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## Salmon Project Agreement

### Salmon Funding Accounts

Project Sponsor: Chelan County Natural Resource  
Project Title: Upper Chumstick Barrier Removal

Project Number: 11-1441R  
Approval Date: 12/9/2011

#### A. PARTIES OF THE AGREEMENT

This project grant Agreement (Agreement) is entered into between the State of Washington by and through the Salmon Recovery Funding Board (SRFB) and the Recreation and Conservation Office, P.O. Box 40917, Olympia, Washington 98504-0917 and Chelan County by and through the Chelan Co Natural Resource (sponsor), 316 Washington St Ste 401, Wenatchee, WA 98801 and shall be binding on the agents and all persons acting by or through the parties.

#### B. PURPOSE OF AGREEMENT

This Agreement sets out the terms and conditions by which a grant is made from the Salmon Funding Accounts of the State of Washington. The grant is administered by the Recreation and Conservation Office (RCO) to the sponsor for the project named above.

#### C. DESCRIPTION OF PROJECT

The objective of the Upper Chumstick Barrier Removal project is to improve migration of salmonids to and from historical spawning and rearing habitat along the upper portion of Chumstick Creek (RM 7.3-9.8). This will complete a 15 year effort to remove over 30 barriers within the first 9.8 miles of Chumstick Creek. This effort will increase spatial structure, abundance, and productivity of salmonids in the Wenatchee watershed. Due to development along the creek, a high concentration of stream crossings exist, some of which are barriers to salmonid migration. Barrier removal will address two habitat limiting factors including up and downstream passage and riparian habitat.

#### D. PERIOD OF PERFORMANCE

The project reimbursement period shall begin on December 8, 2011 and end on December 31, 2014. No expenditure made before or after this period is eligible for reimbursement unless incorporated by written amendment into this Agreement or specifically provided for by RCFB and/or SRFB policy or WAC.

Requests for time extensions are to be made at least 60 days before the Agreement end date. If the request is made after the Agreement end date, the time extension will be denied.

The sponsor has obligations beyond this period of performance as described in Section E.

#### E. ON-GOING OBLIGATION

The Project Sponsor's ongoing obligation for the above project under this Agreement is to provide maintenance of the site or facility to serve the purpose for which it was intended for a minimum of ten (10) years, or more as specified in the Landowner Agreement, after the final payment unless the site or facility is rendered unusable for the purpose it was intended by an act of nature.

#### F. PROJECT FUNDING

The total grant award provided by the funding board for this project shall not exceed \$332,713.00. The funding board shall not pay any amount beyond that approved for grant funding of the project and within the funding board's percentage as identified below. The sponsor shall be responsible for all total project costs that exceed this amount. The contribution by the sponsor toward work on this project at a minimum shall be as indicated below:

	Percentage	Dollar Amount
SRFB - Salmon State Projects	85.00%	\$332,713.00
Project Sponsor	15.00%	\$58,714.00
Total Project Cost	100.00%	\$391,427.00

**G. RIGHTS AND OBLIGATIONS**

All rights and obligations of the parties to this Agreement are subject to this Agreement and its attachments, as now existing or hereafter amended, including the sponsor's application, eligible scope activities, project milestones, and the Standard Terms and Conditions of the project Agreement, all of which are incorporated herein.

Except as provided herein, no amendment/deletions of any of the terms or conditions of this Agreement will be effective unless provided in writing. All such amendment/deletions must be signed by both parties except the RCO director may unilaterally make amendments to extend the period of performance. Period of performance extensions need only be signed by RCO's director or designee.

**H. COMPLIANCE WITH APPLICABLE STATUTES, RULES, AND RCFB-SRFB POLICIES**

This agreement is governed by, and the sponsor shall comply with, all applicable state and federal laws and regulations, including Chapter 77.85 RCW, Chapter 420 WAC, and published agency policies, which are incorporated herein by this reference as if fully set forth.

**I. SPECIAL CONDITIONS**

None

**J. FEDERAL FUND INFORMATION**

(none)

**K. PROJECT GRANT AGREEMENT REPRESENTATIVE**

All written communications and notices under this Agreement will be addressed and sent to at least the mail address or the email address listed below if not both:

**Project Contact**

Name: Mike Kane  
Title:  
Address: 316 Washington St Ste 401  
Wenatchee, WA 98801  
Email: mike.kane@co.chelan.wa.us

**SRFB**

Recreation and Conservation Office  
Natural Resources Building  
PO Box 40917  
Olympia, Washington 98504-0917

These addresses shall be effective until receipt by one party from the other of a written notice of any change.

**L. ENTIRE AGREEMENT**

This Agreement, with all amendments and attachments, constitutes the entire Agreement of the parties. No other understandings, oral or otherwise, regarding this Agreement shall exist or bind any of the parties.

**M. EFFECTIVE DATE**

This Agreement, for project 11-1441R, shall be subject to the written approval of the RCO's authorized representative and shall not be effective and binding until executed by both the Sponsor and the RCO. Reimbursements for eligible and allowable costs incurred within the period of performance identified in Section D above are allowed only when this Agreement is fully executed and an original is received by RCO.

The sponsor/s has read, fully understands, and agrees to be bound by all terms and conditions as set forth in this Agreement. The signatories listed below represent and warrant their authority to bind the parties to this Agreement.

Chelan Co Natural Resource

By: [Signature]

Date: 5/29/12

Name: (printed) Ron Walter

Title: Commission Chairman

State of Washington

On behalf of the Salmon Recovery Funding Board (SRFB)

By: [Signature]

Date: 6/6/2012

Kaleen Cottingham

Director, Recreation and Conservation Office

Pre-approved as to form:

By: /s/

Date: June 27, 2011

Assistant Attorney General

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## Standard Terms and Conditions of the Project Agreement

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### SECTION 1. CITATIONS, HEADINGS AND DEFINITIONS

- A. Any citations referencing specific documents refer to the current version at the date of project Agreement and/or any revisions in the future.
- B. Headings used in this Agreement are for reference purposes only and shall not be considered a substantive part of this Agreement.

- C. Definitions. As used throughout this Agreement, the following terms shall have the meaning set forth below:

**acquisition** - The purchase of fee or less than fee interests in real property. These interests include, but are not limited to, options, right of first refusal, conservation easements, access/trail easements, covenants, water rights, leases, and mineral rights.

**Agreement** - The accord accepted by all parties to the present transaction; this Agreement, any supplemental Agreements, any amendments to this Agreement and any intergovernmental Agreements.

**applicant** - Any agency or organization that meets the qualifying standards, including deadlines, for submission of an application soliciting a grant of funds from the funding Board.

**application** - The documents and other materials that an applicant submits to the RCO to support the applicant's request for grant funds; this includes materials required for the "Application" in the RCO's automated project information system, and other documents as noted on the application checklist including but not limited to legal opinions, evaluation presentations and scripts.

**asset** - Equipment purchased by the sponsor or acquired or transferred to the sponsor for the purpose of this Agreement. This definition is restricted to non-fixed assets, including but not limited to vehicles, computers or machinery.

**cognizant or oversight agency** - Federal agency responsible for ensuring compliance with federal audit requirements.

**contractor** - Shall mean one not in the employment of the sponsor who is performing all or part of the eligible activities for this project under a separate Agreement with the sponsor. The term "contractor" and "contractors" means contractor(s) in any tier.

**secondary sponsor** - one of two or more eligible organizations that sponsors a grant-funded project. Of these two sponsors, only one - the primary sponsor - may be the fiscal agent.

**development** - The construction of or work resulting in new elements, including but not limited to structures, facilities, and/or materials to enhance outdoor recreation, salmon recovery or habitat conservation resources.

**director** - The chief executive officer of the Recreation and Conservation Office or that person's designee.

**elements, items and worktypes** - Components of the funded project as provided in the project description.

**funding board** - The board that authorized the funds in this Agreement, either the Recreation and Conservation Funding Board (RCFB) created under chapter 79A.25.110 RCW, or the Salmon Recovery Funding Board (SRFB) created under chapter 77.85.110 RCW.

**grantee** - The organizational entity or individual to which a grant (or cooperative agreement) is awarded and signatory to the Agreement which is responsible and accountable both for the use of the funds provided and for the performance of the grant-supported project or activities.

**landowner agreement** - A landowner agreement is required between a SRFB project sponsor and landowner for projects located on land not owned, or otherwise controlled, by the sponsor.

**lower tier participant** - refers to any sponsor receiving a federal grant through RCO. Lower tier participants also refer to any grantee, subgrantee, or contractor of any grantee or subgrantee from the original sponsor funded by RCO.

**milestone** - An important event with a defined deadline for an activity related to implementation of a funded project.

**period of performance** - The time period specified in the Agreement, under Section D, period of performance.

**project** - The undertaking that is the subject of this Agreement and that is, or may be, funded in whole or in part with funds administered by RCO on behalf of the funding board.

**RCO** - Recreation and Conservation Office - The state office that provides administrative support to the Recreation and Conservation Funding Board and Salmon Recovery Funding Board. RCO includes the director and staff, created by Chapters 79A.25.110 and 79A.25.150 RCW and charged with administering this Agreement by Chapters 77.85.110 and 79A.25.240 RCW.

**reimbursement** - Payment of eligible and allowable costs that have already been paid by the sponsor per the terms of the Agreement.

**renovation** - The activities intended to improve an existing site or structure in order to increase its service life or functions. This does not include maintenance activities.

**restoration** - Bringing a site back to its original function as part of a natural ecosystem or improving the ecological functionality of a site.

**sponsor** - The eligible applicant who has been awarded a grant of funds and is bound by this executed Agreement; includes its officers, employees, agents and successors.

**subgrantee** - The term subgrantee means the government or other legal entity to which a subgrant is awarded and which is accountable to the grantee for the use of the funds provided.

## SECTION 2. PERFORMANCE BY THE SPONSOR

The sponsor, and secondary sponsor where applicable, shall undertake the project as described in this Agreement, post evaluation summary, the sponsor's application, and in accordance with the sponsor's proposed goals and objectives described in the application or documents submitted with the application, all as finally approved by the funding board. All submitted documents are incorporated by this reference as if fully set forth herein. The Order of Precedence is covered in Section 31.

Timely completion of the project and submission of required documents, including progress and final reports, is important. Failure to meet critical milestones or complete the project, as set out in this Agreement, is a material breach of the Agreement.

## SECTION 3. ASSIGNMENT

Neither this Agreement, nor any claim arising under this Agreement, shall be transferred or assigned by the sponsor without prior written consent of the Recreation and Conservation Office.

## SECTION 4. RESPONSIBILITY FOR PROJECT

While the funding board undertakes to assist the sponsor with the project by providing a grant pursuant to this Agreement, the project itself remains the sole responsibility of the sponsor. The funding board undertakes no responsibilities to the sponsor, a secondary sponsor, or to any third party, other than as is expressly set out in this Agreement. The responsibility for the implementation of the project is solely that of the sponsor, as is the responsibility for any claim or suit of any nature by any third party related in any way to the project. When a project is sponsored by more than one entity, any and all sponsors are equally responsible for the project and all post-completion stewardship responsibilities.

## SECTION 5. INDEMNIFICATION

To the fullest extent permitted by the law, the sponsor expressly agrees to and shall indemnify, defend and hold harmless the State and its agencies, officials, agents and employees from and against all claims, actions, costs, damages, or expenses of any nature arising out of or incident to the sponsor's or any contractor's performance or failure to perform the Agreement. Sponsor's obligation to indemnify, defend and hold harmless also includes any claim by sponsor's agents, employees, representatives or any contractor or its employees. Sponsor's obligation to defend includes payment of any costs or attorneys' fees.

Sponsor's obligation shall not include such claims that may be caused by the sole negligence of RCO, its officials, agents, and employees. If the claims or damages are caused by or result from the concurrent negligence of (a) RCO, its agents or employees and (b) the sponsor, its contractors, agents, or employees, this indemnity provision shall be valid and enforceable only to the extent of the negligence of the sponsor or its contractors, agents, or employees. The sponsor expressly agrees to waive his/her immunity under Title 51 RCW (as to the State, and its agencies but not as to any employee, worker or third party) to the extent required to indemnify, defend, and hold harmless the State and its agencies, officials, agents or employees.

## SECTION 6. INDEPENDENT CAPACITY OF THE SPONSOR

The sponsor and its employees or agents performing under this Agreement are not officers, employees or agents of the funding board or RCO. The sponsor will not hold itself out as nor claim to be an officer, employee or agent of RCO, a funding board or of the state of Washington, nor will the sponsor make any claim of right, privilege or benefit which would accrue to an employee under Chapters 41.06 or 28B RCW.

The sponsor is responsible for withholding and/or paying employment taxes, insurance, or deductions of any kind required by federal, state, and/or local laws.

## SECTION 7. CONFLICT OF INTEREST

Notwithstanding any determination by the Executive Ethics Board or other tribunal, RCO may, in its sole discretion, by written notice to the sponsor terminate this Agreement if it is found after due notice and examination by RCO that there is a violation of the Ethics in Public Service Act, Chapter 42.52 RCW; or any similar statute involving the sponsor in the procurement of, or performance under, this Agreement.

In the event this Agreement is terminated as provided above, RCO shall be entitled to pursue the same remedies against the sponsor as it could pursue in the event of a breach of the Agreement by the sponsor. The rights and remedies of RCO provided for in this clause shall not be exclusive and are in addition to any other rights and remedies provided by law.

## SECTION 8. ACKNOWLEDGMENT AND SIGNS

- A. Publications. The sponsor shall include language which acknowledges the funding contribution of the applicable grant program to this project in any release or other publication developed or modified for, or referring to, the project during the project period and in the future.
- B. Signs. The sponsor also shall post signs or other appropriate media during the project period and in the future at project entrances and other locations on the project which acknowledge the applicable grant program's funding contribution, unless exempted in funding board policy or waived by the director.
- C. Ceremonies. The sponsor shall notify RCO no later than two weeks before a dedication ceremony for this project. The sponsor shall verbally acknowledge the applicable grant program's funding contribution at all dedication ceremonies.

- D. Federally Funded Projects. When issuing statements, press releases, requests for proposals, bid solicitations, and other documents describing a project funded in whole or in part with federal money provided for in this grant, sponsors shall clearly state:
1. The percentage of the total costs of the project that is financed with federal money;
  2. The dollar amount of federal funds for the project; and
  3. The percentage and dollar amount of the total costs of the project that is financed by nongovernmental sources.

#### SECTION 9. COMPLIANCE WITH APPLICABLE LAW

The sponsor will implement the Agreement in accordance with applicable federal, state, and local laws, regulations and RCO and funding board policies regardless of whether the sponsor is a public or non-public organization.

The sponsor shall comply with, and RCO is not responsible for determining compliance with, any and all applicable federal, state, and local laws, regulations, and/or policies, including, but not limited to: State Environmental Policy Act; Industrial Insurance Coverage; Architectural Barriers Act; permits (shoreline, Hydraulics Project Approval, demolition); land use regulations (critical areas ordinances, Growth Management Act); federal and state safety and health regulations (Occupational Safety and Health Administration/Washington Industrial Safety and Health Act); and Buy American Act.

##### Endangered Species

For habitat restoration projects funded in part or whole with federal funds administered by the SRFB the sponsor shall not commence with clearing of riparian trees or in-water work unless either the sponsor has complied with 50 CFR 223.203 (b)(8), limit 8 or until an Endangered Species Act consultation is finalized in writing by the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration. Violation of this requirement may be grounds for terminating this project Agreement. This section shall not be the basis for any enforcement responsibility by RCO.

##### Nondiscrimination Laws

The sponsor shall comply with all applicable federal, state, and local nondiscrimination laws and/or policies, including but not limited to: the Americans with Disabilities Act; Civil Rights Act; and the Age Discrimination Act. In the event of the sponsor's noncompliance or refusal to comply with any nondiscrimination law or policy, the Agreement may be rescinded, cancelled, or terminated in whole or in part, and the sponsor may be declared ineligible for further grant awards from the funding board. The sponsor is responsible for any and all costs or liability arising from the sponsor's failure to so comply with applicable law.

##### Wages and Job Safety

The sponsor agrees to comply with all applicable laws, regulations, and policies of the United States and the State of Washington which affect wages and job safety. The sponsor agrees to pay the prevailing wage rate to all workers, laborers, or mechanics employed in the performance of any part of this contract if state law applies to the lands in question and the prevailing wage law applies to the work being performed. The Washington State Department of Labor and Industries should be consulted to determine whether prevailing wage laws apply. Further the sponsor agrees to comply with the provisions of the Davis-Bacon Act as required, and any other applicable federal laws.

##### Archaeological and Cultural Resources

The sponsor must comply with Executive Order 05-05 or the National Historic Preservation Act before initiating ground disturbing activity. The funding board requires documented compliance with Executive Order 05-05 or Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act, whichever is applicable to the project. If a federal agency declines to consult, the sponsor shall comply with the requirements of Executive Order 05-05. In the event that archaeological or historic materials are discovered during project activities, work in the location of discovery and immediate vicinity must stop instantly, the area must be secured, and notification must be provided to the following: concerned Tribes' cultural staff and cultural committees, RCO, and the State Department of Archaeology and Historic Preservation. If human remains are discovered during project activity, work in the location of discovery and immediate vicinity must stop instantly, the area must be secured, and notification provided to the concerned Tribe's cultural staff and cultural committee, RCO, State Department of Archaeology, the coroner and local law enforcement in the most expeditious manner possible according to RCW 68.50

##### Restrictions on Grant Use

No part of any funds provided under this grant shall be used, other than for normal and recognized executive-legislative relationships, for publicity or propaganda purposes, or for the preparation, distribution, or use of any kit, pamphlet, booklet, publication, radio, television, or video presentation designed to support or defeat legislation pending before the U.S. Congress or any state legislature.

No part of any funds provided under this grant shall be used to pay the salary or expenses of any sponsor, or agent acting for such sponsor, related to any activity designed to influence legislation or appropriations pending before the U.S. Congress or any state legislature.



#### SECTION 10. HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCES

- A. Certification. The sponsor shall inspect, investigate, and conduct an environmental audit of the proposed acquisition site for the presence of hazardous substances, as defined in Chapter 70.105D.020 (11) RCW, and certify:
1. No hazardous substances were found on the site, or
  2. Any hazardous substances found have been treated and/or disposed of in compliance with applicable state and federal laws, and the site deemed "clean."
- B. Responsibility. Nothing in this provision alters the sponsor's duties and liabilities regarding hazardous substances as set forth in Chapter 70.105D RCW.
- C. Hold Harmless. The sponsor will defend, protect and hold harmless RCO and any and all of its employees and/or agents, from and against any and all liability, cost (including but not limited to all costs of defense and attorneys' fees) and any and all loss of any nature from any and all claims or suits resulting from the presence of, or the release or threatened release of, hazardous substances on the property the sponsor is acquiring.

#### SECTION 11. RECORDS

- A. Maintenance. The sponsor shall maintain books, records, documents, data and other evidence relating to this Agreement and performance of the services described herein, including but not limited to accounting procedures and practices which sufficiently and properly reflect all direct and indirect costs of any nature expended in the performance of this Agreement. Sponsor shall retain such records for a period of six years from the date RCO deems the project complete, as defined in Section 17(C) below. If any litigation, claim or audit is started before the expiration of the six (6) year period, the records shall be retained until all litigation, claims, or audit findings involving the records have been resolved.
- B. Access to records and data. At no additional cost, the records relating to the Agreement, including materials generated under the Agreement, shall be subject at all reasonable times to inspection, review or audit by RCO, personnel duly authorized by RCO, the Office of the State Auditor, and federal and state officials so authorized by law, regulation or Agreement. This includes access to all information that supports the costs submitted for payment under the grant and all findings, conclusions, and recommendations of the sponsor's reports, including computer models and methodology for those models.
- C. Public Records. Sponsor acknowledges that the funding board is subject to chapter 42.56 RCW and that this Agreement and any records sponsor submits or has submitted to the State shall be a public record as defined in chapter 42.56 RCW. Additionally, in compliance with RCW 77.85.130(8), sponsor agrees to disclose any information in regards to expenditure of any funding received from the SRFB. By submitting any record to the state sponsor understands that the State may be requested to disclose or copy that record under the state public records law, currently codified at RCW 42.56. The sponsor warrants that it possesses such legal rights as are necessary to permit the State to disclose and copy such document to respond to a request under state public records laws. The Sponsor hereby agrees to release the State from any claims arising out of allowing such review or copying pursuant to a public records act request, and to indemnify against any claims arising from allowing such review or copying and pay the reasonable cost of state's defense of such claims.

#### SECTION 12. TREATMENT OF ASSETS

- A. Assets shall remain in the possession of the sponsor for the duration of the project or applicable grant program. When the sponsor discontinues use of the asset(s) for the purpose for which it was funded, RCO will require the sponsor to deliver the asset(s) to RCO, dispose of the asset according to RCO policies, or return the fair market value of the asset(s) to RCO. Assets shall be used only for the purpose of this Agreement, unless otherwise provided herein or approved by RCO in writing.
- B. The sponsor shall be responsible for any loss or damage to assets which results from the negligence of the sponsor or which results from the failure on the part of the sponsor to maintain and administer that asset in accordance with sound management practices.

#### SECTION 13. RIGHT OF INSPECTION

The sponsor shall provide right of access to the project to RCO, or any of its officers, or to any other authorized agent or official of the state of Washington or the federal government, at all reasonable times, in order to monitor and evaluate performance, compliance, and/or quality assurance under this Agreement.

If a landowner Agreement or other form of control and tenure has been executed, it will further stipulate and define the funding board and RCO's right to inspect and access lands acquired or developed with funding board assistance.

#### SECTION 14. STEWARDSHIP AND MONITORING

Sponsor agrees to perform monitoring and stewardship functions as stated in policy documents approved by the funding boards or RCO. Sponsor further agrees to utilize, where applicable and financially feasible, any monitoring protocols recommended by the funding board.

## Eligible Scope Activities

### Permits

Obtain permits

### Architectural & Engineering

Architectural & Engineering (A&E)

### Worksite #4, Cann

Targeted salmonid ESU/DPS:

Targeted species (non-ESU species):

Project Identified In a Plan or Watershed Assessment:

Type Of Monitoring:

#### Fish Passage Improvement

Miles Of Stream Made Accessible:

1.00

Square Miles Of Habitat Opened:

0

#### Bridge installed or improved

Miles of stream made accessible by bridge installation/repair:

1.00

Number of bridges:

1

#### Riparian Habitat Project

Total Riparian Miles Streambank Treated:

0.01

Total Riparian Acres Treated:

0.2

#### Planting

Acres Planted in riparian:

0.2

#### General restoration activities

Traffic control

Utility relocation / reconnection

Utilities relocated / reconnected:

Communication, Power

#### Cultural Resources

Cultural resources

### Permits

Obtain permits

### Architectural & Engineering

Architectural & Engineering (A&E)

### Worksite #5, Scheibler

Targeted salmonid ESU/DPS:

Targeted species (non-ESU species):

Project Identified In a Plan or Watershed Assessment:

Type Of Monitoring:

Chinook Salmon-Upper Columbia River  
Spring-run ESU

Bull Trout

Upper Columbia Salmon Recovery Plan

None

#### Fish Passage Improvement

Miles Of Stream Made Accessible:

0.50

Square Miles Of Habitat Opened:

0

#### Bridge installed or improved

Miles of stream made accessible by bridge installation/repair:

0.50

Number of bridges:

3

## Milestone Report By Project

**Project Number:** 11-1441 R  
**Project Name:** Upper Chumstick Barrier Removal  
**Sponsor:** Chelan Co Natural Resource  
**Project Manager:** Marc Dubolski

X	!	Milestone	Target Date	Comments/Description
		Project Start	12/08/2011	
	!	Preliminary Design to RCO	03/31/2012	
		Landowner Agreement to RCO	04/30/2012	
	!	Applied for Permits	04/30/2012	
	!	Progress Report Submitted	06/30/2012	
	!	Cultural Resources Complete	07/31/2012	
	!	Annual Project Billing	07/31/2012	
		Restoration Started	07/31/2012	
	!	Progress Report Submitted	12/31/2012	
	!	Progress Report Submitted	06/30/2013	
	!	Annual Project Billing	07/31/2013	
	!	Progress Report Submitted	12/31/2013	
		Permits Complete	04/30/2014	
	!	Progress Report Submitted	06/30/2014	
		Bid Awarded/Contractor Hired	07/31/2014	Final barrier project.
	!	Annual Project Billing	07/31/2014	
		RCO Final Inspection	11/30/2014	
		Restoration Complete	11/30/2014	
		Stewardship Plan to RCO	11/30/2014	
	!	Agreement End Date	12/31/2014	
	!	Final Design to RCO	12/31/2014	As-built drawings.
		Final Report in PRISM	03/31/2015	
		Final Billing to RCO	03/31/2015	

X = Milestone Complete

! = Critical Milestone

## **Press Release Template**

### **Chelan County Natural Resource offered grant to restore land for salmon recovery.**

(Wenatchee) - Chelan County Natural Resource was awarded a grant of \$332,713.00 from the Salmon Program. The grant was awarded by the Salmon Recovery Funding Board (SRFB), and will be used for the following:

The Chelan County Natural Resources Department will use this grant to remove four culverts that are barriers to juvenile fish migration in the upper Chumstick Creek. Removing the barriers will allow steelhead and salmon to migrate to and from historical spawning and rearing habitat along the upper portion of Chumstick Creek. This will complete a 15-year effort to remove more than 30 barriers within the first 10 miles of the creek. Chelan County will contribute \$58,714 from a grant.

There were one hundred thirteen applications submitted for consideration in the Salmon Program. Each project went through an evaluation process prior to being recommended for funding. The SRFB Board approved funding for projects on Friday, December 9, 2011.

Funding for the Salmon Program comes from salmon recovery appropriations by the Washington State Legislature and the US Congress. Chelan County Natural Resource will leverage local contributions totaling \$58,714.00 with grant monies to implement the project. Total estimated project cost is \$391,427.00. SRFB is the state's administrator of the grant program.

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