



State of Alaska
Department of Fish and Game
Division of Sport Fish

Nomination Form
Anadromous Waters Catalog

Region Southwestern USGS Quad(s) Iliamna D-4
 Anadromous Waters Catalog Number of Waterway 324-10-10150-2267
 Name of Waterway Chekok Creek USGS Name Local Name
 Addition Deletion Correction Backup Information

For Office Use

Nomination # <u>11-150</u>	_____	_____
Revision Year: <u>2012</u>	Fisheries Scientist	Date
Revision to: Atlas _____ Catalog _____	_____	_____
Both _____	Habitat Operations Manager	Date <u>2/28/11</u>
Revision Code: <u>F-1</u>	<u>[Signature]</u>	Date
	AWC Project Biologist	_____
	_____	_____
	Cartographer	Date

OBSERVATION INFORMATION

Species	Date(s) Observed	Spawning	Rearing	Present	Anadromous
Sockeye Salmon	8/11/04	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: This nomination provides back-up information for Ss, which is already listed for this stream. Sockeye salmon (683) were observed spawning within a ~130m area around 59.83958 / -154.38171 by HDR on 8/11/04. In addition, rainbow trout (~42) and sculpin (4) were observed or captured by electrofishing in areas without sockeye. See Table 1, the attached map and GIS shapefile for site specific location information and fish observations.

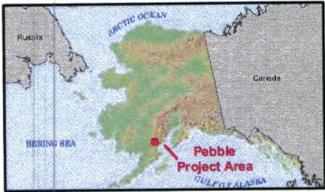
Name of Observer (please print): HDR; Prepared by Betsy McGregor (R2)
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This certifies that in my best professional judgment and belief the above information is evidence that this waterbody should be included in or deleted from the Anadromous Waters Catalog.

Signature of Area Biologist: _____ Date: _____ Revision _____
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Table 1. Chekok Creek (AWC Number 324-10-10150-2267) fish observations per visit

SiteID	Method	GPS coordinates (WGS84)		Date	Life History	Species	Life Stage	Fork Length (mm)			Count	
		Latitude	Longitude					Minimum	Maximum	Average	Measured	Total Count
F 39.65	electrofishing	59.83958	-154.38171	8/11/04	Resident	sculpin-unspecified	Adult					4
F 39.65	electrofishing	59.83958	-154.38171	8/11/04	Unknown	rainbow trout	Juvenile	41	98	57.7	7	7
F 39.65	visual obs	59.83958	-154.38171	8/11/04	Anadromous	sockeye salmon	Adult					683
F 39.65	visual obs	59.83958	-154.38171	8/11/04	Unknown	rainbow trout	Juvenile/Adult					30-40



0 0.5 1 1.5 2 Miles
0 0.5 1 1.5 2 Kilometers

Scale 1:44,988
Alaska Albers
1983 North American Datum

Proposed AWC Species Update

- ★ Sr nomination
- ▲ Ss within 2010 AWC
- AWC (2010) Species Distribution
- AWC (2010) Stream

Chekok and Canyon Creeks
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Sockeye Salmon

SPECIES CODES
CH chum salmon
CO coho salmon
K Chinook salmon
P pink salmon
S sockeye salmon

LIFESTAGE CODES
m Migration
p Present
r Rearing
s Spawning



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