



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 -2150-3080

Name of Waterway Ahrnklin River - upper Moser Cr  USGS Name  Local Name <sup>Arch# 5927</sup>

Addition  Deletion  Correction  Backup Information

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Nomination #	<u>01 400</u>	<i>[Signature]</i>	<u>215102</u>
Revision Year:	<u>2001</u>	Regional Supervisor	<u>4/26/01</u> Date
Revision to:	Atlas _____ Catalog _____ Both <u>X</u>	<i>[Signature]</i>	<u>1/14/02</u> Date
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		<u>2 done</u>	<u>2/8/02</u> Date
		Drafted	

OBSERVATION INFORMATION

Species	Date(s) Observed	Spawning	Rearing	Present	Anadromous
coho	April 24 - May 1, 2000		2		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
coho				remains	<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:** Location; Township 27S Range 37E Section NW 1/4 24 ; Latitude N59 degrees 34.074, Longitude W139 degrees 4.365 (NAD27). Stream is number 36 on map.

Stream characteristics: Junction of stream to Moser Glacier. Gradient has some steep pitches as debris continually moves downstream. Water was cold; 1 degree C. Coho remains found at streamside. Two fry caught in side pool. Width and depth vary considerably. Lake at glacier terminus was covered by snow canopy from avalanche run-outs this spring.

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.

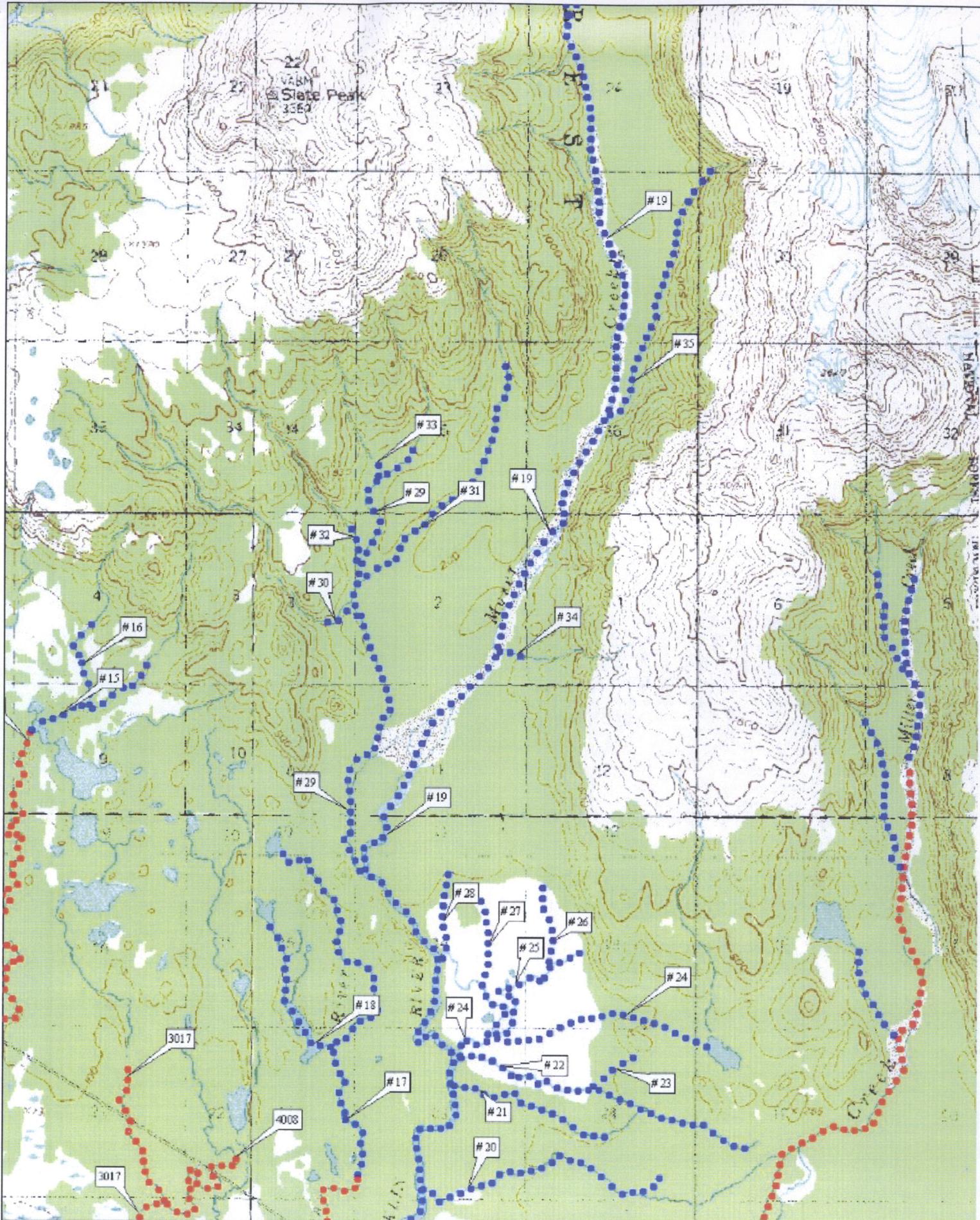
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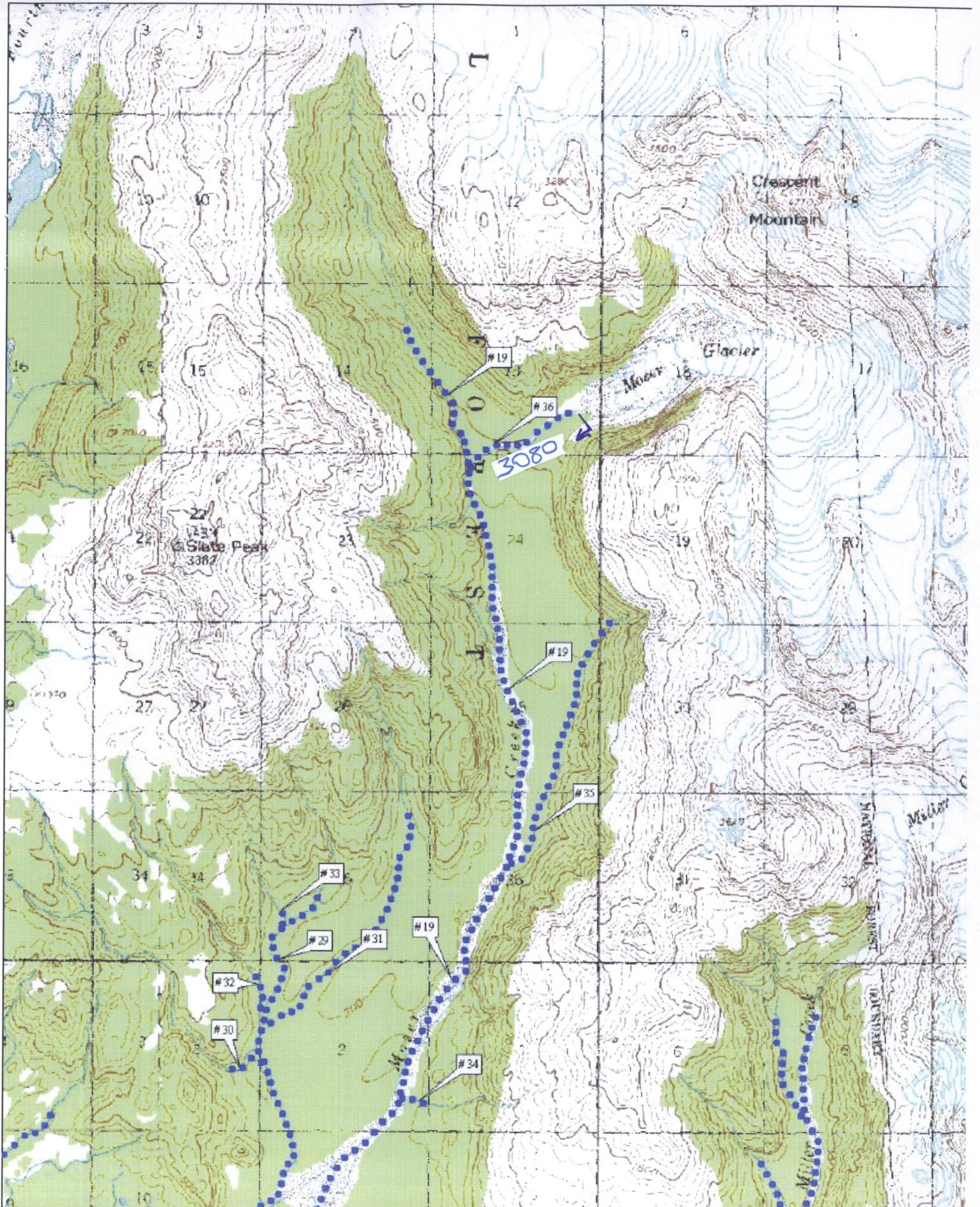
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This certifies that in my best professional judgment and belief the above information is evidence that this waterbody should be included in or deleted from the Catalog of Waters Important for Spawning, Rearing or Migration of Anadromous Fishes per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

Signature of Area Biologist: *Phil Mooney*

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1000 ft Scale: 1: 46,375 Detail: 12:1 Datum: NAD27

*ADD STREAM 182-70-12000-2150-3080 w/ CORP*

