: 2 - Achieve participation beyond 2021 target levels for soil, water, nutrient, pest, range or habitat management practices.

Wetlands
52 - Sanpoil

Strategy/Metric Description

Enhancement is achieved by exceeding target protection metrics for key stewardship practice implementation for the County. Conservation easements and trusted/leased water are also considered enhancements.

Accomplishment

No practices were documented in the Sanpoil WRIA. All county protection benchmarks were exceeded, except the Access Road metric, a small component of the range management practice type (as documented in other entries of this report).

Status

Met

Benchmark Met?

Yes No

Comments

Adaptive Management?

Yes No

Benchmark Monitoring

All documented practices were planned and installed with assistance from NRCS or Okanogan CD Planners or organizations working with individuals on fish habitat recovery projects. The projects and practices in this report included site specific, on-the ground elements for their plans. Each project was planned to NRCS specification and/or with specific habitat improvement goals.

Monitoring sufficient?

Yes No

Goal: 2 - Enhance critical areas through voluntary measures.
Benchmark: 2 - Achieve participation beyond 2021 target levels for soil, water, nutrient, pest, range or habitat management practices.

Critical Aquifer Recharge
53 - Lower Lake Roosevelt

Strategy/Metric Description

Enhancement is achieved by exceeding target protection metrics for key stewardship practice implementation for the County. Conservation easements and trusted/leased water are also considered enhancements.

Accomplishment

No practices were documented in the Lower Lake Roosevelt WRIA. All county protection benchmarks were exceeded, except the Access Road metric, a small component of the range management practice type (as documented in other entries of this report).

Status

Met

Benchmark Met?

Yes No

Comments

Adaptive Management?

Yes No

Benchmark Monitoring

All documented practices were planned and installed with assistance from NRCS or Okanogan CD Planners or organizations working with individuals on fish habitat recovery projects. The projects and practices in this report included site specific, on-the ground elements for their plans. Each project was planned to NRCS specification and/or with specific habitat improvement goals.

Monitoring sufficient?

Yes No

Goal: 2 - Enhance critical areas through voluntary measures.
Benchmark: 2 - Achieve participation beyond 2021 target levels for soil, water, nutrient, pest, range or habitat management practices.

Fish and Wildlife Habitat
53 - Lower Lake Roosevelt

Strategy/Metric Description

Enhancement is achieved by exceeding target protection metrics for key stewardship practice implementation for the County. Conservation easements and trusted/leased water are also considered enhancements.

Accomplishment

No practices were documented in the Lower Lake Roosevelt WRIA. All county protection benchmarks were exceeded, except the Access Road metric, a small component of the range management practice type (as documented in other entries of this report).

Status

Met

Benchmark Met?

Yes No

Comments

Adaptive Management?

Yes No

Benchmark Monitoring

All documented practices were planned and installed with assistance from NRCS or Okanogan CD Planners or organizations working with individuals on fish habitat recovery projects. The projects and practices in this report included site specific, on-the ground elements for their plans. Each project was planned to NRCS specification and/or with specific habitat improvement goals.

Monitoring sufficient?

Yes No

Goal: 2 - Enhance critical areas through voluntary measures.
Benchmark: 2 - Achieve participation beyond 2021 target levels for soil, water, nutrient, pest, range or habitat management practices.

Frequently Flooded
53 - Lower Lake Roosevelt

Strategy/Metric Description

Enhancement is achieved by exceeding target protection metrics for key stewardship practice implementation for the County. Conservation easements and trusted/leased water are also considered enhancements.

Accomplishment

No practices were documented in the Lower Lake Roosevelt WRIA. All county protection benchmarks were exceeded, except the Access Road metric, a small component of the range management practice type (as documented in other entries of this report).

Status

Met

Benchmark Met?

Yes No

Comments

Adaptive Management?

Yes No

Benchmark Monitoring

All documented practices were planned and installed with assistance from NRCS or Okanogan CD Planners or organizations working with individuals on fish habitat recovery projects. The projects and practices in this report included site specific, on-the ground elements for their plans. Each project was planned to NRCS specification and/or with specific habitat improvement goals.

Monitoring sufficient?

Yes No

Goal: 2 - Enhance critical areas through voluntary measures.
Benchmark: 2 - Achieve participation beyond 2021 target levels for soil, water, nutrient, pest, range or habitat management practices.

Geologic Hazard
53 - Lower Lake Roosevelt

Strategy/Metric Description

Enhancement is achieved by exceeding target protection metrics for key stewardship practice implementation for the County. Conservation easements and trusted/leased water are also considered enhancements.

Accomplishment

No practices were documented in the Lower Lake Roosevelt WRIA. All county protection benchmarks were exceeded, except the Access Road metric, a small component of the range management practice type (as documented in other entries of this report).

Status

Met

Benchmark Met?

Yes No

Comments

Adaptive Management?

Yes No

Benchmark Monitoring

All documented practices were planned and installed with assistance from NRCS or Okanogan CD Planners or organizations working with individuals on fish habitat recovery projects. The projects and practices in this report included site specific, on-the ground elements for their plans. Each project was planned to NRCS specification and/or with specific habitat improvement goals.

Monitoring sufficient?

Yes No

Goal: 2 - Enhance critical areas through voluntary measures.
Benchmark: 2 - Achieve participation beyond 2021 target levels for soil, water, nutrient, pest, range or habitat management practices.

Wetlands
53 - Lower Lake Roosevelt

<u>Strategy/Metric Description</u>	<u>Accomplishment</u>	<u>Status</u>
Enhancement is achieved by exceeding target protection metrics for key stewardship practice implementation for the County. Conservation easements and trusted/leased water are also considered enhancements.	No practices were documented in the Lower Lake Roosevelt WRIA. All county protection benchmarks were exceeded, except the Access Road metric, a small component of the range management practice type (as documented in other entries of this report).	Met

<u>Benchmark Met?</u>	<u>Comments</u>	<u>Adaptive Management?</u>
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

<u>Benchmark Monitoring</u>	<u>Monitoring sufficient?</u>
All documented practices were planned and installed with assistance from NRCS or Okanogan CD Planners or organizations working with individuals on fish habitat recovery projects. The projects and practices in this report included site specific, on-the ground elements for their plans. Each project was planned to NRCS specification and/or with specific habitat improvement goals.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

Goal: 2 - Enhance critical areas through voluntary measures.
Benchmark: 2 - Achieve participation beyond 2021 target levels for soil, water, nutrient, pest, range or habitat management practices.

Critical Aquifer Recharge
60 - Kettle

<u>Strategy/Metric Description</u>	<u>Accomplishment</u>	<u>Status</u>
Enhancement is achieved by exceeding target protection metrics for key stewardship practice implementation for the County. Conservation easements and trusted/leased water are also considered enhancements.	All protection metrics were exceeded except the "Access Road" metric, which was not met. Forest health practices were installed in the Kettle WRIA.	Met

<u>Benchmark Met?</u>	<u>Comments</u>	<u>Adaptive Management?</u>
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

<u>Benchmark Monitoring</u>	<u>Monitoring sufficient?</u>
All documented practices were planned and installed with assistance from NRCS or Okanogan CD Planners or organizations working with individuals on fish habitat recovery projects. The projects and practices in this report included site specific, on-the ground elements for their plans. Each project was planned to NRCS specification and/or with specific habitat improvement goals.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

Goal: 2 - Enhance critical areas through voluntary measures.
Benchmark: 2 - Achieve participation beyond 2021 target levels for soil, water, nutrient, pest, range or habitat management practices.

Fish and Wildlife Habitat
60 - Kettle

Strategy/Metric Description

Enhancement is achieved by exceeding target protection metrics for key stewardship practice implementation for the County. Conservation easements and trusted/leased water are also considered enhancements.

Accomplishment

All protection metrics were exceeded except the “Access Road” metric, which was not met.
 Forest health practices were installed in the Kettle WRIA.

Status

Met

Benchmark Met?

Yes No

Comments

Adaptive Management?

Yes No

Benchmark Monitoring

All documented practices were planned and installed with assistance from NRCS or Okanogan CD Planners or organizations working with individuals on fish habitat recovery projects. The projects and practices in this report included site specific, on-the ground elements for their plans. Each project was planned to NRCS specification and/or with specific habitat improvement goals.

Monitoring sufficient?

Yes No

Goal: 2 - Enhance critical areas through voluntary measures.
Benchmark: 2 - Achieve participation beyond 2021 target levels for soil, water, nutrient, pest, range or habitat management practices.

Frequently Flooded
60 - Kettle

Strategy/Metric Description

Enhancement is achieved by exceeding target protection metrics for key stewardship practice implementation for the County. Conservation easements and trusted/leased water are also considered enhancements.

Accomplishment

All protection metrics were exceeded except the “Access Road” metric, which was not met.
 Forest health practices were installed in the Kettle WRIA.

Status

Met

Benchmark Met?

Yes No

Comments

Adaptive Management?

Yes No

Benchmark Monitoring

All documented practices were planned and installed with assistance from NRCS or Okanogan CD Planners or organizations working with individuals on fish habitat recovery projects. The projects and practices in this report included site specific, on-the ground elements for their plans. Each project was planned to NRCS specification and/or with specific habitat improvement goals.

Monitoring sufficient?

Yes No

Goal: 2 - Enhance critical areas through voluntary measures.
Benchmark: 2 - Achieve participation beyond 2021 target levels for soil, water, nutrient, pest, range or habitat management practices.

Geologic Hazard
60 - Kettle

<u>Strategy/Metric Description</u>	<u>Accomplishment</u>	<u>Status</u>
Enhancement is achieved by exceeding target protection metrics for key stewardship practice implementation for the County. Conservation easements and trusted/leased water are also considered enhancements.	All protection metrics were exceeded except the "Access Road" metric, which was not met. Forest health practices were installed in the Kettle WRIA.	Met

<u>Benchmark Met?</u>	<u>Comments</u>	<u>Adaptive Management?</u>
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

<u>Benchmark Monitoring</u>	<u>Monitoring sufficient?</u>
All documented practices were planned and installed with assistance from NRCS or Okanogan CD Planners or organizations working with individuals on fish habitat recovery projects. The projects and practices in this report included site specific, on-the ground elements for their plans. Each project was planned to NRCS specification and/or with specific habitat improvement goals.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

Goal: 2 - Enhance critical areas through voluntary measures.
Benchmark: 2 - Achieve participation beyond 2021 target levels for soil, water, nutrient, pest, range or habitat management practices.

Wetlands
60 - Kettle

<u>Strategy/Metric Description</u>	<u>Accomplishment</u>	<u>Status</u>
Enhancement is achieved by exceeding target protection metrics for key stewardship practice implementation for the County. Conservation easements and trusted/leased water are also considered enhancements.	All protection metrics were exceeded except the "Access Road" metric, which was not met. Forest health practices were installed in the Kettle WRIA.	Met

<u>Benchmark Met?</u>	<u>Comments</u>	<u>Adaptive Management?</u>
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

<u>Benchmark Monitoring</u>	<u>Monitoring sufficient?</u>
All documented practices were planned and installed with assistance from NRCS or Okanogan CD Planners or organizations working with individuals on fish habitat recovery projects. The projects and practices in this report included site specific, on-the ground elements for their plans. Each project was planned to NRCS specification and/or with specific habitat improvement goals.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

Goal Results

Goal: 1 - Protect critical areas through voluntary measures.

Wetlands
48 - Methow

Goal Met?

Yes No

Comments

Approximately 8% of the county’s agricultural lands are within the Methow WRIA. As documented in the benchmarks, a diverse set of practices were installed within the WRIA
Critical area protection was achieved by meeting and exceeding all but one of the target protection metrics. Of 14 measures, only the 'Access Road' practice (35 feet) was not implemented. The 'Access Road' metric is a small component of the overall range management suite of practices and since the other range management metrics were significantly exceeded, protection was achieved without implementing the 'Access Road' practice.

Adaptive Management?

Yes No

Goal: 1 - Protect critical areas through voluntary measures.

Wetlands
49 - Okanogan

Goal Met?

Yes No

Comments

Approximately 71% of the county’s agricultural lands are within the Okanogan WRIA. Prescribed grazing is a practice which protects wetlands on rangeland, the most abundant agricultural land use. Fence and livestock exclusion is used to protect wetlands in high impact locations.
Critical area protection was achieved by meeting and exceeding all but one of the target protection metrics. Of 14 measures, only the 'Access Road' practice (35 feet) was not implemented.

Adaptive Management?

Yes No

Goal: 1 - Protect critical areas through voluntary measures.

Wetlands
50 - Foster

Goal Met?

Yes No

Comments

Foster Creek contains 9% of the Counties private agricultural land. The Foster Creek WRIA in Okanogan County is completely within the Colville Reservation, and most of the WRIA is outside of Okanogan County. The County defers to the Confederated Tribes of the Colville Reservation to protect critical areas with their codes and natural resource programs. This relationship is established in an interlocal agreement.

The County’s protection benchmark metrics were exceeded, except for the ‘Access Road’ metric of 70 feet.

Adaptive Management?

Yes No

Re-engage with the Colville Confederated Tribes about the application of VSP within the boundaries of the Reservation.

Goal: 1 - Protect critical areas through voluntary measures.

Wetlands

51 - Nespelem

Goal Met?

Yes No

Comments

Nespelem contains only 1% of the Counties agricultural land. The Nespelem WRIA is completely within the Colville Reservation. The County defers to the Confederated Tribes of the Colville Reservation to protect critical areas with their codes and natural resource programs. This relationship is established in an interlocal agreement.

The County's protection benchmark metrics were exceeded, except for the 'Access Road' metric of 70 feet.

Adaptive Management?

Yes No

Re-engage with the Colville Confederated Tribes about the application of VSP within the boundaries of the Reservation.

Goal: 1 - Protect critical areas through voluntary measures.

Wetlands

52 - Sanpoil

Goal Met?

Yes No

Comments

A portion of the Sanpoil WRIA is within the Colville Reservation and approximately half of the WRIA is within Ferry County. The County defers to the Confederated Tribes of the Colville Reservation to protect critical areas within the Reservation. The Sanpoil WRIA contains only 2% of the County's agricultural land and is mostly range. Forest health practices are more commonly implemented, although they are not listed as target metrics for VSP.

The county's protection benchmark metrics were exceeded except for the 'Access Road' metric of 35 feet within therange management practice type. The overall goal to protect critical areas was achieved by significantly exceeding all other range management metrics.

Adaptive Management?

Yes No

Goal: 1 - Protect critical areas through voluntary measures.

Wetlands

53 - Lower Lake Roosevelt

Goal Met?

Yes No

Comments

Approximately 2% of the county's agricultural land is mapped within the Lower Lake Roosevelt WRIA. Most of the WRIA is within Lincoln and Ferry Counties. The Lower Lake Roosevelt WRIA within Okanogan County is completely within the Colville Reservation. The County defers to the Confederated Tribes of the Colville Reservation to protect critical areas within the Reservation.

The County's protection benchmark metrics were met, except for the 'Access Road' metric of 70 feet.

Adaptive Management?

Yes No

Re-engage with the Colville Confederated Tribes about the application of VSP within the boundaries of the Reservation.

Goal: 1 - Protect critical areas through voluntary measures.

**Wetlands
60 - Kettle**

Goal Met?

Yes No

Comments

The Kettle WRIA contains 7% of the Counties agricultural land, much of which is rangeland. Most of the Kettle WRIA is within Ferry County. Although not currently listed as practices in the work plan, forest stand improvement and related forest health practices were more common in the Kettle WRIA.
The County's protection benchmark metrics were exceeded, except for the 'Access Road' metric of 70 feet.

Adaptive Management?

Yes No

Conduct outreach to agricultural producers in the WRIA.

Goal: 1 - Protect critical areas through voluntary measures.

**Critical Aquifer Recharge
48 - Methow**

Goal Met?

Yes No

Comments

Approximately 8% of the county's agricultural lands are within the Methow WRIA. Irrigation water management practices contribute towards critical aquifer recharge area protection. Effectiveness monitoring did not indicate negative impacts from agricultural operations since 2011.
Critical area protection was achieved by meeting and exceeding all but one of the target protection metrics. Of 14 measures, only the 'Access Road' practice (35 feet) was not implemented. Please see the supplemental upload for this report for a detailed list of practices documented in the Methow.

Adaptive Management?

Yes No

Goal: 1 - Protect critical areas through voluntary measures.

**Critical Aquifer Recharge
49 - Okanogan**

Goal Met?

Yes No

Comments

Approximately 71% of the county's agricultural lands are within the Okanogan WRIA, and most of the agricultural practices are documented here. Integrated pest management, irrigation water management and animal mortality facilities are practices implemented to reduce negative impacts to critical aquifer recharge areas.
Groundwater sampling does not indicate disproportionate impacts from agricultural lands.
The County's protection benchmark metrics were met, except for the 'Access Road' metric of 70 feet. This practice is a small portion of the overall benchmarks for the County.

Adaptive Management?

Yes No

Goal: 1 - Protect critical areas through voluntary measures.

Critical Aquifer Recharge

50 - Foster

Goal Met?

Yes No

Comments

Foster Creek contains 9% of the Counties private agricultural land. The Foster Creek WRIA in Okanogan County is completely within the Colville Reservation, and most of the WRIA is outside of Okanogan County. The County defers to the Confederated Tribes of the Colville Reservation to protect critical areas with their codes and natural resource programs. This relationship is established in an interlocal agreement.

The County's protection benchmark metrics were exceeded, except for the 'Access Road' metric of 70 feet.

Adaptive Management?

Yes No

Re-engage with the Colville Confederated Tribes about the application of VSP within the boundaries of the Reservation.

Goal: 1 - Protect critical areas through voluntary measures.

Critical Aquifer Recharge

51 - Nespelem

Goal Met?

Yes No

Comments

Nespelem contains only 1% of the Counties agricultural land. The Nespelem WRIA is completely within the Colville Reservation. The County defers to the Confederated Tribes of the Colville Reservation to protect critical areas with their codes and natural resource programs. This relationship is established in an interlocal agreement.

The county's protection benchmark metrics were exceeded, except for the 'Access Road' metric of 70 feet.

Adaptive Management?

Yes No

Re-engage with the Colville Confederated Tribes about the application of VSP within the boundaries of the Reservation.

Goal: 1 - Protect critical areas through voluntary measures.

Critical Aquifer Recharge

52 - Sanpoil

Goal Met?

Yes No

Comments

A portion of the Sanpoil WRIA is within the Colville Reservation and approximately half of the WRIA is within Ferry County. The County defers to the Confederated Tribes of the Colville Reservation to protect critical areas within the Reservation.

The Sanpoil WRIA contains only 2% of the Counties agricultural land, much of which is dryland. The county's protection benchmark metrics were exceeded, except for the 'Access Road' metric of 70 feet.

Adaptive Management?

Yes No

Re-engage with the Colville Confederated Tribes about the application of VSP within the boundaries of the Reservation. Conduct outreach to agricultural producers in the WRIA.

Goal: 1 - Protect critical areas through voluntary measures.

**Critical Aquifer Recharge
53 - Lower Lake Roosevelt**

Goal Met?

Yes No

Comments

Approximately 2% of the county's agricultural land is mapped within the Lower Lake Roosevelt WRIA. Most of the WRIA is within Lincoln and Ferry Counties. The Lower Lake Roosevelt WRIA within Okanogan County is completely within the Colville Reservation. The County defers to the Confederated Tribes of the Colville Reservation to protect critical areas within the Reservation.

The County's protection benchmark metrics were met, except for the 'Access Road' metric of 70 feet.

Adaptive Management?

Yes No

Re-engage with the Colville Confederated Tribes about the application of VSP within the boundaries of the Reservation.

Goal: 1 - Protect critical areas through voluntary measures.

**Critical Aquifer Recharge
60 - Kettle**

Goal Met?

Yes No

Comments

The Kettle WRIA contains 7% of the Counties agricultural land, much of which is rangeland. Most of the Kettle WRIA is within Ferry County. Although not currently listed as practices in the work plan, forest stand improvement and related forest health practices were more common in the Kettle WRIA.

The County's protection benchmark metrics were exceeded, except for the 'Access Road' metric of 70 feet.

Adaptive Management?

Yes No

Conduct outreach to agricultural producers in the WRIA.

Goal: 1 - Protect critical areas through voluntary measures.

**Frequently Flooded
48 - Methow**

Goal Met?

Yes No

Comments

Approximately 8% of the county's agricultural lands are within the Methow WRIA. Implementation of practices like prescribed grazing protected frequently flooded areas. Critical area protection was achieved by meeting and exceeding all but one of the target protection metrics. Of 14 measures, only the 'Access Road' practice (35 feet) was not implemented.

Adaptive Management?

Yes No

Goal: 1 - Protect critical areas through voluntary measures.

**Frequently Flooded
49 - Okanogan**

Goal Met?

Yes No

Comments

Approximately 71% of the county's agricultural lands are within the Okanogan WRIA. Prescribed grazing and tree/shrub establishment are examples of practices installed to protect floodplains. The Okanogan River has a wide and active floodplain, much of which is farmed or developed for other uses. The County's protection benchmark metrics were met, except for the 'Access Road' metric of 70 feet. This practice is a small portion of the overall benchmarks for the County.

Adaptive Management?

Yes No

Goal: 1 - Protect critical areas through voluntary measures.

**Frequently Flooded
50 - Foster**

Goal Met?

Yes No

Comments

Foster Creek contains 9% of the Counties private agricultural land. The Foster Creek WRIA in Okanogan County is completely within the Colville Reservation, and most of the WRIA is outside of Okanogan County. The County defers to the Confederated Tribes of the Colville Reservation to protect critical areas with their codes and natural resource programs. This relationship is established in an interlocal agreement.

The county's protection benchmark metrics were exceeded, except for the 'Access Road' metric of 70 feet.

Adaptive Management?

Yes No

Re-engage with the Colville Confederated Tribes about the application of VSP within the boundaries of the Reservation.

Goal: 1 - Protect critical areas through voluntary measures.

**Frequently Flooded
51 - Nespelem**

Goal Met?

Yes No

Comments

Nespelem contains only 1% of the Counties agricultural land. The Nespelem WRIA is completely within the Colville Reservation. The County defers to the Confederated Tribes of the Colville Reservation to protect critical areas with their codes and natural resource programs. This relationship is established in an interlocal agreement.

The county's protection benchmark metrics were exceeded, except for the 'Access Road' metric of 70 feet.

Adaptive Management?

Yes No

Re-engage with the Colville Confederated Tribes about the application of VSP within the boundaries of the Reservation.

Goal: 1 - Protect critical areas through voluntary measures.

**Frequently Flooded
52 - Sanpoil**

Goal Met?

Yes No

Comments

A portion of the Sanpoil WRIA is within the Colville Reservation and approximately half of the WRIA is within Ferry County. The County defers to the Confederated Tribes of the Colville Reservation to protect critical areas within the Reservation.
The Sanpoil WRIA contains only 2% of the Counties agricultural land, much of which is dryland. The county's protection benchmark metrics were exceeded, except for the 'Access Road' metric of 70 feet.

Adaptive Management?

Yes No

Re-engage with the Colville Confederated Tribes about the application of VSP within the boundaries of the Reservation. Conduct outreach to agricultural producers in the WRIA.

Goal: 1 - Protect critical areas through voluntary measures.

**Frequently Flooded
53 - Lower Lake Roosevelt**

Goal Met?

Yes No

Comments

Approximately 2% of the county's agricultural land is mapped within the Lower Lake Roosevelt WRIA. Most of the WRIA is within Lincoln and Ferry Counties. The Lower Lake Roosevelt WRIA within Okanogan County is completely within the Colville Reservation. The County defers to the Confederated Tribes of the Colville Reservation to protect critical areas within the Reservation.

The County's protection benchmark metrics were met, except for the 'Access Road' metric of 70 feet.

Adaptive Management?

Yes No

Re-engage with the Colville Confederated Tribes about the application of VSP within the boundaries of the Reservation.

Goal: 1 - Protect critical areas through voluntary measures.

**Frequently Flooded
60 - Kettle**

Goal Met?

Yes No

Comments

The Kettle WRIA contains 7% of the Counties agricultural land, much of which is rangeland. Most of the Kettle WRIA is within Ferry County. Although not currently listed as practices in the work plan, forest stand improvement and related forest health practices were more common in the Kettle WRIA.

The County's protection benchmark metrics were exceeded, except for the 'Access Road' metric of 70 feet.

Adaptive Management?

Yes No

Re-engage with the Colville Confederated Tribes about the application of VSP within the boundaries of the Reservation.

Goal: 1 - Protect critical areas through voluntary measures.

**Geologic Hazard
48 - Methow**

Goal Met?

Yes No

Comments

Approximately 8% of the county's agricultural lands are within the Methow WRIA. Prescribed grazing and cover crops help protect geologically hazardous areas. Critical area protection was achieved by meeting and exceeding all but one of the target protection metrics. Of 14 measures, only the 'Access Road' practice (35 feet) was not implemented.

Adaptive Management?

Yes No

Goal: 1 - Protect critical areas through voluntary measures.

**Geologic Hazard
49 - Okanogan**

Goal Met?

Yes No

Comments

Approximately 71% of the county's agricultural lands are within the Okanogan WRIA. Prescribed grazing is a practice which protects geologically hazardous areas on rangeland, the most abundant agricultural land use. Critical area protection was achieved by meeting and exceeding all but one of the target protection metrics. Of 14 measures, only the 'Access Road' practice (35 feet) was not implemented.

Adaptive Management?

Yes No

Goal: 1 - Protect critical areas through voluntary measures.

**Geologic Hazard
50 - Foster**

Goal Met?

Yes No

Comments

Foster Creek contains 9% of the Counties private agricultural land. The Foster Creek WRIA in Okanogan County is completely within the Colville Reservation, and most of the WRIA is outside of Okanogan County. The County defers to the Confederated Tribes of the Colville Reservation to protect critical areas. The County's protection benchmark metrics were exceeded, except for the 'Access Road' metric of 70 feet.

Adaptive Management?

Yes No

Re-engage with the Colville Confederated Tribes about the application of VSP within the boundaries of the Reservation.

Goal: 1 - Protect critical areas through voluntary measures.

**Geologic Hazard
51 - Nespelem**

Goal Met?

Yes No

Comments

Nespelem contains only 1% of the Counties agricultural land. The Nespelem WRIA is completely within the Colville Reservation. The County defers to the Confederated Tribes of the Colville Reservation to protect critical areas with their codes and natural resource programs. This relationship is established in an interlocal agreement.

The county's protection benchmark metrics were exceeded, except for the 'Access Road' metric of 70 feet.

Adaptive Management?

Yes No

Re-engage with the Colville Confederated Tribes about the application of VSP within the boundaries of the Reservation.

Goal: 1 - Protect critical areas through voluntary measures.

**Geologic Hazard
52 - Sanpoil**

Goal Met?

Yes No

Comments

A portion of the Sanpoil WRIA is within the Colville Reservation and approximately half of the WRIA is within Ferry County. The County defers to the Confederated Tribes of the Colville Reservation to protect critical areas within the Reservation.

The Sanpoil WRIA contains only 2% of the Counties agricultural land, much of which is dryland. The county's protection benchmark metrics were exceeded, except for the 'Access Road' metric of 70 feet.

Adaptive Management?

Yes No

Re-engage with the Colville Confederated Tribes about the application of VSP within the boundaries of the Reservation. Conduct outreach to agricultural producers in the WRIA.

Goal: 1 - Protect critical areas through voluntary measures.

**Geologic Hazard
53 - Lower Lake Roosevelt**

Goal Met?

Yes No

Comments

Approximately 2% of the county's agricultural land is mapped within the Lower Lake Roosevelt WRIA. Most of the WRIA is within Lincoln and Ferry Counties. The Lower Lake Roosevelt WRIA within Okanogan County is completely within the Colville Reservation. The County defers to the Confederated Tribes of the Colville Reservation to protect critical areas within the Reservation.

The County's protection benchmark metrics were met, except for the 'Access Road' metric of 70 feet.

Adaptive Management?

Yes No

Re-engage with the Colville Confederated Tribes about the application of VSP within the boundaries of the Reservation.

Goal: 1 - Protect critical areas through voluntary measures.

Geologic Hazard

60 - Kettle

Goal Met?

Yes No

Comments

The Kettle WRIA contains 7% of the Counties agricultural land, much of which is rangeland. Most of the Kettle WRIA is within Ferry County. Although not currently listed as practices in the work plan, forest stand improvement and related forest health practices were more common in the Kettle WRIA.
The County's protection benchmark metrics were exceeded, except for the 'Access Road' metric of 70 feet.

Adaptive Management?

Yes No

Conduct outreach to agricultural producers in the WRIA.

Goal: 1 - Protect critical areas through voluntary measures.

Fish and Wildlife Habitat

48 - Methow

Goal Met?

Yes No

Comments

Approximately 8% of the county's agricultural lands are within the Methow WRIA. Salmon recovery practices are frequently implemented and contribute towards the high level of practice implementation. Habitat trends indicate fish and wildlife habitat is not declining.
Critical area protection was achieved by meeting and exceeding all but one of the target protection metrics. Of 14 measures, only the 'Access Road' practice (35 feet) was not implemented.

Adaptive Management?

Yes No

Goal: 1 - Protect critical areas through voluntary measures.

Fish and Wildlife Habitat

49 - Okanogan

Goal Met?

Yes No

Comments

Approximately 71% of the county's agricultural lands are within the Okanogan WRIA, and most of the agricultural practices are documented here. Prescribed grazing, tree/shrub establishment and range planting are examples of practices implemented to improve fish and wildlife habitat conservation areas. Habitat trend reports do not indicate a decline in habitat quality. Steelhead habitat is mostly trending towards improvement.
The County's protection benchmark metrics were met, except for the 'Access Road' metric of 70 feet. This practice is a small portion of the overall benchmarks for the County.

Adaptive Management?

Yes No

Goal: 1 - Protect critical areas through voluntary measures.

Fish and Wildlife Habitat

50 - Foster

Goal Met?

Yes No

Comments

Foster Creek contains 9% of the Counties private agricultural land. The Foster Creek WRIA in Okanogan County is completely within the Colville Reservation, and most of the WRIA is outside of Okanogan County. The County defers to the Confederated Tribes of the Colville Reservation to protect critical areas with their codes and natural resource programs. This relationship is established in an interlocal agreement.

The County's protection benchmark metrics were exceeded, except for the 'Access Road' metric of 70 feet.

Adaptive Management?

Yes No

Re-engage with the Colville Confederated Tribes about the application of VSP within the boundaries of the Reservation.

Goal: 1 - Protect critical areas through voluntary measures.

Fish and Wildlife Habitat

51 - Nespelem

Goal Met?

Yes No

Comments

Nespelem contains only 1% of the Counties agricultural land. The Nespelem WRIA is completely within the Colville Reservation. The County defers to the Confederated Tribes of the Colville Reservation to protect critical areas with their codes and natural resource programs. This relationship is established in an interlocal agreement.

The county's protection benchmark metrics were exceeded, except for the 'Access Road' metric of 70 feet.

Adaptive Management?

Yes No

Re-engage with the Colville Confederated Tribes about the application of VSP within the boundaries of the Reservation.

Goal: 1 - Protect critical areas through voluntary measures.

Fish and Wildlife Habitat

52 - Sanpoil

Goal Met?

Yes No

Comments

A portion of the Sanpoil WRIA is within the Colville Reservation and approximately half of the WRIA is within Ferry County. The County defers to the Confederated Tribes of the Colville Reservation to protect critical areas within the Reservation.

The Sanpoil WRIA contains only 2% of the Counties agricultural land, much of which is dryland. The county's protection benchmark metrics were exceeded, except for the 'Access Road' metric of 70 feet.

Adaptive Management?

Yes No

Re-engage with the Colville Confederated Tribes about the application of VSP within the boundaries of the Reservation. Conduct outreach to agricultural producers in the WRIA.

Goal: 1 - Protect critical areas through voluntary measures.

Fish and Wildlife Habitat

53 - Lower Lake Roosevelt

Goal Met?

Yes No

Comments

Approximately 2% of the county's agricultural land is mapped within the Lower Lake Roosevelt WRIA. Most of the WRIA is within Lincoln and Ferry Counties. The Lower Lake Roosevelt WRIA within Okanogan County is completely within the Colville Reservation. The County defers to the Confederated Tribes of the Colville Reservation to protect critical areas within the Reservation.

The County's protection benchmark metrics were met, except for the 'Access Road' metric of 70 feet.

Adaptive Management?

Yes No

Re-engage with the Colville Confederated Tribes about the application of VSP within the boundaries of the Reservation.

Goal: 1 - Protect critical areas through voluntary measures.

Fish and Wildlife Habitat

60 - Kettle

Goal Met?

Yes No

Comments

The Kettle WRIA contains 7% of the Counties agricultural land, much of which is rangeland. Most of the Kettle WRIA is within Ferry County. Although not currently listed as practices in the work plan, forest stand improvement and related forest health practices were more common in the Kettle WRIA.

The County's protection benchmark metrics were exceeded, except for the 'Access Road' metric of 70 feet.

Adaptive Management?

Yes No

Goal: 2 - Enhance critical areas through voluntary measures.

Wetlands

48 - Methow

Goal Met?

Yes No

Comments

Critical area enhancement was achieved by meeting and exceeding all but one of the target protection metrics. Of 14 measures, only the 'Access Road' practice (35 feet) was not implemented.

Adaptive Management?

Yes No

Goal: 2 - Enhance critical areas through voluntary measures.

Wetlands

49 - Okanogan

Goal Met?

Yes No

Comments

Critical area enhancement was achieved by meeting and exceeding all but one of the target protection metrics. Of 14 measures, only the 'Access Road' practice (35 feet) was not implemented. Exceeding the other targets made up for the improvement anticipated from 35 feet of improved road.

Adaptive Management?

Yes No

Goal: 2 - Enhance critical areas through voluntary measures.

Wetlands
50 - Foster

Goal Met?

Yes No

Comments

Critical area enhancement was achieved by meeting and exceeding all but one of the target protection metrics. Of 14 measures, only the 'Access Road' practice (35 feet) was not implemented. Exceeding the other targets made up for the improvement anticipated from 35 feet of improved road.

Adaptive Management?

Yes No

Goal: 2 - Enhance critical areas through voluntary measures.

Wetlands
51 - Nespelem

Goal Met?

Yes No

Comments

Critical area enhancement was achieved by meeting and exceeding all but one of the target protection metrics. Of 14 measures, only the 'Access Road' practice (35 feet) was not implemented. Exceeding the other targets made up for the improvement anticipated from 35 feet of improved road.

Adaptive Management?

Yes No

Goal: 2 - Enhance critical areas through voluntary measures.

Wetlands
52 - Sanpoil

Goal Met?

Yes No

Comments

Critical area enhancement was achieved by meeting and exceeding all but one of the target protection metrics. Of 14 measures, only the 'Access Road' practice (35 feet) was not implemented. Exceeding the other targets made up for the improvement anticipated from 35 feet of improved road.

Adaptive Management?

Yes No

Goal: 2 - Enhance critical areas through voluntary measures.

Wetlands
53 - Lower Lake Roosevelt

Goal Met?

Yes No

Comments

Critical area enhancement was achieved by meeting and exceeding all but one of the target protection metrics. Of 14 measures, only the 'Access Road' practice (35 feet) was not implemented. Exceeding the other targets made up for the improvement anticipated from 35 feet of improved road.

Adaptive Management?

Yes No

Goal: 2 - Enhance critical areas through voluntary measures.

**Wetlands
60 - Kettle**

Goal Met?

Yes No

Comments

Critical area enhancement was achieved by meeting and exceeding all but one of the target protection metrics. Of 14 measures, only the 'Access Road' practice (35 feet) was not implemented. Exceeding the other targets made up for the improvement anticipated from 35 feet of improved road.

Adaptive Management?

Yes No

Goal: 2 - Enhance critical areas through voluntary measures.

**Critical Aquifer Recharge
48 - Methow**

Goal Met?

Yes No

Comments

Critical area enhancement was achieved by meeting and exceeding all but one of the target protection metrics. Of 14 measures, only the 'Access Road' practice (35 feet) was not implemented.

Adaptive Management?

Yes No

Goal: 2 - Enhance critical areas through voluntary measures.

**Critical Aquifer Recharge
49 - Okanogan**

Goal Met?

Yes No

Comments

Critical area enhancement was achieved by meeting and exceeding all but one of the target protection metrics. Of 14 measures, only the 'Access Road' practice (35 feet) was not implemented. Exceeding the other targets made up for the improvement anticipated from 35 feet of improved road.

Adaptive Management?

Yes No

Goal: 2 - Enhance critical areas through voluntary measures.

**Critical Aquifer Recharge
50 - Foster**

Goal Met?

Yes No

Comments

Critical area enhancement was achieved by meeting and exceeding all but one of the target protection metrics. Of 14 measures, only the 'Access Road' practice (35 feet) was not implemented. Exceeding the other targets made up for the improvement anticipated from 35 feet of improved road.

Adaptive Management?

Yes No

Goal: 2 - Enhance critical areas through voluntary measures.

**Critical Aquifer Recharge
51 - Nespelem**

Goal Met?

Yes No

Comments

Critical area enhancement was achieved by meeting and exceeding all but one of the target protection metrics. Of 14 measures, only the 'Access Road' practice (35 feet) was not implemented. Exceeding the other targets made up for the improvement anticipated from 35 feet of improved road.

Adaptive Management?

Yes No

Goal: 2 - Enhance critical areas through voluntary measures.

**Critical Aquifer Recharge
52 - Sanpoil**

Goal Met?

Yes No

Comments

Critical area enhancement was achieved by meeting and exceeding all but one of the target protection metrics. Of 14 measures, only the 'Access Road' practice (35 feet) was not implemented. Exceeding the other targets made up for the improvement anticipated from 35 feet of improved road.

Adaptive Management?

Yes No

Goal: 2 - Enhance critical areas through voluntary measures.

**Critical Aquifer Recharge
53 - Lower Lake Roosevelt**

Goal Met?

Yes No

Comments

Critical area enhancement was achieved by meeting and exceeding all but one of the target protection metrics. Of 14 measures, only the 'Access Road' practice (35 feet) was not implemented. Exceeding the other targets made up for the improvement anticipated from 35 feet of improved road.

Adaptive Management?

Yes No

Goal: 2 - Enhance critical areas through voluntary measures.

**Critical Aquifer Recharge
60 - Kettle**

Goal Met?

Yes No

Comments

Critical area enhancement was achieved by meeting and exceeding all but one of the target protection metrics. Of 14 measures, only the 'Access Road' practice (35 feet) was not implemented. Exceeding the other targets made up for the improvement anticipated from 35 feet of improved road.

Adaptive Management?

Yes No

Goal: 2 - Enhance critical areas through voluntary measures.

**Frequently Flooded
48 - Methow**

Goal Met?

Yes No

Comments

Critical area enhancement was achieved by meeting and exceeding all but one of the target protection metrics. Of 14 measures, only the 'Access Road' practice (35 feet) was not implemented. Exceeding the other targets made up for the improvement anticipated from 35 feet of improved road.

Adaptive Management?

Yes No

Goal: 2 - Enhance critical areas through voluntary measures.

**Frequently Flooded
49 - Okanogan**

Goal Met?

Yes No

Comments

Critical area enhancement was achieved by meeting and exceeding all but one of the target protection metrics. Of 14 measures, only the 'Access Road' practice (35 feet) was not implemented. Exceeding the other targets made up for the improvement anticipated from 35 feet of improved road.

Adaptive Management?

Yes No

Goal: 2 - Enhance critical areas through voluntary measures.

**Frequently Flooded
50 - Foster**

Goal Met?

Yes No

Comments

Critical area enhancement was achieved by meeting and exceeding all but one of the target protection metrics. Of 14 measures, only the 'Access Road' practice (35 feet) was not implemented. Exceeding the other targets made up for the improvement anticipated from 35 feet of improved road.

Adaptive Management?

Yes No

Goal: 2 - Enhance critical areas through voluntary measures.

**Frequently Flooded
51 - Nespelem**

Goal Met?

Yes No

Comments

Critical area enhancement was achieved by meeting and exceeding all but one of the target protection metrics. Of 14 measures, only the 'Access Road' practice (35 feet) was not implemented. Exceeding the other targets made up for the improvement anticipated from 35 feet of improved road.

Adaptive Management?

Yes No

Goal: 2 - Enhance critical areas through voluntary measures.

**Frequently Flooded
52 - Sanpoil**

Goal Met?

Yes No

Comments

Critical area enhancement was achieved by meeting and exceeding all but one of the target protection metrics. Of 14 measures, only the 'Access Road' practice (35 feet) was not implemented. Exceeding the other targets made up for the improvement anticipated from 35 feet of improved road.

Adaptive Management?

Yes No

Goal: 2 - Enhance critical areas through voluntary measures.

**Frequently Flooded
53 - Lower Lake Roosevelt**

Goal Met?

Yes No

Comments

Critical area enhancement was achieved by meeting and exceeding all but one of the target protection metrics. Of 14 measures, only the 'Access Road' practice (35 feet) was not implemented. Exceeding the other targets made up for the improvement anticipated from 35 feet of improved road.

Adaptive Management?

Yes No

Goal: 2 - Enhance critical areas through voluntary measures.

**Frequently Flooded
60 - Kettle**

Goal Met?

Yes No

Comments

Critical area enhancement was achieved by meeting and exceeding all but one of the target protection metrics. Of 14 measures, only the 'Access Road' practice (35 feet) was not implemented. Exceeding the other targets made up for the improvement anticipated from 35 feet of improved road.

Adaptive Management?

Yes No

Goal: 2 - Enhance critical areas through voluntary measures.

**Geologic Hazard
48 - Methow**

Goal Met?

Yes No

Comments

Critical area enhancement was achieved by meeting and exceeding all but one of the target protection metrics. Of 14 measures, only the 'Access Road' practice (35 feet) was not implemented. Exceeding the other targets made up for the improvement anticipated from 35 feet of improved road.

Adaptive Management?

Yes No

Goal: 2 - Enhance critical areas through voluntary measures.

**Geologic Hazard
49 - Okanogan**

Goal Met?

Yes No

Comments

Critical area enhancement was achieved by meeting and exceeding all but one of the target protection metrics. Of 14 measures, only the 'Access Road' practice (35 feet) was not implemented. Exceeding the other targets made up for the improvement anticipated from 35 feet of improved road.

Adaptive Management?

Yes No

Goal: 2 - Enhance critical areas through voluntary measures.

**Geologic Hazard
50 - Foster**

Goal Met?

Yes No

Comments

Critical area enhancement was achieved by meeting and exceeding all but one of the target protection metrics. Of 14 measures, only the 'Access Road' practice (35 feet) was not implemented. Exceeding the other targets made up for the improvement anticipated from 35 feet of improved road.

Adaptive Management?

Yes No

Goal: 2 - Enhance critical areas through voluntary measures.

**Geologic Hazard
51 - Nespelem**

Goal Met?

Yes No

Comments

Critical area enhancement was achieved by meeting and exceeding all but one of the target protection metrics. Of 14 measures, only the 'Access Road' practice (35 feet) was not implemented. Exceeding the other targets made up for the improvement anticipated from 35 feet of improved road.

Adaptive Management?

Yes No

Goal: 2 - Enhance critical areas through voluntary measures.

**Geologic Hazard
52 - Sanpoil**

Goal Met?

Yes No

Comments

Critical area enhancement was achieved by meeting and exceeding all but one of the target protection metrics. Of 14 measures, only the 'Access Road' practice (35 feet) was not implemented. Exceeding the other targets made up for the improvement anticipated from 35 feet of improved road.

Adaptive Management?

Yes No

Goal: 2 - Enhance critical areas through voluntary measures.

**Geologic Hazard
53 - Lower Lake Roosevelt**

Goal Met?

Yes No

Comments

Critical area enhancement was achieved by meeting and exceeding all but one of the target protection metrics. Of 14 measures, only the 'Access Road' practice (35 feet) was not implemented. Exceeding the other targets made up for the improvement anticipated from 35 feet of improved road.

Adaptive Management?

Yes No

Goal: 2 - Enhance critical areas through voluntary measures.

**Geologic Hazard
60 - Kettle**

Goal Met?

Yes No

Comments

Critical area enhancement was achieved by meeting and exceeding all but one of the target protection metrics. Of 14 measures, only the 'Access Road' practice (35 feet) was not implemented. Exceeding the other targets made up for the improvement anticipated from 35 feet of improved road.

Adaptive Management?

Yes No

Goal: 2 - Enhance critical areas through voluntary measures.

**Fish and Wildlife Habitat
48 - Methow**

Goal Met?

Yes No

Comments

Critical area enhancement was achieved by meeting and exceeding all but one of the target protection metrics. Of 14 measures, only the 'Access Road' practice (35 feet) was not implemented. Trusted water rights and leases improved habitat for salmon and steelhead.

Adaptive Management?

Yes No

Goal: 2 - Enhance critical areas through voluntary measures.

**Fish and Wildlife Habitat
49 - Okanogan**

Goal Met?

Yes No

Comments

Critical area enhancement was achieved by meeting and exceeding all but one of the target protection metrics. Of 14 measures, only the 'Access Road' practice (35 feet) was not implemented. Trusted water rights and leases improved habitat for salmon and steelhead.

Adaptive Management?

Yes No

Goal: 2 - Enhance critical areas through voluntary measures.

**Fish and Wildlife Habitat
50 - Foster**

Goal Met?

Yes No

Comments

Critical area enhancement was achieved by meeting and exceeding all but one of the target protection metrics. Of 14 measures, only the 'Access Road' practice (35 feet) was not implemented. Exceeding the other targets made up for the improvement anticipated from 35 feet of improved road.

Adaptive Management?

Yes No

Goal: 2 - Enhance critical areas through voluntary measures.

**Fish and Wildlife Habitat
51 - Nespelem**

Goal Met?

Yes No

Comments

Critical area enhancement was achieved by meeting and exceeding all but one of the target protection metrics. Of 14 measures, only the 'Access Road' practice (35 feet) was not implemented. Exceeding the other targets made up for the improvement anticipated from 35 feet of improved road.

Adaptive Management?

Yes No

Goal: 2 - Enhance critical areas through voluntary measures.

**Fish and Wildlife Habitat
52 - Sanpoil**

Goal Met?

Yes No

Comments

Critical area enhancement was achieved by meeting and exceeding all but one of the target protection metrics. Of 14 measures, only the 'Access Road' practice (35 feet) was not implemented. Exceeding the other targets made up for the improvement anticipated from 35 feet of improved road.

Adaptive Management?

Yes No

Goal: 2 - Enhance critical areas through voluntary measures.

**Fish and Wildlife Habitat
53 - Lower Lake Roosevelt**

Goal Met?

Yes No

Comments

Critical area enhancement was achieved by meeting and exceeding all but one of the target protection metrics. Of 14 measures, only the 'Access Road' practice (35 feet) was not implemented. Exceeding the other targets made up for the improvement anticipated from 35 feet of improved road.

Adaptive Management?

Yes No

Goal Met?

Yes No

Comments

Critical area enhancement was achieved by meeting and exceeding all but one of the target protection metrics. Of 14 measures, only the 'Access Road' practice (35 feet) was not implemented. Exceeding the other targets made up for the improvement anticipated from 35 feet of improved road.

Adaptive Management?

Yes No

Participation Strategies and Performance Metrics

Enter your best estimate of the number of Producers in the County watersheds:

Goal: 3 - Provide educational opportunities related to stewardship of critical areas and agriculture.

Benchmark: 3 - 20 participants attend an educational workshop, farm tour, or other form of educational event of program.

Strategy/Metric Description

VSP Work Group and technical lead (Okanogan CD) communicate with local stakeholders and agencies to plan and document participation in educational events.

Accomplishment

The following events are a few of the educational opportunities held since the VSP Work Group formed in 2016:

- 2017 & 2018 Soil Health Field Day – 55 & 45 Participants
- 2017 Okanogan Cattleman’s Range Monitoring Tour – 40 participants
- 2018 Okanogan CD Conservation Celebration, Ranching, Wolves, Wildlife – 85 participants
- 2018 Fuel for Fire, Forage for Cattle: Grazing Management with Stockmanship – 30 participants
- 2018 Water Right Workshops – Okanogan & Tonasket – 20 participants
- 2019 Livestock Watering Techniques Farm Tour - 4 participants
- 2019 Managing Your Land for Wildlife and Wildfire- 4 participants
- 2019 Okanogan CD Conservation Celebration, Sharp-tailed Grouse Recovery in Okanogan - 85 participants
- 2020 Soil Health Workshop- 25 participants

Status

Exceeded

Goal: 4 - Encourage participation in Individual VSP Stewardship Checklists.

Benchmark: 5 - No numeric benchmark is set for individual stewardship plans completed.

Strategy/Metric Description

The strategy for this goal is to collect and review checklists and develop a benchmark.

Accomplishment

The VSP checklist is currently in review and will be redeveloped to be more relevant to different types of agricultural land and producers. No checklists have been completed.

Status

Met

Goal: 5 - Encourage participation in stewardship practice planning with Okanogan CD.

Benchmark: 4 - Complete 3 practice plans in 5 years.

Strategy/Metric Description

The measure of this metric is the number of producers planning projects with Okanogan CD Planners.

Accomplishment

Okanogan CD has worked with at least 5 producers per year to plan irrigation efficiency projects, prescribed grazing plans, wetland and riparian protection projects or off-stream watering systems. Okanogan CD staff worked with three irrigation companies/districts to plan large-scale efficiency upgrades during the reporting period. Two were implemented.

Status

Exceeded

Critical Area Monitoring

Monitoring Activity: Confederated Tribes of the Colville Reservation Ecosystem Diagnosis and Treatment tool for Upper Columbia Steelhead

Included Critical Area(s):

Fish and Wildlife Habitat Conservation Areas

Type of data

Timeframe/season for field sampling or data collection (e.g., summer only, annually, monthly)

Desired accuracy of the Analysis Observed mean

Number of samples drawn from existing data Observed standard deviation

What statistical test was performed? (Ex. t-test, ANOVA, time series, regression, etc.)

Is the observation statistically significant? Yes No

Did the underlying data meet statistical test assumptions (e.g., normality)? Yes No

Briefly describe the outcome of the monitoring and why VSP implementation/lack of implementation contributed to the observations https://ecosystems.azurewebsites.net/hstr-okanogan/"/>

Adaptive Management needed? Yes No

Proposed Monitoring

Included Critical Area(s):

Critical Aquifer Recharge

Timeframe/season for field sampling or data collection (e.g., summer only, annually, monthly)

DOH samples collected between 2015 and 2020.

Desired accuracy of the monitoring

Number of samples/sites

Observed mean

Observed standard deviation

What statistical test was performed? (Ex. t-test, ANOVA, time series, regression, etc.)

None

Is the observation statistically significant?

 Yes No

Did the underlying data meet statistical test assumptions (e.g., normality)?

 Yes No

Briefly describe the outcome of the monitoring and why VSP implementation/lack of implementation contributed to the observations

Of 1,339 samples analyzed for nitrate and coliform samples from Group A and Group B wells 41 exceedances were documented from active wells in the Okanogan and Methow WRIs. Of those exceedances, 17 wellhead protection areas overlapped with agricultural lands. Irrigated orchards were associated with nitrate exceedances. Others were associated with recreational land use, such as campgrounds, or wells located near multiple dwellings with on-site septic systems.

Adaptive Management needed?

 Yes No

Proposed Monitoring

Few surface water quality samples have been collected within Okanogan County in recent years. Okanogan CD will assist WSDA with the pesticide data collection planned for 2021 and is pursuing funding for stream water quality monitoring in the Okanogan River tributaries. Surface water quality data will help monitor the protection of critical areas and target outreach and planning locations.

Included Critical Area(s):

Fish and Wildlife Habitat Conservation Areas

Type of data

Timeframe/season for field sampling or data collection (e.g., summer only, annually, monthly)

Desired accuracy of the Analysis Observed mean

Number of samples drawn from existing data Observed standard deviation

What statistical test was performed? (Ex. t-test, ANOVA, time series, regression, etc.)

Is the observation statistically significant? Yes No

Did the underlying data meet statistical test assumptions (e.g., normality)? Yes No

Briefly describe the outcome of the monitoring and why VSP implementation/lack of implementation contributed to the observations

Eight fish passage improvements were completed on private agricultural lands through the FFFPP or salmon recovery related projects, demonstrating improvement to Fish and Wildlife Habitat Conservation Areas.

Adaptive Management needed? Yes No

Included Critical Area(s):

Fish and Wildlife Habitat Conservation Areas

Type of data

Timeframe/season for field sampling or data collection (e.g., summer only, annually, monthly)

Desired accuracy of the Analysis

Observed mean

Number of samples drawn from existing data

Observed standard deviation

What statistical test was performed? (Ex. t-test, ANOVA, time series, regression, etc.)

Is the observation statistically significant? Yes No

Did the underlying data meet statistical test assumptions (e.g., normality)? Yes No

Briefly describe the outcome of the monitoring and why VSP implementation/lack of implementation contributed to the observations

Of the three stations (Poorman Creek, Methow River at Twisp Bridge, Methow River upstream of Pateros) regularly scored on the Freshwater Quality Index, two were given an overall annual rating of “good- meeting standards to protect aquatic life” for 2015-2018. The third received a “moderate concern” rating for 2015, though that improved to a “good” rating for 2016-2018.

Adaptive Management needed? Yes No

Monitoring Activity: Water quality data from the Methow Salmon Recovery Foundation

Included Critical Area(s):

Fish and Wildlife Habitat Conservation Areas

Type of data

Timeframe/season for field sampling or data collection (e.g., summer only, annually, monthly)

Desired accuracy of the Analysis Observed mean

Number of samples drawn from existing data Observed standard deviation

What statistical test was performed? (Ex. t-test, ANOVA, time series, regression, etc.)

Is the observation statistically significant? Yes No

Did the underlying data meet statistical test assumptions (e.g., normality)? Yes No

Briefly describe the outcome of the monitoring and why VSP implementation/lack of implementation contributed to the observations

Data between 2012 and 2019 was reviewed for two sites that could be impacted by adjacent or upstream agricultural activity. Of these two sites, in 2017 the Beaver Creek temperature logger recorded approximately one month of water temperatures which exceeded safe levels for salmonid survival (20 degrees C). However, this watershed and riparian area burned in the 2014 Carlton Complex Fire and impacts to water quality cannot be directly linked to agriculture.

Adaptive Management needed? Yes No

Monitoring Activity: WDFW species management report, Recovery of Columbian Sharp-tailed Grouse in Washington: Progress Report

Included Critical Area(s):

Fish and Wildlife Habitat Conservation Areas

Type of data

Timeframe/season for field sampling or data collection (e.g., summer only, annually, monthly)

Desired accuracy of the Analysis Observed mean

Number of samples drawn from existing data Observed standard deviation

What statistical test was performed? (Ex. t-test, ANOVA, time series, regression, etc.)

Is the observation statistically significant? Yes No

Did the underlying data meet statistical test assumptions (e.g., normality)? Yes No

Briefly describe the outcome of the monitoring and why VSP implementation/lack of implementation contributed to the observations

Sharp-tailed Grouse population reports were reviewed to reflect the condition of functions and values related to shrub-steppe, a common habitat type in Okanogan County. Population numbers have recently improved related to translocation efforts by WDFW which includes a release on private property in the Tunk Valley. Large wildfires in 2014 and 2015 led to significant changes in shrub-steppe habitat.

Adaptive Management needed? Yes No

Proposed Monitoring

The VSP Work Group will consider additional on-the-ground monitoring of range/shrubsteppe habitat condition in the County. Fish and wildlife management reports are helpful to characterize how a habitat is functioning for high priority species, addressing the intention of VSP to protect 'functions and values'. Range inventories can help determine specific rangeland and habitat improvement strategies and potentially trends if a long-term monitoring plan on a site is possible.

Monitoring Activity: Landscape change detection, 2011-2017

Included Critical Area(s):

Wetlands
Frequently Flooded
Geologic Hazard

Input datasets used
Landsat 05 July 23,2011
Landsat 08 Aug 8, 2017
NAIP 2011
NAIP 2017
LANDSAT and NDVI review provided general impressions of landscape and critical area changes but were difficult to parse from annual/seasonal weather variability and climate. All floodplain/agricultural parcels were reviewed. To review trends in wetlands and steep slopes, a random sample was generated and a classified NDVI value from 1 to 5 was attributed by comparing the location of the random location to the NDVI 2017-2011 raster.

Year of map/imagery for comparison with 2011 baseline

Spatial accuracy of least accurate input layer Units for spatial accuracy

Classification accuracy of least accurate input layer

Field verification of overall accuracy: Ommission

Field verification of overall accuracy: Commission

Field verification of overall accuracy: Kappa

Briefly describe the outcome of the monitoring and why VSP implementation/lack of implementation contributed to the observations

Floodplains: NDVI changes that suggest a loss of vegetation cover were rare, but three locations suggest removal of irrigation water produced more brown conditions in 2017, compared to 2011. Two sites were now-fallow agricultural properties. It is not uncommon for agricultural irrigation to increase surface water or near-surface soil moisture in adjacent land. Individual pixels along the rivers indicate changes in the riparian vegetation, while large blocks of pixels usually were associated with changes in agricultural lands. Geologically hazardous areas (mostly steep slopes) were mostly unchanged between 2011 and 2017. Indications of less vegetation was a result of wildfire, which frequently burns hot on steep slopes and high tree mortality. Our NDVI process was not effective for evaluating wetlands. Changes were related to increased surface areas of ponds and potholes, now-fallow agricultural lands, and seasonal variations.

Adaptive Management needed? Yes No

Proposed Monitoring
The VSP Work Group will work with agencies to consider monitoring strategies for geologically hazardous areas, floodplains and wetland functions and values, including suggestions for differentiating climate impacts. While we were able to detect landscape changes, the high level of seasonal variability in arid and semi-arid landscapes is a challenge for identifying the source of detected change.

Monitoring Activity: Beaver Creek Reach Assessment: Yakama Nation and Tetrattech, 2017

Included Critical Area(s):

Fish and Wildlife Habitat Conservation Areas

Type of data

Timeframe/season for field sampling or data collection (e.g., summer only, annually, monthly)

Desired accuracy of the Analysis Observed mean

Number of samples drawn from existing data Observed standard deviation

What statistical test was performed? (Ex. t-test, ANOVA, time series, regression, etc.)

Is the observation statistically significant? Yes No

Did the underlying data meet statistical test assumptions (e.g., normality)? Yes No

Briefly describe the outcome of the monitoring and why VSP implementation/lack of implementation contributed to the observations

Beaver Creek is a tributary to the Methow River. The Reach Assessment identified impairments and priority restoration strategies. Streamflow restoration is one of the top strategies for Beaver Creek and in recent years flow has improved due in part to agricultural irrigation leases and irrigation efficiencies.

Adaptive Management needed? Yes No