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FUTURE FISHERIES IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM GRANT APPLICATION All sections must be addressed, or the application will be considered invalid



I.	ΔPPI	ICANT	INFORMATION	d
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A.	Applicant Name: Big Blackfoot Chapter of	of Trout Unli	mited			
	Mailing Address: PO Box 1					
	City: Ovando	State:	MT	Zip: <u>59</u> 8	854	
	Telephone: <u>406-240-4824</u>	_ E-mail:	ryen@moi	ntanatu.org		
В.	Contact Person (if different than applicant): Ryen Neudeck	er				
	Address: Same as above					
	City:	State:		Zip:		
	Telephone:	E-mail:				
C.	Landowner and/or Lessee Name (if different than applicant):	haeffer & U	SFS Helena	National Fo	orest	
	Mailing Address: 551 10 th Ln NE					
	City: Power	State:	MT	Zip: <u>59</u>	468	
	Telephone: <u>406-788-9473</u>	E-mail:	schaef487	@hotmail.d	<u>com</u>	
PR	OJECT INFORMATION					
A.	Project Name: Poorman Creek Restoration	n Project Pl	nase 3			
	River, stream, or lake: Poorman Creek					
	Location: Township: 13N F	Range:	8W	Sec	ction:	17
	Latitude: L	.ongitude: _		Withir	n project (decimal degrees)
	County: Lewis and Clark County					
B.	Purpose of Project: (high level, focus on why t	he project is	important)			
	The purpose of this project is to improve natoric Creek by restoring channel stability, aquatic collaboration with several project partners a conservation in the Blackfoot River watershops.	habitat fun Ind a private	ction, and rip	arian healt	h while	working in

C. Brief Project Description (attach additional information to end of application). Please include the anticipated construction schedule:

Poorman Creek is a third order tributary to the upper Blackfoot River and flows 14 miles through a mix of USFS and private land. The stream supports populations of pure westslope cutthroat trout and bull trout, a species of special concern and a threatened species under the federal endangered species act. Poorman Creek is a high priority tributary as ranked in "An Integrated Stream Restoration and Native Fish Conservation Strategy for 182 streams in the Blackfoot Basin" and is listed as critical bull trout habitat. Poorman Creek has been the focus of several past projects funded through the Future Fisheries program, including fish passage, fish screening, stream restoration, placer mine restoration and water conservation. From the headwaters to the mouth of the upper Blackfoot River, Poorman Creek has been identified as an impaired waterbody by MTDEQ and is listed for the following impairments: alteration of streamside vegetation, metals, flow regime modifications, and sediment.

In the proposed project reach, historical watershed and land use disturbances, including placer mining are affecting the quality of aquatic and riparian habitat conditions. The stream suffers from entrenchment, lack of instream and riparian habitat, channel instability and chronic bank erosion. This project will restore a degraded reach of Poorman Creek and ensure connectivity with a functioning floodplain following natural channel design principles. Approximately 1,200 feet of channel will be restored through a variety of treatments including channel reconstruction or shaping, creating instream habitat through the creation of step pools, incorporating vegetated wood matrix and large woody debris structures. Tailings piles are proposed to be removed from the floodplain, allowing the channel to access its floodplain.

- Specific objectives include: reestablish floodplain connectivity and function; improve existing instream and riparian habitat for native trout by emulating reference reach conditions; correct chronic bank erosion issues and restore a self-maintaining stream system based on natural channel design principles and standards.
- D. What was the cause of habitat degradation and how will the project correct the cause?

Historic mining, channel manipulations and streamside vegetation removal have contributed to the bank erosion issues. The project design will restore the channel dimensions, pattern and profile along with implementing a riparian habitat restoration component to rectify the specific issues and their causes.

	their causes.
E.	Length of stream or size of lake that will be treated (project extent): 1,200 Length/size of impact, if larger than project extent (e.g., stream miles opened):
F.	Project Budget Summary:
	Grant Request (Dollars): \$ 33,000
	Matching Dollars: \$ 65,000
	Matching In-Kind Services:* \$ 4,124.61
	*salaries of government employees are not considered matching contributions
	Other Contributions (not used as match) \$
	Total Project Cost: \$ 107,124.61
G.	Attach itemized (line item) budget – see budget template
Н.	Attach project location map(s) that include:
	Extent of the project, including context (relation to major landmark or town)
	x Indication of public and private property

Riparian buffer locations and widths (if applicable) and grazing locations

	l.	Attach project plans:
		x Detailed sketches or plan views with the location and proposed restoration
		x Pre-project photographs (GPS location strongly recommended)
		If water leasing or water salvage is involved, attach a supplemental questionnaire (https://myfwp.mt.gov/getRepositoryFile?objectID=36110)
	J.	Attach support letters or statements of (e.g., landowner consent, community or public support). For FWP statement, attach provided template. List any other project partners:
		Project partners include: Private Landowner, MTFWP, USFWS, USFS & BLM
III.	MA	INTENANCE AND MONITORING (attach additional information to end of application):
	A.	A 20-year maintenance commitment is required*. Please confirm that you will ensure this protection and describe your approach. Attach any relevant maintenance plans. *If it is a water leasing project, describe the length of the agreement. Yes No X
		The landowner has committed to signing a 20-year maintenance commitment agreement.
	B.	Will grazing be part of or adjacent to the project? If so, describe or attach land management plans, including short term and long term grazing regimes. If the landowner is not the applicant, please describe their involvement in the project. If you want assistance with grazing plan development, note your need.
		Grazing is not a component of this project reach.
	C.	Will the project be monitored to determine if goals were met? If so, what are the short-term and long-term plans to assess benefits and lessons learned? Were pre-project data collected? Will monitoring information be shared with FWP?
		The monitoring plan will include pre- and post-project data including: photo points, as-built channel data, revegetation survival surveys, bank erosion hazard index data and upstream and downstream FWP surveys. We will assess the project post-project to ensure that our project objectives are being met and if they are not, we will follow up appropriately.
IV.	PR	OJECT BENEFITS (attach additional information to end of application):
	A.	What species of fish will benefit from this project?
		Westslope cutthroat trout, bull trout, and brown trout.
	B.	How will the project protect or enhance wild fish habitat?
		Wild trout populations in the Blackfoot River require cold, clean, complex and connected habitat. This project will improve instream habitat by reducing sedimentation, increasing pool complexity, and promoting a self-maintaining channel that will function hydrologically and be connected to a floodplain with a healthy riparian area. Addressing the chronic bank erosion issues through this reach will be important to improve water quality conditions.
	C.	What is the expected improvement to fish populations, both short term and long term? How might the project translate to angler success?

This project is intended to address habitat issues affecting native trout populations.	The design
approach is to mimic natural channel conditions that will allow the stream to be self-	maintaining
and build long term resilience.	

D. Will the project increase public fishing opportunity for wild fish and, if so, how? Is public fishing allowed onsite? Is it allowed by permission? If not, describe how the public would benefit.

Yes: Public access is available upstream and downstream of the project reach as it is bordered on both ends by USFS land.

E. Aside from angling, what local or large-scale public benefits will be realized from this project?

This project involves the continuation of the Blackfoot River Restoration program and the restoration of a native westslope cutthroat and bull trout stream. Public benefits include: 1) expanding suitable habitat conditions for pure fluvial westslope cutthroat trout and fluvial bull trout populations, 2) improved water quality (temperature) on-site and downstream, and 3) contribute to the recovery of westslope cutthroat trout.

Additionally, the Bull Trout Conservation Strategy lists the Poorman drainage as an important population that contributes to Blackfoot core bull trout population; the strategy identifies the main factor limiting recovery of bull trout as the lack of high-quality tributaries throughout the watershed. This project, in conjunction with the cumulative effects of other projects in the drainage, will benefit bull trout and work towards stability and recovery of the core population, which is in the public's interest. Overall, this project is expected to increase trout abundance, which will enhance the public's opportunity to enjoy quality angling experiences in the upper Blackfoot River watershed. The project will also support local economies contributing to the cold-water fishery of the Blackfoot River and will involve local contractors and consultants.

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⊢ .	Will the project	t intertere with	water or pro	nerty rights :	ot adiacent	landowners'	/ (explain).

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G. Will the project result in the development of commercial recreational use on the site (including paid access)? Explain:

No.

H. Is this project associated with the reclamation of past mining activity?

Yes, the abandoned tailings piles that are adjacent to the project are impacting stream function.

Each approved project applicant must enter into a written agreement with Montana Fish, Wildlife & Parks specifying terms and duration of the project. The applicant must obtain all applicable permits prior to project construction. A competitive bid process must be followed when using State funds.

V. AUTHORIZING STATEMENT

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I (we) hereby declare that the information and all statements to this application are true, complete, and accurate to the best of my (our) knowledge and that the project or activity complies with rules of the Future Fisheries Improvement Program.

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Applicant Signature:		Date:	11/14/2024

BUDGET TEMPLATE SHEET FOR FUTURE FISHERIES PROGRAM APPLICATIONS

Both tables MUST be completed appropriately or the application will be invalid. Please see the example budget sheet for clarification.

PROJECT COSTS							GRANT REQUEST AND FUNDING						
Work Items (Itemize by Category)	Number of Units	Unit Description* ards, etc. Do not	Cost/Unit	unle	Total Cost		ITURE FISHERIES REQUEST	Matching Contribution (Cash or In Kind)***	ns	Other Contributions (Funds not used as match)		Total Funding	
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Personnel Survey		hrs	\$155.00	Φ.	3,875.00			2.075	00		Φ.	3,875.00	
Design		hrs	\$155.00		12,090.00			3,875 12,090			\$	12,090.00	
Engineering		hrs	\$155.00		3,565.00			3,565			\$	3,565.00	
Permitting		hrs	\$48.00		2,112.00			2,112			\$	2,112.00	
Oversight		hrs	\$165.00		7,095.00		2,000.00	5,095			\$	7,095.00	
Project Mgmt		hrs	\$48.00		4,032.00		2,000.00	4,032			\$	4,032.00	
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			Sub-Total	\$	1,127.61			\$ 1,127	.61	\$ -	\$	1,127.61	
Construction Mat	terials									L-i			
Pulp Wood		loads	\$2,000.00	\$	8,000.00		5,000.00	3,000	.00		\$	8,000.00	
Gravel	80	CY	\$15.00		1,200.00		,	1,200			\$	1,200.00	
Transplants	25	Ea	\$100.00	\$	2,500.00			2,500	.00		\$	2,500.00	
Willows	2940	Ea	\$1.50	\$	4,410.00		1,000.00	3,410	.00		\$	4,410.00	
			Sub-Total	\$	16,110.00	\$	6,000.00	\$ 10,110	.00	\$ -	\$	16,110.00	
Equipment, Labo	or, and Mobiliz	<u>ation</u>											
Develop access roads/staging	4	LS	\$2,000,00	¢	2 000 00			2 000	00		¢.	2 000 00	
areas Water mgmt and		LS	\$3,000.00	Ф	3,000.00			3,000	.00		\$	3,000.00	
diversion	1	LF	\$5,000.00	\$	5,000.00		1,000.00	4,000	.00		\$	5,000.00	
Salvage and transplant shrubs	25	EA	\$100.00	\$	2,500.00		1,500.00	1,000	.00		\$	2,500.00	
Furnish streambed/strea mbank gravel	110	CY	\$6.00	\$	660.00			660	.00		\$	660.00	
Construct VWM Type 2 bank treatments	129	LF	\$40.00	\$	5,160.00		2,000.00	3,160	.00		\$	5,160.00	
Tailings removal and floodplain grading	1131	CY	\$8.00	\$	9,048.00		6,000.00	3,048	.00		\$	9,048.00	

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Construct							
channel							
streambed 12	5 LF	\$50.00	\$ 6,250.00	3,000.00	3,250.00		\$ 6,250.00
Install large							
wood structures	4 EA	\$1,750.00	\$ 7,000.00	4,000.00	3,000.00		\$ 7,000.00
Install willow							
brush trenches 20	0 LF	\$5.00	\$ 1,000.00	1,000.00	-		\$ 1,000.00
Install floodplain							
roughness	1 EA	\$1,500.00	\$ 1,500.00	500.00	1,000.00		\$ 1,500.00
Install channel							
step pools	3 EA	\$2,000.00	\$ 6,000.00	6,000.00	-		\$ 6,000.00
Mobilization &							
GPS Set Up	1 LS	\$10,000.00	\$ 10,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00		\$ 10,000.00
		Sub-Total	\$ 57,118.00	\$ 25,000.00	\$ 27,118.00	\$ -	\$ 57,118.00
		OVERALL TOTALS	\$ 107,124.61	\$ 33,000.00	\$ 69,124.61	\$ -	\$ 107,124.61

OTHER REQUIREMENTS:

Additional budget detail:

APPLICATION MATCHING CONTRIBUTIONS									
Total should equal	Total should equal match listed above; do not include requested funds								
CONTRIBUTOR		IN-KIND		CASH		TOTAL	Secured? (Y/N)		
USFWS Partners Program	\$	-	\$	25,000.00	\$	25,000.00	Yes		
USFS Helena National Forest	\$	-	\$	20,000.00	\$	20,000.00	Yes		
BLM	\$	-	\$	20,000.00	\$	20,000.00	Yes		
BBCTU	\$	4,124.61			\$	4,124.61	Yes		
	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-			
ТО	TALS \$	4,124.61	\$	65,000.00	\$	69,124.61			

OTHER CONTRIBUTIONS							
Total should equal other contributions listed above; these are funds not specically matched to the Future Fisheries application							
CONTRIBUTOR	IN-KIND		CASH		ТО	TAL	Secured? (Y/N)
	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	

^{**}For projects that include a maintenance request, it cannot exceed 10% of the total project cost.

^{***}Match can include in-kind materials or labor. Justification for in-kind labor (e.g. hourly rates used) can be noted below. Do not use government salaries as match.





Photos depicting the existing conditions on Poorman Creek Phase 3

Date: 11/8/24

MONTANA FISH, WILDLIFE & PARKS

Future Fisheries Improvement Program

Appendix: FWP Statement

Project Title: Po	oorman Creek Phase 3
Please describe t importance to Mo	he potential impact of the project, including the priorities of the Fisheries Division and the ntana's anglers.
Poorman Creek is significant native. The Phase 3 projections elsewhere	supports a mixed fishery of westslope cutthroat trout, brown trout, brook trout, and bull trout. It is one of the highest priority tributaries in the upper Blackfoot River basin because of its species value and its importance as a source of trout recruitment to the mainstem river. Heet reach has been simplified and lacks high-quality pools characteristic of reference here in the stream. This area has been heavily impacted by past land use that has mited riparian corridor and excessive erosion. The project design will be developed to hese issues.
bull trout migrate rearing opportunit improved spawnir foraging opportun proper channel mexpected to increasing trout reasing trout re	vestslope cutthroat trout are the primary species inhabiting the project section. However, to and from spawning areas in upper Poorman Creek and use this area for seasonal ties and adult holding habitat. The project is expected to directly benefit the fishery throughing conditions for westslope cutthroat trout and brown trout, and improved rearing and notices for all trout species. Moreover, it will improve overall stream health by establishing torphology and improving riparian conditions. Implementation of the Phase 3 project is ase trout abundance and enhance fishing opportunities within Poorman Creek while also secruitment to the Blackfoot River. This restoration effort will complement recently its in Poorman Creek and contribute to FWP's fisheries management objectives in the upper attershed.

Please attach to the FFIP application and materials and submit according to listed deadlines.

Name of FWP Biologist Patrick Uthe

POORMAN CREEK CONCEPTUAL RESTORATION PLAN

PROJECT DESCRIPTION

BIG BLACKFOOT CHAPTER OF TROUT UNLIMITED (BBCTU) IN PARTNERSHIP WITH THE HELENA-LEWIS AND CLARK NATIONAL FOREST (USFS), AND MONTANA FISH, WILDLIFE & PARKS, AND PRIVATE LANDOWNERS, HAVE INITIATED A COMPREHENSIVE WATERSHED RESTORATION PROGRAM ON POORMAN CREEK, A TRIBUTARY TO THE BLACKFOOT RIVER LOCATED SOUTH OF LINCOLN IN LEWIS AND CLARK COUNTY, MONTANA. OVER THE PAST DECADE, RESTORATION EFFORTS HAVE FOCUSED ON RESTORING INSTREAM HABITAT FOR NATIVE POPULATIONS OF BULL TROUT, A THREATENED SPECIES UNDER THE ENDANGERED SPECIES ACT, AND WESTSLOPE CUTTHROAT TROUT, A MONTANA SPECIES OF SPECIAL CONCERN, HISTORICAL LAND USE DISTURBANCES INCLUDING PLACER MINING, CHANNELIZATION DEWATERING, GRAZING, RIPARIAN VEGETATION REMOVAL, AND UNDERSIZED BRIDGES AND CULVERTS HAVE RESULTED IN FRAGMENTED AND IMPAIRED AQUATIC HABITAT CONDITIONS AND ALTERED STREAM CHANNEL FORM AND FUNCTION.

FROM THE HEADWATERS TO THE MOUTH OF THE UPPER BLACKFOOT RIVER, POORMAN CREEK IS LISTED AS AN IMPAIRED WATERBODY BY THE MONTANA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY (MDEQ 2018). THE STREAM IS CLASSIFIED AS A B-1 WATERBODY AND IS CONSIDERED NOT FULLY SUPPORTING OF AQUATIC LIFE. REPORTED CAUSES OF IMPAIRMENT INCLUDE: 1) ALTERNATION IN STREAMSIDE VEGETATION: 2) COPPER, CADMIUM AND LEAD: 3) FLOW REGIME MODIFICATIONS: AND 4) SEDIMENTATION / SILTATION, PROBABLE POLLUTANT SOURCES INCLUDE FOREST ROADS, IMPACTS FROM ABANDONED MINES, SILVICULTURAL ACTIVITIES, WATER DIVERSIONS, AND NATURAL SOURCES.

THIS CONCEPTUAL RESTORATION ADDRESSES IMPAIRED CONDITIONS ON A 0.25-MILE REACH OF POORMAN CREEK LOCATED ON PRIVATE LAND IN THE MIDDLE WATERSHED. HISTORICAL PLACER MINING ACTIVITIES COMBINED WITH REMOVAL OF STREAMSIDE VEGETATION. CHANNELIZATION, AND REMOVAL OF RIPARIAN VEGETATION HAVE RESULTED IN DEGRADED SPAWNING, REARING, AND OVERWINTERING HABITAT FOR NATIVE FISH, THIS CONCEPTUAL RESTORATION PLAN FOCUSES ON RESTORING THE APPROPRIATE DIMENSION, PATTERN, AND PROFILE OF POORMAN CREEK, EXPANDING FLOODPLAIN SURFACES THROUGH REMOVAL OF HISTORICAL PLACER TAILINGS, AND INCREASING THE QUALITY AND DISTRIBUTION OF COMPLEX AQUATIC HABITAT FEATURES INCLUDING RIFFLES, POOLS.

STANDARD NOTES

- 1, THE CONTRACTOR SHALL VERIFY EXISTING CONDITIONS IN THE FIELD PRIOR TO CONSTRUCTION. IF NECESSARY, ADJUSTMENTS TO THE DRAWINGS WILL BE MADE AS DIRECTED BY THE ENGINEER.
- 2. TOPOGRAPHY SHOWN ON THE DRAWINGS IS BASED ON MERGED LIDAR AND BATHYMETRIC SURVEY DATA. BATHYMETRIC SURVEY WORK PERFORMED IN OCTOBER 2024 BY RDG USING SURVEY GRADE GPS. AERIAL LIDAR DATA WERE COLLECTED IN OCTOBER
- UTILITIES IDENTIFIED ON THE DRAWINGS ARE APPROXIMATE AND DO NOT REPRESENT ABSOLUTE HORIZONTAL AND VERTICAL LOCATIONS. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL COORDINATE WITH THE APPROPRIATE UTILITY LOCATE SERVICE PRIOR TO CONSTRUCTION TO
- 4. THE OWNER WILL PROVIDE COPIES OF APPLICABLE PERMITS REQUIRED TO PERFORM THE WORK PRIOR TO THE START OF
- THE CONTRACTOR SHALL COMPLY WITH ALL SAFETY REQUIREMENTS DESCRIBED IN THE CONTRACT DOCUMENTS.
- 6. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL PROTECT ALL TREES AND LAND AREAS NOT LOCATED WITHIN THE PROJECT CONSTRUCTION, STAGING OR CONSTRUCTION LIMITS. EXERCISE CARE IN AREAS NOT MARKED TO AVOID DAMAGE TO EXISTING VEGETATION.
- 7. THE ENGINEER WILL PROVIDE SURVEY CONTROL AND GRADING SURFACES FOR EQUIPMENT WITH GPS MACHINE CONTROL CAPABILITY. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL PROVIDE SURVEY STAKING AND LAYOUT FOR CONSTRUCTION.
- 8. VERTICAL TOLERANCE FOR CONSTRUCTION COMPLIANCE WILL BE 0.3 FEET. HORIZONTAL TOLERANCE WILL BE 1.0 FEET.
- THE CONTRACTOR SHALL CONFIRM QUANTITIES SHOWN ON THE DRAWINGS AND FOR OWNER-SUPPLIED MATERIALS.
- 10. EARTHWORK QUANTITIES REPORTED ON THE DRAWINGS ARE NEAT LINE QUANTITIES CALCULATED FROM THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN THE FINISHED GROUND SURFACE AND EXISTING GROUND SURFACE.
- 11. THE VOLUME OF MATERIAL REQUIRED FOR FILL SURFACES MAY VARY DEPENDING ON COMPACTION AND MOISTURE CONTENT.
- 12, EARTHWORK QUANTITIES DO NOT INCLUDE SUBGRADE EXCAVATION QUANTITIES UNLESS NOTED OTHERWISE.
- 13. SLOPES DESIGNATED AS 2:1. 1.5:1. ETC., ARE THE RATIOS OF HORIZONTAL DISTANCE TO VERTICAL DISTANCE.
- 14. DIMENSIONS ARE GIVEN IN FEET AND TENTHS OF A FOOT.
- 15. EXCAVATION, TRENCHING, SHORING, AND SHIELDING SHALL BE THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE CONTRACTOR PERFORMING THE WORK, THESE DRAWINGS ARE NOT INTENDED TO PROVIDE MEANS OR METHODS OF CONSTRUCTION.

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PROJECT PARTNERS



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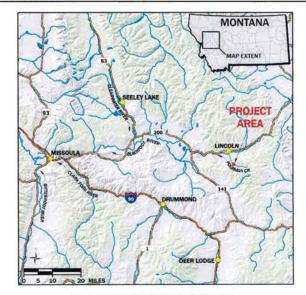
MONTANA FISH, WILDLIFE & PARKS 1420 EAST SIXTH AVENUE PO BOX 200701 HELENA, MONTANA



HELENA-LEWIS AND CLARK NATIONAL FOREST LINCOLN RANGER DISTRICT 1569 HIGHWAY 200 LINCOLN, MONTANA 59639

BRAD AND SHELLEE SCHAFFEER LANDOWNERS 2333 STEMPLE PASS ROAD LINCOLN, MONTANA 59639

POORMAN CREEK VICINITY MAP



LEGAL DESCRIPTION: S17, T13N, R8W, LEWIS AND CLARK COUNTY, MONTANA

DRAWING INDEX

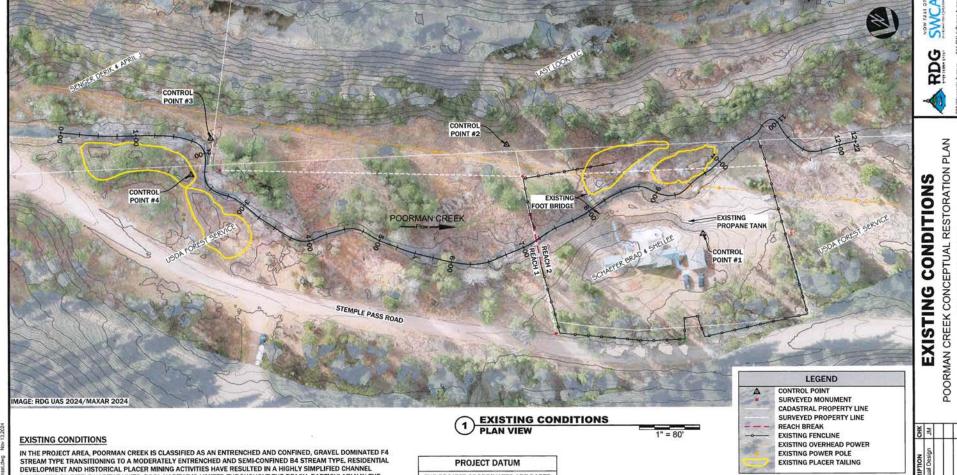
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CONCEPTUAL RESTORATION PLAN NOTES AND PAGES POORMAN CREEK COVER

PROJECT NUMBER

DRAWING NUMBER



IN THE PROJECT AREA, POORMAN CREEK IS CLASSIFIED AS AN ENTRENCHED AND CONFINED, GRAVEL DOMINATED F4 STREAM TYPE TRANSITIONING TO A MODERATELY ENTRENCHED AND SEMI-CONFINED B4 STREAM TYPE. RESIDENTIAL DEVELOPMENT AND HISTORICAL PLACER MINING ACTIVITIES HAVE RESULTED IN A HIGHLY SIMPLIFIED CHANNEL DOMINATED BY RIFFLE HABITAT UNITS, POOL HABITAT IS LIMITED THROUGHOUT THE REACH, PARTICULARLY IN THE LOWER REACH ON PRIVATE LAND WHERE VEGETATION CONVERSION HAS DECREASE COARS WOOD RECRUITMENT TO THE CHANNEL DREDGE PILES AND LEGACY MINING IMPACTS LATERALLY CONFINE THE CHANNEL TO A NARROW CORRIDOR RESULTING IN FLOODPLAIN DISCONNECTION AND A HIGH ENERGY FLUVIL ENVIRONMENT THAT HAS FORCED CHANNEL INCISION AND BANK AND TERRACE EROSION THROUGHOUT THE LOWER REACH ON PRIVATE LAND.

LIMITING FACTORS

THE CONSTRAINTS AND LIMITING FACTORS IDENTIFIED DURING RAPID GEOMORPHIC ASSESSMENT INCLUDE:

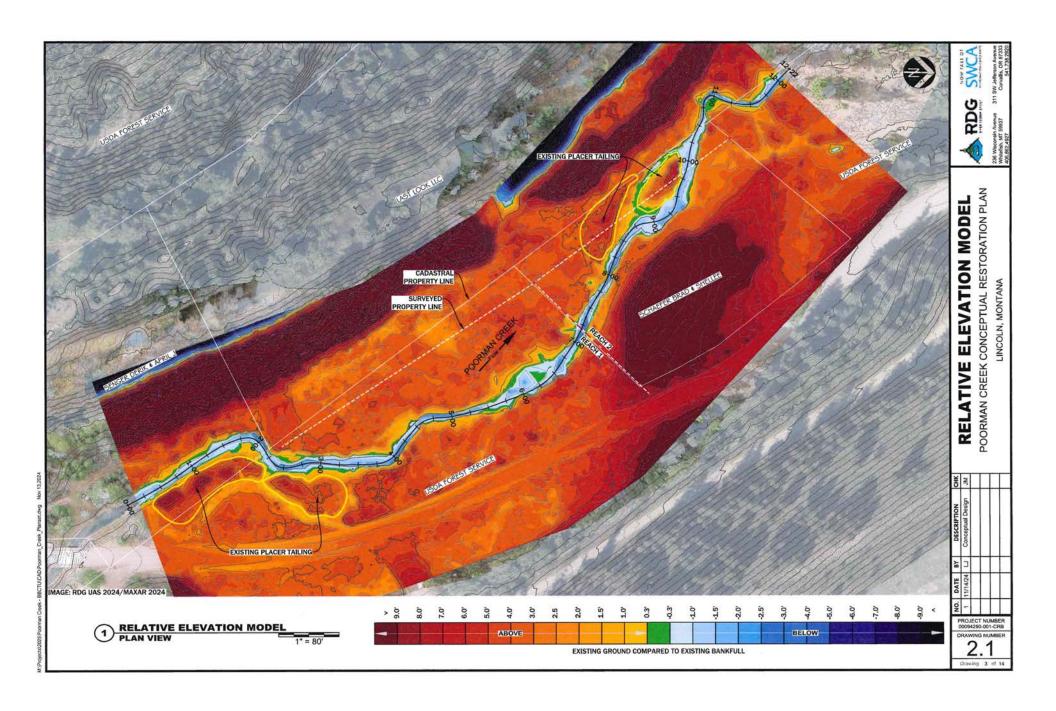
- HIGH CHANNEL ENTRENCHMENT AND DISCONNECTED FLOODPLAIN SURFACES.
- MODERATE TO VERY HIGH BANK ERODIBILITY CONDITIONS IN THE LOWER REACH RESULTING IN ELEVATED SEDIMENT LOADING TO POORMAN CREEK.
- LACK OF WOODY RIPARIAN SHRUBS, STREAM COVER, AND POOL HABITAT IN THE LOWER REACH WHERE THE CHANNEL IS CONFINED BY PLACER TAILINGS AND RESIDENTIAL DEVELOPMENT.
- AN EXISTING PEDESTRIAN FOOTBRIDGE, UTILITY CORRIDOR AND RESIDENTIAL HOMESITE ON THE NORTH SIDE OF THE VALLEY LIMIT OPPORTUNITIES TO FULL EXPAND THE FLOODPLAIN TO PRE-DISTURBANCE CONDITIONS AND MORPHOLOGY.

THE PROJECT CORDINATES ARE BASED ON THE FOLLOWING: HORIZONTAL MONTANA STATE PLANE PROJECTION: FIPS 2500 UNITS: INTERNATIONAL FEET HORIZONTAL DATUM: VERTICAL NAVD88 (GEOID 18) TOPOGRAPHY AND CROSS SECTION GROUND LINES ARE BASED ON SURVEY WORK PERFORMED BY RDG IN OCTOBER 2024. LIDAR DATA WAS

CREATED IN 2023 AND COMBINED BY

POINT NUMBER	NORTHING	EASTING	POINT ELEVATION	RAW DESCRIPTION
1	977890.110'	1183427.826	4790.609'	5/8" REBAR WITH A 2" ALUMINUM CAP MARKED "RDG"
2	977608.390'	1183479.299	4785,382	5/8" REBAR WITH A 2" ALUMINUM CAP MARKED "RDG"
3	977281.725	1183698.006	4790.129	5/8" REBAR WITH A 2" ALUMINUM CAP MARKED "RDG"
4	977288.019'	1183752.963	4789.906	5/8" REBAR WITH A 2" ALUMINUM CAP MARKED "RDG"

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IMPLEMENT FLOODPLAIN RESTORATION TREATMENTS THAT SET THE STAGE FOR NATURAL RECRUITMENT OF RIPARIAN VEGETATION.

TOTAL WOOD QUANT	TAL WOOD QUANTITIES			
ITEM	QUANTITY	DIAMETER	LENGTH	ROOTWAD
CATEGORY 1 WOOD	14	10-12 IN	12-15 FT	YES
CATEGORY 2 WOOD	157	3-6 IN	10-12 FT	OPTIONAL
CATEGORY 3 WOOD	1,320	< 3 IN	10-12 FT	OPTIONAL
WILLOW CUTTINGS	2,940	0.25-1.0 IN	8 FT	NO

NOTE:
WOOD LENGTHS SHOWN WILL PRODUCE THE PROPER AMOUNT MATERIAL
FOR STRUCTURES WHEN SPLIT INTO APPROPRIATE SIZES DURING
CONSTRUCTION. IT IS CONTRACTOR'S RESPONSIBILITY TO CUT WOOD INTO
APPROPRIATE SIZE LENGTHS TO FIT STRUCTURE DIMENSIONS.

TOTAL ROCK QUANTITIES			
ITEM	QUANTITY (EA)	DIAMETER (IN)	
CATEGORY 1 ROCK ITEM	81 QUANTITY (CY)	10-12 GRADAT	TION
STREAMBED/STREAMBANK FILL	111	SIZE (IN)	PERCENT
		6	100
		4	90-100
		3	50-80
		1	30-50
		0.05	10-30
		FINES	10

TOTAL EARTHV	TOTAL EARTHWORK QUANTITIES		
ITEM	QUANTITY (CY)		
CUT	1,131		
BACKFILL	82		
NET CUT	1,049		
NOTE: VOLUMES ARE NEATE APPLY EXPANSION F. A MORE ACCURATE E	LINE, CONTRACTOR TO ACTORS TO DETERMINE BACKFILL VOLUME.		

LARGE WOOD STRUCTURE QUANTITIES	***	
ITEM	QUANTITY	
LARGE WOOD STRUCTURES	4 EA	
CATEGORY 1 WOOD	8 EA	
CATEGORY 2 WOOD	16 EA	
CATEGORY 3 WOOD	40 EA	
WILLOW CUTTINGS	80 EA	

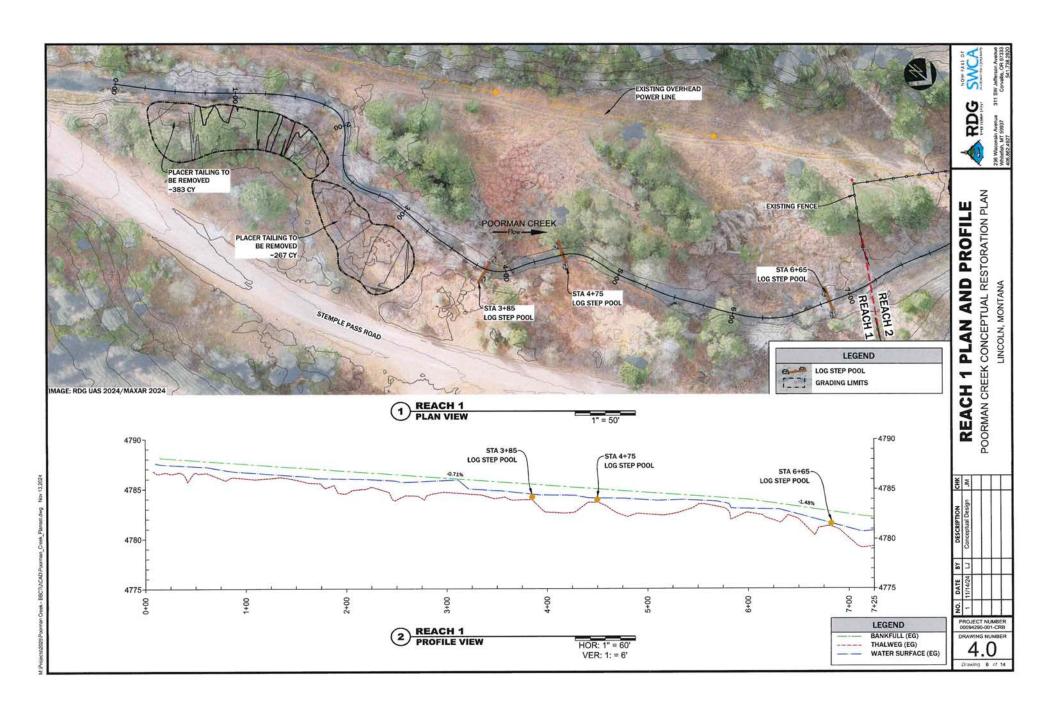
VEGETATED WOOD MA	TRIX QUAN	TITIES
ITEM	QUANTITY	
VEGETATED WOOD MATRIX TYPE 1	248 LF	WATER THE PARTY OF
VEGETATED WOOD MATRIX TYPE 2	129 LF	THE PROPERTY OF THE PARTY OF TH
CATEGORY 2 WOOD	127 EA	
CATEGORY 3 WOOD	1,250 EA	
WILLOW CUTTINGS	1,885 EA	
STREAMBANK FILL	64 CY	

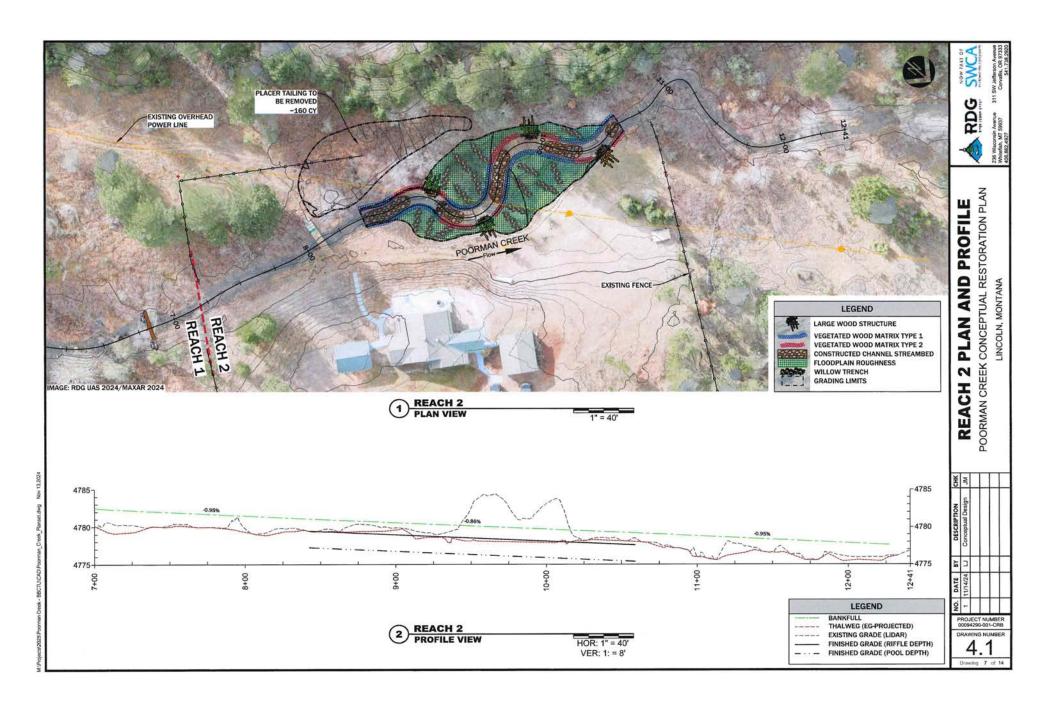
CONSTRUCTED CHANNEL STREAMBED QUANTITIES	*****
ITEM	QUANTITY
CONSTRUCTED RIFFLE	125 LF
CATEGORY 1 ROCK	63 EA
STREAMBED FILL	47 CY
CATEGORY 2 WOOD	25 EA

FLOODPLAIN TREATMENT	
ITEM	QUANTITY
ACRES OF FLOODPLAIN	.12 AC.
CATEGORY 2 WOOD	5 EA
CATEGORY 3 WOOD	30 EA

WILLOW TRENCH QUANTITIES	新春春春
ITEM	QUANTITY
WILLOW TRENCH STRUCTURES	195 LF
WILLOW CUTTINGS	975 EA

LOG STEP POOL STRUCTURE QUANTITIES	
ITEM	QUANTITY
LOG STEP POOL STRUCTURES	3 EA
CATEGORY 1 WOOD	6 EA
CATEGORY 2 WOOD	9 EA
CATEGORY 1 ROCK	18 EA
FILTER FABRIC	105 LF
RING SHANK NAILS	60 EA





EXCAVATION

LIMITS

EXCAVATION

LENGTH = 15' - 20'

ROOTWAD LOG

(CATEGORY 1 WOOD) (1)

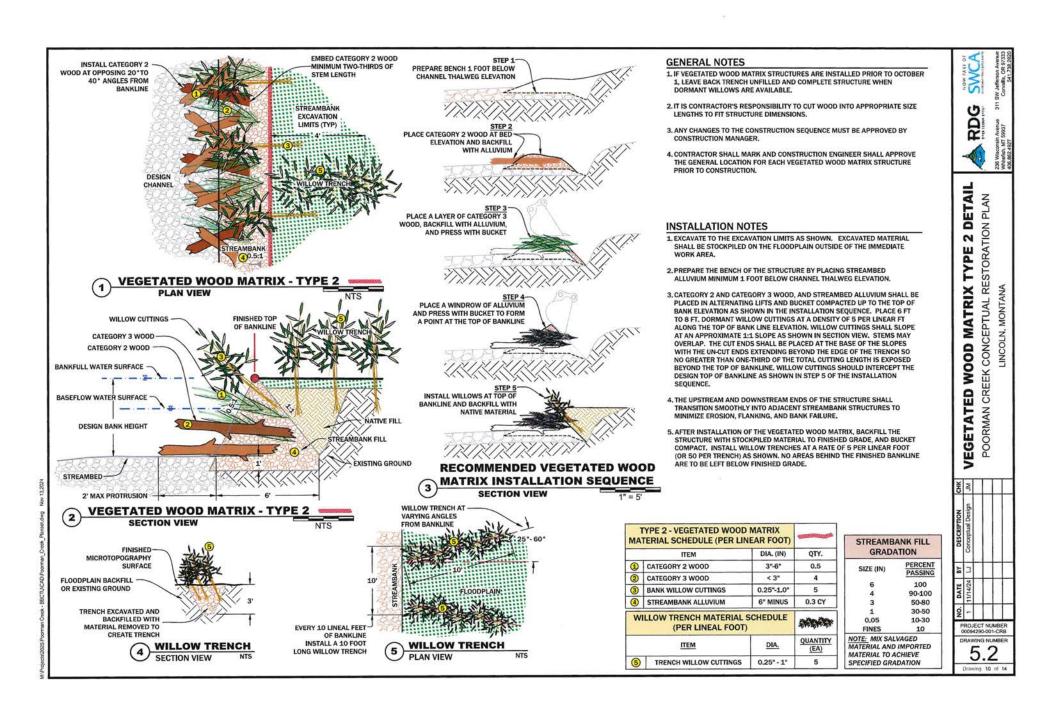
FLOODPLAIN

SUBGRADE EXCAVATION LIMITS

BRUSH AND LIMBS (CATEGORY 3 WOOD)

SECTION VIEW

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INSTALL 1 PIECE OF CATEGORY 2 WOOD

PARTIALLY EMBED STEM IN CHANNEL

BANKFULL WATER

SURFACE

STREAMBED.

ALONG CHANNEL MARGINS EVERY 15 FT - 20

FT. FULLY EMBED ROOTFAN INTO BANKLINE.

0.5' MAXIMUM PROTRUSION

-BASEFLOW

CHANNEL

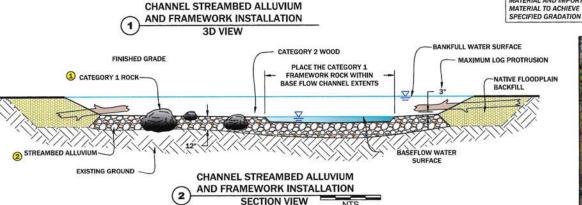
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NOTES ON CONSTRUCTED CHANNEL STREAMBED INSTALLATION

- 1. PRIOR TO CONSTRUCTION OF THE CHANNEL STREAMBED, CONSTRUCTION MANAGER SHALL VERIFY CHANNEL SUBGRADE ELEVATIONS, CHANNEL SUBGRADE SERVES AS THE FOUNDATION FOR THE CONSTRUCTED CHANNEL STREAMBED.
- 2. CONTRACTOR SHALL STOCKPILE CHANNEL ALLUVIUM PER SPECIFICATIONS NOTED ON THE DRAWING.
- 3. PREPARE THE FRAMEWORK. CONTRACTOR SHALL PLACE 10-INCH TO 12-INCH BOULDERS (CATEGORY 1 ROCK) ON THE SURFACE OF THE CHANNEL SUBGRADE PRIMARILY WITHIN THE LOW FLOW CHANNEL AS INDICATED ON THE DRAWING. DUE TO THE INHERENT VARIABILITY IN MATERIALS, BOULDER ELEVATIONS SHALL BE ADJUSTED TO ASSURE BOULDER PROTRUSION ABOVE FINISH GRADE WILL BE NO GREATER THAN 0.5-FT.
- 4. CONTRACTOR MAY INSTALL 10-INCH TO 12-INCH BOULDERS (CATEGORY 1 ROCK) IN CLUSTERS, AS DIRECTED BY THE CONSTRUCTION MANAGER, TO CREATE A COMPLEX SERIES OF POCKET POOLS THAT EFFECTIVELY DISSIPATE ENERGY AND PROVIDE PATHWAYS FOR FISH MOVEMENT. BOULDER ELEVATIONS SHALL BE ADJUSTED TO ASSURE BOULDER PROTRUSION ABOVE FINISH GRADE IS NO GREATER THAN 0.5-FT.
- 5. CONTRACTOR SHALL INSTALL CHANNEL MARGIN WOOD (CATEGORY 2 WOOD) TO PROVIDE AQUATIC HABITAT COMPLEXITY AND ROUGHNESS. CHANNEL MARGIN WOOD SHALL PROJECT NO GREATER THAN 8 FEET INTO THE CONSTRUCTED STREAMBED IN VARIOUS ORIENTATIONS TO FLOW, AS DIRECTED BY CONSTRUCTION MANAGER. CHANNEL MARGIN WOOD SHALL BE EMBEDDED INTO THE CHANNEL STREAMBED A MINIMUM OF ONE-HALF THE LOG DIAMETER, AS SHOWN ON THE DRAWINGS.
- 6, PREPARE THE MATRIX. AFTER THE FRAMEWORK, WOOD, BOULDER CLUSTERS, AND SMALL BOULDER RIBS ARE INSTALLED AND INSPECTED BY CONSTRUCTION MANAGER, PLACE APPROPRIATE CHANNEL STREAMBED ALLUVIUM GRADATION AND WASH FINES INTO STREAMBED. CHANNEL STREAMED ALLUVIUM SHALL BE PLACED TO THE FULL COURSE THICKNESS OF 12-INCHES TO FINISHED GRADE.

SIZE (IN)	PERCENT
6	100
4	90-100
3	50-80
1	30-50
0.05	10-30
FINES	10

MATERIAL SCHEDULE (PER 10 FEET)			
ITEM DIA. (IN)		QUANTITY (EA)	
a	CATEGORY 1 ROCK	10"-12"	5 EA
2	CHANNEL STREAMBED ALLUVIUM	6" MINUS	3.7 CY
3	CATEGORY 2 WOOD	3"-6"	2 EA



0.5' MAXIMUM PROTRUSION



TYPICAL CONSTRUCTED STREAMBED THROUGH A RIFFLE FEATURE

GENERAL NOTES

STREAMBED STRUCTURES.

CATEGORY 1 ROCK

FLOODPLAIN

NATIVE FLOODPLAIN BACKFILL

INSTALL RANDOM SMALL BOULDER

TOP OF BANK

CHANNEL STREAMBED ALLUVIUM

CLUSTERS WITH POCKET POOL

1. CONSTRUCTION OF THE CHANNEL STREAMBED WILL OCCUR AFTER THE CHANNEL SUBGRADE IS PREPARED.

3. IT IS THE CONTRACTORS RESPONSIBILITY TO CUT WOOD INTO APPROPRIATE SIZE LENGTHS TO FIT STRUCTURE DIMENSIONS.

4. CONTRACTOR SHALL MARK THE UPSTREAM AND DOWNSTREAM EXTENTS OF THE LOCATIONS OF THE CONSTRUCTED CHANNEL

2. ANY CHANGES TO THE CONSTRUCTION SEQUENCE MUST BE APPROVED THE CONSTRUCTION MANAGER.

GRADING LIMITS

CATEORY 2 WOOD

FLOODPLAIN ROUGHNESS

FLOODPLAIN SEEDING

EXAMPLE OF CONSTRUCTED FLOODPLAIN ROUGHNESS

DESIGN INTENT

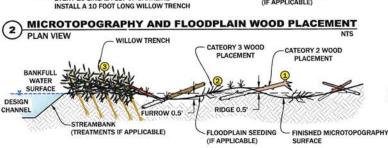
PURPOSE: THE PURPOSE OF THIS TREATMENT IS TO CREATE CHARACTERISTICS ON NEWLY CONSTRUCTED FLOODPLAIN SURFACES THAT ARE SIMILAR TO THE CONDITIONS ON NATURAL, VEGETATED FLOODPLAIN SURFACES.

PLACEMENT CRITERIA: TREATMENTS ARE APPLIED TO FLOODPLAIN SURFACES THAT LACK ROUGHNESS ELEMENTS AND VEGETATION.

SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION: FLOODPLAIN ROUGHNESS TREATMENTS REDUCE THE RISK OF SURFACE EROSION AND INCREASE THE RETENTION OF SEDIMENT AND NUTRIENTS FOR THE DEVELOPMENT OF RIPARIAN VEGETATION. FLOODPLAIN ROUGHNESS IS APPLIED USING TWO METHODS: (1) MICROTOPOGRAPHY GRADING AND (2) WOODY DEBRIS PLACEMENT. MICROTOPOGRAPHY GRADING WILL CREATE AN UNEVEN SURFACE OF FURROWS AND RIDGES ON THE FLOODPLAIN. WOODY DEBRIS WILL PROVIDE STABILITY AND CONTRIBUTE ORGANIC MATTER TO FLOODPLAIN SOILS. PROPER ANCHORING OF WOODY DEBRIS IS REQUIRED TO PREVENT MOVEMENT DURING OVERBANK FLOWS.

CONSTRUCTION NOTES

- CONSTRUCTION OF FLOODPLAIN TREATMENT WILL OCCUR AFTER CONSTRUCTION OF THE CHANNEL STREAMBED, INSTALLATION OF LARGE WOOD STRUCTURE BANK TREATMENT, INSTALLATION OF VEGETATED WOOD MATRIX BANK TREATMENT.
- 2. FLOODPLAIN ROUGHNESS CONSTRUCTION AFTER FINISHED FLOODPLAIN GRADING AND PRIOR TO SEEDING, PLANTING AND
- 3. GRADE FURROWS AND RIDGES INTO THE FINISHED FLOODPLAIN GROUND SURFACE.
- PARTIALLY BURY CATEGORY 2 WOOD INTO FURROWS AND RIDGES AT SPACING OF 30 FEET WITH ONE HALF THE WOOD LENGTH BELOW THE SURFACE.
- 5. PARTIALLY BURY CATEGORY 3 WOOD INTO FURROWS AND RIDGES AT SPACING OF 15 FEET AND A DEPTH OF TWO FEET BELOW



MICROTOPOGRAPHY AND FLOODPLAIN WOOD PLACEMENT

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CATEORY 3 WOOD

PLACEMENT

DESIGN ALIGNMENT

AREAS TO RECEIVE

WILLOW TRENCH AT VARYING

EVERY 10 LINEAL FEET OF BANKLINE

SECTION VIEW

FLOODPLAIN ROUGHNESS

FINISHED: MICROTOPOGRAPHY FLOODPLAIN BACKFILL OR EXISTING GROUND TRENCH EXCAVATED AND **BACKFILLED WITH** MATERIAL REMOVED TO CREATE TRENCH

> **WILLOW TRENCH** SECTION VIEW



	WILLOW TRENCH MATERIAL SCHEDULE (PER LINEAL FOOT)		金を
	ITEM	DIA.	QUANTITY (EA)
(3)	WILLOW CUTTINGS	0.25" - 1"	5

DETAIL POORMAN CREEK CONCEPTUAL RESTORATION PLAN **TREATMENT** FLOODPLAIN

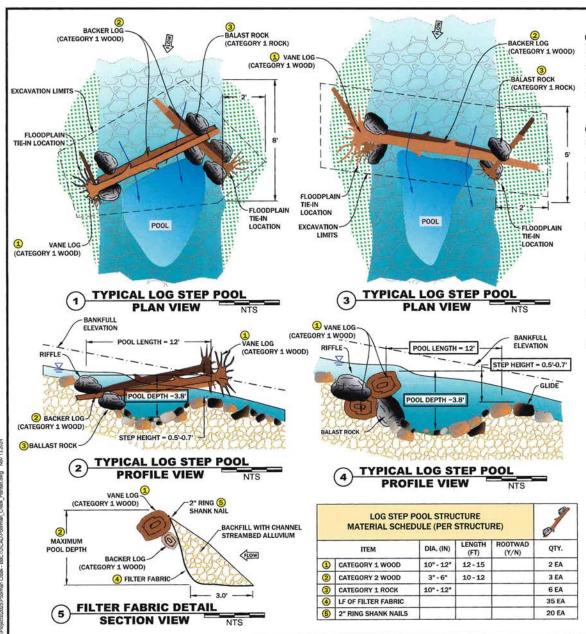
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GENERAL NOTES

- 1. CONSTRUCTION OF THE CHANNEL LOG STEP POOL WILL OCCUR PRIOR TO THE CONSTRUCTED CHANNEL.
- IT IS CONTRACTOR'S RESPONSIBILITY TO CUT WOOD INTO APPROPRIATE SIZE LENGTHS TO FIT STRUCTURE DIMENSIONS.
- 3. ANY CHANGES TO THE CONSTRUCTION SEQUENCE MUST BE APPROVED BY ENGINEER.
- CONTRACTOR SHALL MARK AND ENGINEER SHALL APPROVE THE FLOODPLAIN AND CHANNEL STREAMBED TIE-IN LOCATIONS.

CONSTRUCTION NOTES

- PRIOR TO CONSTRUCTION OF THE CHANNEL LOG STEP POOL, ENGINEER SHALL VERIFY CHANNEL SUBGRADE ELEVATIONS.
- CONTRACTOR SHALL STOCKPILE WOOD AND ROCK PER SPECIFICATIONS NOTED ON THE DRAWINGS.
- EXCAVATE TO THE EXCAVATION LIMITS. EXCAVATED MATERIAL SHALL BE STOCKPILED ON THE FLOODPLAIN OUTSIDE OF THE IMMEDIATE WORK AREA.
- 4. INSTALL VANE LOGS (CATEGORY 1 WOOD) AT THE FLOODPLAIN TIE-IN LOCATIONS AND TO THE ORIENTATIONS NOTED ON THE ORAWING, VANE LOGS SHALL BE PLACED ON CHANNEL ALLUVIUM AND THE ROOTWADS SHALL BE EMBEDDED INTO THE STREAMBANK A MINIMUM OF 2-FT, RELATIVE TO FINISHED BANK LINE.
- 5. ORIENT VANE LOGS IN CONTACT WITH THE CHANNEL STREAMBED AS SHOWN ON THE DRAWING. EMBED VANE LOG TIPS INTO THE CHANNEL STREAMBED A MINIMUM OF 3-FT. SLOPING AT AN ANGLE NO GREATER THAN 6% RELATIVE TO FLOODPLAIN ELEVATION. VANE LOG TIPS SHALL BE A MINIMUM OF 1-FT. BELOW THE CHANNEL STREAMBED FINISHED GRADE.
- INSTALL BACKER LOGS (CATEGORY 1 WOOD) ON THE UPSTREAM SIDE OF THE VANE LOGS AS SHOWN ON THE DRAWINGS. BACKER LOGS SHALL BE FLUSH WITH THE VANE LOGS AND EXTEND FROM THE FLOODPLAIN TIE-IN LOCATIONS TO THE TIPS OF THE VANE LOGS.
- INSTALL CATEGORY 1 ROCK UPSTREAM AND DOWNSTREAM OF THE STREAMBANK TIE-IN LOCATIONS AND VANE LOG TIPS. ROCK SHALL BE IN CONTACT WITH VANE LOGS AND BACKER LOGS TO PROVIDE BALLAST AND TO PREVENT THE STRUCTURE FROM SHIFTING WHILE THE STRUCTURE IS BACKFILLED.
- ATTACH NON-WOVEN GEOTEXTILE FABRIC TO VANE LOGS AND EXTEND VERTICALLY TO THE MAXIMUM DEPTH OF THE POOL CHANNEL CROSS-SECTION ON THE UPSTREAM SIDE OF THE STRUCTURE, AS SHOWN ON DRAWING, BACKFILL VANE LOGS WITH EXCAVATED CHANNEL STREAMBED ALLUVIUM TO CHANNEL STREAMBED FINISHED GRADE.
- REGRADE UPSTREAM AND DOWNSTREAM CHANNEL STREAMBED FINISHED GRADE ELEVATIONS. IF EXCESS MATERIAL IS SIDECAST IN POOL DURING CONSTRUCTION, CONTRACTOR SHALL RE-EXCAVATE POOL TO THE DESIGN DIMENSIONS AS APPROVED BY ENGINEER.



EXAMPLE OF A CONSTRUCTED LOG STEP POOL

