

# Clarks Creek TMDL Implementation Tribal Role

1. Continue Tribal Council's Directive to change "status quo"
  1. Elodea Hand Pull
  2. "Dash Project - elodea suction
  3. Specialty Monitoring
  4. Sediment Reduction Project
2. Continue success of securing state and federal dollars with TMDL stakeholders to get projects built.
3. Use federal grant funding to "kick start" projects identified in the TMDL process and Tribe's Sediment Reduction Plan - designing, specifications, cost estimates, and permitting
4. Tribal Hatchery Monitoring to meet Dissolved Oxygen Deficit (DOD) Load Allocation

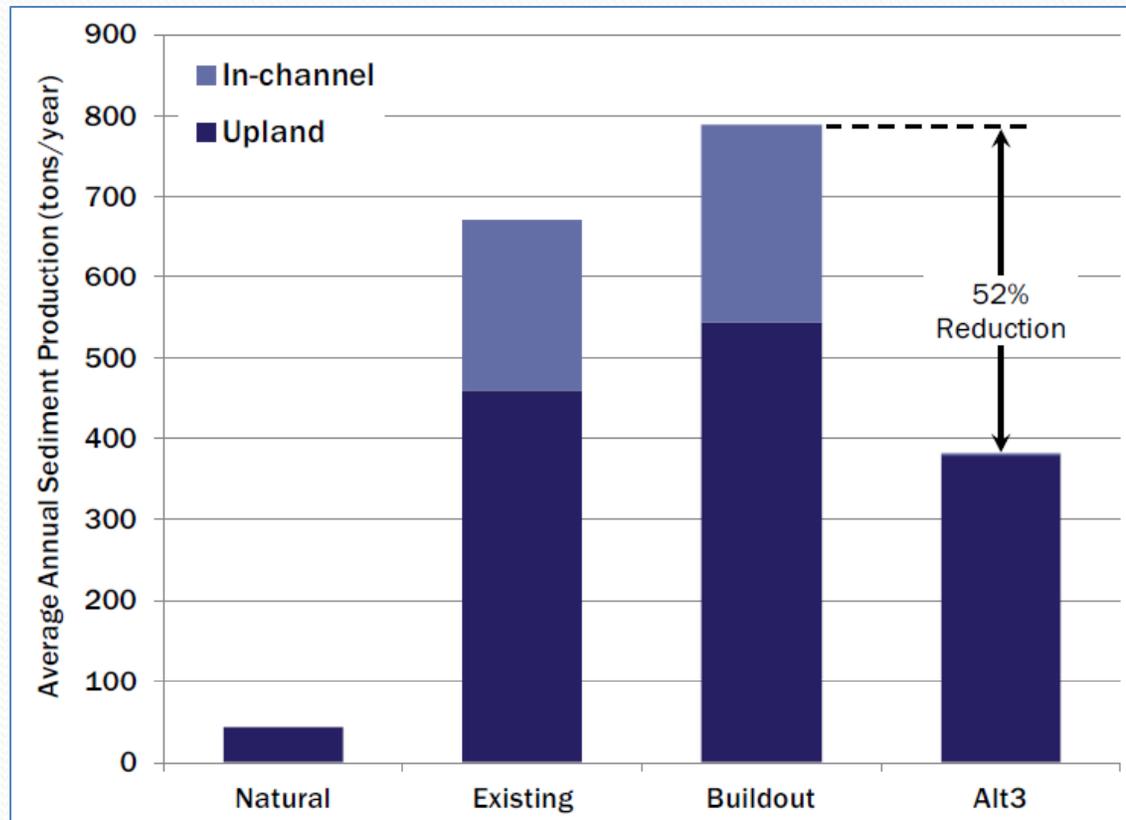


# Compliance with DOD Load Allocation at Tribal Hatcheries

- Conduct monitoring at hatcheries for nutrients, solids, and flow when fish are on-station and during periods of continuous discharge
- Best Management Practices will be implemented at the hatcheries to reduce solids and nutrients discharged.
- An annual report of monitoring results and BMPs implemented will be submitted to Ecology at the end of each calendar year.



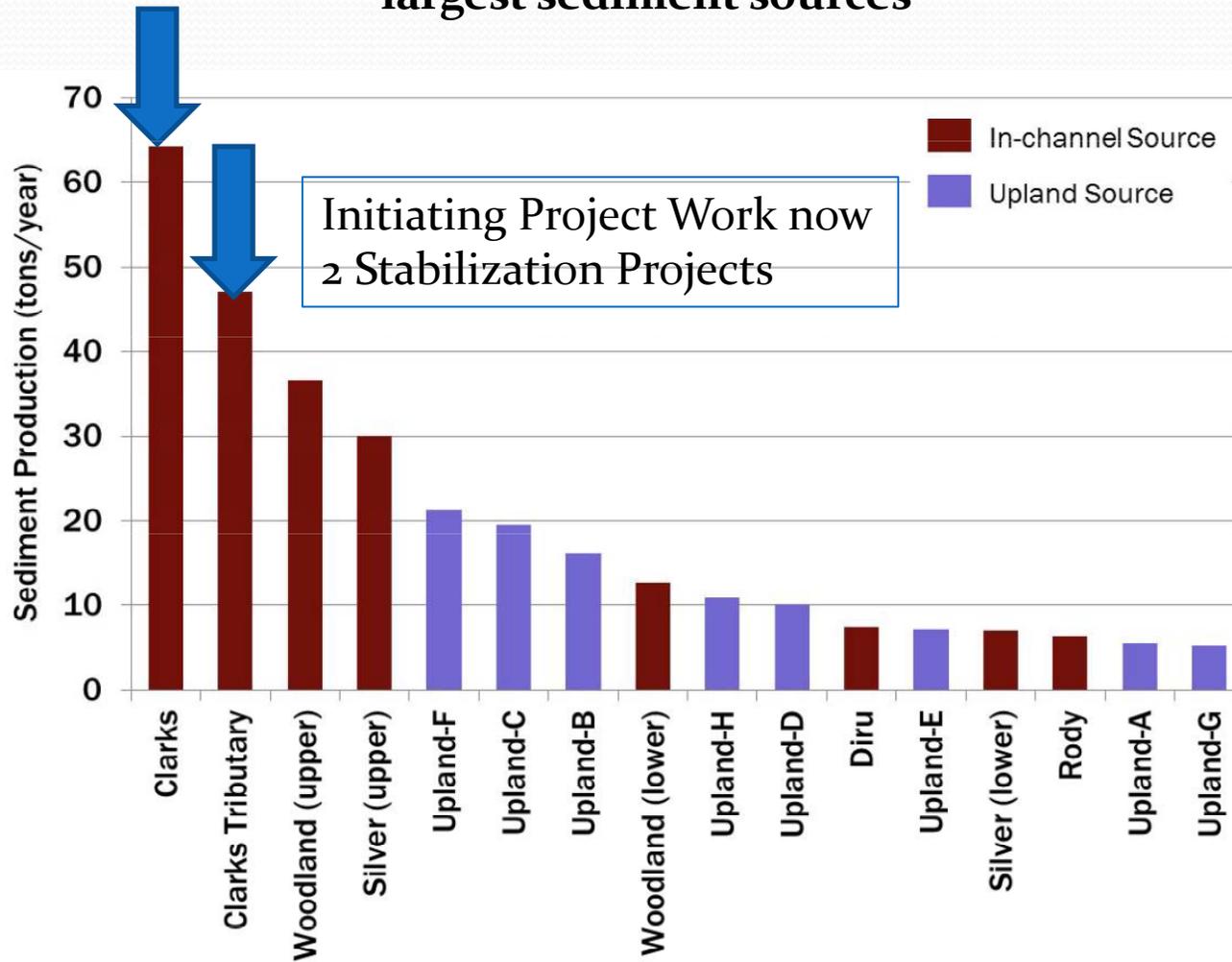
## Sediment Plan Project Implementation Focus – Annual Sediment Reduction in Clarks Creek Basin



Alt 3 - full implementation of all 23 projects  
identified in the Tribe's Sediment Action Plan

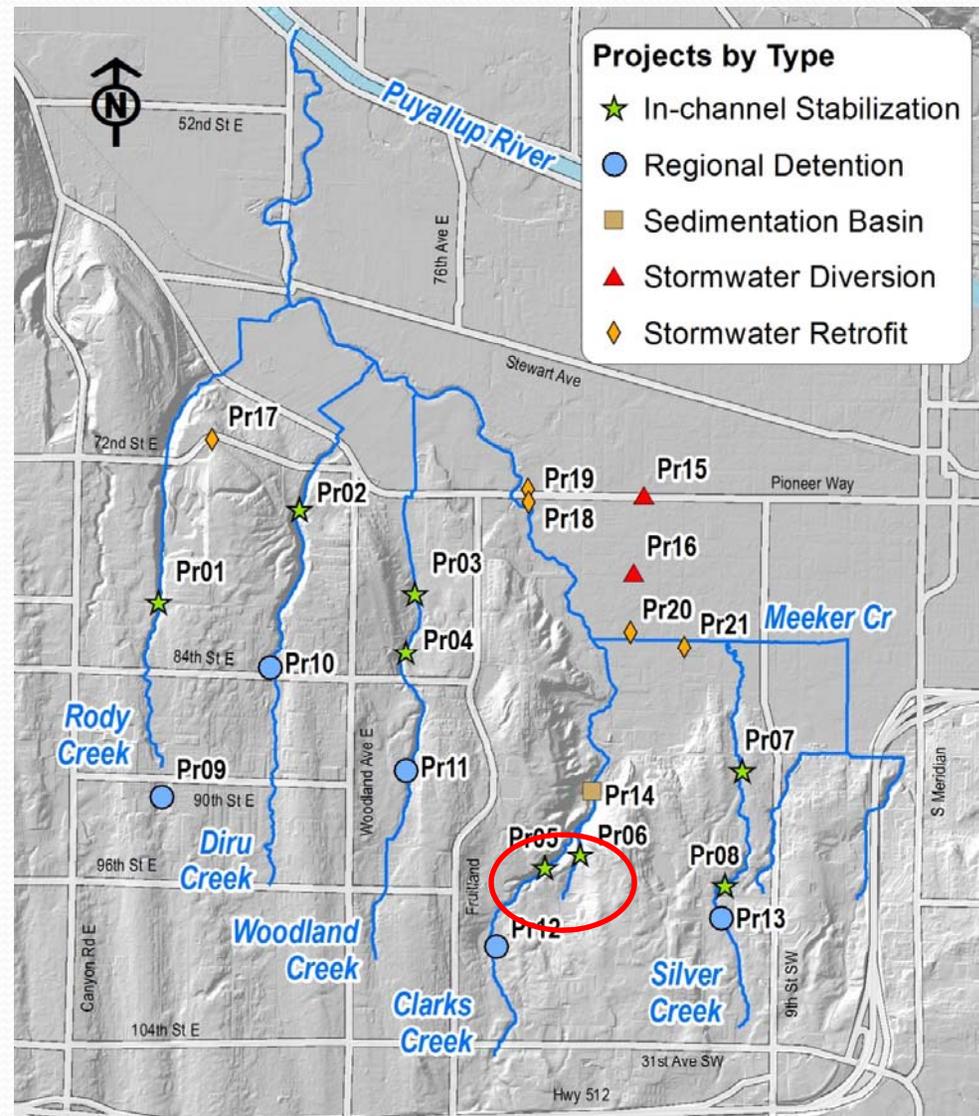


## Annual Sediment Loading in Clarks Creek Basin for 16 largest sediment sources



# Project Types and Locations

- In-channel Stabilization
- Regional Detention
- Sedimentation Basin
- Stormwater Diversion
- Stormwater Retrofit
- Distributed Stormwater (LID)



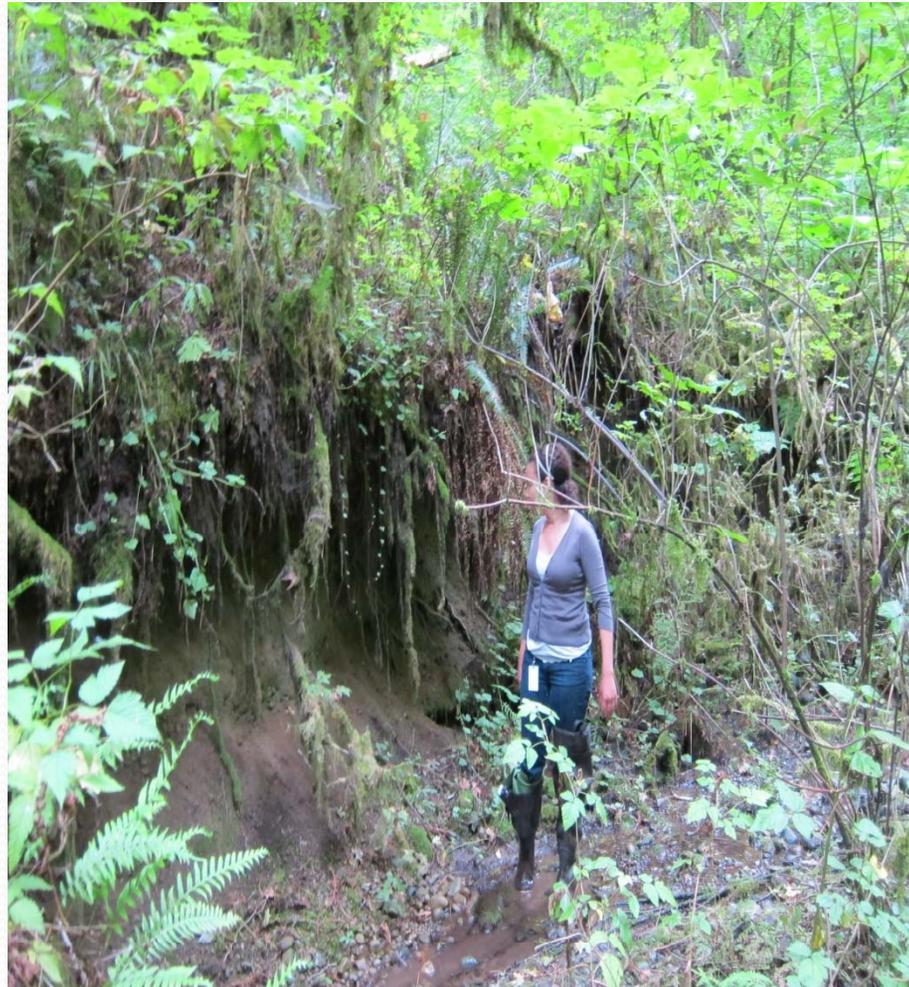
Note: 2 more upland projects were included in final plan, not depicted on map bioretention on roadways and porous pavement for arterials.

## Sediment Plan Implementation

### 23 Sediment Reduction Projects

Reduce about 400 tons/yr of sediment or about 52% of annual avg sediment load produced in basin

Tribe currently starting design, engineering of Pro5 and Pro6 in Upper Clarks Creek Ravine Area



# Sediment Sources

Two major types:

- **In-channel:** bed degradation, bank failures
- **Upland:** sediment production from surfaces and small drainages



*Silver Creek*

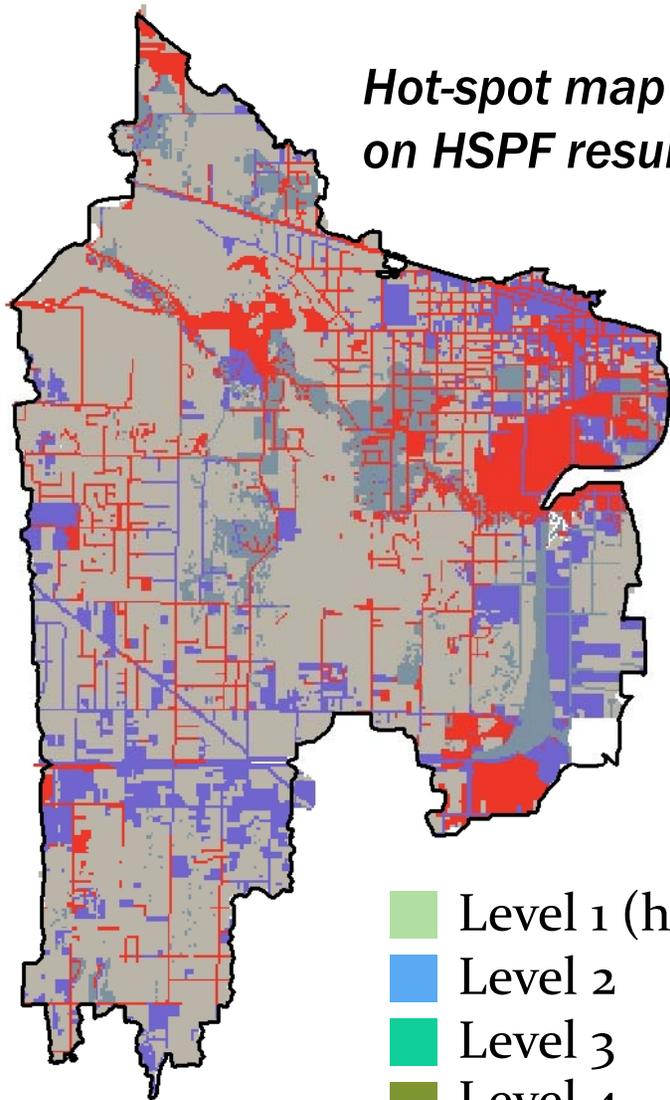


*Diru Creek Runoff*

# Sediment Source Hotspots

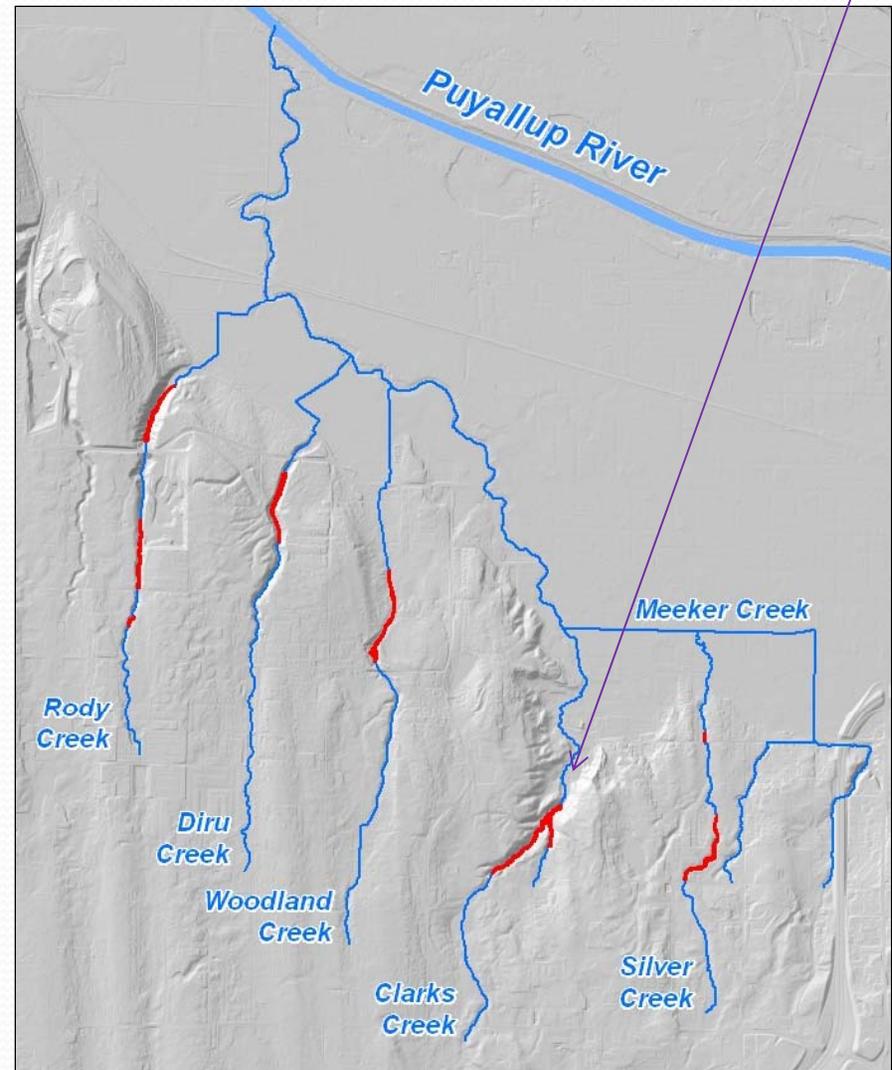
Targeted In-Channel Projects  
-Upper Clarks Creek (Pro5 and Pro6)

*Hot-spot map based on HSPF results*



- Level 1 (highest)
- Level 2
- Level 3
- Level 4

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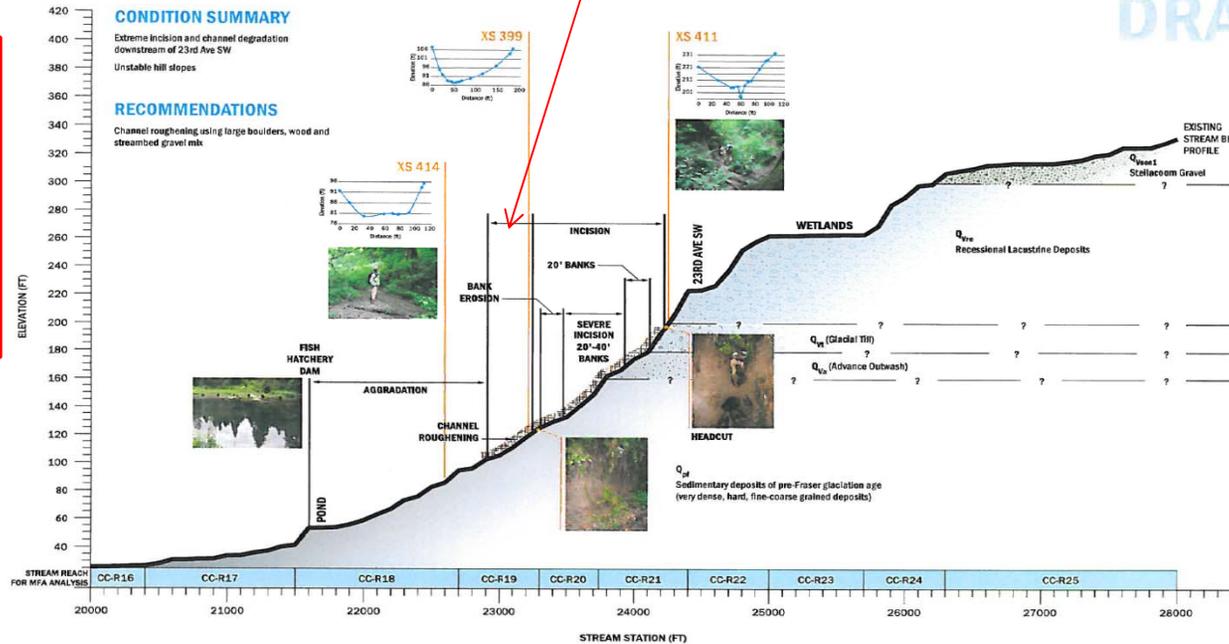


# Extreme Incision & Channel Degradation – Upper Clarks Creek (Pr05)

Roughen Channel, change slope

20-40 ft banks

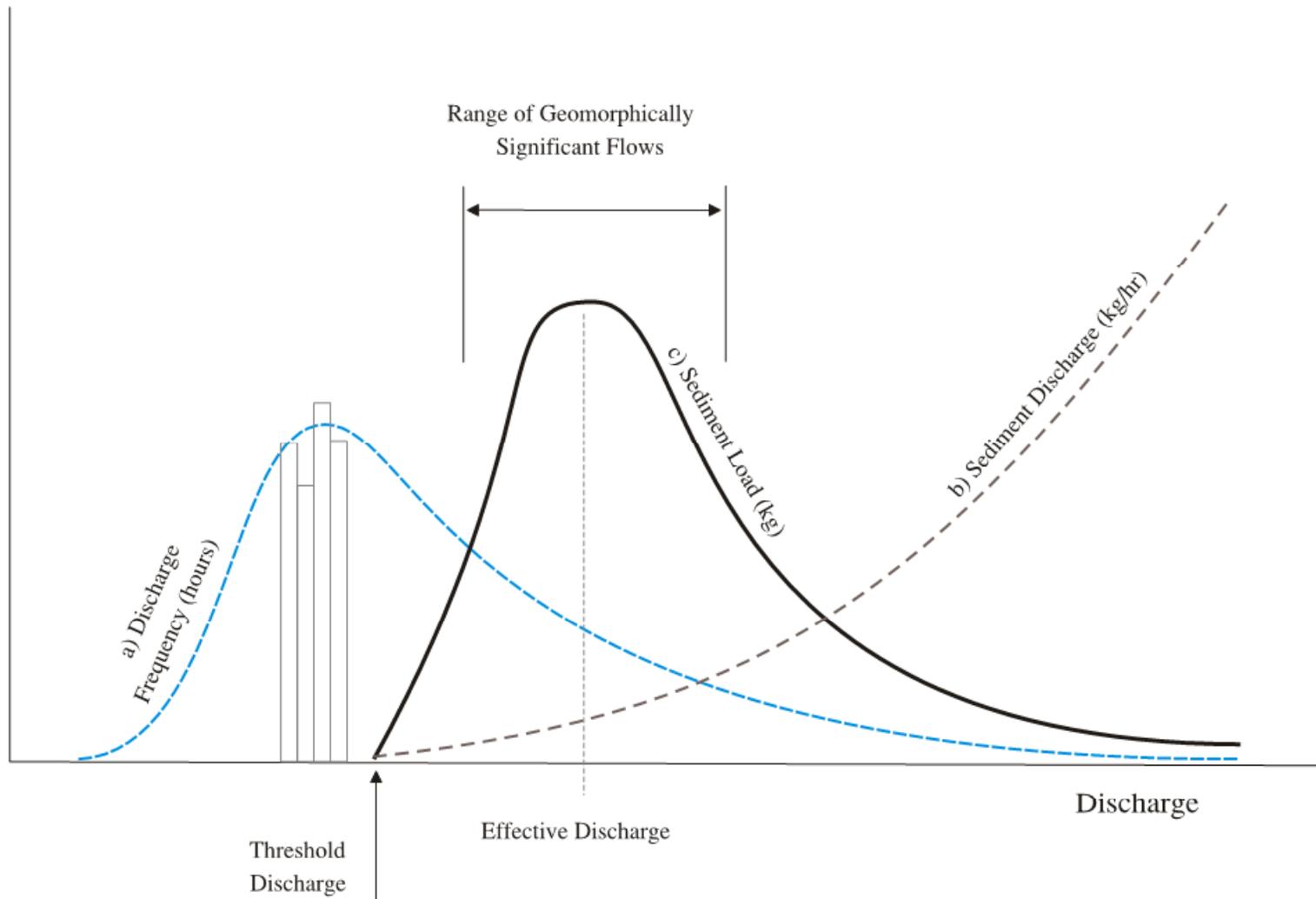
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UPPER CLARKS CREEK PROFILE AND GENERAL GEOMORPHIC CONDITIONS  
 Clarks Creek Sediment Reduction Action Plan

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## MAP LEGEND

Effective Work

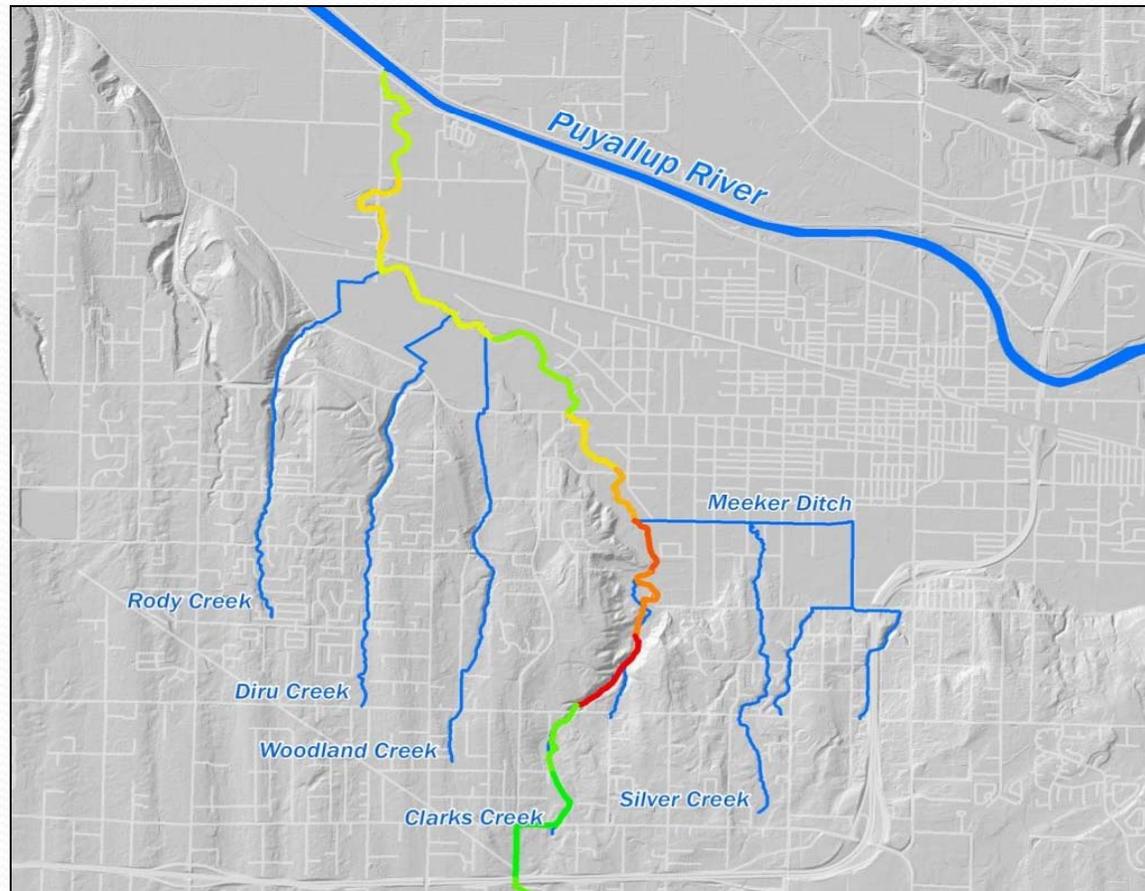
 Low



 Moderate



 High



Note: Clarks Creek Tributary work analysis not shown here



# Geomorphically Significant Flow Analysis

## Cross –Section DS of 23<sup>rd</sup> Ave SW (Upper Clarks Creek)

Existing 2-Year flow:  
17.21 cfs

Natural 2-Year flow:  
1.88 cfs

Upper flow bound for  
sediment loading:  
18.75 cfs

Lower flow bound for  
sediment loading:  
0.14 cfs

MFA Inputs	
Reach:	CC-R21
Flow location:	CC-Q09
Cross-section:	XS411
Channel Slope:	11.5%
Sediment sample:	Class 1
Flow scenario:	Existing

Low-flow Hydrology			
Parameter	Natural	Existing	% Change
Median (50% exceedence)	0.33	0.38	16%
2-year Flow, $Q_2$	1.88	17.21	816%
50-year Flow, $Q_{50}$	7.58	60.24	694%
MR#7 Threshold, $0.5Q_2$	0.94	8.60	-
MR#5 Threshold, $0.08Q_2$	0.15	1.38	-

Parameter	Incipient Motion		
	$D_{10}$	$D_{50}$	$D_{90}$
Flow rate (cfs)	0.00	0.01	0.03
Depth of flow (ft)	0.00	0.08	0.16
Fraction of natural $Q_2$	0.0000	0.003	0.02

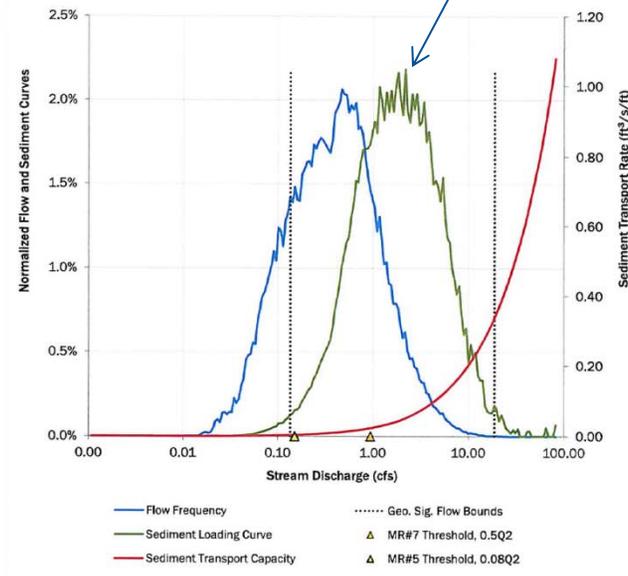
Geomorphically Significant Flows	
Total area under sediment loading curve (t/yr):	81.496
Desired level of control (percent of loading curve):	98%
Upper flow bound for sediment loading (cfs):	18.75
Lower flow bound for sediment loading (cfs):	0.14
Upper flow bound as a fraction of 50-year flow*:	2.47
Lower flow bound as a fraction of 2-year flow*:	0.072

\*Flows based on "Natural" conditions

Effective Discharge Conditions	
Flow at the peak rate of sediment loading (cfs):	2.17
Flow depth at effective discharge (ft):	0.77
Shear Stress at effective discharge ( $lb/ft^2$ ):	1.90
Average flow velocity at effective discharge (ft/s):	3.8
Shear velocity at effective discharge (ft/s):	1.0
Effective width at effective discharge (ft):	2.1
Largest mobilized sediment:	Very coarse gravel
Largest fully suspended sediment:	Very fine gravel
Sediment beginning to settle out:	Fine gravel

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Effective  
Work Curve

The Upper Clarks Creek projects will reduce over 130 tons/yr of sediment.

