State of Alaska
Department of Fish and Game
Habitat and Restoration Division

# Nomination for Waters Important to Anadromous Fish

Region: SOUTHEAST

USGS Quad: Yakutat C-3

Anadromous Water Catalog Number of Waterway: 182-70-12000 - 2151 - 3081

Arch# 5922

Name of Waterway: upper Ahrnklin River

☑ USGS Name ☐ Local Name

☑ Addition ☐ Deletion ☐ Correction ☐ Backup Information

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| Nomination # | 01 395 | | 11/06/01 |
| Revision Year: | 2001 | Regional Supervisor | Date |
| Revision to: Atlas ____ Catalog ____ | | | 1/14/02 |
| Both X | | AWC Project Biologist | Date |
| Revision Code: | A-2 | 2. Brone | 2/7/02 |
| | | Drafted | Date |

2/5/02

OBSERVATION INFORMATION

| Species | Date(s) Observed | Spawning | Rearing | Present | Anadromous |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| coho | April 24 - May 1, 2000 | | 20+ | | ☑ |
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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:** Location; Township 28S Range 37E Section NW 1/4 2 ; Latitude N59 degrees 31.177, Longitude W139 degrees 6.457 (NAD27). Stream is number 31 on map.

Stream characteristics: Stream is .8 m wide and .6 m deep. Mix of gravel, sand, organics and some tannic color present. Lots of juvenile coho present.

Stream surveys were part of the Yakutat Fish Habitat and ATV Trail Assessment project. Field crews surveyed streams for fish using baited minnow traps. Soak times for traps were usually less than 30 minutes per trap/ two traps per sample site. Captured fish were identified and released on-site. Field teams were comprised of ADF&G and Yakutat Ranger District personnel.


Name of Observer (please print): Phil Mooney

Signature: ALASKA DEPT. OF FISH AND GAME

Date: 6/30/2001

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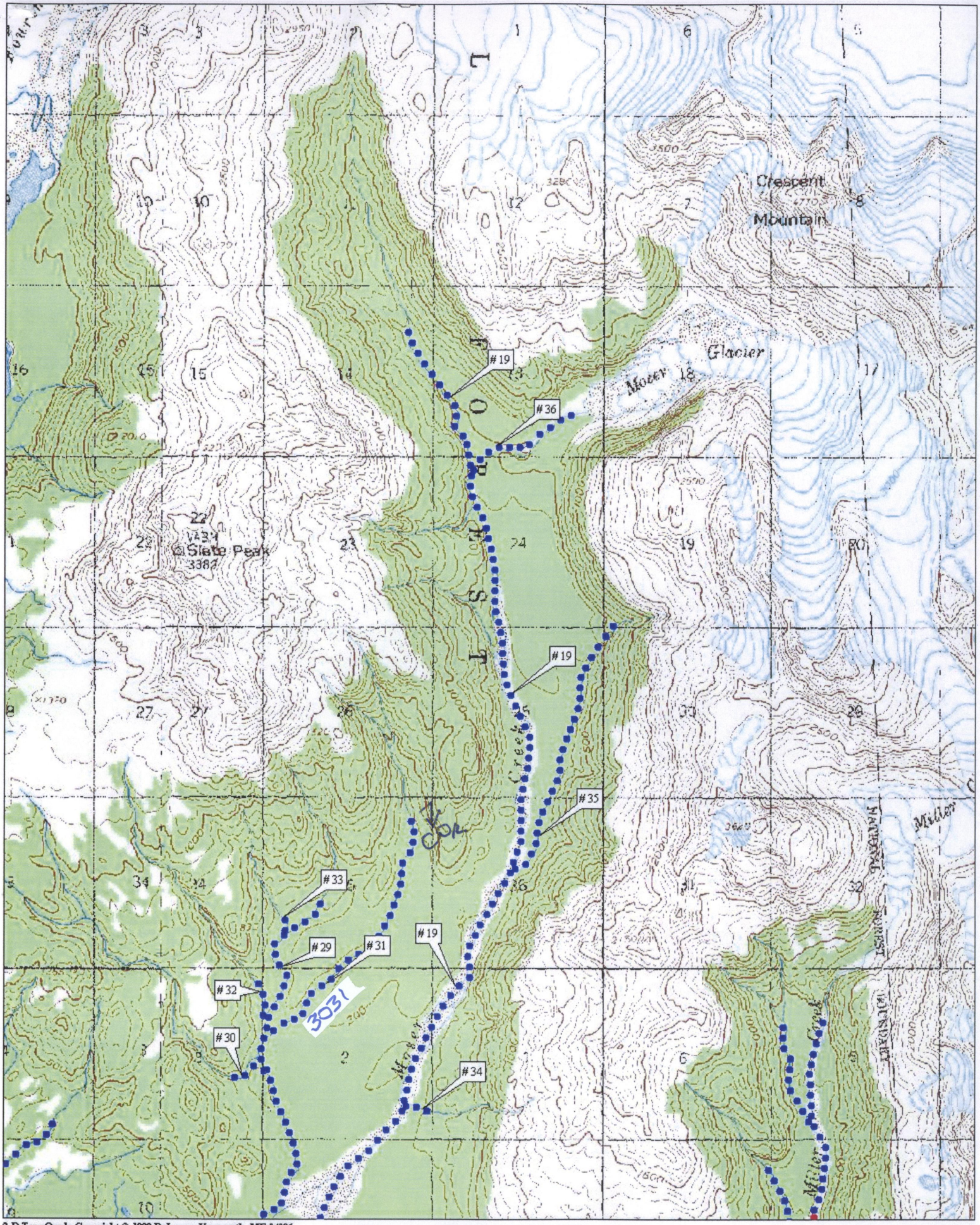
This certifies that in my best professional judgment and belief the above information is evidence that this waterbody should be included in or deleted from the Catalog of Waters Important for Spawning, Rearing or Migration of Anadromous Fishes per AS 16.05.870.

Signature of Area Biologist: Phil Mooney

Revision 3/97

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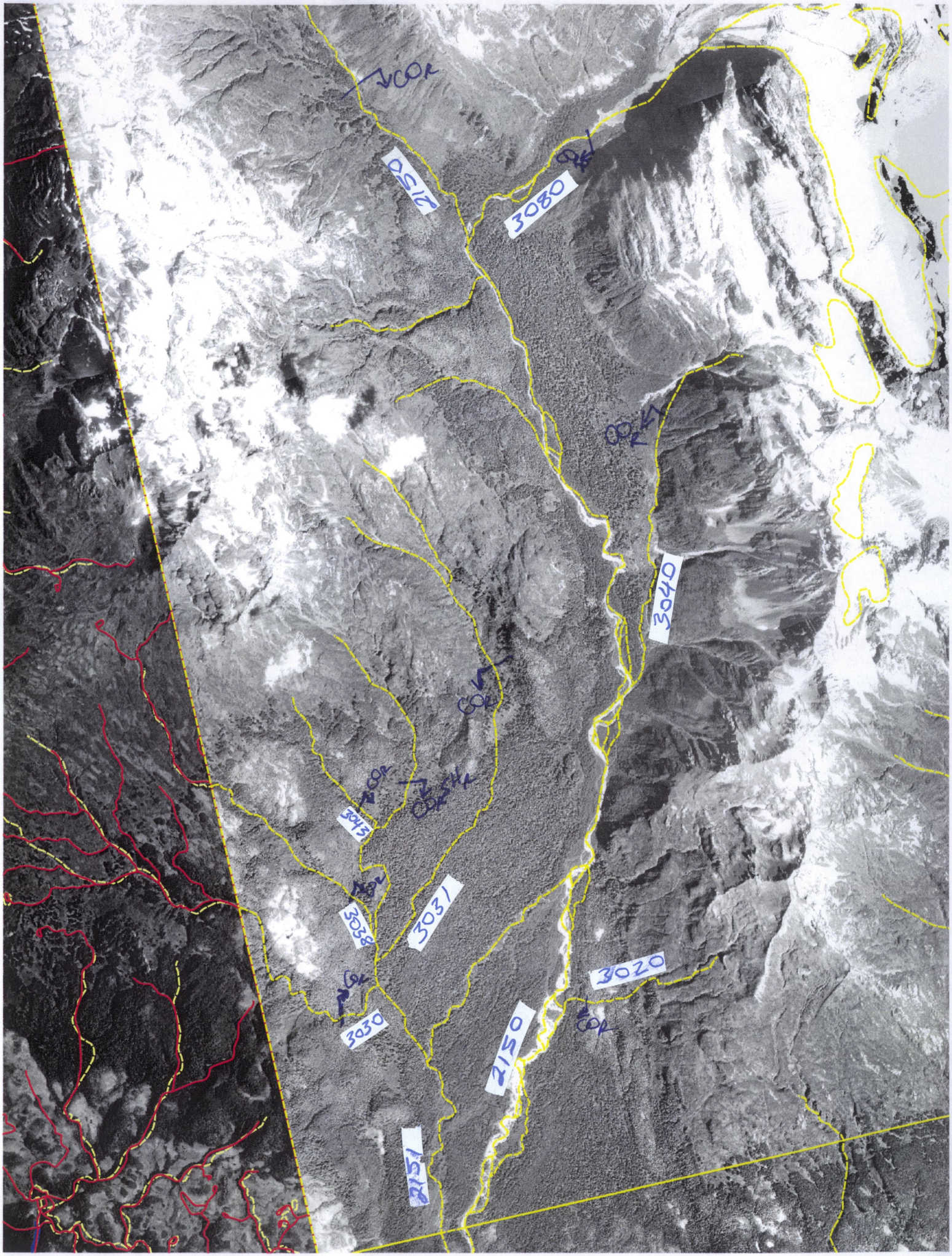
1000 ft Scale: 1 : 46,875 Detail: 12-1 Datum: NAD27

Add stream 182-70-12000-2151-3031 w/ COR



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