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Debbie-Anne A. Reese, Secretary
Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC)
888 First Street NE
Washington, DC 20426

**Re: Jackson Hydroelectric Project, FERC No. 2157
Fish Habitat Enhancement Plan 2025 Annual Report
License Appendix G A-LA 12**

Dear Secretary Reese:

Enclosed is Public Utility District No. 1 of Snohomish County's *Fish Habitat Enhancement Plan (FHEP) 2025 Annual Report* pursuant to the Jackson Hydroelectric Project's License Appendix G A-LA12. The draft report was provided to the Aquatic Resource Committee for review and comment on April 16, 2026, for a 30-day review and comment period; comments were received from Washington State Department of Fish and Wildlife and the Tulalip Tribes. Consultation documentation is included in the report's Appendix B and C.

If you have any questions on the FHEP 2025 Annual Report, please contact Dawn Presler, Lead – Licensing & Compliance, at (425) 783-1709 or DJPresler@snopud.com.

Sincerely,

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Enclosed: Fish Habitat Enhancement Plan 2025 Annual Report

cc: Aquatic Resource Committee

Henry M. Jackson Hydroelectric Project (FERC No. 2157)



Fish Habitat Enhancement Plan: 2025 Annual Report (A-LA 12)



Everett, WA

June 2026

FINAL – This document has been prepared by Snohomish PUD based on information known at the time of its preparation and with that understanding is considered complete. The document may be cited as:

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LIST OF ACRONYMS

A-LA 12	Aquatic License Article 12: Fish Habitat Enhancement Plan
ARC	Aquatic Resource Committee
FERC	Federal Energy Regulatory Commission
FHE	Fish Habitat Enhancement
HEA	Habitat Enhancement Account
Project	Henry M. Jackson Hydroelectric Project, FERC No. 2157
Snohomish PUD	Public Utility District No. 1 of Snohomish County

1.0 INTRODUCTION

Public Utility District No. 1 of Snohomish County (Snohomish PUD) received a license on September 2, 2011 (License), from the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC) for the Henry M. Jackson Hydroelectric Project (Project). License Ordering Paragraphs D (Washington Department of Ecology 401 Water Quality Certification conditions) and E (U.S. Forest Service section 4(e) conditions) require Snohomish PUD to implement Aquatic License Article 12: Fish Habitat Enhancement Plan (A-LA 12) as detailed in License Appendix G. Snohomish PUD filed the Fish Habitat Enhancement Plan (FHE Plan) with the FERC on November 19, 2010.

As indicated in the FHE Plan, funded projects will be designed to provide additional Project-related enhancements to aquatic resources and hydrologic processes focused in the Sultan River basin; thereby, providing considerable benefits to aquatic habitat and anadromous and resident fish populations throughout the License term. These additional habitat enhancement projects, working in conjunction with other protection, mitigation, and enhancement measures, such as improved side channel connectivity, increased instream flows, and implementation of fish passage at the Diversion Dam, will likely substantially increase the quantity and quality of aquatic habitat and performance of anadromous and resident fish populations in the lower Sultan River. Establishment of the ongoing FHE Plan and Habitat Enhancement Account (HEA) will also allow for adaptive management as conditions in the basin change. The mitigation provided through the fund will best be able to address long-term habitat enhancement and restoration needs by allowing flexibility to ensure that projects are developed and implemented during the License term.

Pursuant to Section 6.2 of the FHE Plan, Snohomish PUD is to prepare a report by June 30 of each year detailing activities that occurred the previous year and activities planned for the present year as they relate to implementation of FHE Plan-approved projects. This FHE Plan Annual Report covers activities conducted in 2025 and planned for 2026. Figure 1 contains a map of Snohomish PUD-owned properties along the lower Sultan River as referenced in this report or acquired as part of an off-license agreement.

The draft report was provided to the Aquatic Resource Committee (ARC) for a 30-day review and comment period. The ARC consists of the City of Everett, City of Sultan, Snohomish County, Washington Department of Ecology, Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife, Tulalip Tribes, U.S. Forest Service, National Marine Fisheries Service, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, and American Whitewater. Appendix A contains a 2025 approved FHE-funded project. Documentation of consultation with the ARC regarding the report is included in Appendix B, with responses to WDFW comments in Appendix C.

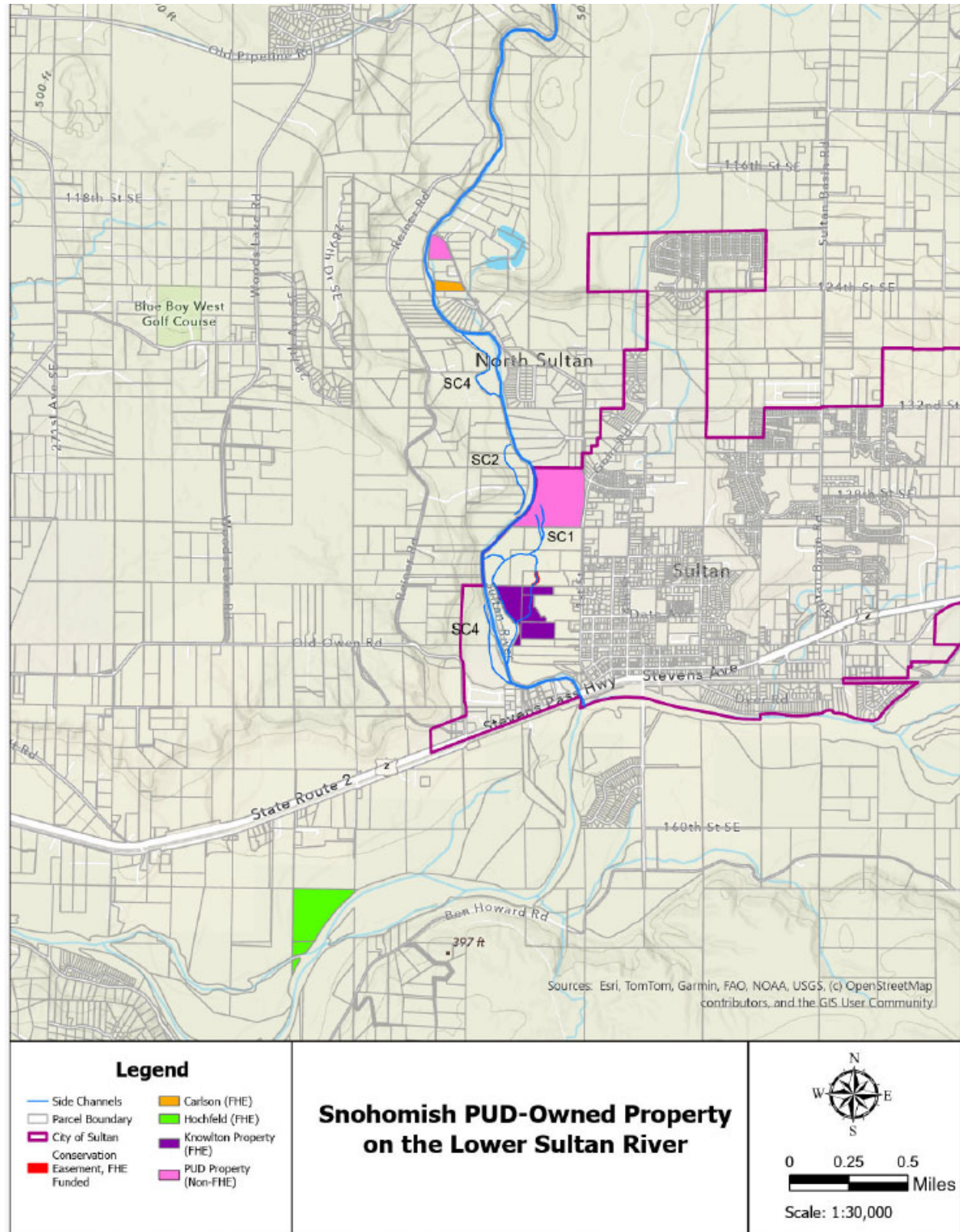


Figure 1. Snohomish PUD-owned property in the Lower Sultan River area.

2.0 ACTIVITIES FOR YEAR 2025

2.1 Project Selection

In 2025, the ARC agreed to fund the pursuit of a 23-acre property acquisition near the new side channel project along the lower Sultan River (expanded from the original 8.3-acres acquisition approved in 2024). This would include acquisition of 3 parcels along with access rights, real estate fees, some restoration plantings, and funds for future use in case of vandalism, invasive weeds, etc.

In addition, Snohomish County requested a grant match of \$363,723 to support the addition of an ~900-foot side channel with engineered log jams/wood structures, just downstream of the confluence of Sultan River and Skykomish River in the Shinglebolt Slough area (refer to Appendix A). The ARC approved this project in December 2025 with anticipated construction in 2027.

2.2 Project Implementation

2.2.1 Land Restoration on Acquired Carlson Property

Site visits and discussion with the neighbors occurred. A property boundary survey was conducted to re-establish the property line after the fence was removed to clear away blackberries.

2.2.2 Land Acquisition – 23-acre Property

The ARC agreed to acquire approximately 23 acres covering 3 parcels connected to new side channel on the lower river (this was an expansion of the original 8.3-acre acquisition project). Consultation with the landowner and Real Estate investigation was conducted.

2.2.3 Plantings in the Side Channel 1B Conservation Easements

Final plantings associated with the Department of Ecology grant were installed in the conservation easements on the Volunteers of America and private landowner Knowlton parcels.

2.3 Project Monitoring

No monitoring of FHE Plan habitat projects was conducted beyond that already described above.

3.0 ACTIVITIES FOR YEAR 2026

3.1 Project Selection

Typically, new projects can be proposed as part of the ARC meeting in October 2026. Projects needing immediate attention can be brought before the ARC at any time.

3.2 *Project Implementation*

3.2.1 **Land Restoration Plan on Acquired Carlson Property**

Staff will continue to manage for a selection of invasive species on the property. A plan will be developed to identify potential additional restoration measures and presented to the ARC for discussion and approval of future activities.

3.2.2 **Land Acquisition – 23-acre Property**

Snohomish PUD Real Estate staff will continue to pursue the purchase with the landowner. If successful, Snohomish PUD staff and the ARC will visit the site at an upcoming ARC meeting to assess the property and discuss potential restoration efforts. Once developed, the plan will be presented to the ARC for official funding approval.

3.2.3 **Side Channel Development in Land Conservation Easements**

The contractor will replace plants if a survival threshold is not met.

3.3 *Project Monitoring*

Staff will conduct an annual inspection of the ~30-acre “Hochfeld” property, the 2.8-acre “Carlson” property, and conservation easements along Volunteers of America and Knowlton properties associated with the side channel project, to assess for trespass or vandalism.

4.0 **FUND BALANCE**

The HEA was seeded with \$2.5 million upon License issuance. Starting the tenth anniversary after issuance of the License (Year 11) and annually thereafter for the term of the License, Snohomish PUD deposits \$200,000 (based on 2011 dollars) into the fund account per Section 5.1 of the FHE Plan.

As of December 31, 2025, the fund’s account balance was \$ 3,245,605.57. However, this balance does not reflect amounts not yet spent towards approved projects, debited from the fund, and reserves for potential slides. The balance of unallocated funds for use on future projects is approximately \$1.79 million, as follows:

Fund Start 2011	+\$ 2,500,000.00
September 2021 Annual Payment	+\$ 256,365.42
September 2022 Annual Payment	+\$ 279,539.79
September 2023 Annual Payment	+\$ 294,640.08
September 2024 Annual Payment	+\$ 303,818.47
September 2025 Annual Payment	+\$ 304,119.43
Interest to-date (as of 12/31/25)	+\$ 629,296.78
Subtotal	+\$ 4,567,779.97(deposits)
Confluence property acquisition	-\$ 4,861.38 (closed)
Lower Skykomish River restoration	-\$ 157,955.98 (closed)
Riparian restoration Sultan River	-\$ 219,491.25 (closed)

Riparian restoration Sultan River (2-yr extension)	-\$	0 (closed)
Habitat Projects prioritization	-\$	48,493.80 (closed)
LWD in Reaches 2 & 3	-\$	100,000.00 (closed)
Conservation easement - Oster	-\$	0 (closed)
Sonar Device (ARIS)	-\$	149,684.81 (closed)
RCO Grant Match - 2022	-\$	0 (closed)
Snohomish County - Shinglebolt Side Channel	-\$	363,723.00 (allocated)
23-acre Lower Sultan property acquisition	-\$	320,000.00 (allocated)
Conservation easement – Knowlton	-\$	45,000.00 (allocated)
Conservation easement – VOA	-\$	27,000.00 (allocated)
Carlson property acquisition	-\$	672,000.00 (allocated)
Hochfeld property acquisition	-\$	173,300.00 (allocated)
Future slides reserve	-\$	<u>500,000.00 (allocated)</u>
Subtotal	-\$	2,718,510.22(spent or allocated)
Total	\$	1,786,269.75 (unallocated balance)

5.0 FHE PLAN RECOMMENDATIONS

No recommendations for changes to the FHE Plan are being made at this time.

Appendix A

Snohomish County – Shinglebolt Slough 900-foot Side Channel

Jackson Hydroelectric Project (FERC No. 2157)

Fish Habitat Enhancement Project Proposal

Applicant Contact Information/		
ARC Applicant Name	Brett Gaddis	Date 9/01/2025
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City, State and Zip	Everett, WA 98201	
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Project Type	
Project Type	☒ Enhancement/Restoration Project ☐ Land/Water Right Acquisition ☒ Grant Matching/Leveraging ☐ Extra Water
Funding Amount	☐ \$25,000 and under ☐ \$25,001 to \$200,000 ☒ \$200,001 and over
Location	☐ Lower Sultan River basin ☐ Upper Sultan River (including Spada and its tribs) ☒ Sultan/Skykomish Rivers Confluence ☐ Skykomish River ☐ Snohomish River ☐ Estuary

Project Information	
Name	Shinglebolt Slough Restoration Project

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Location

31331 156TH ST SE, Sultan WA 98294

47° 51' 30.60" N, 121° 48' 51.16" W



Objective

The Shinglebolt Slough Restoration Project's objective is to increase juvenile rearing habitat for Chinook and other Skykomish River Watershed salmonid species. The project will reconnect and improve flow connections to approximately 8000 feet of side channel habitat. The removal of ~900 feet of levee will allow natural river processes, to form complex habitat within the newly reconnected floodplain. The project will restore riparian vegetation function by controlling invasive species, enhancing diverse riparian vegetation habitats, and setting up conditions for a diverse, maturing forest with a deep riparian buffer throughout the project area by planting approximately 45 acres and enhancing wetland formation and function. Additional habitat enhancement will be accomplished through varied installations of over 169 Jams and 120 individually placed logs. Large mainstem jams will be placed at three mainstem Skykomish River side channel inlet / outlet locations and several types of smaller jams and individual log placements throughout the excavated side channel network will further enhance habitat feature function and promote natural habitat forming processes.

The FHE specific components would be 900 feet of excavated side channel and wood structures, entering on the left bank of the Skykomish River within the Sultan / Skykomish River confluence pool, and converging with the main Shinglebolt side channel near the downstream outlet, back to the Skykomish River.

Description

The Skykomish River through the Sultan area has been confined by flood control infrastructure for the railroad, highway, agriculture, city, and residential development. This confinement caused the mainstem to easily pass sediment and LWD resulting in an incised mainstem and disconnected side

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channels. The incision, as well as channel maintenance and efforts to block floodplain flows, largely cut off the floodplain relegating inundation to high flood events. With development, the riparian vegetation was removed, roadway channel crossings installed, and floodplain channels deepened to provide drainage. The habitat that was lost was primarily due to the simplification of the mainstem edge habitat and lack of off-channel connection that corresponds with juvenile rearing.

Shinglebolt Slough was one of several anastomosing secondary channels within the lower end of the Braided Reach of the Skykomish River. These channels have remained resilient, while varying in their current connection to the mainstem. The channels were identified in a recent Geomorphic Assessment ([2021](#)) as at risk of avulsion, and the two, more southern, channels have been in a slow chronic avulsion state for the past two decades. During the same time, the historic bank stabilization and more recent Groeneveld Levee have seen channel migration and breaches through the infrastructure. This geomorphic risk to people that live in the Floodway or use the land for agriculture, as well as to county and PUD infrastructure represents natural river process and habitat creation that our listed salmon stocks need.

In the 1938 aerial photo, Shinglebolt Slough was a split channel of the Skykomish River Mainstem. The bridge was realigned, and infrastructure protection was installed, essentially forming a dike across the floodplain with limited openings for the Skykomish Mainstem and four floodplain distributary channels. The reduced Shinglebolt Slough channel, downstream of the bridge, was utilized for gravel extraction until the 1980's. East of the bridge was developed as an agriculture field with the slough channel and a narrow riparian buffer dividing the fields. After the 1990 flood, mainstem bank protection was installed, and the side channel blocked. The riparian vegetation was removed, and the fields combined into one, leaving the channel to only become inundated at flood flows.

The Mainstem Skykomish area upstream of the project has recently become more sinuous. This increase in mainstem sinuosity has increased the connection of historic floodplain channels to seasonal or even year-round flow. As these channels reconnect, they increase flood inundation and avulsion processes. Past flood control infrastructure is less likely to be implemented through changes in regulation and policy advocating a more wholistic approach to watershed function. Due to flooding impacts and FEMA rule changes, the County has established a floodplain management program ([Community Floodplain Solutions, CFS](#)) in the area and has acquired properties with the goal of restoring salmon habitat and further reducing flood risks.

Current habitat challenges:

- Side channels are not fully connected in spots, past intentional blockages or changes in channel type through alterations.
- Confined and incised mainstem further limits water flow on the floodplain.
- Simplified edge habitat offers little protection for fish.
- There are structural impediments or limited hydraulic exposure for fish-bearing habitats to form.

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- Current conditions don't allow for increased flood water storage.
- Limits to riparian vegetation and disconnection between surface and ground water increase reach temperatures and limit cool water refugia.

These challenges reduce the quality and capacity for juvenile rearing habitat in a location that would otherwise be very important to Snohomish Basin Chinook. The location in the watershed is adjacent to two primary productive salmon tributaries (Sultan and Wallace Rivers) and downstream of the "Braided Reach" area and upper watershed spawning. Increasing rearing quantity and quality in this location is key to increasing rearing survival and overall fish condition. The simplified mainstem and side channel habitats at the Shinglebolt Slough site do not allow access to quality habitat, especially at outmigration flows when juvenile salmon benefit most from available habitat quantity and quality. Additionally, simplified channels reduce population resiliency to flood and water quality impacts. The project improves access, quality, and quantity of rearing habitat downstream and nearby spawning grounds.

Currently Shinglebolt Slough receives water inputs through a historic alignment east at the county property line at ~40,000 cubic foot per second (cfs) ([USGS Skykomish River gage at Gold Bar](#)). Here, floodwater flows across the farm field until it connects to the remnant Shinglebolt Channel under Bridge 151 (Shinglebolt Slough). On the west side of 311th and just downstream of the Skykomish Mainstem Bridge, a remnant channel connects at ~33,000 cfs (Gold Bar gage). It and two other flood channels flow across the meander bar to the remnant Shinglebolt Slough channel and return to the Skykomish Mainstem Downstream ~2800' below the Sultan River Confluence.

The project will remove the 900 feet of levee (berm and revetment) over the natural floodplain elevation. This is located approximately 400' east of the exiting Skykomish Mainstem bridge, allowing for the Plug Levee to remain and function to protect the existing bridge and roadway for 311th Mann Road. Large batter pile ELJs will be placed along the remnant levee footprint to retain a level of avulsion and debris protection across the floodplain. They will allow for wood debris racking and as the river process naturalizes, provide enhanced edge habitat, an enhancement to the removed rock revetment and berm. This bank edge and removed levee footprint will be planted with fast growing riparian vegetation.

A new side channel will be excavated to connect the Skykomish Mainstem on the northeast side of the project area to the Shinglebolt Slough channel. This connection is calculated to begin to intake water at ~6100 cfs (USGS gage) at Gold Bar. The historic Shinglebolt Slough channel will be excavated, reconnected to the east side of the project to an existing channel from the Skykomish Mainstem to the Skykomish Slough that is currently to the south of Shinglebolt, mid floodplain. This eastern most connection is modeled to connect at between ~10,000 – 12,000 cfs (Gold Bar gage). The remnant Shinglebolt Slough downstream, west, from the 311th Shinglebolt Slough Bridge (151) will be excavated to the final design depth and exit to the Skykomish River outflow connection downstream (~2800') of the Sultan River Confluence. Existing flood channels on the northwest side of 311th Avenue will be excavated to connect to the Skykomish Mainstem at ~6100 cfs (Gold Bar gage). They will flow

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south and meet Shinglebolt Slough.

The FHE proposed channel will be excavated ~800 feet downstream of the Sultan River Confluence on the left bank of the Skykomish River. It is planned to have final elevations that connect the inlet at ~6100 cfs (Gold Bar gage). It will flow ~950' southeast and connect to Shinglebolt Slough ~900 feet from the side channel outflow to the Skykomish River.

The Skykomish Mainstem and side channel connections at the northeast and the proposed FHE side channel will have large mainstem ELJs that will work to split mainstem flows into the side channel inlets. Within the channel inlet there will be placed a mostly buried, matrix structure of LWD. It will act as habitat wood and grade control protecting the newly excavated channel from avulsion. Two bank ELJs will be placed within the western most channel, at a midpoint bend of the channel and at the confluence between the west channel and Shinglebolt channel. Channel toe ELJ structures (12 ea.) and individual log placements (14 ea.) will be placed along the channels within the proposed FHE channel. These structures will be installed with pilings or embedded in the bank with rootwads into the channel to induce pool forming scour and channel diversity. All side channels will have similar wood distribution except under the Bridge 151.

In the remnant farm field, east of 311th Avenue, the County will install flood fence arrays inland of the removed levee footprint and plant the field in a tree island method to allow for a varied long-term approach to riparian restoration. A long line of flood fencing will be installed to the south along the regraded Shinglebolt side channel alignment across the farm field to protect the farm field use and road from debris accumulation. This will also provide additional wood recruitment and retention in the side channel area. All excavated side channels and access will be restored with appropriate plantings and wetland augmentation. The primary planting effort surrounding the FHE proposed channel, within the existing, mostly deciduous forest will be conifer underplanting. The County Native Plant Program is providing long term maintenance of invasive vegetation treatment and planting maintenance.

Summarized Project Metrics:

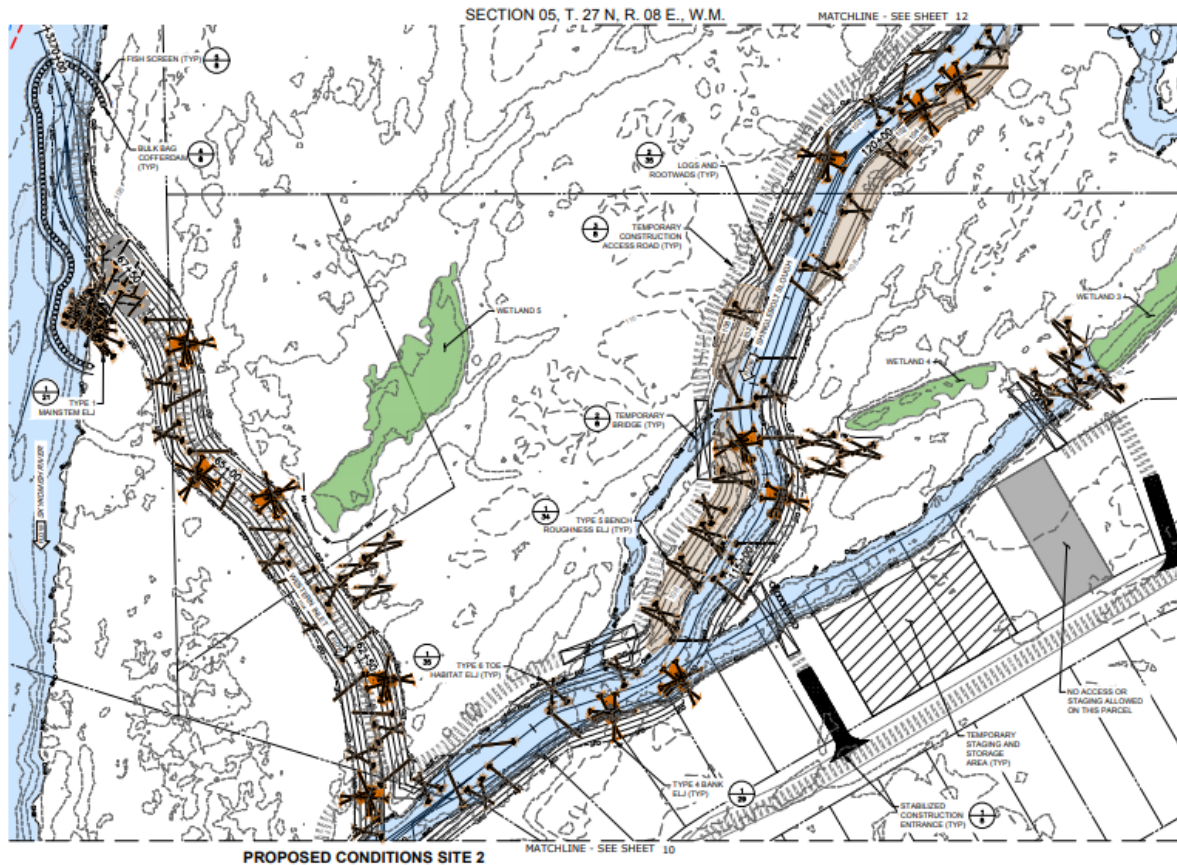
- 900' levee removal
- 8000' + excavated side channels
- 169 Jams and 120 individually placed logs
- 1900 lineal feet of vertical boles (flood fencing)
- 25 acres of conifer plantings
- 20 acres of floodplain - channel bank, former farm field, project access, and wetland plantings

Proposed FHE Channel:

- 7500 CY Excavation and Haul, 950' Side Channel
- 1ea. Type 1 Mainstem Jam
- 1ea. Grade Control Structure
- 2ea. Bank ELJs

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- 12ea. Toe Structures
- 14ea. Logs/W RW



Project design was informed by County led river assessments to include H&H modeling ([2020](#)), Geomorphic Assessments ([2021](#)), Cultural Resources assessment and reporting. The engineering firm, Natural Systems Design, conducted extensive modeling of existing conditions, alternatives, and proposed conditions to include wetland identification, Geotech investigations, Hydraulic and Hydrologic (H&H) modeling, geomorphic analysis, infrastructure assessment and design with road and bridge expertise by sub-consultant KPFF. Watershed and community stakeholders were invited to three public meetings, with one more planned for late 2026. Some design elements and project management decisions came from these meetings. Updates to The Snohomish Basin Salmon Recovery Forum and Technical Committee, program teams, County Roads and Bridge engineers, The City of Sultan, and interested neighbors were made on an approximate annual schedule.

The project construction will be managed by Snohomish County staff with engineering support from the design engineering firm Natural Systems Design. The project is in the final design phase with permit applications under review or secured. The construction company will be selected and managed through the County bid process with a finalized construction plan set, state and special specification bid package, engineer estimate, and approved contract.

The County's ongoing monitoring has included current conditions monitoring incorporating river gage

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and existing water inundation levels (with recent water level and temperature data collect or installation), E-DNA sampling for aquatic species, invasive vegetation treatment (6 years of knotweed treatment), long-term nearby temperature monitoring, wetland assessment, and geomorphic assessment. The project Preliminary Design and Basis of Design Report, as well as earlier concept options analysis, and presentations are available at

<https://snohomishcountywa.gov/6195/Shinglebolt-Slough-Restoration-Project>.

Planned post project reporting will be: As-built design report, and a monitoring report completed after the project has experienced a full water year. Monitoring will include channel form, water stage and inundation, structure stability and wood retention / recruitment, wetted habitat features, fish presence, vegetation monitoring, and water quality (temperature). Snohomish County Surface Water Management (SWM) has a project monitoring program and has received funding in a recent Floodplain by Design FY25-27 grant from the WA Dept. of Ecology, for project effectiveness monitoring and reporting for this and other Snohomish Basin projects.

Post project property management of the farm field, open space access, coordinated access via the shared WA Dept. of Fish and Wildlife parking, County Parks property to the south, restored channels and riparian buffer will be conducted jointly by County Parks and SWM staff.

The Snohomish River Basin Salmon Conservation Plan ([2005](#)) details actions needed for Chinook salmon recovery. These include improving habitat quality and quantity in the mainstem priority area to address the juvenile salmon rearing habitat bottleneck. Section 1 details recommended actions and table 1.1 (page I-6) lists the mainstem priority habitat restoration actions on which project design concept and planning effort are based. This includes restoring edge, riparian, and off-channel habitat by removing humanmade revetments, fill, and installing large wood debris and riparian plantings. The project follows the Plan's strategies for key land use areas (page I-7, 8) by working with stakeholders to retaining viable agriculture space and managing the public lands for multiple public benefits, such as environmental education and recreational access. This project is listed in the Plan's Project Ideas and Opportunities List, Appendix L ([#121, pg. L31](#)). Snohomish County's Community Floodplain Solutions ([CFS](#)) Program is working on the Skykomish River Mann Road Floodplain in addition to this project, with further planned actions that address more Appendix L projects and implement the Basin Plan's recovery actions. The project is also listed in the Sustainable Land Strategy, Lower Skykomish River Reach-scale Plan ([pg. 92](#)). The SLS Plan includes efforts to collaborate between Flood, Farm, and Fish partners.

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Benefits

The Skykomish and Sultan Rivers are an important resource for fish and the following species would be expected to use the reconnected floodplain side channels and ponded offchannel habitat areas for rearing at various times of the year: Chinook, coho, chum, and pink salmon, as well as steelhead trout. These juvenile salmon species are expected to benefit from increased side channel area, improved habitat structure and cover, increased refuge from flooding depth and velocity, and cold-water refuge through late spring into summer. The restored, more complex mainstem edge habitat will be used by all salmonid species in higher densities than the existing simplified rip rap revetment.

Continuous rearing habitat throughout the river and floodplain is important for out-migrating juvenile salmon seeking complex and diverse habitat conditions for their specific size and stage where conditions allow for predator avoidance, food sources, water quality and conditions suitable for use as they condition for the next stage of migration.

The existing remnant channels have fish present as monitored after the winter flow connection from flooding and highwater backwatering into the downstream remnant channels and pools. The project can be expected to have lasting standing water in areas for most of the year. The proposed conditions will create significant inundation increases and habitat formations to include pools and flowing channels that will be utilized during the late winter and spring outmigration of ocean type juvenile Chinook. Overwintering and out-migrating Coho are expected to utilize the habitat. All species of Skykomish stocks will benefit from the natural and restored edge habitat along the mainstem. Feeding juvenile steelhead and bull trout may utilize the mainstem and channels.

Methods

The project is in final design, specification development, bid preparation, and permitting phase. The funding for this work was provided from County Surface Water Utility fees, Washington Department of Ecology's - Floodplains by Design grant program, NOAA's – Transformational Habitat Restoration and Coastal Resiliency grant program, and Washington State Recreation and Conservation Office's – Salomon Recovery Funding Board. Construction funding is being applied for with \$1,800,000 secured from Ecology's Floodplains by Design.

Project construction cost is based on an engineering estimate of construction materials, logistics, labor, equipment, profit, management, monitoring, and others based on recent bids and construction projects with similar components and materials. The preliminary design cost estimate for construction, construction support, construction management, and as-built collection and reporting is \$7,022,791. SWM staff plan to pursue Puget Sound Acquisition and Restoration (PSAR) Large Capital funding. We have other funding sources pending RFPs per availability and Basin Team and organization coordination.

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Shinglebolt Restoration Construction Budget

Construction Estimate Attached	\$5,424,524
Tax 9.1%	\$493,632
Contingency 10% by line item	\$586,167
Bid Staff	\$20,000
Contract Staff	\$20,000
Project Management Staff	\$35,000
County Construction Management Staff	\$302,184
Design Consultant Assistance	\$45,000
Cultural Historic Monitoring	\$20,000
Permit Compliance Monitoring	\$20,000
As-Built Monitoring and Reporting	\$75,000
Grant Management	\$25,000
TOTAL	\$7,022,791

Project elements have been separated from the overall cost estimate and construction budget to allow for an individual habitat component cost for the proposed FHE west side channel components. The proposed FHE west side channel cost and funding request is, \$363,723. This would be a direct reimbursement for a construction contractor payment.

Component	Cost
Excavation and Haul, Side Channel, 7500 CY	\$189,000
Type 1 Mainstem LWD Jam, 1 ea.	\$53,324
LWD Grade Control Structure, 1 ea.	\$32,832
Bank ELJ, 2 ea.	\$23,640
LWD Channel Toe Structures, 12 ea.	\$49,404
Logs with Rootwads, 14 ea.	\$15,523
Proposed West FHE Side Channel TOTAL	\$363,723

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Monitoring/Land Management

The County's ongoing monitoring has included current conditions monitoring including river gage and existing water inundation levels (with recent water level and temperature data collector installation), E-DNA sampling for aquatic species, invasive vegetation treatment (6 years of knotweed treatment), long-term nearby temperature monitoring, wetland assessment, and geomorphic assessment. The project [Preliminary Design](#) and [Basis of Design Report](#) are available at: <https://snohomishcountywa.gov/6195/Shinglebolt-Slough-Restoration-Project>

Planned post project reporting will be: As-built design report, and a monitoring report completed after the project has experienced a full water year. Monitoring will include channel form, water stage and inundation, structure stability and wood retention / recruitment, wetted habitat features, fish presence, vegetation monitoring, and water quality (temperature). Project monitoring is funded by Floodplains by Design grant funding and the County project monitoring program. The monitoring will be conducted by SWM staff and potentially consultant staff as needed.

The entire project footprint is in County ownership. Post project property management of the farm field, open space access, coordinated access via the shared Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife parking, County Parks property to the south, restored channels, and riparian buffer will be conducted jointly by County Parks and SWM staff.

Project Schedule

Time Frame	2027 Construction
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Detail

Activity	Quarter, Year	Quarter, Year	Quarter, Year	Quarter, Year	Quarter, Year	Quarter, Year
Concept Design, Preferred Alternative	3, 2024					
Preliminary Design	1, 2025					
Permit Applications	2, 2025					
Final Design Draft		3, 2025				
Communication / Review		4, 2025				
Final Design Final		2, 2026				
NOAA, Corps, WQ Permits		2, 2026				
Construction Bid Opening			4, 2026			

Project Schedule						
Construction Begins				2, 2027		
Construction Ends					4, 2027	
Monitoring and Reporting						1, 2029

Proposed Budget								
	Detail of Amount Requested from District							
	Staff Time (with benefits)	Travel	Supplies	Permits	Contractor/ Consultant	Monitoring/Land Mgmt (10% min.)	Misc.	TOTAL
Amount		\$	\$	\$	\$363,723	\$	\$	\$363,723
Explain Misc. Costs								
Amount Requested from District			\$363,723					

Fund Matching/Leveraging, if applicable	
Name of Match Organization, if any	WA Department of Ecology, Floodplain by Design Grant (confirmed) Snohomish County, Surface Water Management Utility Fees (confirmed) The Puget Sound Acquisition and Restoration (PSAR) Large Capital program (pending, application planned for spring 2026) NOAA - Transformational Habitat Restoration and Coastal Resilience Grant (pending, application submitted April 2025)
Match type	☒ Pending Match ☒ Confirmed Match
Is this project contingent on receiving matching/leveraged funds?	☐ No ☒ Yes
Amount of Match	\$5,500,000 / \$1,800,000

Instructions

Please provide the following information for the Project Proposal Form:

- **Applicant Contact Information** – add content for the primary ARC member responsible for introducing and coordinating the project proposal. If there is an ARC co-sponsor, please indicate his/her name in the ARC Applicant Name field as a “co-sponsor” after the primary sponsor.
- **Project Type** – you may make multiple selections if needed for each field.
- **Name** – name of the project. If this is a fund matching/leveraging request, use the same name as the primary grant application.
- **Objective (max ¼ page)** – identify overall objective of the proposed FHE project.
- **Description (max 1-5 pages)** – amount of information should be commensurate with the amount of funds being requested (1 page max. for \$25,000 and under; 3 page max for \$25,001 to \$200,000; 5 pages max for \$200,001 and over). Provide a description of the problem, impacts to resources, what is anticipated to be done, scope of work, work products, reporting, ongoing monitoring, etc. If this project is identified in a Recovery Plan or similar, state which one.

Please provide the additional information for the project type for which you are applying:

- **For Grant Matching/Leveraging (non-District project):**
 - **Description:** Clearly state for what project this is a grant match, requesting organization and from what funding board/council, percent match requested compared to full project cost. Attach grant information. Additionally, state how the project will benefit the fishery of the Sultan River.
 - **Time frame:** State the timeframe to complete the project and also the timeframe on when the funds would be allocated.
- **For Land Acquisition:**
 - **Description:** Clearly state the details of the land/easement, by what mechanism (fee simple, easement, agreement, etc.) would it be owned, what the land will be used for, and length of commitment.
- **For Enhancement Project:**
 - **Description:** Clearly state if the project is to be completed with oversight by the District in whole, in conjunction with another party or exclusively by another party.
- **Benefits (max 1/2 page)** – what aquatic benefits are anticipated by the action; articulate multiple resource benefits if appropriate.
- **Methods (max 1 page)** – description of proposed method. Use this method for budgeting.
- **Monitoring/Land Management (max. 1 page)** - The short-term and long-term monitoring, maintenance, and management requirements and costs of each proposal will be considered. Most projects should have a monitoring component, but that should be specifically targeted and concise. Monitoring should answer one of two questions: 1) does the project function as designed and/or 2) does this project produce benefits that we would want to duplicate by funding similar projects? Ongoing land management must also be taken into account and indicated in the proposal.
- **Proposed Schedule Time Frame and Detail** – identify the month and year for when the project is anticipated to begin and when the project would be completed. Identify the major tasks and relative timeframe to accomplish each task. Schedule must identify time needed for permitting and monitoring of the proposed FHE project.

Appendix B

Consultation Documentation Regarding Draft Report

Presler, Dawn

From: Presler, Dawn
Sent: Wednesday, January 14, 2026 2:35 PM
To: Gaddis, Brett
Cc: Rustay, Michael; Hughes, Darcey; McDonnell, Andrew
Subject: RE: [External Sender] FHE Plan Proposal for Shinglebolt Slough
Attachments: FHE Plan Proposal Shinglebolt Slough_9_24_25.docx

Hi Brett – sorry for the delay in getting back to you on the results of the ARC consideration of funding this project (after meeting grace voting, then government shutdown, and holidays postponed my follow up). I'm pleased to share that the Jackson Hydro Project Aquatic Resource Committee (ARC) has agreed to use some of its Fish Habitat Enhancement account to fund this project as you requested at \$363,723.

Snohomish PUD will likely need to set up an interlocal agreement with you like we did last time with the work near the Hochfeld property downstream of the Sultan/Sky confluence. When do you expect to start work on the Shinglebolt side channel west piece of this proposal? Do you have to wait for other funding or will this be moving forward where we need to get the ILA set up right away? Please advise. Thanks.

Happy 2026!

Cheers,
Dawn

From: Gaddis, Brett <Brett.Gaddis@co.snohomish.wa.us>
Sent: Wednesday, September 24, 2025 1:37 PM
To: Presler, Dawn <djpresler@snopud.com>
Cc: Rustay, Michael <mike.rustay@co.snohomish.wa.us>; Hughes, Darcey <Darcey.Hughes@co.snohomish.wa.us>
Subject: [External Sender] FHE Plan Proposal for Shinglebolt Slough

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Hi Dawn,

Attached is the County's FHE Plan proposal for the ARC's consideration.

It is still in the word format and includes links to supporting documents available online. Please let me know if the links do not work or if you want specific attachments sent along.

Also, available for the October meeting if that is advised.

Thanks,
Brett

Brett T. Gaddis | *Senior Habitat Specialist*
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REMOTE WORK OFFICE HOURS: Mon-Thu, 7:00 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.

IN-OFFICE HOURS: None

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Presler, Dawn

From: Presler, Dawn
Sent: Thursday, November 13, 2025 10:04 AM
To: Jeff Garnett; Richard Vacirca; Scott Bohling; Kathleen Wells
Cc: Anna Thelen; Anne Baxter; McDonnell, Andrew; Legare, Kyle; Tom O'Keefe; Pete Verhey; Nobles, Matthew; Nate Morgan; Mike Rustay; Applegate, Brock A (DFW); Anne Savery; 'Jennifer Quan - NOAA Federal'
Subject: RE: Jackson Hydro (FERC No. 2157) - vote by Oct 30 - Shinglebolt FHE proposal
Attachments: _SNOCO_ShingleboltSlough_Prelim Design_ARC_Q4_25_Presentation.pdf; FHE Plan Proposal Shinglebolt Slough_9_24_25.docx; JHP - FHE update

Dear ARC – with the federal government re-opening, I wanted to re-highlight this request for approval of the FHE-proposed project at Shinglebolt Slough sponsored by the County, and giving the federal agencies 10 days to vote (by December 1). (@[Scott Bohling](#) – I don't think I got a vote from you? You are free to state your vote too.) Silence will be deemed as abstaining from the vote.

Those in favor that have voted so far include: PUD, County, City of Sultan, Tulalip Tribes, and WDFW; none have opposed. Thank you!

Cheers,
Dawn

From: Presler, Dawn
Sent: Thursday, October 16, 2025 2:19 PM
To: Anne Savery <asavery@tulaliptribes-nsn.gov>; Applegate, Brock A (DFW); Jeff Garnett <Jeffrey_Garnett@fws.gov>; Mike Rustay <mike.rustay@co.snohomish.wa.us>; Nate Morgan <nate.morgan@ci.sultan.wa.us>; Nobles, Matthew <MDNobles@SNOPUD.com>; Richard Vacirca <richard.vacirca@usda.gov>; Scott Bohling <sboh461@ecy.wa.gov>; Jennifer Quan - NOAA Federal <jennifer.quan@noaa.gov>
Cc: Anna Thelen; Anne Baxter <abax461@ecy.wa.gov>; Kathleen Wells <kathleen.wells@noaa.gov>; McDonnell, Andrew; Legare, Kyle; Tom O'Keefe <okeefe@americanwhitewater.org>; Pete Verhey <peter.verhey@dfw.wa.gov>
Subject: Jackson Hydro (FERC No. 2157) - vote by Oct 30 - Shinglebolt FHE proposal

Dear ARC Members,

Attached is the Shinglebolt Slough Fish Habitat Enhancement (FHE) Plan project proposal and ppt provided by the Snohomish County at the ARC meeting on October 8. The FHE fund has approximately \$2M in unallocated funds (see attached email for breakdown of allocated funds, and unallocated balance), of which \$363,723 is being requested for the new side channel at County's Shinglebolt Slough Project. From the meeting summary, excerpt: *The new side channel is ~900' downstream from the confluence of the Sultan and Skykomish Rivers. The new side channel is anticipated to directly benefit fish utilizing the Sultan River by creating new rearing and refuge habitat. The FHE project work will include the excavation of a new channel, mainstem log jam, grade control structure, bank ELJ's, toe structures and logs. Final draft design is anticipated for December 2025. Brett mentioned that the County would share that draft with the ARC when available. The County is also planning on holding a public meeting toward the end of 2026 to engage the public in construction activities. Construction is planned for 2027.*

Please take the next 10-business days (by October 30) to vote on whether to reserve/allocate funds for this project. Per Table 3 of the October 2024 ARC Guidelines document, all ARC members (except for City of Everett and American Whitewater) indicated an interest in A-LA 12 Habitat Fund.)

Snohomish PUD is in favor – aye vote – for funding this project, with allowance for the 2027 start date (extension of 1-year requirement per the FHE Plan Section 3.3).

Let me know if you have any questions. Thanks!

Cheers,

Dawn Presler, MSIM MSSM *(she/her)*

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From: Presler, Dawn
Sent: Thursday, April 16, 2026 1:48 PM
To: Anna Thelen; Anne Baxter; Anne Savery; Applegate, Brock A (DFW); Jeff Garnett; Kathleen Wells; Legare, Kyle; McDonnell, Andrew; Mike Rustay; Nate Morgan; Nobles, Matthew; Pete Verhey; Richard Vacirca; Scott Bohling; Tom O'Keefe
Subject: Jackson Hydro (FERC No. 2157) - draft Fish Habitat Enhancement Plan for your 30-day review
Attachments: 2025 DRAFT FHEP Annual Report.pdf

Dear ARC,

Attached is the Jackson Hydro Project's DRAFT Fish Habitat Enhancement Plan 2025 Annual Report. It basically says we have \$2.15M in unallocated funds to spend on additional projects at this time.

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From: Applegate, Brock A (DFW) <Brock.Applegate@dfw.wa.gov>
Sent: Monday, April 27, 2026 12:33 PM
To: Presler, Dawn; Anne Savery; Anna Thelen; Baxter, Anne (ECY); Jeff Garnett; Kathleen Wells; Legare, Kyle; McDonnell, Andrew; Rustay, Michael; Nate Morgan; Nobles, Matthew; Verhey, Peter A (DFW); Richard Vacirca; Bohling, Scott (ECY); Tom O'Keefe
Subject: RE: [External Sender] FW: WDFW Comments for the Jackson Hydro (FERC No. 2157) - draft Fish Habitat Enhancement Plan for your 30-day review

Hi Dawn, Well technically, Pete made the comment. I just relayed it. :=)

Thanks Dawn (and Pete!), Brock

From: Presler, Dawn <DJPresler@SNOPUD.com>
Sent: Monday, April 27, 2026 12:30 PM
To: Applegate, Brock A (DFW) <Brock.Applegate@dfw.wa.gov>; Anne Savery <asavery@tulaliptribes-nsn.gov>; Anna Thelen <ATHelen@everettwa.gov>; Baxter, Anne (ECY) <abax461@ECY.WA.GOV>; Jeff Garnett <Jeffrey_Garnett@fws.gov>; Kathleen Wells <kathleen.wells@noaa.gov>; Legare, Kyle <KJLegare@Snopud.com>; McDonnell, Andrew <AWMcDonnell@SNOPUD.com>; Rustay, Michael <mike.rustay@co.snohomish.wa.us>; Nate Morgan <nate.morgan@ci.sultan.wa.us>; Nobles, Matthew <MDNobles@SNOPUD.com>; Verhey, Peter A (DFW) <Peter.Verhey@dfw.wa.gov>; Richard Vacirca <richard.vacirca@usda.gov>; Bohling, Scott (ECY) <sboh461@ECY.WA.GOV>; Tom O'Keefe <okeefe@americanwhitewater.org>
Subject: RE: [External Sender] FW: WDFW Comments for the Jackson Hydro (FERC No. 2157) - draft Fish Habitat Enhancement Plan for your 30-day review

External Email

Hi Brock – that's a great idea; I'll include a map of the PUD purchased lands to help keep them straight. We also plan to rename them so they aren't always referred to by the previous owner's name. Thanks!

Cheers,
Dawn

From: Applegate, Brock A (DFW) <Brock.Applegate@dfw.wa.gov>
Sent: Monday, April 27, 2026 11:26 AM
To: Anne Savery <asavery@tulaliptribes-nsn.gov>; Presler, Dawn <DJPresler@SNOPUD.com>; Anna Thelen <ATHelen@everettwa.gov>; Baxter, Anne (ECY) <abax461@ECY.WA.GOV>; Jeff Garnett <Jeffrey_Garnett@fws.gov>; Kathleen Wells <kathleen.wells@noaa.gov>; Legare, Kyle <KJLegare@Snopud.com>; McDonnell, Andrew <AWMcDonnell@SNOPUD.com>; Rustay, Michael <mike.rustay@co.snohomish.wa.us>; Nate Morgan <nate.morgan@ci.sultan.wa.us>; Nobles, Matthew <MDNobles@SNOPUD.com>; Verhey, Peter A (DFW) <Peter.Verhey@dfw.wa.gov>; Richard Vacirca <richard.vacirca@usda.gov>; Bohling, Scott (ECY) <sboh461@ECY.WA.GOV>; Tom O'Keefe <okeefe@americanwhitewater.org>
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Sincerely, Brock

Brock Applegate
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Stanwood, WA 98292

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From: Presler, Dawn <DJPresler@SNOPUD.com>

Sent: Thursday, April 16, 2026 1:48 PM

To: Anna Thelen <AThelen@everettwa.gov>; Baxter, Anne (ECY) <abax461@ECY.WA.GOV>; Anne Savery <asavery@tulaliptribes-nsn.gov>; Applegate, Brock A (DFW) <Brock.Applegate@dfw.wa.gov>; Jeff Garnett <Jeffrey_Garnett@fws.gov>; Kathleen Wells <kathleen.wells@noaa.gov>; Legare, Kyle <KJLegare@Snopud.com>; McDonnell, Andrew <AWMcDonnell@SNOPUD.com>; Mike Rustay <mike.rustay@co.snohomish.wa.us>; Nate Morgan <nate.morgan@ci.sultan.wa.us>; Nobles, Matthew <MDNobles@SNOPUD.com>; Verhey, Peter A (DFW) <Peter.Verhey@dfw.wa.gov>; Richard Vacirca <richard.vacirca@usda.gov>; Bohling, Scott (ECY) <sboh461@ECY.WA.GOV>; Tom O'Keefe <okeefe@americanwhitewater.org>

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From: Anne Savery <asavery@tulaliptribes-nsn.gov>
Sent: Friday, April 24, 2026 1:06 PM
To: Presler, Dawn; Anna Thelen; Anne Baxter; Applegate, Brock A (DFW); Jeff Garnett; Kathleen Wells; Legare, Kyle; McDonnell, Andrew; Rustay, Michael; Nate Morgan; Nobles, Matthew; Pete Verhey; Richard Vacirca; Scott Bohling; Tom O'Keefe
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Dawn
I concur as written.
Thank you
Anne

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Response to Comments Regarding Draft Report

B. Applegate, WDFW, via email dated April 27, 2026		
No.	WDFW Comment	Snohomish PUD Response
1	WDFW finds the annual report well laid and easy to understand, with clear accounting of the financial transactions.	Noted. Thank you for your review and input.
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A. Savery, Tulalip Tribes, via email dated April 24, 2026		
No.	WDFW Comment	Snohomish PUD Response
1	I concur as written.	Noted. Thank you for your review and input. The report was updated from draft to include the ARC approved Shinglebolt Slough project.

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I have this day served via e-mail a copy of the foregoing filing upon each person of the Jackson Hydroelectric Project's Aquatic Resource Committee. Dated at Everett, WA, this June 25, 2026.

/s/ Dawn J. Presler

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Presler, Dawn

From: Presler, Dawn
Sent: Thursday, June 25, 2026 10:55 AM
To: Tyler Christian; Anna Thelen; Anne Baxter; Anne Savery; Applegate, Brock A (DFW); Jeff Garnett; Kathleen Wells; Legare, Kyle; McDonnell, Andrew; Mike Rustay; Nate Morgan; Nobles, Matthew; Pete Verhey; Richard Vacirca; Scott Bohling; Tom O'Keefe
Subject: Jackson Hydro (FERC No. 2157) - cc Fish Habitat Enhancement Plan 2025 Annual Report to FERC
Attachments: 20260625 2025 FHEP Annual Report to FERC.pdf

Dear ARC,

Attached is your cc: of the final Fish Habitat Enhancement Plan 2025 Annual Report for the Jackson Hydro Project, that I will be e-filing with FERC shortly. It was updated from the draft to include the Shinglebolt Slough project approved in December 2025 and notified at the ARC meeting in January 2026. Our current balance of unallocated funds as mentioned on Tuesday is approximately \$1.78M for future projects. Let me know if you have any questions.

Have a great weekend!

Cheers,

Dawn Presler, MSIM MSSM (she/her)

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