



**State of Alaska
Department of Fish and Game
Sportfish Division**

**Nomination Form
Fish Distribution Database**

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Region Interior USGS Quad(s) vicinity of McGrath D-4 and Lime Hills D-5

Fish Distribution Database Number of Waterway tributary of 335-30-16600-2300-3030 - 4366

Name of Waterway unnamed tributary of Big River USGS Name Local Name

Addition Deletion Correction Backup Information

For Office Use

Nomination #	<u>07-179</u>	<u>[Signature]</u>	<u>11/2/07</u>
		ADF&G Fisheries Scientist	Date
Revision Year:	<u>2008</u>	<u>[Signature]</u>	<u>11/2/07</u>
Revision to:	Atlas _____ Catalog _____	ADNR OHMP Operations Mgr.	Date
	Both <u>X</u>	<u>[Signature]</u>	<u>5/19/07</u>
		FDD Project Biologist	Date
Revision Code:	<u>A-1, 3-6</u>	<u>[Signature]</u>	<u>12/3/07</u>
		Cartographer	Date

OBSERVATION INFORMATION

Species	Date(s) Observed	Spawning	Rearing	Present	Anadromous
Chinook	7/28/2001	Unknown	Unknown	Y	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
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IMPORTANT: Provide all supporting documentation that this water body is important for the spawning, rearing or migration of anadromous fish, including: number of fish and life stages observed; sampling methods, sampling duration and area sampled; copies of field notes; etc. Attach a copy of a map showing location of mouth and observed upper extent of each species, as well as other information such as: specific stream reaches observed as spawning or rearing habitat; locations, types, and heights of any barriers; etc.

Comments: Several unnamed tributaries of the Big River have been surveyed in recent years; this nomination form is for one of them. I don't know whether this will be an addition or backup information, so I checked both boxes. This tributary confluences with the Big River at approximately 61.91277 N, 154.55446 W and flows into the Big River from nearly due south. The end of the stream reach surveyed is approximately 61.87263 N, 154.54121 W. The observer reported a fair number of Chinook in this stream, but did not describe where they were found. If nothing else, these observations can be used to supplement the evidence that Chinook are present in the Big River.

Extend 335-30-16600-2300-3030-4366 w/ Chinook Salmon presence.

Name of Observer (please print): Daniel Costello

Signature: [Signature] Date: 5/7/2007

Agency: ADF&G / CF

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This certifies that in my best professional judgment and belief the above information is evidence that this waterbody should be included in or deleted from the Fish Distribution Database.

Signature of Area Biologist: [Signature] Date: 10/29/07 Revision 02/05

Name of Area Biologist (please print): _____

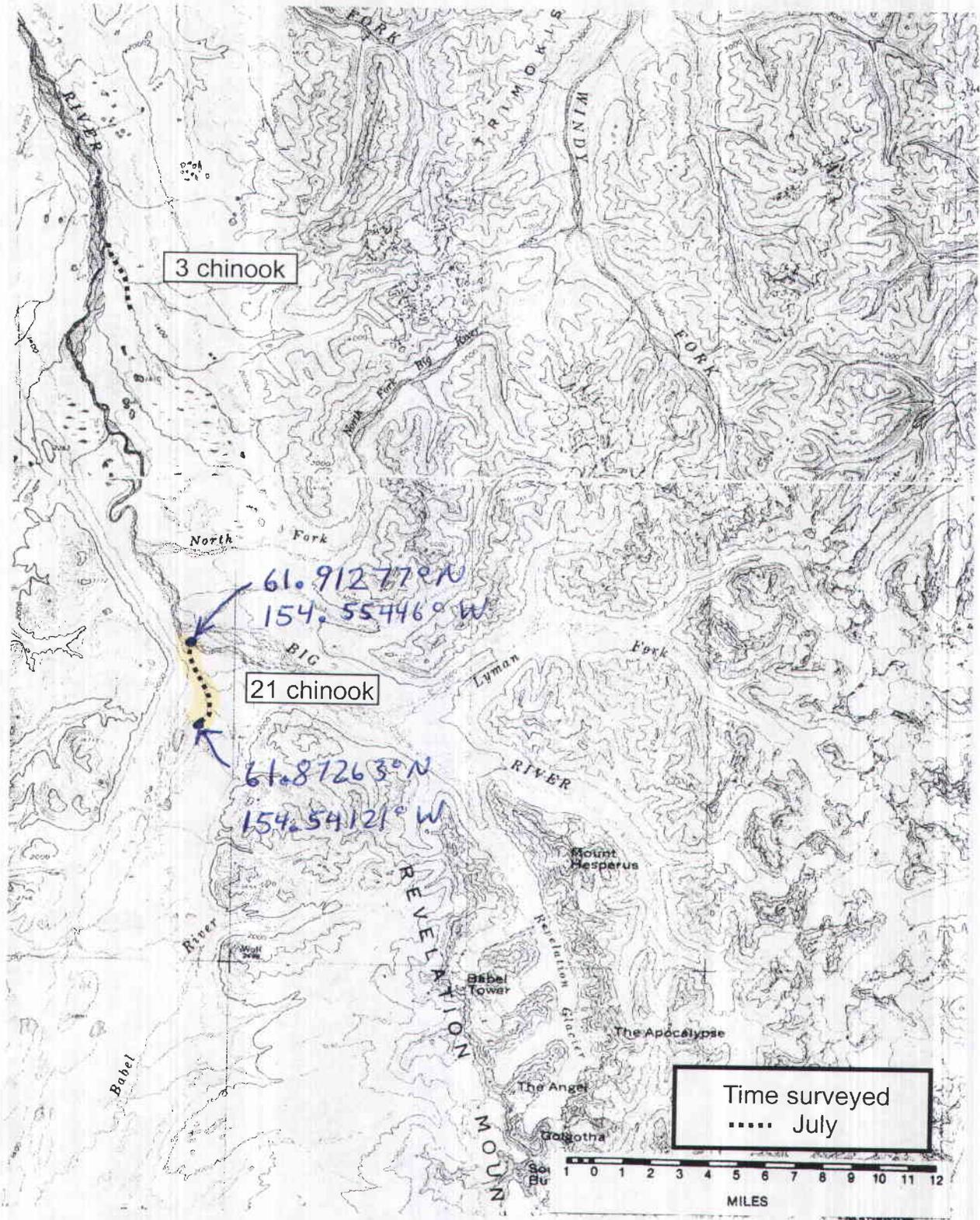
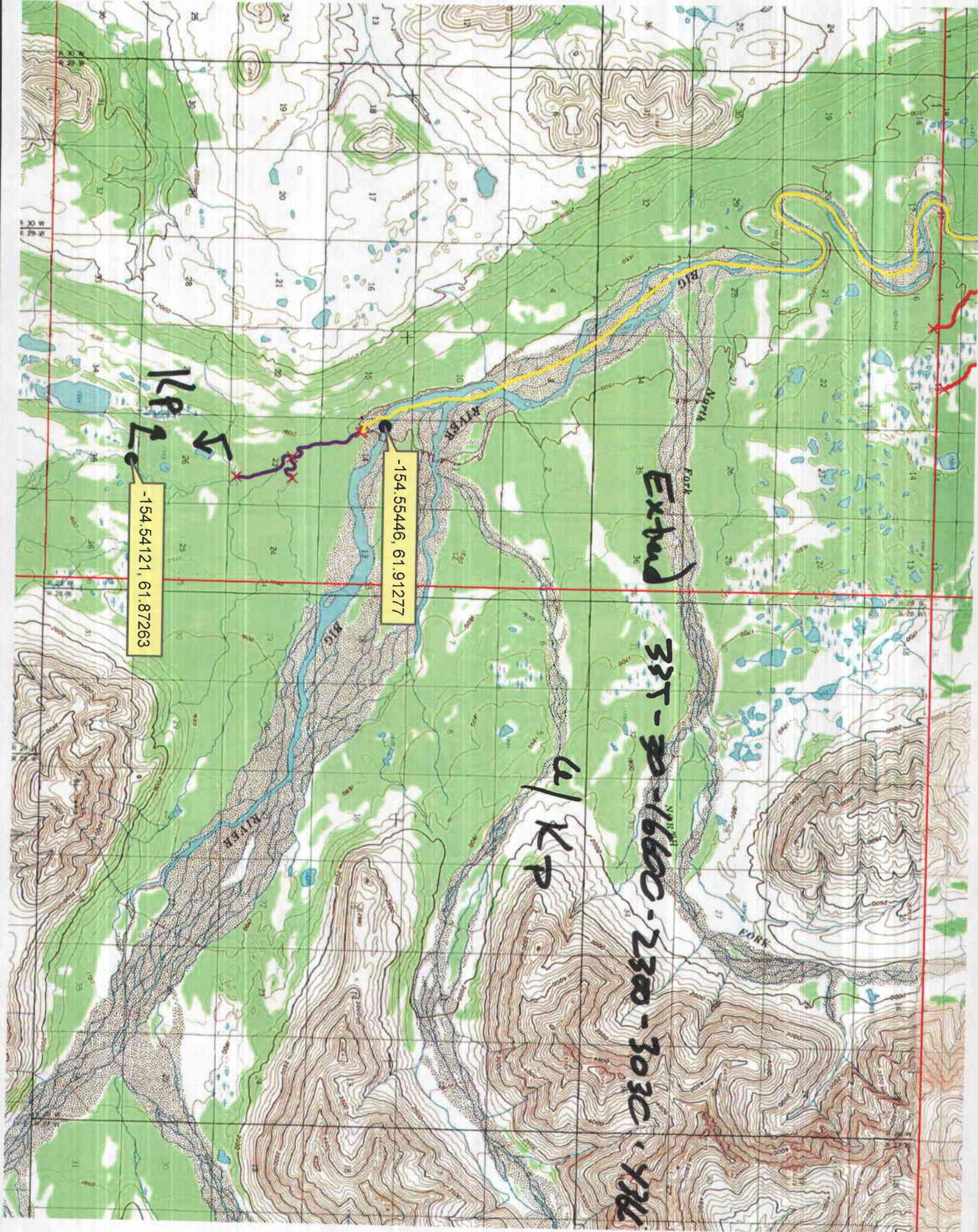


Figure 14. Aerial survey streams: upper Big River drainage.



Extend

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-154,55446, 61.91277

-154,54121, 61.87263

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