Alaska Department of Fish and Game

Habitat Section Southeast Region



114-27-10300-2018 Tributary 1

ADDITION

Water body name:

Quad: Juneau A-4

Upper Reach Latitude: 58.032367 Longitude: -135.281692

Survey date: 10/1/2023

Species & Lifestage:
Survey crew: FC, CD

Lower Reach Latitude: 58.031580 Longitude: -135.276145

Findings: We surveyed this uncataloged stream up to an anadromous fish barrier using a backpack electrofisher and GPS. We captured juvenile coho salmon, Dolly Varden, and cutthroat trout. The tributary stream descends a series of bedrock falls in quick succession, accumulating enough gradient to meet the specifications of a FRPA barrier to anadromous fish passage; it has quality rearing and spawning habitat downstream of the barrier (Table 1; Figures 1–4).

Recommendations: Add this uncataloged stream to the anadromous waters catalog for rearing coho salmon and add anadromous fish barrier (Figure 5).

Nomination: Pending

Table 1.–114-27-10300-2018 tributary 1 survey data.

				Stream	Stream	Habitat	Gradient	Sample	Sample
Waypoint	Latitude	Longitude	Notes	Width ft	Substrate	Features	%	Effort	Results
988	58.031573	-135.280048	1-yr and 2-yr CO capture.	15-20	Small Gravel	Spawning	4-6	EF	3 CO
					Large Gravel	Substrate			
989	58.031563	-135.280511	Resident fish capture ~40'	15-20	Large Gravel	Spawning	4-6	EF	1 CT
			downstream of newer		Small Gravel	Substrate			
			bridge installation. 2-3' tall						
			log jam falls ~20' further						
			downstream.						
990	58.032024	-135.281165	2+-year CO capture in pool	15-20	Large Gravel		6-8	EF	3 CO
			just downstream of log		Small Gravel	Substrate			2 DV
			jam/ rootwad cascade.						2 CT
			Gradient increasing						
			compared to downstream.						
991	58.032166	-135.281240	1-yr CO capture upstream	12-15	Large Gravel		2-4	EF	2 CO
			of log jam/rootwad		Small Gravel				2 CT
224	5 0 000044	107.001.100	cascade.	10.12	~ 111	~ .			1 DV
992	58.032344	-135.281438	Juvenile CO capture just	10-12	Cobble	Spawning		EF	3 CO
			downstream of series of		Large Gravel				
			waterfalls in quick			Incised			
			succession, accumulating			Channel			
			a >24% gradient over 25'						
			or less and constituting a						
			FRPA barrier.						



Figure 1.—Juvenile coho salmon captured at waypoint 992.



Figure 2.—Bridge at waypoint 989.



Figure 3.-Upstream view of channel at waypoint 990.



Figure 4.-Series of bedrock falls just upstream of waypoint 992.

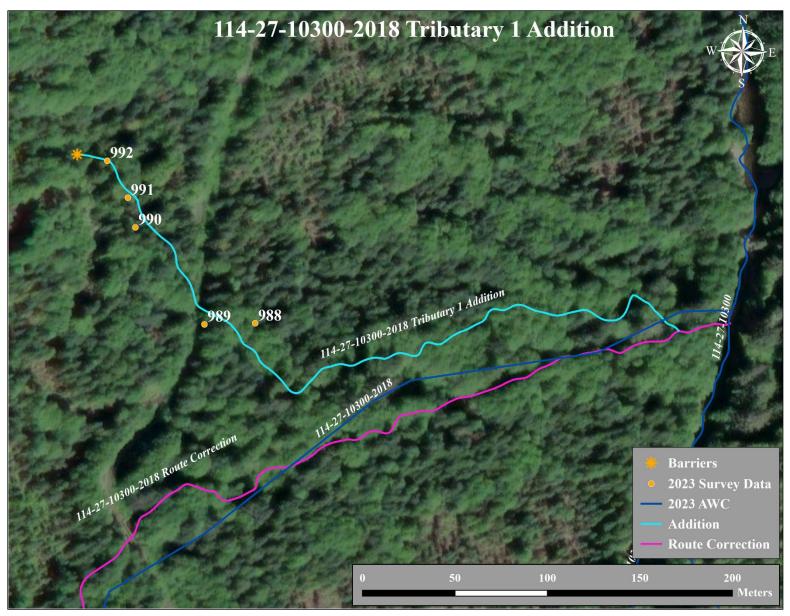


Figure 5.–114-27-10300-2018 tributary 1 addition map.