

# City of Seaside Local Wetlands Inventory and Riparian Inventory

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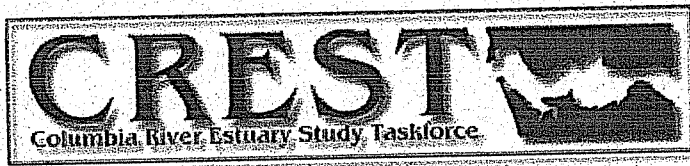
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## I. INTRODUCTION

On February 6, 1998, the Oregon Division of State Lands (DSL) awarded a grant to the Columbia River Estuary Study Taskforce (CREST) to conduct a Local Wetlands Inventory (LWI) within the City Limits and Urban Growth Boundary of Seaside. An LWI is needed in the City of Seaside to identify the location and assess the quality of all wetlands greater than one-half acre for planning and informational purposes. In addition, this information will help the City of Seaside comply with Goal 5 (*Open Spaces, Scenic and Historic Areas, and Natural Resources*) of the Oregon Statewide Planning Goals.

This report will outline the elements of the Local Wetland and Riparian Inventory for the City of Seaside. This will include the methodology used to gather baseline information, conduct the fieldwork, produce the inventory maps and datasheets, and assess the wetlands and riparian corridors.

## II. DEFINITIONS

**1. Wetlands** - those areas that are inundated or saturated by surface or ground water at a frequency and duration sufficient to support, and that under normal circumstances do support, a prevalence of vegetation typically adapted for life in saturated soil conditions. Wetlands generally include swamps, marshes, bogs, and similar areas. (As defined by the Corps of Engineers (Federal Register 1982) and the EPA (Federal Register 1980))

**2. Wetland Regulation** - wetlands in Oregon are regulated by the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers through Section 404 of the Clean Water Act and the Oregon Division of State Lands through the Removal - Fill Law (ORS 196.800-196.990).

**3. Local Wetland Inventory** (as defined by Division of State Lands) - is a systematic survey of a large geographic area to locate and map wetlands and classify them by type. An inventory of all wetlands greater than 0.5 acres in size is conducted within a local jurisdiction using the standards and procedures of OAR 141-86-110 through 141-86-240. The LWI consists of wetland maps and a report. The report includes additional information about the inventory area and the individual wetlands, including: acreage of wetlands; acreage of each wetland type; location, size and classification of each wetland; description of each wetland; and all tax lots containing wetlands.

In 1989, the Division of State Lands was authorized to develop a statewide wetlands inventory for planning and regulatory purposes. An approved LWI replaces the National Wetlands Inventory maps

### **Wetland Classifications**

The following are definitions from the *Classifications of Wetlands and Deepwater Habitats of the United States* (USFWS, 1979):

**Aquatic Bed** - Includes wetlands and deepwater habitats dominated by plants that grow principally on or below the surface of the water for most of the growing season in most years.

**Emergent Wetland** - is characterized by erect, rooted, herbaceous hydrophytes, excluding mosses and lichens. This vegetation is present for most of the growing season in most years. Perennial plants usually dominate these wetlands.

**Estuarine System** - Includes deepwater tidal habitats and adjacent tidal wetlands that are usually semi-enclosed by land but have open, partly obstructed, or sporadic access to the open ocean, and in which ocean water is at least occasionally diluted by freshwater runoff from the land.

**Forested Wetland** - Includes areas dominated by woody vegetation greater than 6m (20 feet) tall.

**Lacustrine System** - Includes wetlands and deepwater habitats with all of the following characteristics: (1) situated in a topographic depression or a dammed river channel; (2) lacking trees, shrubs, persistent emergents, emergent mosses or lichens with greater than 30% area coverage; and (3) total area exceeds 20 acres. Lacustrine waters may be tidal or nontidal, but ocean-derived salinity is always less than .5 parts per thousand.

**Palustrine System** - Includes all nontidal wetlands dominated by trees, shrubs, persistent emergent, emergent mosses or lichens, and all such wetlands that occur in tidal areas where salinity due to ocean-derived salts is below .5 parts per thousand. It also includes wetlands lacking such vegetation, but with all of the following four characteristics: (1) area less than 20 acres; (2) active wave-formed or bedrock shoreline features lacking; (3) water depth in the deepest part of the basin less than 2m at low water; and (4) salinity due to ocean-derived salts less than .5 parts per thousand.

**Riverine System** - Includes all wetlands and deepwater habitats contained within a channel, with two exceptions: (1) wetlands dominated by trees, shrubs, persistent emergents, emergent mosses, or lichens, and (2) habitats with water containing ocean-derived salts in excess of .5 parts per thousand.

**Scrub-Shrub Wetland** - Includes areas dominated by woody vegetation less than 6m (20 feet) tall.

**Unconsolidated Bottom** - Includes all wetland and deepwater habitats with at least 25% cover of particles smaller than stones, and a vegetative cover less than 30%.

**Wetland Hydrology** - In general terms, permanent or periodic inundation or prolonged soil saturation sufficient to create anaerobic conditions in the soil.

**Hydric Soils** – Soils that are saturated, flooded, or ponded long enough during the growing season to develop anaerobic conditions in the upper part.

**Hydrophytic Vegetation** – Plant life growing in water or on a substrate that is at least periodically deficient in oxygen as a result of excessive water content.

**Wetland Indicator Status** – The exclusiveness with which a plant species occurs in wetlands.

**Riparian Areas** – Lands adjacent to rivers, streams, lakes, ponds and other water bodies. They are transitional between aquatic and upland zones, and as such, contain elements of both aquatic and terrestrial ecosystems. They have high water tables because of their close proximity to aquatic systems, soils that are usually made up of water-carried sediments, and some vegetation that requires free (unbound) water or conditions that are more moist than normal.

### **III. PROJECT METHODOLOGY**

#### **A. Public Involvement**

On February 17, 1998, CREST held an initial meeting with the joint City Council and Planning Commission to discuss the Local Wetland Inventory workplan. CREST, with the assistance of the City of Seaside, assembled and reviewed the applicable base maps (assessor maps) in the study area. With the assistance of Mark Barnes, wetland planning consultant, and Larry Potter, Division of State Lands Natural Resources Coordinator, the properties for onsite analysis were identified.

Prior to the first public meeting: public notices were sent to 1,908 property owners within the study area; press kits were assembled and mailed to three local radio stations and two local newspapers; and materials (handouts describing the LWI project) were gathered for the public meeting. The first public meeting was held on April 16, 1998 in Seaside. Approximately 65 property owners attended the meeting. Over two dozen phone calls were received prior the meeting to discuss the project. Several property owners that could not attend the public meeting requested to be placed on a mailing list to receive information/handouts from the meeting.

Landowner notification letters and “request for permission to access property” forms were mailed to the landowners identified for onsite analysis (approximately 90). The identified properties have been marked on the assessor maps with “yes” or “no” based on the landowners' response.

## **B. Local Wetlands Inventory**

### **1. Routine Off-Site Determination**

Before beginning fieldwork, off-site mapping was conducted to determine the approximate location of wetland boundaries based on available information. The information used included USGS topographic quadrangles, the Soil Survey for Clatsop County, Oregon, the National Wetlands Inventory maps, and black and white aerial photographs.

If access to land was permitted, then the wetland boundaries were field checked. If access was not permitted the boundaries were based on the mapping conducted in the office based on the resources mentioned above and, where possible, visual confirmation from nearby public areas and roads.

### **2. Routine On-Site Determination**

Where access to property was granted, on-site observation and inspection of soils, vegetation, and hydrology were made. Soil pits were excavated to a depth of 18 inches in many locations. The soil profiles were examined for indications of hydric soils and wetland hydrology. A visual estimate of percent cover of dominant species in the plant community for a 30-foot radius was conducted at each sampling location. Sampling locations were chosen to document a change in a wetland boundary and a type of plant community visible in the aerial photograph. Data recorded in the field was then electronically entered into data sheets produced on a computer using a word processing program.

Fieldwork was conducted May through August 1998. No wetland boundaries were flagged or marked in any way in the field.

## **C. Wetland Quality Assessment**

The quality of wetlands in the study area was assessed using the *Oregon Freshwater Wetland Assessment Methodology* (OFWAM). The quality of these wetlands is determined by answering specific questions related to six functions and three conditions of each of the wetlands. The functions used in this assessment were Wildlife Habitat, Fish Habitat, Water Quality, Hydrologic Control, Education, and Recreation. The wetland conditions used in the assessment were Aesthetic Quality, Sensitivity to Impact, and Enhancement Potential

#### **D. Riparian Inventory**

The quality of riparian areas in the study area was assessed using the *Urban Riparian Inventory and Assessment Guide*.

Riparian Areas are lands that are adjacent to rivers, streams, lakes, ponds and other water bodies. They are transitional between aquatic and upland zones, and as such, contain elements of both aquatic and terrestrial ecosystems. They have high water tables because of their close proximity to aquatic systems, soils that are usually made up of water-carried sediments, and some vegetation that requires free (unbound) water or conditions that are more moist than normal. These areas provide a variety of functions, such as wildlife habitat corridors, flood storage, flood reduction, thermal regulation of adjacent waterways, contribution of large woody debris and organic material to the stream habitat, erosion control and streambank stabilization. During the riparian inventory, physical characteristics and the quality of the riparian corridor were assessed based on the series of qualitative questions provided.

Standard riparian assessment sheets were used to assess the physical characteristics of the riparian area. These physical characteristics included channel width and depth, bank condition, percentage of shade, dominant riparian classification, presence of large woody debris, type of channel substrate, and degree of human modification.

#### **E. Riparian Quality Assessment**

The quality of the riparian areas was determined by answering specific questions related to the water quality, flood management, thermal regulation, and wildlife habitat functions of riparian areas. Assessment of high, moderate, or low functional value was determined for each of the functions in the riparian areas. Rationale for the determination of high, moderate, low functional value was given for each determination made. Off-site riparian assessments were based on review of aerial photographs and other available resources.

#### **F. Cartography**

Aerial photographs were supplied by the City of Seaside for mapping and for use in fieldwork. The photographs are 1995 black and white and are approximately 1" = 400 feet. Duplicate photographs were obtained for some areas at approximately 1" = 200 feet. Clear acetate was overlaid on the photographs and preliminary wetland boundaries were drawn directly on the acetate in the field. At the completion of the fieldwork the acetate sheets and photographs were registered to a base map using AutoCAD and digitized as a separate data layer.

The base map information was provided by the City of Seaside Engineering Department as a .dwg AutoCAD file. Base map, digital and hard copy, data included the parcel tax lots,

streets, zoning, city limits, UGB, and geographic names. USGS 7.5 minute topographic maps, National Wetland Inventory maps, Oregon Department of Forestry Water Classification maps, Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife fish presence and absence maps, NRCS soils map, Oregon Estuary Plan Book data, and Clatsop County GIS data were all used for this project. Additional layers added onto the AutoCAD base map include the Necanicum Watershed boundary, streams from Clatsop County GIS data, wetland and riparian boundaries, and wetland codes.

#### **IV. STUDY AREA CHARACTERISTICS**

##### **A. Setting**

The City of Seaside is located on approximately 2600 acres in Northwest Oregon, along the Pacific Coast. Average elevation is approximately 13 feet above sea level. The closest major city is Astoria (15 miles) and distance to Portland is about 79 miles.

In 1960, the population of Seaside was 3,877. By 1997, the population grew to 6,005. The median age is 39. The city's water system was developed in 1924 and is managed by the City of Seaside. The South Fork of the Necanicum River is the source for the public water supply. The current water treatment plant was built in 1996. The current wastewater treatment collection system was developed in 1939 and then was upgraded in 1985.

U.S. Highway 101 is the nearest major highway, which passes through the city limits. Seaside Municipal Airport provides air service to the city but no railroad service exists.

Much of the city is near a wide sand beach that stretches from Tillamook Head north to the mouth of the Necanicum River. Most of the development along the beachfront is devoted to housing for tourists or amusements for visitors. The Necanicum River winds through the city flowing in a northerly direction and emptying into the Necanicum estuary. Through the central business district, there are many places to view the river from bridges or walkways along the river.

##### **B. Climate**

The City of Seaside has a temperate marine climate. The average annual precipitation is approximately 78.51 inches. Approximately 61 inches occurs during the rainy season (October through March) with December being the wettest month with an average precipitation of almost 12.5 inches per year. Snowfall is relatively rare averaging only 2 inches per year.

The average maximum temperature is 59.8<sup>0</sup> F and the average minimum temperature is 43.8<sup>0</sup> F. The warmest months are August and September with average daily maximums of

68.3° F and 68.6° F respectively. The coolest months are December and January with average daily minimums of 37.8° F and 36.9° F.

**C. Topography**

The City of Seaside is on the Pacific coast. Much of the area within the City limits is beach. However, the foothills of the Coastal Range extend close to the Pacific Ocean in this area, so there are streams and rivers flowing out of these hills within City limits. The largest River within the City of Seaside is the Necanicum, which joins the Pacific Ocean in the middle of the City. Therefore, the Necanicum estuary is very visible to the residents of Seaside. Many civic and school activities have been concerned with the Necanicum estuary.

**D. Hydrology**

Waterbodies within the Urban Growth Boundary include: Necanicum River, Neawanna Creek, Thompson Creek, Coho Creek, Mill Creek, Circle Creek, Shangrila Creek, and Beerman Creek. However, for purposes of this inventory, the watersheds are defined as the Thompson Creek/Stanley Lake system, the Neawanna system, and the Necanicum system.

**Drainage Basins and Areas for the City of Seaside Local Wetlands Inventory**

| <u>Drainage Basin</u> | <u>Wetland Area (acres)</u> |
|-----------------------|-----------------------------|
| Neawanna              | 245.37                      |
| Necanicum             | 191.22                      |
| Thompson Creek        | 150.02                      |

**E. Soils**

The following table identifies the soil types that have been mapped within the City of Seaside study area. The soil map from the Soil Survey is attached to the assessor maps and indicates the location of these soils.

**Soils present in the City of Seaside Local Wetland Inventory**

| SOIL SYMBOL | SOIL NAME                        | HYDRIC STATUS |
|-------------|----------------------------------|---------------|
| 4           | Beaches                          | Non-hydric    |
| 5A          | Bergsvik Mucky Peat, 0-1% slopes | Hydric        |
| 6A          | Brallier Mucky Pet, 0-1% slopes  | Hydric        |
| 8A          | Brenner Silt Loam, 0-3% slopes   | Hydric        |
| 11A         | Coquille-Clatsop Complex, 0-1%   | Hydric        |

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|-------------|---|-----------------------------------|
| 12A         | Coquille-Clatsop Complex, protected, 0-1% | Hydric                            |
| 15          | Dune Land                                 | Inclusion of wet soils            |
| 16D         | Ecola Silt Loam, 3-30% slope              | Inclusion of wet soils            |
| 16F         | Ecola-Templeton Silt Loam, 60-90% slopes  | Non-Hydric                        |
| 19C         | Gearhart Fine Sandy Loam, 3-15% slopes    | Wet soils                         |
| 20B         | Grindbrook Silt Loam, 0-7% slopes         | Poorly drained soils              |
| 28          | Humitropepts-Troaquepts Complex, 0-20%    | Areas of tropaquepts              |
| 32D         | Klootchie Silt Loam, 3-30% slopes         | Inclusion of wet soils            |
| 33E         | Klootchie-Necanicum complex, 30-60%       | Non-Hydric                        |
| 35B         | Knappa silt loam, 0-7% slopes             | Inclusion of wet soils            |
| 51A         | Nehalem Silt Loam, 0-3% slopes            | Inclusion of wet soils            |
| 52A         | Nestucca Silt Loan, 0-3% slopes           | Inclusion of poorly drained soils |
| 58D         | Skipanon gravelly silt loam, 3-30% slopes | Inclusion of wet soils            |
| 70C         | Waldport Fine Sand, 3-15% slopes          | Inclusion of wet soils            |
| 71B         | Walluski Silt Loam, 0-7% slopes           | Inclusion of wet soils            |
| 72A         | Warrenton Loamy Fine Sand, 0-3% slopes    | Hydric                            |

*Bergsvik mucky peat* consists of very deep, very poorly drained organic soils in depressional areas between coastal dunes and between the dunes and the adjacent hills. These soils formed in partially decomposed wood and herbaceous plant material underlain by sand. Typically, the surface is covered with a mat of leaves, twigs, moss, roots, and other woody material. The surface layer to about four inches is a dark reddish brown mucky peat with many very fine roots. The next layer to about fifteen inches is a black mucky peat. The subsoil to thirty-two inches is a very dark grayish brown.

*Brallier mucky peat* consists of very deep, very poorly drained organic soils on floodplains and in depressional areas between coastal dunes and toe slopes. These soils formed in partially decomposed wood and herbaceous plant material. The surface layer to a depth of 26 inches is a very dark grayish brown mucky peat with many fine and medium roots. The substratum layer to a depth of 60 inches is dark brown mucky peat.

*Brenner silt loam* consists of very deep, poorly drained soils on nearly level floodplains. These soils formed in mixed alluvium. The surface layer to 10 inches consists of a dark brown silt loam with many yellowish red mottles. The next layer is about two inches thick and a grayish brown silty clay loam. The subsoil is a grayish brown silty clay loam to 30 inches with prominent reddish yellow mottles.

*Coquille-Clatsop Complex* consists of a very deep, very poorly drained soils on floodplains influenced by tides. These soils formed in alluvium. Coquille soil has a surface layer of very dark gray silt loam to a depth of 6 inches. The subsoil is a dark grayish brown, mottled silt loam to approximately 30 inches. The substratum is a dark gray silt loam to a depth of 60 inches. Clatsop soil has a surface layer of very dark grayish brown

muck to a depth of 6 inches. The subsoil is a very dark grayish brown and dark gray silt loam to approximately 24 inches. The substratum is a very dark gray silt loam to a depth of 60 inches.

*Coquille-Clatsop Complex, protected*, consists of a very deep, very poorly drained soils on floodplains influenced by tides. These soils formed in alluvium. Coquille soil has a surface layer of very dark gray silt loam to a depth of 6 inches. The subsoil is a dark grayish brown, mottled silt loam to approximately 30 inches. The substratum is a dark gray silt loam to a depth of 60 inches. Clatsop soil has a surface layer of very dark grayish brown muck to a depth of 6 inches. The subsoil is a very dark grayish brown and dark gray silt loam to approximately 24 inches. The substratum is a very dark gray silt loam to a depth of 60 inches.

*Ecola Silt Loam, 3 to 30 percent slopes* consists of moderately deep, well-drained soils on mountains. These soils formed in colluvium derived dominantly from sedimentary rock. The surface is covered with a three-inch mat of twigs, moss, and roots. The first seven inches is a very dark grayish brown silt loam with many fine, medium, and coarse roots. The next layer to approximately 16 inches is a dark brown silty clay loam with fine roots. The substratum to 37 inches is a dark yellowish brown silty clay loam with few fine roots.

*Ecola-Templeton Silt Loam, 60 to 90 percent slopes* consists of moderately deep, well-drained soils on mountains. These soils formed in colluvium derived from sedimentary rock and siltstone. This soil has a composition of approximately 50 percent Ecola soil, 35 percent Templeton soil, and 15 percent other. The surface is covered with a three-inch mat of twigs, moss, and roots. The first seven inches is a very dark grayish brown silt loam with many fine, medium, and coarse roots. The next layer to approximately 16 inches is a dark brown silty clay loam with fine roots. The substratum to 37 inches is a dark yellowish brown silty clay loam with few fine roots.

*Gearhart Fine Sandy Loam, 3 to 15 percent slopes* consists of very deep, somewhat excessively drained soils on stabilized sand dunes. The surface is covered with a one-inch thickness of leaves, twigs, moss, and needles. The surface layer is black fine sandy loam approximately 11 inches thick. The next five inches are dark brown loamy fine sand. The substratum to 45 inches is dark gray fine sand.

*Grindbrook Silt Loam, 0 to 7 percent slopes* consists of a deep and very deep, moderately well drained soils on terraces. These soils formed in mixed alluvium. An organic mat one-inch thick of moss, needles, and twigs covers the surface. The surface layer to 15 inches is a black to very dark brown silt loam. The next layer 15 to 28 inches is a dark brown silt loam. The substratum layer to 60 inches is a brown and gray, mottled silty clay loam.

*Humitropepts-Tropaquepts Complex, 0 to 20 percent slopes* consists of 45 percent Humitropepts, 40 percent Tropaquepts, and 15 percent contrasting inclusions. The

Humitropepts has an organic mat one-inch thick of moss, needles, and twigs with a surface layer of 17 inches consisting of very dark brown and very dark grayish brown silt loam. The subsoil to about 44 inches thick is a dark yellowish brown silt loam. The substratum layer is a dark yellowish brown very gravelly loam. The Tropaquepts has a surface layer of very dark brown and very dark grayish brown silt loam 11 inches thick. The next nine inches are a grayish brown, mottled silt loam. The subsoil to a depth of 54 inches is a light brownish gray, mottled silty clay loam. The substratum is a dark bluish gray, mottled silty clay loam to 60 inches.

*Klootchie Silt Loam, 3 to 30 percent slopes* consists of deep, well-drained soils in mountainous areas formed in colluvium derived from basalt. A two-inch organic mat of moss, needles, and twigs covers the surface. The surface layer is a dark reddish brown silt loam approximately 12 inches deep. The next layer to about 25 inches is a reddish brown silt loam. The subsoil to a depth of 43 inches is a reddish brown gravelly loam. The substratum is weathered basalt.

*Klootchie-Necanicum complex, 30 to 60 percent slopes* consists of 50 percent Klootchie soil, 30 percent Necanicum soil, and 20 percent contrasting soils. Both soil types have a two-inch organic mat of moss, needles, and twigs covering the surface. The surface layer of the Klootchie soil is a dark reddish brown silt loam approximately 12 inches deep. The next layer to about 25 inches is a reddish brown silt loam. The subsoil to a depth of 43 inches is a reddish brown gravelly loam. The substratum is weathered basalt. The surface layer of the Necanicum soil is a dark reddish brown gravelly loam approximately 12 inches deep. The next layer to about 35 inches is a dark brown and dark yellowish brown very gravelly loam. The subsoil to a depth of 48 inches is a yellowish brown extremely cobbly loam. The substratum is basalt.

*Knappa silt loam, 0 to 7 percent slopes* consists of very deep, well-drained soils on terraces. These soils formed in mixed alluvium. An organic mat of moss, needles, and twigs one inch thick covers the surface. The surface layer to approximately 23 inches is a very dark brown, very dark grayish brown and dark brown silt loam. The substratum to a depth of 60 inches is a dark yellowish brown silty clay loam.

*Nehalem Silt Loam, 0 to 3 percent slopes* consists of very deep, well-drained soils on floodplains. These soils formed in alluvium. The surface layer to a depth of approximately 14 inches is a dark brown silt loam. The subsoil is a dark yellowish brown silt loam to a depth of 48 inches. The substratum to a depth of 60 inches is a brown silty clay loam.

*Nestucca Silt Loam, 0 to 3 percent slopes* consists of very deep, somewhat poorly drained soils on floodplains. These soils formed in mixed alluvium. The surface layer is dark brown silt loam to a depth of approximately 16 inches. The subsoil to a depth of approximately 32 inches is a dark grayish brown, mottled silt loam. The substratum to a depth of 60 inches is a grayish brown, mottled silty clay loam.

*Skipanon gravelly silt loam, 3 to 30 percent slopes* consists of deep, well-drained soils in mountainous areas that formed in mixed colluvium. An organic mat of moss, needles, and twigs two inches thick covers the surface. The surface layer to approximately 19 inches is a dark brown gravelly silt loam. The subsoil is brown cobbly silt loam to a depth of 32 inches thick. The next layer is variegated light yellowish brown and yellowish brown silty clay loam to depth of approximately 53 inches. Weathered siltstone is at a depth of 53 inches.

*Waldport Fine Sand, 3 to 15 percent slopes* consists of very deep, excessively drained soils on stabilized sand dunes. These soils formed in dune sand. The surface layer to a depth of approximately five inches is very dark brown and dark brown fine sand. The subsoil is pale brown fine sand to a depth of approximately 15 inches. The substratum to a depth of 60 inches is light brownish gray fine sand.

*Walluski Silt Loam, 0 to 7 percent slopes* consists of very deep, moderately well drained soils on terraces. These soils formed in silty alluvium. An organic one-inch mat of moss, needles, and twigs covers the surface. The surface layer is a very dark grayish brown silty loam approximately 14 inches thick. The subsoil to a depth of approximately 21 inches is a dark brown silt loam. The substratum is a dark yellowish brown, yellow brown and light brownish gray, mottled silty clay loam.

*Warrenton Loamy Fine Sand, 0 to 3 percent slopes* consists of very deep, very poorly drained soil on long, narrow interdunal areas. These soils formed in sand. An organic three-inch mat of moss, leaves, needles, and twigs covers the surface. The surface layer is very black loamy fine sand approximately 11 inches thick. The subsoil to a depth of approximately 22 inches is very dark gray, mottled loamy fine sand. The substratum is very dark gray, mottled fine sand.

## F. Vegetation

The US Fish and Wildlife *National List of Plant Species that Occur in Wetlands: Northwest Region 9* has established different categories for indicating the frequency specific vegetation occurs in a wetland. These “indicator code status” includes the following: obligate wetland (OBL), facultative wetland (FACW), facultative (FAC), facultative upland (FACU), and obligate upland (UPL).

### Indicator Categories

|                                   |   |
|-----------------------------------|---|
| <b>Obligate Wetland (OBL)</b>     | Occur almost always (estimated probability >99%) under natural conditions in wetlands.            |
| <b>Facultative Wetland (FACW)</b> | Usually occur in wetlands (estimated probability 67%-99%), but occasionally found in nonwetlands. |

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| <b>Facultative (FAC)</b>         | Equally likely to occur in wetlands or nonwetlands (estimated probability 34%-66%).  |
| <b>Facultative Upland (FACU)</b> | Usually occur in nonwetlands (estimated probability 67%-99%), but occasionally found in wetlands (estimated probability 1%-33%). |
| <b>Obligate Upland (UPL)</b>     | Occur almost always (estimated probability >99%) under natural conditions in nonwetlands.  |
| <b>No Indicator (NI)</b>         | Insufficient information was available to determine an indicator status.   |

The following table identifies dominant wetland and upland vegetation that was inventoried within the study area.

### Plant Species within the City of Seaside Local Wetlands Inventory Study Area

| Herbs                          | Common name              | Status |
|--------------------------------|--------------------------|--------|
| <i>Agrostis alba</i>           | Bentgrass                | FACW   |
| <i>Athyrium filix-femina</i>   | lady fern                | FAC    |
| <i>Atriplex patula</i>         | Saltbush                 | FACW   |
| <i>Carex lyngbei</i>           | Lyngby's sedge           | OBL    |
| <i>Carex obnupta</i>           | slough sedge             | OBL    |
| <i>Convolvulus arvensis</i>    | Morning glory            | UPL    |
| <i>Daucus carota</i>           | Queen Anne's lace        | UPL    |
| <i>Digitalis purpurea</i>      | Foxglove                 | UPL    |
| <i>Distichlis spicata</i>      | Saltgrass                | FACW   |
| <i>Elocharis palustris</i>     | Spikerush                | OBL    |
| <i>Festuca rubra</i>           | red fescue               | FAC    |
| <i>Juncus effusus</i>          | soft rush                | FACW   |
| <i>Lotus formosissimus</i>     | seaside lotus            | FACW+  |
| <i>Lotus pinnatus</i>          | Deervetch                | FACW   |
| <i>Lysichitum americanum</i>   | yellow skunk cabbage     | OBL    |
| <i>Maianthemum dilatatum</i>   | false lily of the valley | FACU - |
| <i>Oenanthe sarmentosa</i>     | water parsley            | OBL    |
| <i>Phalaris arundinacea</i>    | reed canary grass        | FACW   |
| <i>Polystichum munitum</i>     | sword fern               | FACU   |
| <i>Potentilla anserina</i>     | Pacific silverweed       | OBL    |
| <i>Pteridium aquilinum</i>     | Bracken fern             | FACU   |
| <i>Ranunculus occidentalis</i> | western buttercup        | FACW   |

| Herbs (cont'd)                | Common name         | Status |
|-------------------------------|---------------------|--------|
| <i>Ranunculus repens</i>      | Creeping buttercup  | FACW   |
| <i>Rumex crispus</i>          | curly dock          | FAC+   |
| <i>Salicornia virginica</i>   | Pickleweed          | OBL    |
| <i>Scirpus microcarpus</i>    | small fruit bulrush | OBL    |
| <i>Scirpus validus</i>        | soft term bulrush   | OBL    |
| <i>Triglochin maritimum</i>   | seaside arrow grass | OBL    |
| <i>Trifolium wormskjoldii</i> | cows clover         | FACW   |
| <i>Veronica americana</i>     | American speedwell  | OBL    |
| <i>Vicia americana</i>        | Vetch               | FAC    |

| Shrubs/vines               | Common name          | Status |
|----------------------------|----------------------|--------|
| <i>Baccharis douglasii</i> | Douglas false willow | OBL    |
| <i>Cytisus scoparius</i>   | Scot's broom         | UPL    |
| <i>Malus fusca</i>         | Pacific crabapple    | FACW   |
| <i>Rubus discolor</i>      | Himalayan blackberry | FACU   |
| <i>Rubus spectabilis</i>   | Salmonberry          | FACU   |
| <i>Salix hookeriana</i>    | Hooker willow        | FACW-  |
| <i>Salix sitchensis</i>    | sitka willow         | FACW   |
| <i>Sambucus racemosa</i>   | red elderberry       | FACU   |
| <i>Spirea douglasii</i>    | Douglas spirea       | FACW   |

| Trees                        | Common name    | Status |
|------------------------------|----------------|--------|
| <i>Alnus rubra</i>           | red alder      | FAC    |
| <i>Picea sitchensis</i>      | sitka spruce   | FAC    |
| <i>Pseudotsuga menziesii</i> | Douglas fir    | UPL    |
| <i>Salix lasiandra</i>       | Pacific willow | FACW+  |

## V. LWI Discussion and Conclusions

A total of sixteen wetlands were identified in the project area: four in the Neawanna basin, eight in the Necanicum basin, and four in the Thompson Creek/Stanley Lake basin. The total wetland acreage is approximately 587 acres. Five of the wetlands were determined on-site, the rest were off-site determinations. Only four of the wetlands assessed are smaller than 5 acres.

## Wetland Classifications and Acreages within the City of Seaside LWI Study Area

| Wetland Code | USFWS Wetland Classification |             |               |               |              |              |             | Total Acreage |
|--------------|------------------------------|-------------|---------------|---------------|--------------|--------------|-------------|---------------|
|              | E2EM                         | E2FO        | PEM           | PFO           | PSS          | PUB          | PAB         |               |
| NEA - 1      | 5.31                         | -           | -             | -             | -            | -            | -           | 5.31          |
| NEA - 2      | 10.43                        | -           | -             | -             | -            | -            | -           | 10.43         |
| NEA - 3      | 12.34                        | 0.64        | -             | 2.50          | -            | -            | -           | 15.48         |
| NEA - 4      | 3.58                         | -           | 49.49         | 137.77        | 11.73        | 10.2         | 1.38        | 214.15        |
| NEC - 1      | 7.09                         | -           | -             | -             | 4.36         | -            | -           | 11.45         |
| NEC - 2      | 7.17                         | 0.57        | -             | -             | 0.92         | -            | -           | 8.66          |
| NEC - 3      | -                            | -           | -             | -             | 1.52         | -            | -           | 1.52          |
| NEC - 4      | -                            | -           | -             | -             | -            | 1.15         | -           | 1.15          |
| NEC - 5      | -                            | -           | -             | 0.4           | 2.57         | -            | -           | 2.97          |
| NEC - 6      | -                            | -           | -             | 7.89          | -            | -            | -           | 7.89          |
| NEC - 7      | -                            | -           | 29.71         | 122.86        | 3.79         | -            | -           | 156.36        |
| NEC - 8      | -                            | -           | 1.22          | -             | -            | -            | -           | 1.22          |
| TC - 1       | -                            | -           | 31.84         | 22.56         | 6.55         | 1.61         | 2.02        | 64.58         |
| TC - 2       | -                            | -           | 22.78         | -             | -            | -            | -           | 22.78         |
| TC - 3       | -                            | -           | 10.21         | 17.27         | -            | -            | -           | 27.48         |
| TC - 4       | -                            | -           | 2.64          | 31.74         | 0.80         | -            | -           | 35.18         |
| <b>Total</b> | <b>45.92</b>                 | <b>1.21</b> | <b>147.89</b> | <b>342.99</b> | <b>32.24</b> | <b>12.96</b> | <b>3.40</b> | <b>586.61</b> |

| <u>Wetland classification</u> | <u>Acres</u>                     | <u>Percent</u> |     |
|-------------------------------|----------------------------------|----------------|-----|
| E2EM                          | Estuarine intertidal emergent    | 45.92          | 8%  |
| E2FO                          | Estuarine intertidal forested    | 1.21           | <1% |
| PEM                           | Palustrine emergent              | 147.89         | 25% |
| PFO                           | Palustrine forested              | 342.99         | 58% |
| PSS                           | Palustrine scrub-shrub           | 32.24          | 5%  |
| PUB                           | Palustrine unconsolidated bottom | 12.96          | 2%  |
| PAB                           | Palustrine aquatic bed           | 3.40           | <1% |
|                               | <b>Total Wetland Area:</b>       | <b>586.61</b>  |     |
|                               | <b>Study Area:</b>               | <b>2597.21</b> |     |

The largest wetland is NEA-4, which has 214.15 acres. This wetland is an intact system that extends the entire length of east Seaside. The largest wetland community is the palustrine forest with 342.99 acres or 58% of the wetlands in Seaside. Appendix B includes a wetland characterization sheet for each inventoried wetland.

An assessment of the quality of each of the sixteen wetlands identified through the inventory was conducted using the *Oregon Freshwater Assessment Methodology* (OFWAM). OFWAM assesses six functions and three conditions. Appendix C includes the results for each of the wetlands assessed by the methodology.

Wetland NEA-1 provides diverse habitat for wildlife. The fish habitat, water quality, and hydrological control functions are judged to be intact. This wetland is potentially sensitive to future impacts and has moderate enhancement potential. NEA-1 also has the potential to provide educational and recreational opportunities and was judged to be “moderately pleasing”.

Wetland NEA-2 provides some habitat for wildlife. The fish habitat is impacted or degraded. The water quality and hydrological control functions are judged to be intact. This wetland is potentially sensitive to future impacts and has high enhancement potential. NEA-2 has the potential to provide recreational opportunities and was judged to be “moderately pleasing”.

Wetland NEA-3 provides some habitat for wildlife. The fish habitat is impacted or degraded. The water quality and hydrological control functions are judged to be intact. This wetland is potentially sensitive to future impacts and has high enhancement potential. NEA-3 has the potential to provide educational and recreational opportunities and was judged to be “moderately pleasing”.

Wetland NEA-4 provides diverse habitat for wildlife. The fish habitat is impacted or degraded. The water quality and hydrological control functions are judged to be intact. This wetland is potentially sensitive to future impacts and has high enhancement potential. NEA-4 has the potential to provide educational and recreational opportunities and was judged to be aesthetically “pleasing”.

Wetland NEC-1 provides habitat for some wildlife species. The fish habitat is impacted or degraded. The water quality and hydrological control functions are judged to be intact. This wetland is potentially sensitive to future impacts and has high enhancement potential. NEC-1 has the potential to provide educational and recreational opportunities and was judged to be aesthetically “not pleasing”.

Wetland NEC-2 provides habitat for some wildlife species. The fish habitat is impacted or degraded. The water quality and hydrological control functions are judged to be intact. This wetland is potentially sensitive to future impacts and has high enhancement potential. NEC-2 has the potential to provide educational and recreational opportunities and was judged to be aesthetically “moderately pleasing”.

Wetland NEC-3 provides habitat for some wildlife species. The fish habitat is impacted or degraded. The water quality and hydrological control functions are judged to be intact. This wetland is potentially sensitive to future impacts and has high enhancement potential.

NEC-3 is not appropriate for educational and recreational uses and was judged to be aesthetically “not pleasing”.

Wetland NEC-4 provides habitat for some wildlife species. The fish habitat is impacted or degraded. The water quality and hydrological control functions are judged to be intact. This wetland is potentially sensitive to future impacts and has high enhancement potential. NEC-4 is not appropriate for educational and recreational uses and was judged to be aesthetically “not pleasing”.

Wetland NEC-5 provides habitat for some wildlife species. The fish habitat is impacted or degraded. The water quality and hydrological control functions are judged to be intact. This wetland is potentially sensitive to future impacts and has high enhancement potential. NEC-5 has potential to provide for educational and recreational uses and was judged to be aesthetically “moderately pleasing”.

Wetland NEC-6 provides habitat for some wildlife species. The fish habitat is impacted or degraded. The water quality and hydrological control functions are judged to be intact. This wetland is potentially sensitive to future impacts and has high enhancement potential. NEC-6 has potential to provide for educational and recreational uses.

Wetland NEC-7 provides diverse habitat for wildlife species. The fish habitat is intact. The water quality and hydrological control functions are judged to be intact. This wetland is potentially sensitive to future impacts and has moderate enhancement potential. NEC-7 has potential to provide for educational and recreational uses.

Wetland NEC-8 provides diverse habitat for wildlife species. The fish habitat is nonexistent. The water quality function is judged to be intact and hydrological control functions are impacted. This wetland is potentially sensitive to future impacts and has moderate enhancement potential. NEC-8 is not appropriate for educational and recreational uses.

Wetland TC-1 provides diverse habitat for wildlife species. The fish habitat is impacted or degraded. The water quality and hydrological control functions are judged to be intact. This wetland is potentially sensitive to future impacts and has high enhancement potential. TC-1 has potential to provide for educational and recreational uses and was judged to be aesthetically “pleasing”.

Wetland TC-2 provides habitat for some wildlife species. The fish habitat is impacted or degraded. The water quality and hydrological control functions are judged to be intact. This wetland is potentially sensitive to future impacts and has high enhancement potential. TC-2 has potential to provide for educational and recreational uses.

Wetland TC-3 provides habitat for some wildlife species. The fish habitat is nonexistent. The water quality and hydrological control functions are judged to be intact. This wetland

is potentially sensitive to future impacts and has high enhancement potential. TC-3 has potential to provide for educational and recreational uses.

Wetland TC-4 provides diverse habitat for wildlife species. The fish habitat is intact. The water quality functions are impacted or degraded and hydrological control functions are judged to be intact. This wetland is potentially sensitive to future impacts and has high enhancement potential. TC-4 has potential to provide for educational and recreational uses.

## VI. Riparian Discussion and Conclusions

Riparian inventory was used to assess the quality of the riparian corridors. Several questions were answered relating to the riparian functions. These functions include: water quality, flood management, thermal regulation, and wildlife habitat.

Riparian areas were assessed with a combination of on-site observation, aerial photographs, and the USGS topographic maps. The riparian area was measured both on-site and on the aerial from the top of the bank to a break in slope. The results of the riparian inventory are found in Appendix D and the results of the riparian assessment are found in Appendix E.

Many of the wetlands within the Neawanna system do not have riparian corridors due to the development (residential) surrounding the Neawanna system. Often, a road embankment is located adjacent to the wetland with little or no vegetated buffer. The Necanicum system is bordered by residential and commercial development with sparse fifteen-foot buffers in limited locations. Some reaches of the Necanicum, south of Avenue U, have a vegetated buffer of scrub-shrub or palustrine forest to the waters edge. However, this 20-25 foot buffer has been calculated and assessed with the wetland inventory. These areas were not included with the riparian inventory assessment to maintain consistency by not double calculating wetland areas.

Four riparian assessments were conducted in the project area. Riparian areas are not abundant within Seaside. The limited riparian assessments are due to the fact that most of the riparian areas are attached to a wetland. Each riparian area was designated as CSR- and numbered consecutively from north to south.

### Riparian Functional Area Summary Table

| Riparian Code | Riparian Reach Length (ft) | Riparian Width (ft) | Water Quality | Flood Management | Thermal Regulation | Wildlife Habitat |
|---------------|----------------------------|---------------------|---------------|------------------|--------------------|------------------|
| CSR-1         | 1000                       | 20                  | moderate      | moderate         | moderate           | moderate         |
| CSR-2         | 250                        | 20                  | moderate      | moderate         | moderate           | low              |
| CSR-3         | 300                        | 20                  | high          | high             | moderate           | moderate         |
| CSR-4         | 370                        | 70                  | moderate      | moderate         | moderate           | moderate         |

**CSR-1** has moderate value water quality, flood management, thermal regulation, and wildlife habitat functions. It is surrounded by roads and development, is channelized, and is not well shaded.

**CSR-2** has moderate value water quality, flood management, and thermal regulation functions. It has low value wildlife functions. It is adjacent to downtown development and substantial amounts of impervious surface, it is very channelized, and is not shaded by vegetation.

**CSR-3** has high value water quality and flood management. It is surrounded by emergent marsh. The thermal regulation and wildlife habitat values are moderate. There is no shade provided and there is a lack of woody debris.

**CSR-4** has moderate value water quality, flood management, thermal regulation, and wildlife habitat functions. It has riprap as well as herbaceous vegetation, no shade is provided, and it is surrounded by residential development.

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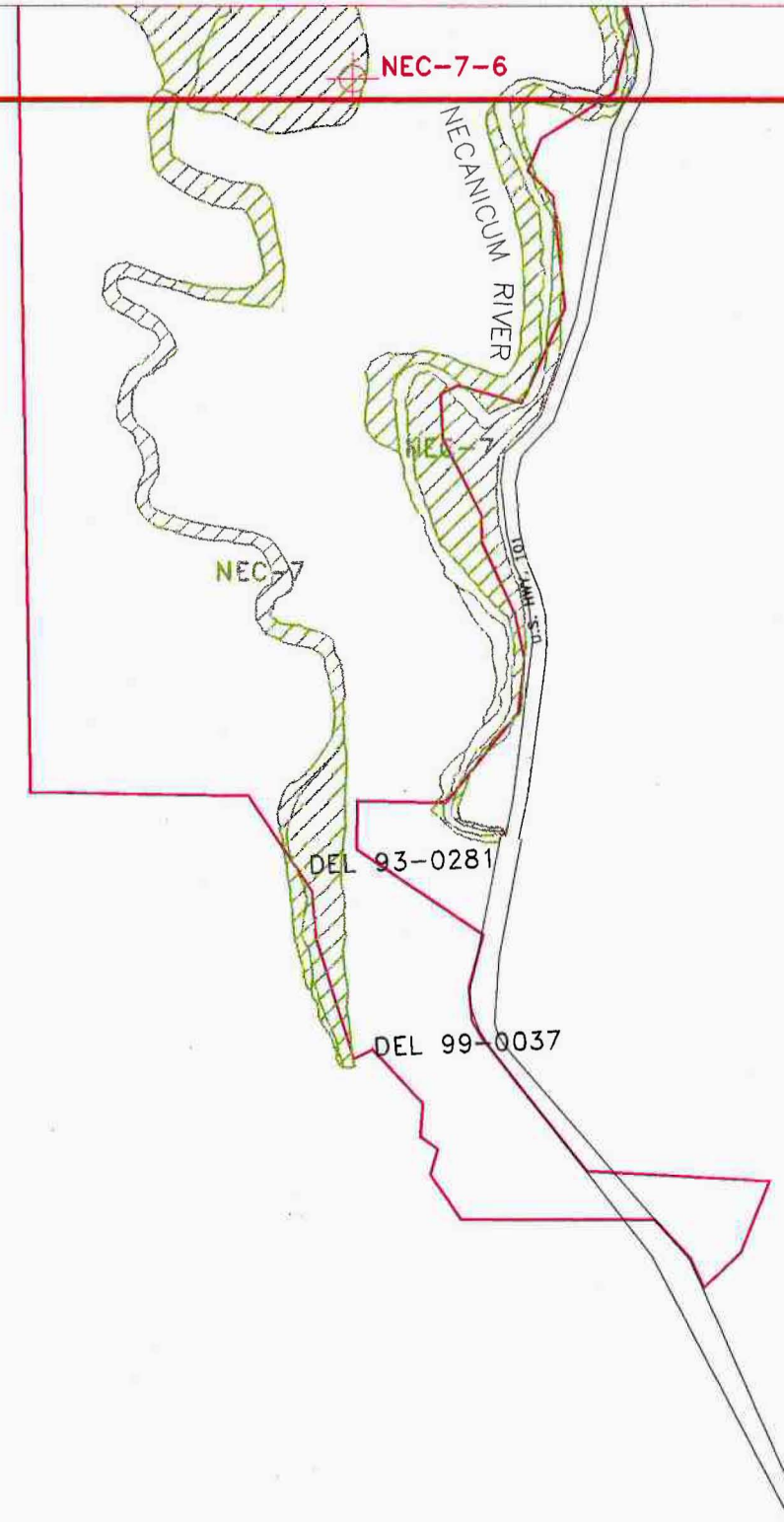
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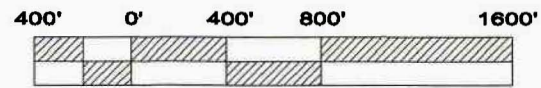
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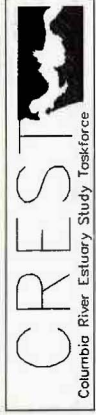
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| Legend                     |                                 |
|----------------------------|---------------------------------|
| NEC-1 Wetland Code         | On Site Wetland Determination   |
| TC-1-9 Wetland Sample Site | Off Site Wetland Determination  |
| CSR-4 Riparian Sample Site | DEL 97-0205 Wetland Delineation |
| Riparian Sample Reach      | Project Boundary                |



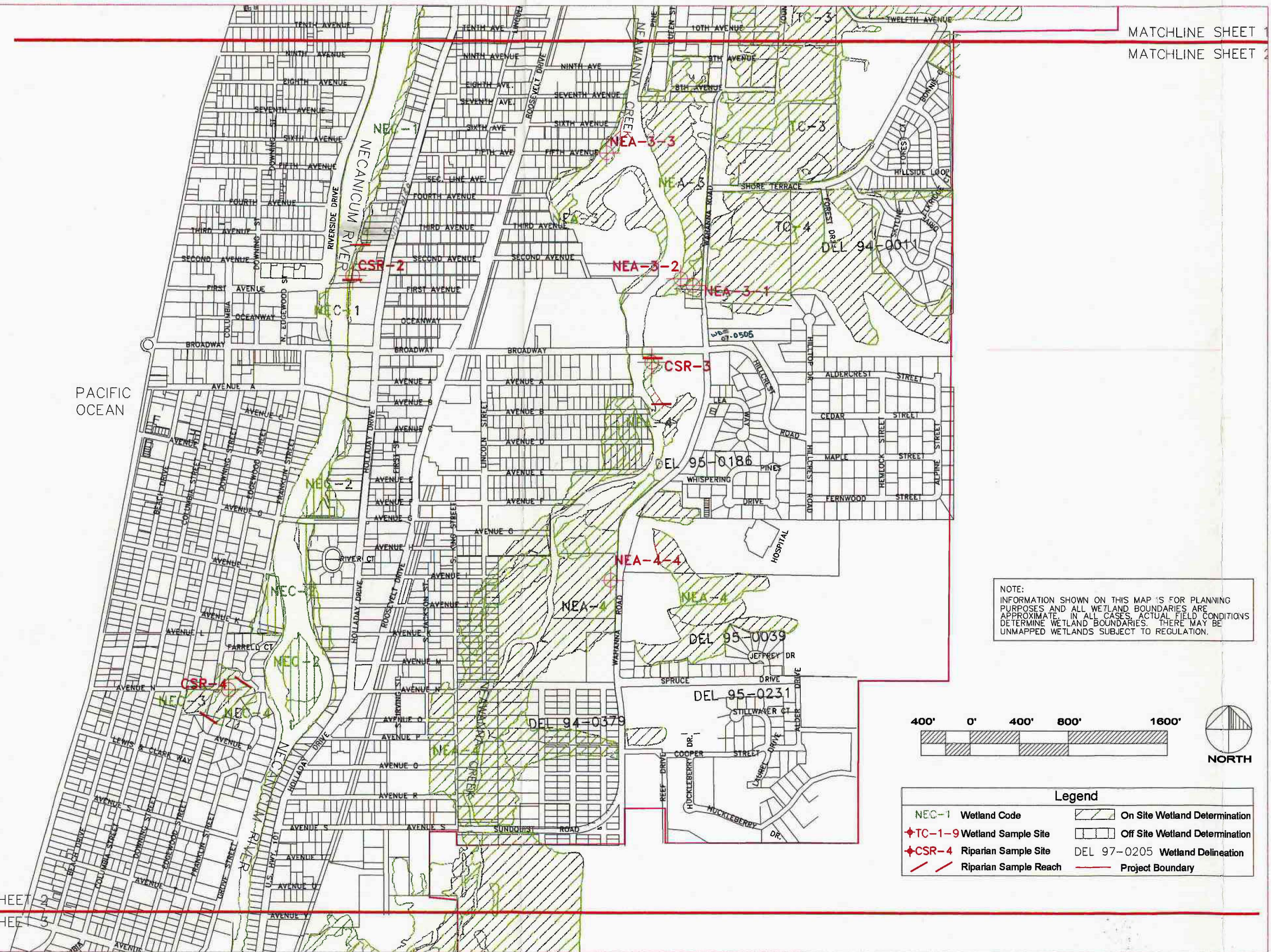
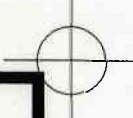
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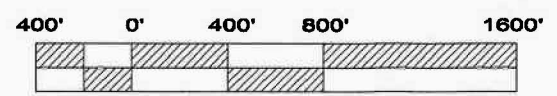
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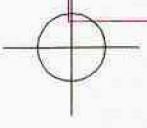
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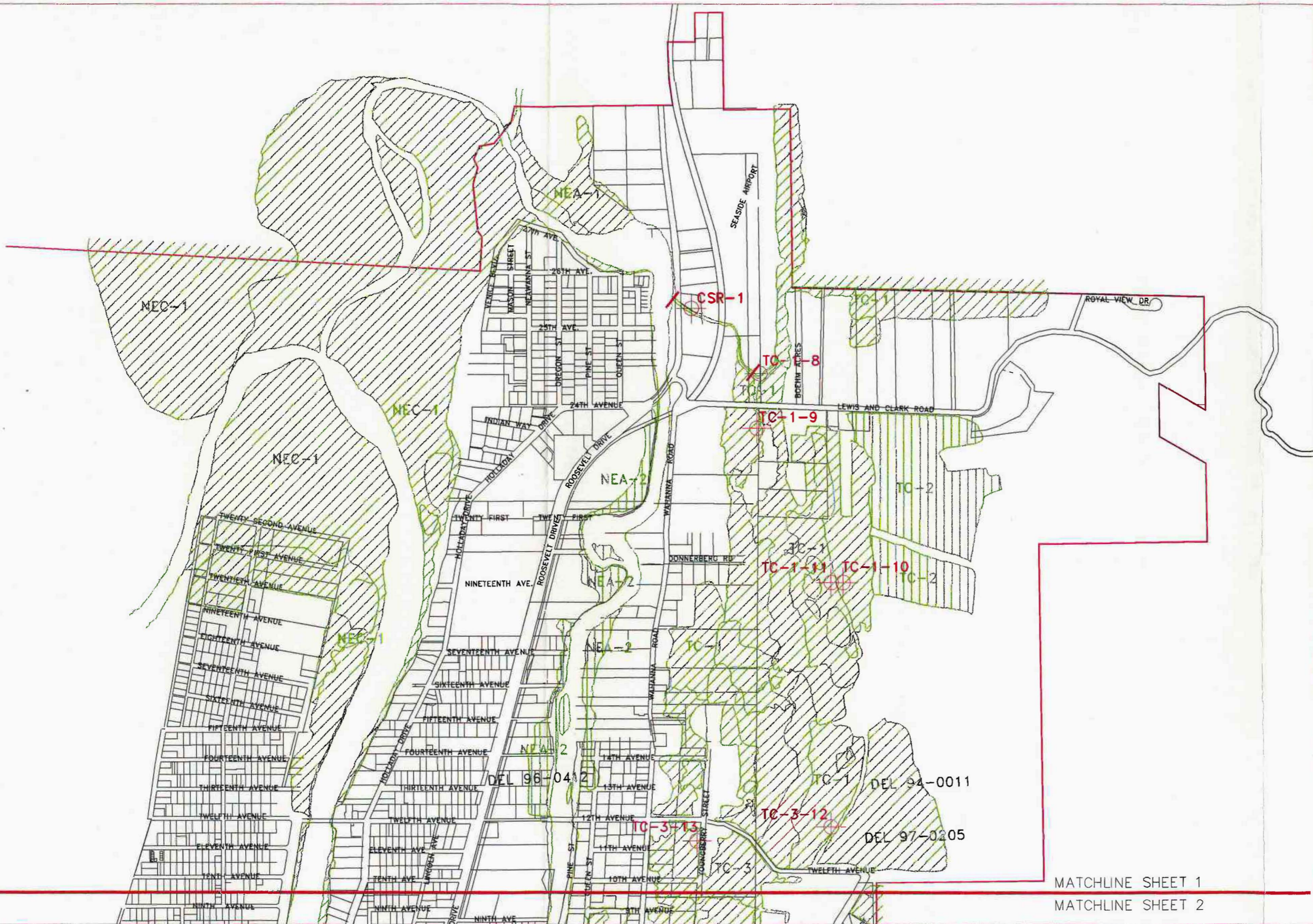
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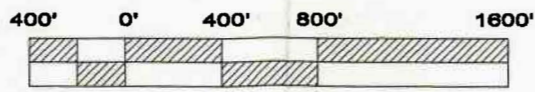
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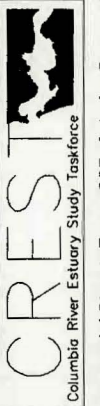


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|        | TC-1-9       | Wetland Sample Site   |                               | Off Site Wetland Determination |
|        | CSR-4        | Riparian Sample Site  | DEL 97-0205                   | Wetland Delineation            |
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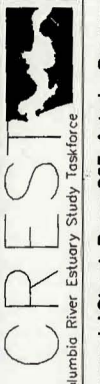
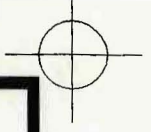
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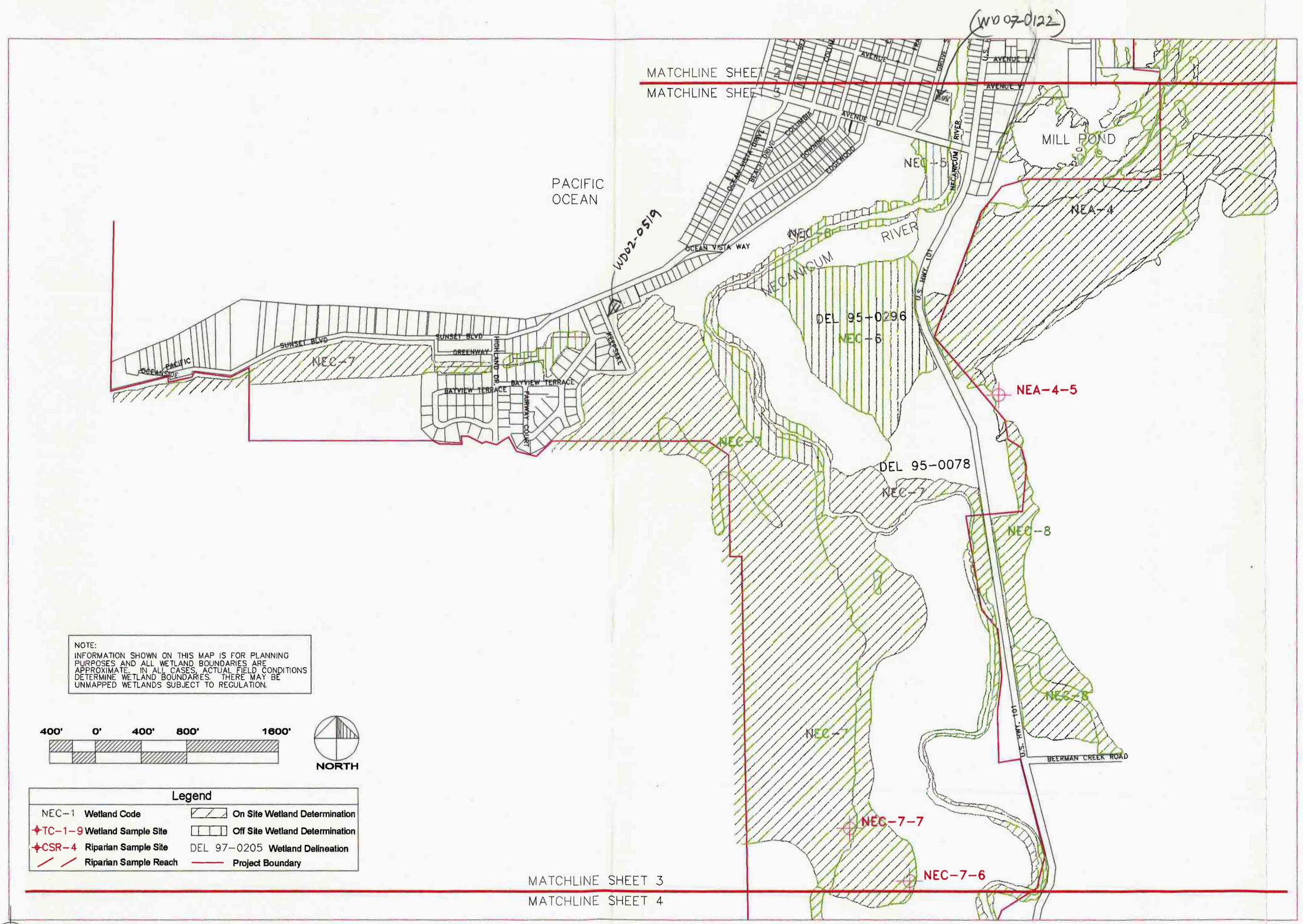


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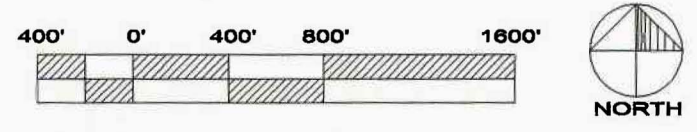
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NOTE:  
 INFORMATION SHOWN ON THIS MAP IS FOR PLANNING PURPOSES AND ALL WETLAND BOUNDARIES ARE APPROXIMATE. IN ALL CASES, ACTUAL FIELD CONDITIONS DETERMINE WETLAND BOUNDARIES. THERE MAY BE UNMAPPED WETLANDS SUBJECT TO REGULATION.



| Legend                     |                                 |
|----------------------------|---------------------------------|
| NEC-1 Wetland Code         | On Site Wetland Determination   |
| TC-1-9 Wetland Sample Site | Off Site Wetland Determination  |
| CSR-4 Riparian Sample Site | DEL 97-0205 Wetland Delineation |
| Riparian Sample Reach      | Project Boundary                |

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# APPENDIX A

## WETLAND DETERMINATION DATA FORMS

# Wetland Determination Data Form Routine Onsite Method

**C R E S T**  
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|                         |                                       |                             |
|-------------------------|---------------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Applicant: <b>CREST</b> | Project: <b>City of Seaside LWI</b>   |                             |
| County: <b>Clatsop</b>  | Township: <b>6N</b> Range: <b>10W</b> | Section: <b>22BA</b>        |
| Date: <b>23 Jun 98</b>  | Investigator(s): <b>KLT/KMT</b>       | Sample Site: <b>NEA-3-1</b> |

|                               |          |                    |                          |
|-------------------------------|----------|--------------------|--------------------------|
| HYDROLOGY Inundated (Yes/No): | Yes      | Water marks:       | Yes                      |
| Depth of saturation:          | Inches   | Drift lines:       | Yes                      |
| Depth to free water:          | 0 Inches | Drainage patterns: |                          |
| Oxidized rhizospheres:        | No       | Sediment deposits: |                          |
| Other:                        |          |                    |                          |
|                               |          |                    | Criteria Met: <b>YES</b> |

**SOILS**      Mapped Series: **Coquille, Clatsop complex protected**      On Hydric Soils list?: **Yes**  
 Classification: **Histic Tropaquepts**      Drainage Class: **poorly drained**

| Depth (Inches) | Master Horizon | Matrix Color | Soil Texture* | Redox Concentrations |                         | Other Hydric Soil Field Indicators | Comments |
|----------------|----------------|--------------|---------------|----------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------------|----------|
|                |                |              |               | Color                | abundance/size/contrast |                                    |          |
| 0-6            | Oa             | 2.5Y 3/2     | SL            |                      |                         |                                    |          |
| 6-14           | Ag             | 2.5Y 3/3     | SL            |                      |                         |                                    |          |
| 14-18          | Cg             | 2.5Y 3/1     | SL            |                      |                         |                                    |          |

\* SD=Sand, SDI=Sandy Loam, L=Loam, SDCL=Sandy Clay Loam, S=Silt, SL=Silt Loam, SCL=Silty Clay Loam, CL=Clay Loam, C=Clay

|  |                          |
|--|--------------------------|
|  | Criteria Met: <b>YES</b> |
|--|--------------------------|

**VEGETATION**

| Tree Stratum (0%)  | Status | % Cover | Herbaceous Stratum ( 100%)  | Status | % Cover |
|--------------------|--------|---------|-----------------------------|--------|---------|
|                    |        |         | <i>Agrostis alba</i>        | FACW   | 40%     |
|                    |        |         | <i>Carex obnupta</i>        | OBL    | 30%     |
|                    |        |         | <i>Juncus effusus</i>       | FACW+  | 15%     |
|                    |        |         | <i>Scirpus validus</i>      | OBL    | 10%     |
|                    |        |         | <i>Triglochin maritimum</i> | OBL    | 5%      |
| Shrub Stratum (0%) | Status | % Cover | Woody Vine Stratum (0%)     | Status | % Cover |
|                    |        |         |                             |        |         |

|  |                          |
|--|--------------------------|
| Percent of dominant species FAC, FACW, or OBL:      100% | Criteria Met: <b>YES</b> |
|--|--------------------------|

**Comments:** The edge of this wetland is defined by the west bank of Wahanna Road.

Determination: **Wetland**

Wetland Determination Data Form  
Routine Onsite Method



|   |                                       |                             |
|---|---------------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Applicant: <b>CREST</b>   | Project: <b>City of Seaside LWI</b>   |                             |
| County: <b>Clatsop</b>  | Township: <b>6N</b> Range: <b>10W</b> | Section: <b>22BA</b>        |
| Date: <b>23 Jun 98</b>  | Investigator(s): <b>KLT/KMT</b>       | Sample Site: <b>NEA-3-2</b> |
| HYDROLOGY Inundated (Yes/No): <b>No</b> Water marks: <b>Yes</b><br>Depth of saturation: <b>Inches</b> Drift lines: <b>Yes</b><br>Depth to free water: <b>&gt;18 Inches</b> Drainage patterns:<br>Oxidized rhizospheres: <b>Yes</b> Sediment deposits: <b>No</b><br>Other: |                                       |                             |
| Criteria Met: <b>YES</b>  |                                       |                             |

**SOILS** Mapped Series: **Gearhart Fine Sandy Loam** On Hydric Soils list?: **Yes**  
 Classification: **Typic Dystropepts** Drainage Class: **excessively drained**

| Depth (Inches) | Master Horizon | Matrix Color          | Soil Texture* | Redox Concentrations |                         | Other Hydric Soil Field Indicators | Comments      |
|----------------|----------------|-----------------------|---------------|----------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------------|---------------|
|                |                |                       |               | Color                | abundance/size/contrast |                                    |               |
| -1-0           | A<br>Bw        | 10YR 3/1<br>7.5YR 5/4 | SDL<br>SDL    |                      |                         |                                    | roots, leaves |
| 0-12           |                |                       |               |                      |                         |                                    |               |
| 12-18          |                |                       |               |                      |                         |                                    |               |

\* SD=Sand, SDL=Sandy Loam, L=Loam, SDCL=Sandy Clay Loam, S=Silt, SL=Silt Loam, SCL=Silty Clay Loam, CL=Clay Loam, C=Clay

Criteria Met: **YES**

**VEGETATION**

| Tree Stratum (60%)                                   | Status     | % Cover    | Herbaceous Stratum (35%)   | Status              | % Cover           |
|--|------------|------------|--|---------------------|-------------------|
| <i>Picea sitchensis</i>                              | FAC        | 100%       | <i>Maianthemum dilatatum</i><br><i>Potentilla anserina</i><br><i>Vicia Americana</i> | FACU-<br>OBL<br>FAC | 60%<br>30%<br>10% |
| Shrub Stratum (5%)                                   | Status     | % Cover    | Woody Vine Stratum (0%)  | Status              | % Cover           |
| <i>Spiraea douglasii</i><br><i>Cytisus scoparius</i> | OBL<br>UPL | 65%<br>35% |  |                     |                   |

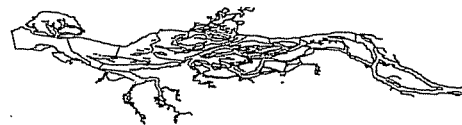
Percent of dominant species FAC, FACW, or OBL: **66%** Criteria Met: **YES**

Comments: Disturbed site. Upper four inches of soil is mostly dense roots. The edge of this wetland is defined by the west bank of Wahanna Road.

Determination: **Wetland**

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|                         |                                       |                             |
|-------------------------|---------------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Applicant: <b>CREST</b> | Project: <b>City of Seaside LWI</b>   |                             |
| County: <b>Clatsop</b>  | Township: <b>6N</b> Range: <b>10W</b> | Section: <b>15CC</b>        |
| Date: <b>23 Jun 98</b>  | Investigator(s): <b>KLT/KMT</b>       | Sample Site: <b>NEA-3-3</b> |

|                               |          |                    |                          |
|-------------------------------|----------|--------------------|--------------------------|
| HYDROLOGY Inundated (Yes/No): | Yes      | Water marks:       | Yes                      |
| Depth of saturation:          | Inches   | Drift lines:       | Yes                      |
| Depth to free water:          | 0 Inches | Drainage patterns: |                          |
| Oxidized rhizospheres:        | No       | Sediment deposits: |                          |
| Other:                        |          |                    |                          |
|                               |          |                    | Criteria Met: <b>YES</b> |

**SOILS**      Mapped Series: **Coquille, Clatsop complex protected**      On Hydric Soils list?: **Yes**  
 Classification: **Histic Tropaquepts**      Drainage Class: **poorly drained**

| Depth<br>(Inches) | Master<br>Horizon | Matrix<br>Color | Soil<br>Texture* | Redox Concentrations |                             | Other Hydric Soil<br>Field Indicators | Comments |
|-------------------|-------------------|-----------------|------------------|----------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------------------------|----------|
|                   |                   |                 |                  | Color                | abundance/size/<br>contrast |                                       |          |
| 0-6               | Oa                | 2.5Y 3/2        | SL               |                      |                             |                                       |          |
| 6-14              | Ag                | 2.5Y 3/3        | SL               |                      |                             |                                       |          |
| 14-18             | Cg                | 2.5Y 3/1        | SL               |                      |                             |                                       |          |

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|  |                          |
|--|--------------------------|
|  | Criteria Met: <b>YES</b> |
|--|--------------------------|

**VEGETATION**

| Tree Stratum (0%)  | Status | % Cover | Herbaceous Stratum (100%)   | Status | % Cover |
|--------------------|--------|---------|-----------------------------|--------|---------|
|                    |        |         | <i>Agrostis alba</i>        | FACW   | 10%     |
|                    |        |         | <i>Carex obnupta</i>        | OBL    | 85%     |
|                    |        |         | <i>Triglochin maritimum</i> | OBL    | 5%      |
| Shrub Stratum (0%) | Status | % Cover | Woody Vine Stratum (0%)     | Status | % Cover |
|                    |        |         |                             |        |         |

|  |      |                          |
|--|------|--------------------------|
| Percent of dominant species FAC, FACW, or OBL: | 100% | Criteria Met: <b>YES</b> |
|--|------|--------------------------|

**Comments:** Tidally influenced. Site located across from (north of) last house in trailer park. The edge of this wetland is defined by the east end of 5th Avenue.

Determination: **Wetland**

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| Applicant: <b>CREST</b> | Project: <b>City of Seaside LWI</b>   |                             |
| County: <b>Clatsop</b>  | Township: <b>6N</b> Range: <b>10W</b> | Section: <b>22</b>          |
| Date: <b>18 May 98</b>  | Investigator(s): <b>KLT/KMT</b>       | Sample Site: <b>NEA-4-4</b> |

|                               |            |                    |                          |
|-------------------------------|------------|--------------------|--------------------------|
| HYDROLOGY Inundated (Yes/No): | No         | Water marks:       | Yes                      |
| Depth of saturation:          | Inches     | Drift lines:       | Yes                      |
| Depth to free water:          | >18 Inches | Drainage patterns: |                          |
| Oxidized rhizospheres:        | Yes        | Sediment deposits: |                          |
| Other:                        |            |                    |                          |
|                               |            |                    | Criteria Met: <b>YES</b> |

|       |   |                                       |
|-------|---|---------------------------------------|
| SOILS | Mapped Series: <b>Coquille, Clatsop complex</b> | On Hydric Soils list?: <b>Yes</b>     |
|       | Classification: <b>Aeric Tropic Fluvaquent</b>  | Drainage Class: <b>poorly drained</b> |

| Depth<br>(Inches) | Master<br>Horizon | Matrix<br>Color | Soil<br>Texture* | Redox Concentrations |                             | Other Hydric Soil<br>Field Indicators | Comments |
|-------------------|-------------------|-----------------|------------------|----------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------------------------|----------|
|                   |                   |                 |                  | Color                | abundance/size/<br>contrast |                                       |          |
| 0-6               | A                 | 10YR 3/1        | SL               | 10YR 4/6             | 5%                          |                                       |          |
| 6-18              | C1                | 10YR 4/2        | SL               |                      |                             |                                       |          |

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|  |                          |
|--|--------------------------|
|  | Criteria Met: <b>YES</b> |
|--|--------------------------|

| VEGETATION              |        |         |                             |        |         |
|-------------------------|--------|---------|-----------------------------|--------|---------|
| Tree Stratum (5%)       | Status | % Cover | Herbaceous Stratum ( 95%)   | Status | % Cover |
| <i>Picea sitchensis</i> | FAC    | 100%    | <i>Eleocharis palustris</i> | OBL    | 75%     |
|                         |        |         | <i>Potentilla anserina</i>  | OBL    | 5%      |
|                         |        |         | <i>Carex lyngbei</i>        | OBL    | 10%     |
|                         |        |         | <i>Juncus effusus</i>       | FACW   | 5%      |
|                         |        |         | <i>Scirpus validus</i>      | OBL    | 5%      |
| Shrub Stratum (0%)      | Status | % Cover | Woody Vine Stratum (0%)     | Status | % Cover |
|                         |        |         |                             |        |         |

|  |                          |
|--|--------------------------|
| Percent of dominant species FAC, FACW, or OBL: <b>100%</b> | Criteria Met: <b>YES</b> |
|--|--------------------------|

Comments: Located on the East Bank of the Neawanna Creek. Smooth water-worn 1 to 4 inch cobblestones. Bordered by the creek on one side and Wahanna Road on the other side.

Determination: **Wetland**

# Wetland Determination Data Form

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| County: <b>Clatsop</b>  | Township: <b>6N</b> Range: <b>10W</b> | Section: <b>28</b>          |
| Date: <b>20 Jul 98</b>  | Investigator(s): <b>KLT/KMT</b>       | Sample Site: <b>NEA-4-5</b> |

|                               |            |                             |
|-------------------------------|------------|-----------------------------|
| HYDROLOGY Inundated (Yes/No): | No         | Water marks:                |
| Depth of saturation:          | 0 Inches   | Drift lines:            Yes |
| Depth to free water:          | >18 Inches | Drainage patterns:          |
| Oxidized rhizospheres:        | Yes        | Sediment deposits:          |
| Other:                        |            |                             |
| Criteria Met: <b>YES</b>      |            |                             |

**SOILS**      Mapped Series: Brenner silt loam, 0-3% slope      On Hydric Soils list?: Yes  
 Classification: Aeric Tropaquepts      Drainage Class: very poorly drained

| Depth (Inches) | Master Horizon | Matrix Color | Soil Texture* | Redox Concentrations |                         | Other Hydric Soil Field Indicators | Comments   |
|----------------|----------------|--------------|---------------|----------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------------|------------|
|                |                |              |               | Color                | abundance/size/contrast |                                    |            |
| 1-0            |                |              | leaves        |                      |                         |                                    | fine roots |
| 0-8            | Ap             | 10YR 3/2     | SL            | 10YR 4/4             |                         |                                    |            |
| 8-12           | Bg1            | 10YR 5/2     | SCL           | 10YR 4/1             |                         |                                    |            |
| 12-18          | Bg2            | 10YR 5/2     | SCL           |                      |                         |                                    |            |

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|--------------------------|
| Criteria Met: <b>YES</b> |
|--------------------------|

**VEGETATION**

| Tree Stratum (60%)     | Status | % Cover | Herbaceous Stratum (40%)   | Status                             | % Cover                       |
|------------------------|--------|---------|--|------------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| <i>Salix lasiandra</i> | FACW+  |         | <i>Lysichitum americanum</i><br><i>Carex obnupta</i><br><i>Rubus spectabilis</i><br><i>Polystichum munitum</i><br><i>Pteridium aquilinum</i> | OBL<br>OBL<br>FAC+<br>FACU<br>FACU | 5%<br>50%<br>25%<br>5%<br>15% |
| Shrub Stratum (0%)     | Status | % Cover | Woody Vine Stratum (0%)  | Status                             | % Cover                       |
|                        |        |         |  |                                    |                               |

|   |                          |
|---|--------------------------|
| Percent of dominant species FAC, FACW, or OBL:      66% | Criteria Met: <b>YES</b> |
|---|--------------------------|

Comments: Adjacent to power lines. Highway obstructs the overflow from the Necanicum River. Big woody roots in top 5 inches.

Determination: **Wetland**

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| Applicant: <b>CREST</b> | Project: <b>City of Seaside LWI</b>   |                             |
| County: <b>Clatsop</b>  | Township: <b>6N</b> Range: <b>10W</b> | Section: <b>33</b>          |
| Date: <b>29 Jun 98</b>  | Investigator(s): <b>KLT/KMT</b>       | Sample Site: <b>NEC-7-6</b> |

|   |   |                          |
|---|---|--------------------------|
| <b>HYDROLOGY</b> Inundated (Yes/No): <b>No</b><br>Depth of saturation: <b>Inches</b><br>Depth to free water: <b>&gt;18 Inches</b><br>Oxidized rhizospheres: <b>No</b><br>Other: | Water marks: <b>No</b><br>Drift lines: <b>Yes</b><br>Drainage patterns:<br>Sediment deposits: | Criteria Met: <b>YES</b> |
|---|---|--------------------------|

**SOILS**      Mapped Series: **Brenner silt loam, 0-3% slope**      On Hydric Soils list?: **Yes**  
 Classification: **Aeric Tropaquepts**      Drainage Class: **poorly drained**

| Depth (Inches) | Master Horizon | Matrix Color | Soil Texture* | Redox Concentrations |                         | Other Hydric Soil Field Indicators | Comments |
|----------------|----------------|--------------|---------------|----------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------------|----------|
|                |                |              |               | Color                | abundance/size/contrast |                                    |          |
| 0-10           | Ap             | 10YR 3/3     | SL            | 10YR 5/1             | few                     |                                    |          |
| 10-13          | Bg1            | 10YR 4/4     | SCL           | 10YR 5/8             | many                    |                                    |          |
| 13-18          | Bg2            | 2.5Y 5/2     | SCL           |                      |                         |                                    |          |

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|  |                          |
|--|--------------------------|
|  | Criteria Met: <b>YES</b> |
|--|--------------------------|

**VEGETATION**

| Tree Stratum (0%)  | Status | % Cover | Herbaceous Stratum (100%)      | Status | % Cover |
|--------------------|--------|---------|--------------------------------|--------|---------|
|                    |        |         | <i>Juncus effusus</i>          | FACW   | 70%     |
|                    |        |         | <i>Lotus pinnatus</i>          | FACW   | 20%     |
|                    |        |         | <i>Ranunculus occidentalis</i> | FACW   | 10%     |
| Shrub Stratum (0%) | Status | % Cover | Woody Vine Stratum (0%)        | Status | % Cover |
|                    |        |         |                                |        |         |

|  |                          |
|--|--------------------------|
| Percent of dominant species FAC, FACW, or OBL: <b>100%</b> | Criteria Met: <b>YES</b> |
|--|--------------------------|

Comments: **Patureland in active use. Seasonally flooded.**

Determination: **Wetland**

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| Applicant: <b>CREST</b> | Project: <b>City of Seaside LWI</b>   |                             |
| County: <b>Clatsop</b>  | Township: <b>6N</b> Range: <b>10W</b> | Section: <b>33</b>          |
| Date: <b>29 Jun 98</b>  | Investigator(s): <b>KLT/KMT</b>       | Sample Site: <b>NEC-7-7</b> |

|                               |            |                    |                          |
|-------------------------------|------------|--------------------|--------------------------|
| HYDROLOGY Inundated (Yes/No): | No         | Water marks:       | Yes                      |
| Depth of saturation:          | Inches     | Drift lines:       | Yes                      |
| Depth to free water:          | >18 Inches | Drainage patterns: |                          |
| Oxidized rhizospheres:        | Yes        | Sediment deposits: |                          |
| Other:                        |            |                    |                          |
|                               |            |                    | Criteria Met: <b>YES</b> |

**SOILS**      Mapped Series: Brenner silt loam, 0-3% slope      On Hydric Soils list?: Yes  
 Classification: Aeric Tropaquepts      Drainage Class: poorly drained

| Depth (Inches) | Master Horizon | Matrix Color | Soil Texture* | Redox Concentrations |                         | Other Hydric Soil Field Indicators | Comments |
|----------------|----------------|--------------|---------------|----------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------------|----------|
|                |                |              |               | Color                | abundance/size/contrast |                                    |          |
| 0-10           | Ap             | 10YR 3/2     | SL            |                      |                         |                                    |          |
| 10-12          | Bg1            | 10YR 5/2     | SCL           | 10YR 5/8             | med, 20%                |                                    |          |
| 12-18          | Bg2            | 2.5Y 5/2     | SCL           | 5YR 4/6              | med, 30%                |                                    |          |

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|  |                          |
|--|--------------------------|
|  | Criteria Met: <b>YES</b> |
|--|--------------------------|

| VEGETATION                   |        |         |                              |        |         |  |
|------------------------------|--------|---------|------------------------------|--------|---------|--|
| Tree Stratum (40%)           | Status | % Cover | Herbaceous Stratum (10%)     | Status | % Cover |  |
| <i>Alnus rubra</i>           | FAC    | 70%     | <i>Lysichitum americanum</i> | OBL    | 20%     |  |
| <i>Pseudotsuga menziesii</i> | UPL    | 30%     | <i>Carex obnupta</i>         | OBL    | 20%     |  |
|                              |        |         | <i>Ranunculus repens</i>     | FACW   | 60%     |  |
| Shrub Stratum (10%)          | Status | % Cover | Woody Vine Stratum (40%)     | Status | % Cover |  |
| <i>Rubus spectabilis</i>     | FAC    | 100%    | <i>Rubus discolor</i>        | FACU   | 100%    |  |

|  |     |                          |
|--|-----|--------------------------|
| Percent of dominant species FAC, FACW, or OBL: | 71% | Criteria Met: <b>YES</b> |
|--|-----|--------------------------|

**Comments:** Forested area adjacent to farm that is seasonally flooded. This forested wetland is surrounded by pastureland.

Determination: **Wetland**

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|                         |                                       |                            |
|-------------------------|---------------------------------------|----------------------------|
| Applicant: <b>CREST</b> | Project: <b>City of Seaside LWI</b>   |                            |
| County: <b>Clatsop</b>  | Township: <b>6N</b> Range: <b>10W</b> | Section: <b>10D</b>        |
| Date: <b>19 Jun 98</b>  | Investigator(s): <b>KLT/KMT</b>       | Sample Site: <b>TC-1-8</b> |

**HYDROLOGY** Inundated (Yes/No): **No** Water marks:

Depth of saturation: **Inches** Drift lines: **No**

Depth to free water: **>18 Inches** Drainage patterns:

Oxidized rhizospheres: **Yes** Sediment deposits: **No**

Other: **within 20 ft of creek**

Criteria Met: **YES**

**SOILS** Mapped Series: **Gearhart Fine Sandy Loam On Hydric Soils list?: Yes/inclusions)**

Classification: **Typic Dystropepts** Drainage Class: **excessively drained**

| Depth (Inches) | Master Horizon | Matrix Color | Soil Texture* | Redox Concentrations |                         | Other Hydric Soil Field Indicators | Comments    |
|----------------|----------------|--------------|---------------|----------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------------|-------------|
|                |                |              |               | Color                | abundance/size/contrast |                                    |             |
| -1-0           |                |              |               |                      |                         |                                    | plant roots |
| 0-10           | A              | 10YR 3/1     | SDL           |                      |                         |                                    |             |
| 10-16          | Bw             | 7.5YR 4/4    | SDL           | 2.5YR 4/3            | few,diffuse             |                                    |             |
| 16-18          | C1             | 10YR 4/2     | SD            |                      |                         |                                    |             |

\* SD=Sand, SDL=Sandy Loam, L=Loam, SDCL=Sandy Clay Loam, S=Silt, SL=Silt Loam, SCL=Silty Clay Loam, CL=Clay Loam, C=Clay

Criteria Met: **YES**

**VEGETATION**

| Tree Stratum (0%)  | Status | % Cover | Herbaceous Stratum (100%)   | Status | % Cover |
|--------------------|--------|---------|-----------------------------|--------|---------|
|                    |        |         | <i>Atriplex patula</i>      | FACW   | 30%     |
|                    |        |         | <i>Potentilla anserina</i>  | OBL    | 20%     |
|                    |        |         | <i>Juncus effusus</i>       | FACW   | 25%     |
|                    |        |         | <i>Salicornia virginica</i> | OBL    | 25%     |
| Shrub Stratum (0%) | Status | % Cover | Woody Vine Stratum (0%)     | Status | % Cover |
|                    |        |         |                             |        |         |

Percent of dominant species FAC, FACW, or OBL: **100%**

Criteria Met: **YES**

Comments: South of East runway, within 20' of the East Mill Creek fork. North of Lewis and Clark Road. This wetland is bordered by the airport runway.

Determination: **Wetland**

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|---|---------------------------------------|----------------------------|
| Applicant: <b>CREST</b>                 | Project: <b>City of Seaside LWI</b>   |                            |
| County: <b>Clatsop</b>                  | Township: <b>6N</b> Range: <b>10W</b> | Section: <b>15</b>         |
| Date: <b>20 Jul 98</b>                  | Investigator(s): <b>KLT/KMT</b>       | Sample Site: <b>TC-1-9</b> |
| HYDROLOGY Inundated (Yes/No): <b>No</b> |                                       | Water marks:               |
| Depth of saturation:                    | <b>0</b> Inches                       | Drift lines: <b>Yes</b>    |
| Depth to free water:                    | <b>10</b> Inches                      | Drainage patterns:         |
| Oxidized rhizospheres:                  | <b>Yes</b>                            | Sediment deposits:         |
| Other:                                  |                                       |                            |
|   |                                       | Criteria Met: <b>YES</b>   |

**SOILS** Mapped Series: **Warrenton loamy fine sand, 0 to 3% slope**  
On Hydric Soils list?: **Yes**

Classification: **Typic Tropaquept** Drainage Class: **excessively drained**

| Depth (Inches)        | Master Horizon | Matrix Color         | Soil Texture* | Redox Concentrations |                         | Other Hydric Soil Field Indicators | Comments |
|-----------------------|----------------|----------------------|---------------|----------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------------|----------|
|                       |                |                      |               | Color                | abundance/size/contrast |                                    |          |
| -2-0<br>0-10<br>10-18 | A<br>Cg1       | 2.5Y2.5/1<br>2.5Y3/1 | SDL<br>SDL    |                      |                         |                                    | roots    |

\* SD=Sand, SDL=Sandy Loam, L=Loam, SDCL=Sandy Clay Loam, S=Silt, SL=Silt Loam, SCL=Silty Clay Loam, CL=Clay Loam, C=Clay

Criteria Met: **YES**

**VEGETATION**

| Tree Stratum (15%) | Status | % Cover | Herbaceous Stratum (85%)  | Status                                     | % Cover                              |
|--------------------|--------|---------|---|--|--------------------------------------|
| <i>Alnus rubra</i> | FAC    | 100%    | <i>Eleocharis palustris</i><br><i>Lotus formosissimus</i><br><i>Juncus effusus</i><br><i>Rumex crispus</i><br><i>Veronica americana</i><br><i>Scirpus microcarpus</i> | OBL<br>FACW+<br>FACW<br>FAC+<br>OBL<br>OBL | 35%<br>5%<br>10%<br>5%<br>10%<br>35% |
| Shrub Stratum (0%) | Status | % Cover |   |  |                                      |
|                    |        |         | Woody Vine Stratum (0%)   | Status                                     | % Cover                              |
|                    |        |         |   |  |                                      |

Percent of dominant species FAC, FACW, or OBL: **100%**

Criteria Met: **YES**

Comments: Site is adjacent to a stream (soil pit approximately 1 meter SE of stream).

Determination: **Wetland**

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|-------------------------|---------------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Applicant: <b>CREST</b> | Project: <b>City of Seaside LWI</b>   |                             |
| County: <b>Clatsop</b>  | Township: <b>6N</b> Range: <b>10W</b> | Section: <b>15</b>          |
| Date: <b>20 Jul 98</b>  | Investigator(s): <b>KLT/KMT</b>       | Sample Site: <b>TC-1-10</b> |

|   |  |                         |
|---|--|-------------------------|
| <b>HYDROLOGY</b> Inundated (Yes/No): <b>No</b><br>Depth of saturation: <b>Inches</b><br>Depth to free water: <b>&gt;18 Inches</b><br>Oxidized rhizospheres: <b>No</b><br>Other: | Water marks: <b>No</b><br>Drift lines:<br>Drainage patterns:<br>Sediment deposits: | Criteria Met: <b>NO</b> |
|---|--|-------------------------|

**SOILS** Mapped Series: **Brallier mucky peat, 0 to 1 percent slopes**  
 On Hydric Soils list?: **Yes**  
 Classification: **Typic Trophemists** Drainage Class: **very poorly drained**

| Depth (Inches)      | Master Horizon | Matrix Color       | Soil Texture* | Redox Concentrations |                         | Other Hydric Soil Field Indicators | Comments     |
|---------------------|----------------|--------------------|---------------|----------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------------|--------------|
|                     |                |                    |               | Color                | abundance/size/contrast |                                    |              |
| -2-0<br>0-7<br>7-18 | Oe1<br>Oe2     | 10YR3/3<br>10YR5/4 | SD<br>SD      |                      |                         |                                    | roots, grass |

\* SD=Sand, SDL=Sandy Loam, L=Loam, SDCL=Sandy Clay Loam, S=Silt, SL=Silt Loam, SCL=Silty Clay Loam, CL=Clay Loam, C=Clay

Criteria Met: **NO**

**VEGETATION**

| Tree Stratum (0%)  | Status | % Cover | Herbaceous Stratum (60%)  | Status               | % Cover          |
|--------------------|--------|---------|---|----------------------|------------------|
|                    |        |         | <i>Lotus formosissimus</i><br><i>Juncus effusus</i><br><i>Cytisus scoparius</i> | FACW+<br>FACW<br>UPL | 5%<br>20%<br>75% |
| Shrub Stratum (0%) | Status | % Cover | Woody Vine Stratum (40%)  | Status               | % Cover          |
|                    |        |         | <i>Rubus discolor</i>   | FACU-                | 100%             |

Percent of dominant species FAC, FACW, or OBL: **50%** Criteria Met: **NO**

Comments: **Disturbed site. Topsoil first seven inches. Filled area inside a berm.**

Determination: **Upland**



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|-------------------------|---------------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Applicant: <b>CREST</b> | Project: <b>City of Seaside LWI</b>   |                             |
| County: <b>Clatsop</b>  | Township: <b>6N</b> Range: <b>10W</b> | Section: <b>15CA</b>        |
| Date: <b>20 Jul 98</b>  | Investigator(s): <b>KLT/KMT</b>       | Sample Site: <b>TC-3-12</b> |

|  |  |                          |
|--|--|--------------------------|
| <b>HYDROLOGY</b> Inundated (Yes/No): <b>No</b><br>Depth of saturation: <b>0</b> Inches<br>Depth to free water: <b>8</b> Inches<br>Oxidized rhizospheres: <b>No</b><br>Other: | Water marks: <b>No</b><br>Drift lines: <b>No</b><br>Drainage patterns:<br>Sediment deposits: | Criteria Met: <b>YES</b> |
|--|--|--------------------------|

**SOILS**      Mapped Series: **Bergsvik mucky peat.0 to 1% slopes**    On Hydric Soils list?: **Yes**  
 Classification: **Terric Trophemists**    Drainage Class: **very poorly drained**

| Depth (Inches) | Master Horizon | Matrix Color       | Soil Texture* | Redox Concentrations |                         | Other Hydric Soil Field Indicators | Comments                                    |
|----------------|----------------|--------------------|---------------|----------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------------|---|
|                |                |                    |               | Color                | abundance/size/contrast |                                    |   |
| 0-5<br>5-8     | Oe1<br>Oe2     | 5YR3/2<br>5YR2.5/1 |               |                      |                         |                                    | highly organic, small roots, saturated soil |

\* SD=Sand, SDL=Sandy Loam, L=Loam, SDCL=Sandy Clay Loam, S=Silt, SL=Silt Loam, SCL=Silty Clay Loam, CL=Clay Loam, C=Clay

Criteria Met: **YES**

**VEGETATION**

| Tree Stratum (5%)  | Status                | % Cover          | Herbaceous Stratum (85%)  | Status                    | % Cover                |
|--|-----------------------|------------------|---|---------------------------|------------------------|
| <i>Picea sitchensis</i>  | FAC                   | 100%             | <i>Lysichitum americanum</i><br><i>Oenanthe sarmentosa</i><br><i>Carex obnupta</i><br><i>Juncus effusus</i> | OBL<br>OBL<br>OBL<br>FACW | 5%<br>5%<br>60%<br>30% |
| Shrub Stratum (10%)  | Status                | % Cover          | Woody Vine Stratum (0%)   | Status                    | % Cover                |
| <i>Alnus rubra</i><br><i>Spiraea douglasii</i><br><i>Salix hookerana</i> | FAC<br>FACW-<br>FACW- | 5%<br>70%<br>25% |   |                           |                        |

Percent of dominant species FAC, FACW, or OBL: **100%**

Criteria Met: **YES**

Comments: **Depressional area - ponded. This wetland is bordered by Shore Terrace Road.**

Determination: **Wetland**

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|-------------------------|---------------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Applicant: <b>CREST</b> | Project: <b>City of Seaside LWI</b>   |                             |
| County: <b>Clatsop</b>  | Township: <b>6N</b> Range: <b>10W</b> | Section: <b>15CA</b>        |
| Date: <b>20 Jul 98</b>  | Investigator(s): <b>KLT/KMT</b>       | Sample Site: <b>TC-3-13</b> |

|   |                        |                         |
|---|------------------------|-------------------------|
| HYDROLOGY Inundated (Yes/No): <b>No</b> | Water marks: <b>No</b> |                         |
| Depth of saturation: <b>0</b> Inches    | Drift lines: <b>No</b> |                         |
| Depth to free water: <b>    </b> Inches | Drainage patterns:     |                         |
| Oxidized rhizospheres: <b>No</b>        | Sediment deposits:     |                         |
| Other:                                  |                        |                         |
|   |                        | Criteria Met: <b>NO</b> |

**SOILS** Mapped Series: **Bergsvik mucky peat, 0 to 1% slopes** On Hydric Soils list?: **Yes**  
 Classification: **Terric Trophemists** Drainage Class: **very poorly drained**

| Depth (Inches) | Master Horizon | Matrix Color | Soil Texture* | Redox Concentrations |                         | Other Hydric Soil Field Indicators | Comments |
|----------------|----------------|--------------|---------------|----------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------------|----------|
|                |                |              |               | Color                | abundance/size/contrast |                                    |          |
| 0-6            | Oe1            | 5YR2.5/1     | SDL           |                      |                         |                                    |          |
| 6-8            |                | 7.5YR3/2     | SD            |                      |                         |                                    |          |
| 8-11           | Oe2            | 5YR2.5/1     | SDL           |                      |                         |                                    |          |
| 11-12          |                | 7.5YR3/2     | SD            |                      |                         |                                    |          |
| 12-18          | Oe3            | 10YR3/2      | SDL           |                      |                         |                                    |          |

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|  |                          |
|--|--------------------------|
|  | Criteria Met: <b>YES</b> |
|--|--------------------------|

**VEGETATION**

| Tree Stratum (20%)       | Status | % Cover | Herbaceous Stratum (60%)     | Status | % Cover |
|--------------------------|--------|---------|------------------------------|--------|---------|
| <i>Salix hookerana</i>   | FACW   | 50%     | <i>Lysichitum americanum</i> | OBL    | 10%     |
| <i>Malus fusca</i>       | FACW   | 50%     | <i>Oenanthe sarmentosa</i>   | OBL    | 20%     |
|                          |        |         | <i>Lotus formosissimus</i>   | FACW+  | 25%     |
|                          |        |         | <i>Juncus effusus</i>        | FACW   | 20%     |
|                          |        |         | <i>Ranunculus repens</i>     | FACW   | 25%     |
| Shrub Stratum (10%)      | Status | % Cover | Woody Vine Stratum (10%)     | Status | % Cover |
| <i>Salix sitchensis</i>  | FACW   | 95%     | <i>Rubus discolor</i>        | FACU-  | 100%    |
| <i>Sambucus racemosa</i> | FACU   | 5%      |                              |        |         |

|   |                          |
|---|--------------------------|
| Percent of dominant species FAC, FACW, or OBL: <b>80%</b> | Criteria Met: <b>YES</b> |
|---|--------------------------|

**Comments:** Mucky peat - topographic changes from site TC-5-12. Located on about 2 feet higher ground near the barn and adjacent to an emergent wetland.

Determination: **Upland**

# **APPENDIX B**

## **WETLAND CHARACTERIZATION**

Wetland Characterization Sheet

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Project Name: City of Seaside Local Wetlands Inventory



|   |                                  |
|---|----------------------------------|
| Dates(s) of field verification: Offsite | Wetland Mapping Code: NEA-1      |
| Data Sheet Numbers:                     | Size (acres): 5.31               |
| Investigator(s):                        | Wetland Classification(s): E2EMN |

|  |               |
|--|---------------|
| Location - Legal: T6N R10W 10CA                                      | Tax Lot(s)    |
| Other:   | 61010 CA 1300 |
| Hydrologic Basin: Neawanna Estuary                                   |               |
| Soil - Mapped Series: Coquille-Clatsop Complex, 0 to 1 percent slope |               |
| Hydrologic Source: Neawanna Estuary                                  |               |

| Dominant Wetland Vegetation: |        |       |                 |
|------------------------------|--------|-------|-----------------|
| TREES                        | SHRUBS | VINES | HERBS           |
|                              |        |       | Juncus effusus  |
|                              |        |       | Carex obnupta   |
|                              |        |       | Scirpus validus |
|                              |        |       |                 |
|                              |        |       |                 |
|                              |        |       |                 |
|                              |        |       |                 |
|                              |        |       |                 |

Comments:  
Wetland area in estuary adjacent to delineation 92-0252

Wetland Classifications Codes:  
PFO = palustrine forested PSS = palustrine scrub - shrub PEM = palustrine emergent PUB = palustrine unconsolidated  
FAB = palustrine aquatic bed E2EM = estuarine intertidal emergent E2FO = estuarine intertidal forested

Wetland Characterization Sheet

Project Name: City of Seaside Local Wetlands Inventory



|   |                                  |
|---|----------------------------------|
| Dates(s) of field verification: Offsite | Wetland Mapping Code: NEA-2      |
| Data Sheet Numbers:                     | Size (acres): 10.43              |
| Investigator(s):                        | Wetland Classification(s): E2EMN |

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|--|--|
| Location - Legal: T6N R10W 15BA, 15BC, 15BD                          | Tax Lot(s)                                 |
| Other: East and west bank of Neawanna Creek, west of Wahanna Road    | 61015BA 5800, 7800, 7900                   |
| Hydrologic Basin: Neawanna Creek                                     | 61015BC 3400, 3500                         |
| Soil - Mapped Series: Coquille-Clatsop Complex, 0 to 1 percent slope | 61015BD 400, 500, 503, 700, 800, 900, 1000 |
| Hydrologic Source: Neawanna Creek                                    |  |

|                              |        |       |                     |
|------------------------------|--------|-------|---------------------|
| Dominant Wetland Vegetation: |        |       |                     |
| TREES                        | SHRUBS | VINES | HERBS               |
|                              |        |       | Juncus effusus      |
|                              |        |       | Carex obnupta       |
|                              |        |       | Scirpus validus     |
|                              |        |       | Potentilla anserina |
|                              |        |       |                     |
|                              |        |       |                     |
|                              |        |       |                     |
|                              |        |       |                     |

Comments:  
Offsite analysis. Regularly flooded emergent marsh.

Wetland Classifications Codes:

PFO = palustrine forested PSS = palustrine scrub - shrub PEM = palustrine emergent PUB = palustrine unconsolidated  
PAB = palustrine aquatic bed E2EM = estuarine intertidal emergent E2FO = estuarine intertidal forested

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|---|---|
| Dates(s) of field verification: 23 Jun 98 | Wetland Mapping Code: NEA-3                   |
| Data Sheet Numbers: # 1, # 2, # 3         | Size (acres): 15.48                           |
| Investigator(s): KLT, KMT                 | Wetland Classification(s): E2EMN, E2FON, PFOC |

|  |  |
|--|--|
| Location - Legal: T6N R10W 15CC, 15CD, 22BA, 22BB                    | Tax Lot(s)   |
| Other: East and west bank of Neawanna Creek, west of Wahanna Road    | 61015CC 5701, 5900, 8100, 8200, 8202, 10500, 10600, 11805, 12301 |
| Hydrologic Basin: Neawanna Creek                                     | 61015CD 100, 200, 1300, 2000                                     |
| Soil - Mapped Series: Coquille-Clatsop Complex, 0 to 1 percent slope | 61022BA 700, 900, 1000, 1001                                     |
| Hydrologic Source: Neawanna Creek                                    | 61022BB 4900, 5000, 5101   |

Dominant Wetland Vegetation:

| TREES                   | SHRUBS                   | VINES | HERBS                       |
|-------------------------|--------------------------|-------|-----------------------------|
| <i>Picea sitchensis</i> | <i>Spiraea douglasii</i> |       | <i>Juncus effusus</i>       |
|                         |                          |       | <i>Carex obnupta</i>        |
|                         |                          |       | <i>Scirpus validus</i>      |
|                         |                          |       | <i>Potentilla anserina</i>  |
|                         |                          |       | <i>Triglochin maritimum</i> |
|                         |                          |       | <i>Agrostis alba</i>        |
|                         |                          |       | <i>Vicia americana</i>      |
|                         |                          |       |                             |
|                         |                          |       |                             |

Comments:  
Onsite analysis. Emergent wetland regularly flooded by Neawanna Creek.

Wetland Classifications Codes:

PFO = palustrine forested PSS = palustrine scrub - shrub PEM = palustrine emergent PUB = palustrine unconsolidated  
PAB = palustrine aquatic bed E2EM = estuarine intertidal emergent E2FO = estuarine intertidal forested

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|  |   |
|--|---|
| Dates(s) of field verification: 18 May 98, 20 Jul 98   | Wetland Mapping Code: NEA-4   |
| Data Sheet Numbers: # 4, # 5   | Size (acres): 214.15  |
| Investigator(s): KLT, KMT  | Wetland Classification(s): E2EMN, PSSC, PEMC, PFOC, PUBH, PABHx   |
| Location - Legal: T6N R10W 22, 22BD, 22BC, 22CA, 22CC, 22CD  | Tax Lot(s)  |
| Other: East and west bank of Neawanna Creek, south of Broadway bridge  | 61022 500, 600, 700, 900, 1000<br>61022BC 3405, 3406, 3408,<br>6200, 8500, 10700, 10701,<br>11801, 11900<br>61022BD 1200, 1201, 1500,<br>1600, 1700<br>61022CA 108, 200<br>61022CD 800, 880, 900, 909 |
| Hydrologic Basin: Neawanna Creek   |   |
| Soil - Mapped Series: Coquille-Clatsop Complex, 0 to 1 percent slope<br>Coquille-Clatsop Complex, protected, 0 to 1 percent<br>Humitropepts-Troaquepts, 0 to 20 percent slope<br>Brenner Silt Loam, 0 to 3 percent slope |   |
| Hydrologic Source: Surface water, groundwater  |   |

Dominant Wetland Vegetation:

| TREES            | SHRUBS | VINES | HERBS                 |
|------------------|--------|-------|-----------------------|
| Picea sitchensis |        |       | Juncus effusus        |
| Salix lasiandra  |        |       | Carex obnupta         |
|                  |        |       | Scirpus validus       |
|                  |        |       | Potentilla anserina   |
|                  |        |       | Triglochin maritimum  |
|                  |        |       | Agrostis alba         |
|                  |        |       | Carex lyngbei         |
|                  |        |       | Eleocharis palustris  |
|                  |        |       | Lysichitum americanum |

Comments:  
Onsite analysis. Emergent wetland regularly flooded by Neawanna Creek. Area south of Broadway bridge. Emergent marsh with small areas of scrub-shrub and forest. These wetlands are associated with the Neawanna Creek system and Mill Ponds. A large area, southeast of the city limits, is palustrine forested.

Wetland Classifications Codes:

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Project Name: City of Seaside Local Wetlands



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|---|--|
| Dates(s) of field verification: Offsite | Wetland Mapping Code: NEC-1            |
| Data Sheet Numbers:                     | Size (acres): 11.45                    |
| Investigator(s):                        | Wetland Classification(s): E2EMN, PSSR |

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|--|--|
| Location - Legal: T6N R10W 15CB, 16DD, 21AA  | Tax Lot(s)                                     |
| Other: East and west banks of Necanicum River, north of 1st Ave bridge   | 61015CB 2100, 2102, 3100, 3800, 3900           |
| Hydrologic Basin: Necanicum  | 61016DD 11100-11601, 13700-14000, 14200-15200  |
| Soil - Mapped Series: Gearhart fine sandy loam, 3 to 15 percent slope<br>Waldport fine sand, 3 to 15 percent slope<br>Coquille-Clatsop complex, 0 to 1 percent slope | 61021AA 12700, 12800, 13500-13800, 14100-14200 |
| Hydrologic Source: Necanicum   |  |

Dominant Wetland Vegetation:

| TREES | SHRUBS              | VINES | HERBS                 |
|-------|---------------------|-------|-----------------------|
|       | Baccharis douglasii |       | Agrostis alba         |
|       |                     |       | Carex obnupta         |
|       |                     |       | Juncus effusus        |
|       |                     |       | Triglochin maritimum  |
|       |                     |       | Salicornia virginica  |
|       |                     |       | Trifolium wormskoldii |
|       |                     |       | Potentilla anserina   |
|       |                     |       | Distichlys spicata    |

Comments:  
Regularly flooded emergent marsh along the banks of the Necanicum River. Edge of wetland area is bordered by road, sewage treatment plant, or residential development.

**Wetland Classifications Codes:**

PFO = palustrine forested    PSS = palustrine scrub - shrub    PEM = palustrine emergent    PUB = palustrine unconsolidated  
PAB = palustrine aquatic bed    E2EM = estuarine intertidal emergent    E2FO = estuarine intertidal forested

# Wetland Characterization Sheet

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|---|--|
| Dates(s) of field verification: Offsite | Wetland Mapping Code: NEC-2                          |
| Data Sheet Numbers:                     | Size (acres): 8.66                                   |
| Investigator(s):                        | Wetland Classification(s): E2EMN, PSSR, E2EMP, E2FOP |

|   |                           |
|---|---------------------------|
| Location - Legal: T6N R10W 21DA, 21DB   | Tax Lot(s)                |
| Other: East and west banks of Necanicum River, south of Avenue G  | 61021DA 6200, 6400-6700   |
| Hydrologic Basin: Necanicum   | 61021DB 100, 13100, 13800 |
| Soil - Mapped Series: Gearhart fine sandy loam, 3 to 15 percent slope<br>Coquille-Clatsop complex, 0 to 1 percent slope |                           |
| Hydrologic Source: Necanicum  |                           |

Dominant Wetland Vegetation:

| TREES | SHRUBS     | VINES | HERBS                  |
|-------|------------|-------|------------------------|
|       | Salix spp. |       | Agrostis alba          |
|       |            |       | Carex obnupta          |
|       |            |       | Juncus effusus         |
|       |            |       | Triglochin maritimum   |
|       |            |       | Trifolium wormskioldii |
|       |            |       | Potentilla anserina    |
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Comments:  
Regularly flooded emergent marsh and scrub-shrub along the banks of the Necanicum River. Wetland area is bordered by Necanicum River, roads, downtown development, or residential development.

Wetland Classifications Codes:

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PAB = palustrine aquatic bed    E2EM = estuarine intertidal emergent    E2FO = estuarine intertidal forested

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| Dates(s) of field verification: Offsite | Wetland Mapping Code: NEC-3     |
| Data Sheet Numbers:                     | Size (acres): 1.52              |
| Investigator(s):                        | Wetland Classification(s): PSSC |

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| Location - Legal: T6N R10W 21DB, 21DC   | Tax Lot(s)<br><br>61021DB 18800<br><br>61021DC 101 |
| Other: West of Mantle Lake<br>Hydrologic Basin: Necanicum                     |  |
| Soil - Mapped Series: Humitropepts-Tropaquepts Complex, 0 to 20 percent slope |  |
| Hydrologic Source: Surfacewater, groundwater                                  |  |

Dominant Wetland Vegetation:

| TREES | SHRUBS     | VINES | HERBS          |
|-------|------------|-------|----------------|
|       | Salix spp. |       | Juncus effusus |
|       |            |       | Carex obnupta  |
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Comments:  
Wetland west of Mantle Lake and Necanicum River, surrounded by residential development. This is a seasonally flooded, palustrine scrub-shrub wetland.

Wetland Classifications Codes:

PFO = palustrine forested PSS = palustrine scrub - shrub PEM = palustrine emergent PUB = palustrine unconsolidated  
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| Dates(s) of field verification: Offsite | Wetland Mapping Code: NEC-4      |
| Data Sheet Numbers:                     | Size (acres): 1.15               |
| Investigator(s):                        | Wetland Classification(s): PUBHx |

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| Location - Legal: T6N R10W 21DB, 21DC   | Tax Lot(s)<br><br>61021DB 18800<br><br>61021DC 108, 109, 112,<br>113, 114, 125 |
| Other: West of Mantle Lake  |  |
| Hydrologic Basin: Necanicum   |  |
| Soil - Mapped Series: Humitropepts-Tropaquepts Complex, 0 to 20 percent slope |  |
| Hydrologic Source: Surfacewater, groundwater                                  |  |

Dominant Wetland Vegetation:

| TREES | SHRUBS | VINES | HERBS |
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Comments:  
Mantle Lake, surrounded by residential development. This is a permanently flooded, excavated palustrine unconsolidated bottom wetland. Obstructed culvert to Necanicum River exists.

Wetland Classifications Codes:  
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| Dates(s) of field verification: Offsite | Wetland Mapping Code: NEC-5           |
| Data Sheet Numbers:                     | Size (acres): 2.88                    |
| Investigator(s):                        | Wetland Classification(s): PSSR, PFOR |

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| Location - Legal: T6N R10W 28, 28AB  | Tax Lot(s)     |
| Other: South of Avenue U bridge, west of Highway 101   | 61028 300, 304 |
| Hydrologic Basin: Necanicum  | 61028AB 1000   |
| Soil - Mapped Series: Humitropepts-Tropaquepts Complex, 0 to 20% slope<br>Nestucca Silt Loam, 0 to 3 percent slope |                |
| Hydrologic Source: Surfacewater  |                |

Dominant Wetland Vegetation:

| TREES | SHRUBS | VINES | HERBS |
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Comments:  
Wetland is south of Avenue U bridge, west of Highway 101 and adjacent to the Seaside Golf Course. This wetland area, including palustrine scrub-shrub, and palustrine forested is tidally influenced, seasonally.

Wetland Classifications Codes:  
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PAB = palustrine aquatic bed    E2EM = estuarine intertidal emergent    E2FO = estuarine intertidal forested  
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| Dates(s) of field verification: Offsite | Wetland Mapping Code: NEC-6     |
| Data Sheet Numbers:                     | Size (acres): 7.89              |
| Investigator(s):                        | Wetland Classification(s): PFOR |

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| Location - Legal: T6N R10W 28, 28CC, 28CD  | Tax Lot(s)            |
| Other: West of Highway 101   | 61028 300, 302        |
| Hydrologic Basin: Necanicum  | 61028CC               |
| Soil - Mapped Series: Humitropepts-Tropaquepts Complex, 0 to 20% slope<br>Nestucca Silt Loam, 0 to 3 percent slope | 61028CD 100, 200, 300 |
| Hydrologic Source: Surfacewater  |                       |

Dominant Wetland Vegetation:

| TREES | SHRUBS | VINES | HERBS |
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Comments:  
Wetland is west of Highway 101 and adjacent to the Seaside Golf Course. This wetland is a seasonal, tidally influenced, palustrine forested area. Adjacent to delineation 95-0296. Riparian forest on either side of the Necanicum River.

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| Dates(s) of field verification: 29 Jun 98 | Wetland Mapping Code: NEC-7         |
| Data Sheet Numbers: #6, #7                | Size (acres): 156.36                |
| Investigator(s): KLT, KMT                 | Wetland Classification(s): PFO, PEM |

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| Location - Legal: T6N R10W 28, 28CC, 28CD, 28DC, 33<br>T5N R10W 4A<br>Other: West of Highway 101<br>Hydrologic Basin: Necanicum              | Tax Lot(s)<br>5104A 700, 800<br>61028 300, 1002, 1004, 1101,<br>1102<br>61028CC<br>61028CD 201<br>61028DC 100<br>61033 100, 201, 300, 400, 500,<br>501, 700, 701, 800, 1202, 1203,<br>1400, 1401, 1402, 1500 |
| Soil - Mapped Series: Nehalem Silt Loam, 0 to 3 percent slope<br>Nestucca Silt Loam, 0 to 3 percent slope<br>Hydrologic Source: Surfacewater |  |

Dominant Wetland Vegetation:

| TREES       | SHRUBS            | VINES | HERBS                   |
|-------------|-------------------|-------|-------------------------|
| Alnus rubra | Rubus spectabilis |       | Juncus effusus          |
|             |                   |       | Lotus pinnatus          |
|             |                   |       | Ranunculus occidentalis |
|             |                   |       | Lysichitum americanum   |
|             |                   |       | Ranunculus repens       |
|             |                   |       | Carex obnupta           |
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Comments:  
Wetland is west of Highway 101 and south of the Seaside Golf Course. This wetland includes: the riparian corridor of the Necanicum River, emergent marsh on the Necanicum riverbank, seasonally flooded (palustrine emergent) pastureland in active use, and a seasonally flooded palustrine forested area. This area is south of delineation 95-0078.

Wetland Classifications Codes:

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PAB = palustrine aquatic bed    E2EM = estuarine intertidal emergent    E2FO = estuarine intertidal forested

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| Dates(s) of field verification: Offsite | Wetland Mapping Code: NEC-8     |
| Data Sheet Numbers:                     | Size (acres): 1.22              |
| Investigator(s):                        | Wetland Classification(s): PEMC |

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| Location - Legal: T6N R10W 33                                    | Tax Lot(s)       |
| Other: West of Highway 101, southwest of Circle Creek Campground | 61033 1202, 1203 |
| Hydrologic Basin: Necanicum                                      |                  |
| Soil - Mapped Series: Nestucca Silt Loam, 0 to 3 percent slope   |                  |
| Hydrologic Source: Surfacewater                                  |                  |

Dominant Wetland Vegetation:

| TREES | SHRUBS | VINES | HERBS |
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Comments:  
Isolated emergent marsh surrounded by forest.

Wetland Classifications Codes:  
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 PAB = palustrine aquatic bed    E2EM = estuarine intertidal emergent    E2FO = estuarine intertidal forested  
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| Dates(s) of field verification: 19 Jun 98, 20 Jul 98 | Wetland Mapping Code: TC-1                          |
| Data Sheet Numbers: # 8, # 9, # 10, # 11             | Size (acres): 64.58                                 |
| Investigator(s): KLT, KMT                            | Wetland Classification(s): PEMC, PFO, PSS, PUB, PAB |

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| Location - Legal: T6N R10W 10D, 15, 15CA  | Tax Lot(s)                               |
| Other: East of Highway 101, south of airport, east of Wahanna Road  | 61010D 1000, 2000, 2400, 2500, 3600-3900 |
| Hydrologic Basin: Thompson Creek, Stanley lake  | 61015 103, 200-2001, 2600, 2602          |
| Soil - Mapped Series: Gearhart Fine Sandy Loam, 3 to 15 percent slope<br>Bergsvik Mucky Peat, 0 to 1 percent slope<br>Brallier Mucky Peat, 0 to 1 percent slope | 61015CA 5100-5900                        |
| Hydrologic Source: Surfacewater   |  |

Dominant Wetland Vegetation:

| TREES | SHRUBS           | VINES | HERBS                |
|-------|------------------|-------|----------------------|
|       | Salix sitchensis |       | Juncus effusus       |
|       |                  |       | Carex obnupta        |
|       |                  |       | Atriplex patula      |
|       |                  |       | Potentilla anserina  |
|       |                  |       | Salicornia virginica |
|       |                  |       | Eleocharis palustris |
|       |                  |       | Veronica americana   |
|       |                  |       | Scirpus microcarpus  |
|       |                  |       |                      |

Comments:  
On-site analysis. Includes both saline-influenced and freshwater wetlands. A recent tidegate removal near the airport seems to have affected the vegetation and hydrology. This is a forested and emergent wetland that is seasonally flooded.

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| Dates(s) of field verification: offsite | Wetland Mapping Code: TC-2      |
| Data Sheet Numbers:                     | Size (acres): 22.78             |
| Investigator(s):                        | Wetland Classification(s): PEMC |

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| Location - Legal: T6N R10W 15  | Tax Lot(s)          |
| Other: South of Lewis and Clark Road, east of Wahanna Road   | 61015 100, 102, 103 |
| Hydrologic Basin: Thompson Creek   |                     |
| Soil - Mapped Series: Brenner Silt Loam, 0 to 3 percent slope<br>Warrenton loamy fine sand, 0 to 3 percent slope |                     |
| Hydrologic Source: Surfacewater  |                     |

Dominant Wetland Vegetation:

| TREES | SHRUBS | VINES | HERBS |
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Comments:  
Offsite analysis. Estuarine, emergent, seasonally flooded wetland that is used for pastureland.

Wetland Classifications Codes:  
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| Dates(s) of field verification: 20 Jul 98 | Wetland Mapping Code: TC-3            |
| Data Sheet Numbers: #12, #13              | Size (acres): 27.48                   |
| Investigator(s): KLT, KMT                 | Wetland Classification(s): PEMC, PFOC |

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| Location - Legal: T6N R10W 15, 15CD  | Tax Lot(s)                            |
| Other: South of 12th Avenue, east of Wahanna Road  | 61015 1800, 1900,<br>2002, 2100, 2700 |
| Hydrologic Basin: Thompson Creek   | 61015CD 1500-1901                     |
| Soil - Mapped Series: Bergsvik Mucky Peat, 0 to 1 percent slope<br>Gearhart fine sandy loam, 3 to 15 percent slope |                                       |
| Hydrologic Source: Surfacewater  |                                       |

Dominant Wetland Vegetation:

| TREES            | SHRUBS           | VINES | HERBS                 |
|------------------|------------------|-------|-----------------------|
| Picea sitchensis | Spirea douglasii |       | Lysichitum americanum |
|                  | Salix hookerina  |       | Oenanthe sarmentosa   |
|                  | Alnus rubra      |       | Carex obnupta         |
|                  |                  |       | Juncus effusus        |
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Comments:  
Onsite analysis. West of shore terrace development. Emergent and forested wetland, seasonally flooded.

Wetland Classifications Codes:

PFO = palustrine forested PSS = palustrine scrub - shrub PEM = palustrine emergent PUB = palustrine unconsolidated  
PAB = palustrine aquatic bed E2EM = estuarine intertidal emergent E2FO = estuarine intertidal forested

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|---|---|
| Dates(s) of field verification: offsite | Wetland Mapping Code: TC-4                |
| Data Sheet Numbers:                     | Size (acres): 35.18                       |
| Investigator(s):                        | Wetland Classification(s): PEM, PFOC, PSS |

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| Location - Legal: T6N R10W 22, 22BA  | Tax Lot(s)          |
| Other: South of Shore Terrace Road, east of Wahanna Road   | 61022 300, 302, 305 |
| Hydrologic Basin: Thompson Creek   | 61022BA 100-600     |
| Soil - Mapped Series: Bergsvik Mucky Feat, 0 to 1 percent slope<br>Gearhart fine sandy loam, 3 to 15 percent slope |                     |
| Hydrologic Source: Surfacewater, groundwater from seasonal springs   |                     |

Dominant Wetland Vegetation:

| TREES            | SHRUBS | VINES | HERBS               |
|------------------|--------|-------|---------------------|
| Picea sitchensis |        |       | Potentilla anserina |
| Alnus rubra      |        |       | Juncus effusus      |
|                  |        |       | Carex obnupta       |
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Comments:  
Offsite analysis. South of Shore Terrace development. Emergent, scrub-shrub, and forested wetland, seasonally flooded.

Wetland Classifications Codes:  
PFO = palustrine forested PSS = palustrine scrub - shrub PEM = palustrine emergent PUB = palustrine unconsolidated  
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# APPENDIX C

## OFWAM DATA AND SUMMARY

# Oregon Freshwater Wetland Assessment Methodology



|  |                |                          |          |
|--|----------------|--------------------------|----------|
| Project Name: City of Seaside Local Wetlands Inventory |                | Date: September 18, 1998 |          |
| Project Location: City of Seaside                      |                | Offsite Assessment?: Yes |          |
| Wetland Code:  | NEA-1          | Wetland Type(s):         | E2EM     |
| Wetland Location:                                      | Neawanna Creek |                          |          |
| Approx. Area (acres)                                   | 5.31           | Investigator(s)          | KLT, KMT |

## Function and Condition Assessment

| Wildlife Habitat |   | Fish Habitat |   | Water Quality |   | Hydrologic Control |   | Sensitivity to Impact |   |
|------------------|---|--------------|---|---------------|---|--------------------|---|-----------------------|---|
| Q                | A | Q            | A | Q             | A | Q                  | A | Q                     | A |
| Q-1              | B | Q-1          | A | Q-1           | A | Q-1                | A | Q-1                   | A |
| Q-2              | B | Q-2          | A | Q-2           | A | Q-2                | A | Q-2                   | A |
| Q-3              | C | Q-3          | A | Q-3           | A | Q-3                | A | Q-3                   | C |
| Q-4              | A | Q-4          | A | Q-4           | A | Q-4                | C | Q-4                   | C |
| Q-5              | A | Q-5          | C | Q-5           | C | Q-5                | B | Q-5                   | A |
| Q-6              | A | Q-6          | A | Q-6           | C | Q-6                | C | Q-6                   | B |
| Q-7              | A |              |   |               |   | Q-7                | A |                       |   |
| Q-8              | A |              |   |               |   |                    |   |                       |   |
| Q-9A             |   |              |   |               |   |                    |   |                       |   |
| Q-9B             | B |              |   |               |   |                    |   |                       |   |

### Results:

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| Wildlife Habitat      | Wetland provides diverse wildlife habitat          |
| Fish Habitat          | Wetland's fish habitat function is intact          |
| Water Quality         | Wetland's water quality function is intact         |
| Hydrologic Control    | Wetland's hydrologic control function is intact    |
| Sensitivity to Impact | Wetland is potentially sensitive to future impacts |

## Function and Condition Assessment

| Enhancement Potential |   | Education |   | Recreation |   | Aesthetic Quality |   |
|-----------------------|---|-----------|---|------------|---|-------------------|---|
| Q                     | A | Q         | A | Q          | A | Q                 | A |
| Q-1                   |   | Q-1       | B | Q-1        | B | Q-1               | B |
| Q-2                   | A | Q-2       | B | Q-2        | B | Q-2               | A |
| Q-3                   | A | Q-3       | A | Q-3        | C | Q-3               | C |
| Q-4                   | A | Q-4       | B | Q-4        | A | Q-4               | B |
| Q-5B                  | A | Q-5       | A | Q-5        | A | Q-5               | B |
| Q-6                   | B | Q-6       | B | Q-6        | B | Q-6               | B |

|                       |   |
|-----------------------|---|
| Enhancement Potential | Wetland has moderate potential for enhancement                  |
| Education             | Wetland has potential for educational use                       |
| Recreation            | Wetland has the potential to provide recreational opportunities |
| Aesthetic Quality     | Wetland is considered to be moderately pleasing                 |

# Oregon Freshwater Wetland Assessment Methodology

## Function and Condition Summary Sheet for OFWAM



Project Name: City of Seaside Local Wetlands Inventory

Wetland Code: NEA - 1

| Function              | Assessment                              | Rationale  |
|-----------------------|---|--|
| Wildlife Habitat      | Provides diverse habitat for wildlife   | Woody debris, vegetative buffer  |
| Fish Habitat          | Intact                                  | Sensitive species, adjacent to Newanna Creek   |
| Water Quality         | Intact                                  | Evidence of flooding, dominant adjacent land use is open space   |
| Hydrologic Control    | Intact                                  | Surrounded by floodplain   |
| Sensitivity to Impact | Potentially sensitive to future impacts | Development is located upstream  |
| Enhancement Potential | Moderate enhancement potential          | Provides diverse wildlife habitat and vegetative buffer. Does not have high potential for enhancement because fish and wildlife are intact.                                      |
| Education             | Potential to provide educational uses   | Intact fish and wildlife but land would need to be purchased to create reasonable access. However, North Coast Lands Conservancy is interested in using this land for education. |
| Recreation            | Potential to provide recreational uses  | Trails and boat ramps can be created if there is an interest and access can be provided.   |
| Aesthetic Quality     | Moderately pleasing                     | Wetland is near a major highway, but is otherwise quite pleasing.  |

Oregon Freshwater Wetland Assessment Methodology



|  |                |                          |          |
|--|----------------|--------------------------|----------|
| Project Name: City of Seaside Local Wetlands Inventory |                | Date: September 18, 1998 |          |
| Project Location: City of Seaside                      |                | Offsite Assessment?: Yes |          |
| Wetland Code:  | NEA-2          | Wetland Type(s):         | E2EM     |
| Wetland Location:                                      | Neawanna Creek |                          |          |
| Approx. Area (acres)                                   | 10.43          | Investigator(s)          | KLT, KMT |

Function and Condition Assessment

| Wildlife Habitat |   | Fish Habitat |   | Water Quality |   | Hydrologic Control |   | Sensitivity to Impact |   |
|------------------|---|--------------|---|---------------|---|--------------------|---|-----------------------|---|
| Q                | A | Q            | A | Q             | A | Q                  | A | Q                     | A |
| Q-1              | B | Q-1          | C | Q-1           | A | Q-1                | A | Q-1                   | A |
| Q-2              | B | Q-2          | B | Q-2           | A | Q-2                | A | Q-2                   | A |
| Q-3              | C | Q-3          | C | Q-3           | A | Q-3                | A | Q-3                   | C |
| Q-4              | A | Q-4          | A | Q-4           | A | Q-4                | C | Q-4                   | A |
| Q-5              | A | Q-5          | C | Q-5           | A | Q-5                | B | Q-5                   | A |
| Q-6              | A | Q-6          | A | Q-6           | C | Q-6                | A | Q-6                   | B |
| Q-7              | A |              |   |               |   | Q-7                | A |                       |   |
| Q-8              | C |              |   |               |   |                    |   |                       |   |
| Q-9A             |   |              |   |               |   |                    |   |                       |   |
| Q-9B             | C |              |   |               |   |                    |   |                       |   |

Results:

|                       |   |
|-----------------------|---|
| Wildlife Habitat      | Wetland provides habitat for some wildlife species      |
| Fish Habitat          | Wetland's fish habitat function is impacted or degraded |
| Water Quality         | Wetland's water quality function is intact              |
| Hydrologic Control    | Wetland's hydrologic control function is intact         |
| Sensitivity to Impact | Wetland is potentially sensitive to future impacts      |

Function and Condition Assessment

| Enhancement Potential |   | Education |   | Recreation |   | Aesthetic Quality |   |
|-----------------------|---|-----------|---|------------|---|-------------------|---|
| Q                     | A | Q         | A | Q          | A | Q                 | A |
| Q-1                   | A | Q-1       | C | Q-1        | B | Q-1               | B |
| Q-2                   | A | Q-2       | B | Q-2        | A | Q-2               | A |
| Q-3                   | A | Q-3       | B | Q-3        | C | Q-3               | C |
| Q-4                   | A | Q-4       | B | Q-4        | B | Q-4               | B |
| Q-5B                  | C | Q-5       | B | Q-5        | A | Q-5               | B |
| Q-6                   | B | Q-6       | B | Q-6        | B | Q-6               | B |

|                       |   |
|-----------------------|---|
| Enhancement Potential | Wetland has high enhancement potential              |
| Education             | Wetland site is not appropriate for educational use |
| Recreation            | Wetland site provides recreational opportunities    |
| Aesthetic Quality     | Wetland is considered to be moderately pleasing     |

# Oregon Freshwater Wetland Assessment Methodology

## Function and Condition Summary Sheet for OFWAM



Project Name: City of Seaside Local Wetlands Inventory

Wetland Code: NEA - 2

| Function              | Assessment                              | Rationale  |
|-----------------------|---|--|
| Wildlife Habitat      | Provides habitat for some wildlife      | Urban, developed area with little vegetative buffer                |
| Fish Habitat          | Impacted or degraded                    | Highly modified and developed area                                 |
| Water Quality         | Intact                                  | Evidence of flooding   |
| Hydrologic Control    | Intact                                  | Adjacent floodplain  |
| Sensitivity to Impact | Potentially sensitive to future impacts | Development is located upstream                                    |
| Enhancement Potential | High enhancement potential              | Wetland is somewhat degraded, but many characteristics are intact. |
| Education             | N/A                                     | Limited public access  |
| Recreation            | Potential to provide recreational uses  | Access for boat ramps located within 1/2 mile                      |
| Aesthetic Quality     | Moderately pleasing                     | Wetland is located adjacent to a residential area                  |

# Oregon Freshwater Wetland Assessment Methodology



|  |  |                          |                 |
|--|--|--------------------------|-----------------|
| Project Name: City of Seaside Local Wetlands Inventory |  | Date: September 18, 1998 |                 |
| Project Location: City of Seaside                      |  | Offsite Assessment?: No  |                 |
| Wetland Code:  | NEA-3                                    | Wetland Type(s):         | E2EM, E2FO, PFO |
| Wetland Location:                                      | Neawanna Creek, north of Broadway Bridge |                          |                 |
| Approx. Area (acres)                                   | 15.48                                    | Investigator(s)          | KLT, KMT        |

## Function and Condition Assessment

| Wildlife Habitat |   | Fish Habitat |   | Water Quality |   | Hydrologic Control |   | Sensitivity to Impact |   |
|------------------|---|--------------|---|---------------|---|--------------------|---|-----------------------|---|
| Q                | A | Q            | A | Q             | A | Q                  | A | Q                     | A |
| Q-1              | A | Q-1          | C | Q-1           | A | Q-1                | A | Q-1                   | A |
| Q-2              | B | Q-2          | B | Q-2           | A | Q-2                | A | Q-2                   | A |
| Q-3              | B | Q-3          | C | Q-3           | A | Q-3                | A | Q-3                   | C |
| Q-4              | A | Q-4          | A | Q-4           | A | Q-4                | C | Q-4                   | A |
| Q-5              | A | Q-5          | C | Q-5           | A | Q-5                | B | Q-5                   | A |
| Q-6              | A | Q-6          | A | Q-6           | C | Q-6                | A | Q-6                   | B |
| Q-7              | A |              |   |               |   | Q-7                | A |                       |   |
| Q-8              | C |              |   |               |   |                    |   |                       |   |
| Q-9A             |   |              |   |               |   |                    |   |                       |   |
| Q-9B             | C |              |   |               |   |                    |   |                       |   |

**Results:**

|                       |   |
|-----------------------|---|
| Wildlife Habitat      | Wetland provides habitat for some wildlife species      |
| Fish Habitat          | Wetland's fish habitat function is impacted or degraded |
| Water Quality         | Wetland's water quality function is intact              |
| Hydrologic Control    | Wetland's hydrologic control function is intact         |
| Sensitivity to Impact | Wetland is potentially sensitive to future impacts      |

## Function and Condition Assessment

| Enhancement Potential |   | Education |   | Recreation |   | Aesthetic Quality |   |
|-----------------------|---|-----------|---|------------|---|-------------------|---|
| Q                     | A | Q         | A | Q          | A | Q                 | A |
| Q-1                   | A | Q-1       | B | Q-1        | A | Q-1               | A |
| Q-2                   | A | Q-2       | B | Q-2        | A | Q-2               | A |
| Q-3                   | A | Q-3       | B | Q-3        | C | Q-3               | C |
| Q-4                   | A | Q-4       | B | Q-4        | B | Q-4               | B |
| Q-5B                  | C | Q-5       | A | Q-5        | A | Q-5               | B |
| Q-6                   | B | Q-6       | B | Q-6        | B | Q-6               | B |

**Results:**

|                       |  |
|-----------------------|--|
| Enhancement Potential | Wetland has high enhancement potential           |
| Education             | Wetland site has potential for educational use   |
| Recreation            | Wetland site provides recreational opportunities |
| Aesthetic Quality     | Wetland is considered to be moderately pleasing  |

# Oregon Freshwater Wetland Assessment Methodology

## Function and Condition Summary Sheet for OFWAM



Project Name: City of Seaside Local Wetlands Inventory

Wetland Code: NEA - 3

| Function              | Assessment                              | Rationale   |
|-----------------------|---|---|
| Wildlife Habitat      | Provides habitat for some wildlife      | Urban, developed area with little vegetative buffer   |
| Fish Habitat          | Impacted or degraded                    | Highly modified and developed area  |
| Water Quality         | Intact                                  | Evidence of flooding  |
| Hydrologic Control    | Intact                                  | Adjacent floodplain   |
| Sensitivity to Impact | Potentially sensitive to future impacts | Development is located upstream   |
| Enhancement Potential | High enhancement potential              | Wetland is somewhat degraded, but many characteristics are intact.                                      |
| Education             | Potential to provide educational uses   | Access provided through Broadway Park; however, landowner permission is required to really explore site |
| Recreation            | Wetland provides recreational uses      | Boat ramp at Broadway Park  |
| Aesthetic Quality     | Moderately pleasing                     | Wetland is located adjacent to Factory Outlet Mall and Trailer park                                     |

Oregon Freshwater Wetland Assessment Methodology



|  |   |                  |                          |  |  |
|--|---|------------------|--------------------------|--|--|
| Project Name: City of Seaside Local Wetlands Inventory |   |                  | Date: September 18, 1998 |  |  |
| Project Location: City of Seaside                      |   |                  | Offsite Assessment?: No  |  |  |
| Wetland Code:  | NEA-4                                     | Wetland Type(s): | E2EM, PEM, PFO, PSS      |  |  |
| Wetland Location:                                      | Neawanna Creek, south of Broadway Bridge, |                  | including the Mill Ponds |  |  |
| Approx. Area (acres)                                   | 214.15                                    | Investigator(s)  | KLT, KMT                 |  |  |

Function and Condition Assessment

| Wildlife Habitat |   | Fish Habitat |   | Water Quality |   | Hydrologic Control |   | Sensitivity to Impact |   |
|------------------|---|--------------|---|---------------|---|--------------------|---|-----------------------|---|
| Q                | A | Q            | A | Q             | A | Q                  | A | Q                     | A |
| Q-1              | A | Q-1          | C | Q-1           | A | Q-1                | A | Q-1                   | A |
| Q-2              | A | Q-2          | A | Q-2           | A | Q-2                | A | Q-2                   | A |
| Q-3              | A | Q-3          | B | Q-3           | A | Q-3                | A | Q-3                   | C |
| Q-4              | A | Q-4          | A | Q-4           | A | Q-4                | C | Q-4                   | A |
| Q-5              | A | Q-5          | C | Q-5           | A | Q-5                | A | Q-5                   | C |
| Q-6              | A | Q-6          | A | Q-6           | C | Q-6                | A | Q-6                   | A |
| Q-7              | A |              |   |               |   | Q-7                | C |                       |   |
| Q-8              | C |              |   |               |   |                    |   |                       |   |
| Q-9A             |   |              |   |               |   |                    |   |                       |   |
| Q-9B             | A |              |   |               |   |                    |   |                       |   |

Results:

|                       |   |
|-----------------------|---|
| Wildlife Habitat      | Wetland provides diverse wildlife habitat               |
| Fish Habitat          | Wetland's fish habitat function is impacted or degraded |
| Water Quality         | Wetland's water quality function is intact              |
| Hydrologic Control    | Wetland's hydrologic control function is intact         |
| Sensitivity to Impact | Wetland is potentially sensitive to future impacts      |

Function and Condition Assessment

| Enhancement Potential |   | Education |   | Recreation |   | Aesthetic Quality |   |
|-----------------------|---|-----------|---|------------|---|-------------------|---|
| Q                     | A | Q         | A | Q          | A | Q                 | A |
| Q-1                   | A | Q-1       | B | Q-1        | B | Q-1               | A |
| Q-2                   | A | Q-2       | B | Q-2        | B | Q-2               | B |
| Q-3                   | A | Q-3       | B | Q-3        | C | Q-3               | A |
| Q-4                   | A | Q-4       | B | Q-4        | A | Q-4               | A |
| Q-5B                  | A | Q-5       | B | Q-5        | A | Q-5               | A |
| Q-6                   | B | Q-6       | B | Q-6        | B | Q-6               | A |

|                       |  |
|-----------------------|--|
| Enhancement Potential | Wetland has high enhancement potential                               |
| Education             | Wetland site has potential for educational use                       |
| Recreation            | Wetland site has the potential to provide recreational opportunities |
| Aesthetic Quality     | Wetland is considered to be pleasing                                 |

# Oregon Freshwater Wetland Assessment Methodology

## Function and Condition Summary Sheet for OFWAM



Project Name: City of Seaside Local Wetlands Inventory

Wetland Code: NEA - 4

| Function              | Assessment                              | Rationale  |
|-----------------------|---|--|
| Wildlife Habitat      | Provides diverse wildlife habitat       | Urban, developed area with little vegetative buffer  |
| Fish Habitat          | Impacted or degraded                    | Highly modified and developed area   |
| Water Quality         | Intact                                  | Evidence of flooding and ponding, with a large percentage of wetland vegetative cover  |
| Hydrologic Control    | Intact                                  | Adjacent floodplain  |
| Sensitivity to Impact | Potentially sensitive to future impacts | Surrounding area is zoned residential and development is located upstream  |
| Enhancement Potential | High enhancement potential              | Developed areas surround the wetland and little vegetated buffer/riparian area exists  |
| Education             | Potential to provide educational uses   | North Coast Land Conservancy owns a large majority of this wetland and local schools utilize this site for educational purposes - intact emergent wetland with substantial wildlife. |
| Recreation            | Potential to provide recreational uses  | Boat ramp is located within one-half mile, kayaks and canoes use this site   |
| Aesthetic Quality     | Pleasing                                | Intact wetland with little developed structures surrounding site   |

# Oregon Freshwater Wetland Assessment Methodology



|  |  |                          |           |
|--|--|--------------------------|-----------|
| Project Name: City of Seaside Local Wetlands Inventory |  | Date: September 18, 1998 |           |
| Project Location: City of Seaside                      |  | Offsite Assessment?: Yes |           |
| Wetland Code:  | NEC-1  | Wetland Type(s):         | EZEM, PSS |
| Wetland Location:                                      | Necanicum Estuary, area north of Avenue G Bridge |                          |           |
| Approx. Area (acres)                                   | 44.51  | Investigator(s)          | KLT, KMT  |

## Function and Condition Assessment

| Wildlife Habitat |   | Fish Habitat |   | Water Quality |   | Hydrologic Control |   | Sensitivity to Impact |   |
|------------------|---|--------------|---|---------------|---|--------------------|---|-----------------------|---|
| Q                | A | Q            | A | Q             | A | Q                  | A | Q                     | A |
| Q-1              | A | Q-1          | C | Q-1           | A | Q-1                | A | Q-1                   | A |
| Q-2              | B | Q-2          | C | Q-2           | A | Q-2                | A | Q-2                   | A |
| Q-3              | C | Q-3          | C | Q-3           | A | Q-3                | A | Q-3                   | B |
| Q-4              | A | Q-4          | B | Q-4           | A | Q-4                | C | Q-4                   | A |
| Q-5              | A | Q-5          | C | Q-5           | A | Q-5                | B | Q-5                   | A |
| Q-6              | A | Q-6          | A | Q-6           | B | Q-6                | A | Q-6                   | B |
| Q-7              | B |              |   |               |   | Q-7                | A |                       |   |
| Q-8              | A |              |   |               |   |                    |   |                       |   |
| Q-9A             |   |              |   |               |   |                    |   |                       |   |
| Q-9B             | C |              |   |               |   |                    |   |                       |   |

### Results:

|                       |   |
|-----------------------|---|
| Wildlife Habitat      | Wetland provides habitat for some wildlife species      |
| Fish Habitat          | Wetland's fish habitat function is impacted or degraded |
| Water Quality         | Wetland's water quality function is intact              |
| Hydrologic Control    | Wetland's hydrologic control function is intact         |
| Sensitivity to Impact | Wetland is potentially sensitive to future impacts      |

## Function and Condition Assessment

| Enhancement Potential |   | Education |   | Recreation |   | Aesthetic Quality |   |
|-----------------------|---|-----------|---|------------|---|-------------------|---|
| Q                     | A | Q         | A | Q          | A | Q                 | A |
| Q-1                   | A | Q-1       | A | Q-1        | B | Q-1               | A |
| Q-2                   | A | Q-2       | B | Q-2        | B | Q-2               | A |
| Q-3                   | A | Q-3       | B | Q-3        | C | Q-3               | C |
| Q-4                   | A | Q-4       | B | Q-4        | B | Q-4               | C |
| Q-5B                  | C | Q-5       | B | Q-5        | A | Q-5               | B |
| Q-6                   | B | Q-6       | B | Q-6        | B | Q-6               | B |

|                       |  |
|-----------------------|--|
| Enhancement Potential | Wetland has high enhancement potential                               |
| Education             | Wetland site has potential for educational use                       |
| Recreation            | Wetland site has the potential to provide recreational opportunities |
| Aesthetic Quality     | Wetland is not pleasing  |

# Oregon Freshwater Wetland Assessment Methodology

## Function and Condition Summary Sheet for OFWAM



**Project Name:** City of Seaside Local Wetlands Inventory

**Wetland Code:** NEC - 1

| Function              | Assessment                                 | Rationale   |
|-----------------------|--|---|
| Wildlife Habitat      | Provides habitat for some wildlife species | Urban, developed area with little vegetative buffer   |
| Fish Habitat          | Impacted or degraded                       | Highly modified and developed area  |
| Water Quality         | Intact                                     | Evidence of flooding  |
| Hydrologic Control    | Intact                                     | Adjacent floodplain   |
| Sensitivity to Impact | Potentially sensitive to future impacts    | Surrounding area is zoned residential and development is located upstream                                     |
| Enhancement Potential | High enhancement potential                 | Degraded wetland, surrounded by developed uses  |
| Education             | Potential to provide educational uses      | Viewing areas are available from 12th Street bridge   |
| Recreation            | Potential to provide recreational uses     | Fishing and accessible by boat  |
| Aesthetic Quality     | Not pleasing                               | Visual detractors exist (sewage treatment plant and extensive urban development) and cannot be removed easily |

# Oregon Freshwater Wetland Assessment Methodology



|  |  |                          |                 |
|--|--|--------------------------|-----------------|
| Project Name: City of Seaside Local Wetlands Inventory |  | Date: September 18, 1998 |                 |
| Project Location: City of Seaside                      |  | Offsite Assessment?: Yes |                 |
| Wetland Code:  | NEC-2  | Wetland Type(s):         | E2EM, E2FO, PSS |
| Wetland Location:                                      | Necanicum River, area south of Avenue G bridge |                          |                 |
| Approx. Area (acres)                                   | 8.66   | Investigator(s)          | KLT, KMT        |

## Function and Condition Assessment

| Wildlife Habitat |   | Fish Habitat |   | Water Quality |   | Hydrologic Control |   | Sensitivity to Impact |   |
|------------------|---|--------------|---|---------------|---|--------------------|---|-----------------------|---|
| Q                | A | Q            | A | Q             | A | Q                  | A | Q                     | A |
| Q-1              | A | Q-1          | C | Q-1           | A | Q-1                | A | Q-1                   | A |
| Q-2              | B | Q-2          | C | Q-2           | A | Q-2                | A | Q-2                   | A |
| Q-3              | B | Q-3          | C | Q-3           | A | Q-3                | A | Q-3                   | B |
| Q-4              | A | Q-4          | B | Q-4           | A | Q-4                | C | Q-4                   | A |
| Q-5              | A | Q-5          | C | Q-5           | A | Q-5                | B | Q-5                   | A |
| Q-6              | A | Q-6          | A | Q-6           | B | Q-6                | A | Q-6                   | B |
| Q-7              | B |              |   |               |   | Q-7                | A |                       |   |
| Q-8              | C |              |   |               |   |                    |   |                       |   |
| Q-9A             |   |              |   |               |   |                    |   |                       |   |
| Q-9B             | C |              |   |               |   |                    |   |                       |   |

### Results:

|                       |   |
|-----------------------|---|
| Wildlife Habitat      | Wetland provides habitat for some wildlife species      |
| Fish Habitat          | Wetland's fish habitat function is impacted or degraded |
| Water Quality         | Wetland's water quality function is intact              |
| Hydrologic Control    | Wetland's hydrologic control function is intact         |
| Sensitivity to Impact | Wetland is potentially sensitive to future impacts      |

## Function and Condition Assessment

| Enhancement Potential |   | Education |   | Recreation |   | Aesthetic Quality |   |
|-----------------------|---|-----------|---|------------|---|-------------------|---|
| Q                     | A | Q         | A | Q          | A | Q                 | A |
| Q-1                   | A | Q-1       | B | Q-1        | B | Q-1               | A |
| Q-2                   | A | Q-2       | B | Q-2        | B | Q-2               | A |
| Q-3                   | A | Q-3       | B | Q-3        | C | Q-3               | C |
| Q-4                   | A | Q-4       | B | Q-4        | B | Q-4               | B |
| Q-5B                  | C | Q-5       | B | Q-5        | A | Q-5               | B |
| Q-6                   | B | Q-6       | B | Q-6        | B | Q-6               | B |

|                       |  |
|-----------------------|--|
| Enhancement Potential | Wetland has high enhancement potential                               |
| Education             | Wetland site has potential for educational use                       |
| Recreation            | Wetland site has the potential to provide recreational opportunities |
| Aesthetic Quality     | Wetland is considered to be moderately pleasing                      |

# Oregon Freshwater Wetland Assessment Methodology

## Function and Condition Summary Sheet for OFWAM

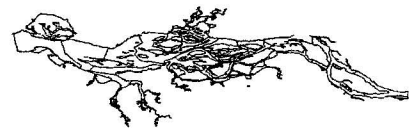


Project Name: City of Seaside Local Wetlands Inventory

Wetland Code: NEC - 2

| Function              | Assessment                                 | Rationale   |
|-----------------------|--|---|
| Wildlife Habitat      | Provides habitat for some wildlife species | Urban, developed area   |
| Fish Habitat          | Impacted or degraded                       | Highly modified and developed area  |
| Water Quality         | Intact                                     | Evidence of flooding  |
| Hydrologic Control    | Intact                                     | Adjacent to 100 year floodplain   |
| Sensitivity to Impact | Potentially sensitive to future impacts    | Surrounding area is zoned residential and commercial uses and development is located upstream |
| Enhancement Potential | High enhancement potential                 | Degraded wetland, surrounded by developed uses  |
| Education             | Potential to provide educational uses      | Viewing areas are available from Avenue G bridge  |
| Recreation            | Potential to provide recreational uses     | Fishing and accessible by boat  |
| Aesthetic Quality     | Moderately pleasing                        | Visual distractors, adjacent to developed downtown area                                       |

Oregon Freshwater Wetland Assessment Methodology



|  |                          |                          |          |
|--|--------------------------|--------------------------|----------|
| Project Name: City of Seaside Local Wetlands Inventory |                          | Date: September 18, 1998 |          |
| Project Location: City of Seaside                      |                          | Offsite Assessment?: Yes |          |
| Wetland Code:  | NEC-3                    | Wetland Type(s):         | PSS      |
| Wetland Location:                                      | Area west of Mantle Lake |                          |          |
| Approx. Area (acres)                                   | 1.52                     | Investigator(s)          | KLT, KMT |

Function and Condition Assessment

| Wildlife Habitat |   | Fish Habitat |   | Water Quality |   | Hydrologic Control |   | Sensitivity to Impact |   |
|------------------|---|--------------|---|---------------|---|--------------------|---|-----------------------|---|
| Q                | A | Q            | A | Q             | A | Q                  | A | Q                     | A |
| Q-1              | A | Q-1          | C | Q-1           | B | Q-1                | A | Q-1                   | A |
| Q-2              | B | Q-2          |   | Q-2           | A | Q-2                | A | Q-2                   | B |
| Q-3              | C | Q-3          |   | Q-3           | A | Q-3                | B | Q-3                   | B |
| Q-4              | A | Q-4          |   | Q-4           | B | Q-4                | A | Q-4                   | A |
| Q-5              | B | Q-5          | C | Q-5           | A | Q-5                | B | Q-5                   | A |
| Q-6              | B | Q-6          | B | Q-6           | B | Q-6                | A | Q-6                   | B |
| Q-7              | A |              |   |               |   | Q-7                | B |                       |   |
| Q-8              | C |              |   |               |   |                    |   |                       |   |
| Q-9A             |   |              |   |               |   |                    |   |                       |   |
| Q-9B             | C |              |   |               |   |                    |   |                       |   |

Results:

|                       |   |
|-----------------------|---|
| Wildlife Habitat      | Wetland provides habitat for some wildlife species      |
| Fish Habitat          | Wetland's fish habitat function is impacted or degraded |
| Water Quality         | Wetland's water quality function is intact              |
| Hydrologic Control    | Wetland's hydrologic control function is intact         |
| Sensitivity to Impact | Wetland is potentially sensitive to future impacts      |

Function and Condition Assessment

| Enhancement Potential |   | Education |   | Recreation |   | Aesthetic Quality |   |
|-----------------------|---|-----------|---|------------|---|-------------------|---|
| Q                     | A | Q         | A | Q          | A | Q                 | A |
| Q-1                   | A | Q-1       | C | Q-1        | C | Q-1               | B |
| Q-2                   | C | Q-2       | B | Q-2        | C | Q-2               | A |
| Q-3                   | B | Q-3       | B | Q-3        | C | Q-3               | C |
| Q-4                   | B | Q-4       | B | Q-4        | B | Q-4               | C |
| Q-5B                  | B | Q-5       | C | Q-5        | B | Q-5               | B |
| Q-6                   | B | Q-6       | B | Q-6        | B | Q-6               | B |

|                       |   |
|-----------------------|---|
| Enhancement Potential | Wetland has high enhancement potential                                    |
| Education             | Wetland site is not appropriate for educational use                       |
| Recreation            | Wetland is not appropriate or does not provide recreational opportunities |
| Aesthetic Quality     | Wetland is not pleasing   |

# Oregon Freshwater Wetland Assessment Methodology

## Function and Condition Summary Sheet for OFWAM



Project Name: City of Seaside Local Wetlands Inventory

Wetland Code: NEC - 3

| Function              | Assessment  | Rationale  |
|-----------------------|---|--|
| Wildlife Habitat      | Provides habitat for some wildlife species                | Urban, developed area  |
| Fish Habitat          | Impacted or degraded                                      | Highly modified and developed system                         |
| Water Quality         | Intact  | Evidence of flooding   |
| Hydrologic Control    | Intact  | Adjacent to 100 year floodplain, highly modified use         |
| Sensitivity to Impact | Potentially sensitive to future impacts                   | Surrounding area is zoned residential and area is enclosed   |
| Enhancement Potential | High enhancement potential                                | Minimum riparian buffer surrounded by developed uses         |
| Education             | Not appropriate for educational uses                      | Enclosed lake surrounded by developed residential structures |
| Recreation            | Not appropriate for or does not provide recreational uses | No public access   |
| Aesthetic Quality     | Not pleasing  | Visual distractors, adjacent to developed subdivision        |

# Oregon Freshwater Wetland Assessment Methodology



|  |                                      |                          |          |
|--|--------------------------------------|--------------------------|----------|
| Project Name: City of Seaside Local Wetlands Inventory |                                      | Date: September 18, 1998 |          |
| Project Location: City of Seaside                      |                                      | Offsite Assessment?: Yes |          |
| Wetland Code:  | NEC-4                                | Wetland Type(s):         | PUB      |
| Wetland Location:                                      | Mantle Lake, west of Necanicum River |                          |          |
| Approx. Area (acres)                                   | 1.15                                 | Investigator(s)          | KLT, KMT |

## Function and Condition Assessment

| Wildlife Habitat |   | Fish Habitat |   | Water Quality |   | Hydrologic Control |   | Sensitivity to Impact |   |
|------------------|---|--------------|---|---------------|---|--------------------|---|-----------------------|---|
| Q                | A | Q            | A | Q             | A | Q                  | A | Q                     | A |
| Q-1              | A | Q-1          | C | Q-1           | B | Q-1                | A | Q-1                   | A |
| Q-2              | B | Q-2          |   | Q-2           | A | Q-2                | A | Q-2                   | B |
| Q-3              | C | Q-3          |   | Q-3           | A | Q-3                | B | Q-3                   | B |
| Q-4              | A | Q-4          |   | Q-4           | B | Q-4                | A | Q-4                   | A |
| Q-5              | B | Q-5          | C | Q-5           | A | Q-5                | B | Q-5                   | A |
| Q-6              | B | Q-6          | B | Q-6           | B | Q-6                | A | Q-6                   | B |
| Q-7              | A |              |   |               |   | Q-7                | B |                       |   |
| Q-8              | C |              |   |               |   |                    |   |                       |   |
| Q-9A             |   |              |   |               |   |                    |   |                       |   |
| Q-9B             | C |              |   |               |   |                    |   |                       |   |

### Results:

|                       |   |
|-----------------------|---|
| Wildlife Habitat      | Wetland provides habitat for some wildlife species      |
| Fish Habitat          | Wetland's fish habitat function is impacted or degraded |
| Water Quality         | Wetland's water quality function is intact              |
| Hydrologic Control    | Wetland's hydrologic control function is intact         |
| Sensitivity to Impact | Wetland is potentially sensitive to future impacts      |

## Function and Condition Assessment

| Enhancement Potential |   | Education |   | Recreation |   | Aesthetic Quality |   |
|-----------------------|---|-----------|---|------------|---|-------------------|---|
| Q                     | A | Q         | A | Q          | A | Q                 | A |
| Q-1                   | A | Q-1       | C | Q-1        | C | Q-1               | B |
| Q-2                   | C | Q-2       | B | Q-2        | C | Q-2               | A |
| Q-3                   | B | Q-3       | B | Q-3        | C | Q-3               | C |
| Q-4                   | B | Q-4       | B | Q-4        | B | Q-4               | C |
| Q-5B                  | B | Q-5       | C | Q-5        | B | Q-5               | B |
| Q-6                   | B | Q-6       | B | Q-6        | B | Q-6               | B |

|                       |   |
|-----------------------|---|
| Enhancement Potential | Wetland has high enhancement potential                                    |
| Education             | Wetland site is not appropriate for educational use                       |
| Recreation            | Wetland is not appropriate or does not provide recreational opportunities |
| Aesthetic Quality     | Wetland is not pleasing   |

# Oregon Freshwater Wetland Assessment Methodology

## Function and Condition Summary Sheet for OFWAM



Project Name: City of Seaside Local Wetlands Inventory

Wetland Code: NEC - 4

| Function              | Assessment  | Rationale  |
|-----------------------|---|--|
| Wildlife Habitat      | Provides habitat for some wildlife species                | Urban, developed area  |
| Fish Habitat          | Impacted or degraded                                      | Highly modified and developed system                         |
| Water Quality         | Intact  | Evidence of flooding   |
| Hydrologic Control    | Intact  | Adjacent to 100 year floodplain, highly modified use         |
| Sensitivity to Impact | Potentially sensitive to future impacts                   | Surrounding area is zoned residential and area is enclosed   |
| Enhancement Potential | High enhancement potential                                | Minimum riparian buffer surrounded by developed uses         |
| Education             | Not appropriate for educational uses                      | Enclosed lake surrounded by developed residential structures |
| Recreation            | Not appropriate for or does not provide recreational uses | No public access   |
| Aesthetic Quality     | Not pleasing  | Visual distractors, adjacent to developed subdivision        |

# Oregon Freshwater Wetland Assessment Methodology



|  |   |                          |          |
|--|---|--------------------------|----------|
| Project Name: City of Seaside Local Wetlands Inventory |   | Date: September 18, 1998 |          |
| Project Location: City of Seaside                      |   | Offsite Assessment?: Yes |          |
| Wetland Code:  | NEC-5                                     | Wetland Type(s):         | PFO, PSS |
| Wetland Location:                                      | Necanicum River, south of Avenue U Bridge |                          |          |
| Approx. Area (acres)                                   | 2.97                                      | Investigator(s)          | KLT, KMT |

## Function and Condition Assessment

| Wildlife Habitat |   | Fish Habitat |   | Water Quality |   | Hydrologic Control |   | Sensitivity to Impact |   |
|------------------|---|--------------|---|---------------|---|--------------------|---|-----------------------|---|
| Q                | A | Q            | A | Q             | A | Q                  | A | Q                     | A |
| Q-1              | B | Q-1          | C | Q-1           | A | Q-1                | A | Q-1                   | A |
| Q-2              | A | Q-2          | A | Q-2           | A | Q-2                | A | Q-2                   | A |
| Q-3              | B | Q-3          | C | Q-3           | A | Q-3                | B | Q-3                   | B |
| Q-4              | B | Q-4          | B | Q-4           | B | Q-4                | B | Q-4                   | A |
| Q-5              | A | Q-5          | C | Q-5           | A | Q-5                | A | Q-5                   | A |
| Q-6              | A | Q-6          | A | Q-6           | B | Q-6                | A | Q-6                   | A |
| Q-7              | B |              |   |               |   | Q-7                | B |                       |   |
| Q-8              | C |              |   |               |   |                    |   |                       |   |
| Q-9A             |   |              |   |               |   |                    |   |                       |   |
| Q-9B             | C |              |   |               |   |                    |   |                       |   |

### Results:

|                       |   |
|-----------------------|---|
| Wildlife Habitat      | Wetland provides habitat for some wildlife species      |
| Fish Habitat          | Wetland's fish habitat function is impacted or degraded |
| Water Quality         | Wetland's water quality function is intact              |
| Hydrologic Control    | Wetland's hydrologic control function is intact         |
| Sensitivity to Impact | Wetland is potentially sensitive to future impacts      |

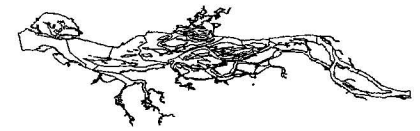
## Function and Condition Assessment

| Enhancement Potential |   | Education |   | Recreation |   | Aesthetic Quality |   |
|-----------------------|---|-----------|---|------------|---|-------------------|---|
| Q                     | A | Q         | A | Q          | A | Q                 | A |
| Q-1                   | A | Q-1       | B | Q-1        | B | Q-1               | B |
| Q-2                   | A | Q-2       | B | Q-2        | C | Q-2               | A |
| Q-3                   | A | Q-3       | B | Q-3        | C | Q-3               | C |
| Q-4                   | B | Q-4       | B | Q-4        | B | Q-4               | B |
| Q-5B                  | C | Q-5       | B | Q-5        | A | Q-5               | B |
| Q-6                   | B | Q-6       | B | Q-6        | B | Q-6               | B |

|                       |  |
|-----------------------|--|
| Enhancement Potential | Wetland has high enhancement potential                               |
| Education             | Wetland site has potential for educational use                       |
| Recreation            | Wetland site has the potential to provide recreational opportunities |
| Aesthetic Quality     | Wetland is considered to be moderately pleasing                      |

# Oregon Freshwater Wetland Assessment Methodology

## Function and Condition Summary Sheet for OFWAM

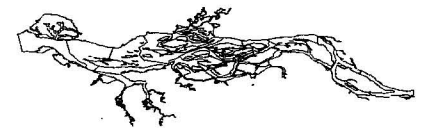


**Project Name:** City of Seaside Local Wetlands Inventory

**Wetland Code:** NEC - 5

| Function              | Assessment                                 | Rationale   |
|-----------------------|--|---|
| Wildlife Habitat      | Provides habitat for some wildlife species | Urban, developed area   |
| Fish Habitat          | Impacted or degraded                       | Highly modified and developed system  |
| Water Quality         | Intact                                     | Evidence of flooding  |
| Hydrologic Control    | Intact                                     | Adjacent to floodway modified channel                                       |
| Sensitivity to Impact | Potentially sensitive to future impacts    | Surrounding area is zoned open space; however, adjacent land is Highway 101 |
| Enhancement Potential | High enhancement potential                 | Other functions degraded minimum riparian buffer                            |
| Education             | Potential to provide educational uses      | Viewing area from Highway 101 or Avenue U bridge                            |
| Recreation            | Potential to provide recreational uses     | Boat ramp is within one mile  |
| Aesthetic Quality     | Moderately pleasing                        | Visual distractors, adjacent to Highway 101                                 |

Oregon Freshwater Wetland Assessment Methodology



|  |  |                          |          |
|--|--|--------------------------|----------|
| Project Name: City of Seaside Local Wetlands Inventory |  | Date: September 18, 1998 |          |
| Project Location: City of Seaside                      |  | Offsite Assessment?: Yes |          |
| Wetland Code:  | NEC-6  | Wetland Type(s):         | PFO      |
| Wetland Location:                                      | Necanicum River, adjacent to Seaside Golf Course |                          |          |
| Approx. Area (acres)                                   | 7.89   | Investigator(s)          | KLT, KMT |

Function and Condition Assessment

| Wildlife Habitat |   | Fish Habitat |   | Water Quality |   | Hydrologic Control |   | Sensitivity to Impact |   |
|------------------|---|--------------|---|---------------|---|--------------------|---|-----------------------|---|
| Q                | A | Q            | A | Q             | A | Q                  | A | Q                     | A |
| Q-1              | A | Q-1          | C | Q-1           | A | Q-1                | A | Q-1                   | B |
| Q-2              | A | Q-2          | A | Q-2           | A | Q-2                | A | Q-2                   | B |
| Q-3              | C | Q-3          | C | Q-3           | A | Q-3                | A | Q-3                   | B |
| Q-4              | A | Q-4          | B | Q-4           | A | Q-4                | C | Q-4                   | B |
| Q-5              | A | Q-5          | B | Q-5           | B | Q-5                | A | Q-5                   | B |
| Q-6              | A | Q-6          | A | Q-6           | B | Q-6                | B | Q-6                   | A |
| Q-7              | B |              |   |               |   | Q-7                | B |                       |   |
| Q-8              | B |              |   |               |   |                    |   |                       |   |
| Q-9A             |   |              |   |               |   |                    |   |                       |   |
| Q-9B             | C |              |   |               |   |                    |   |                       |   |

Results:

|                       |   |
|-----------------------|---|
| Wildlife Habitat      | Wetland provides habitat for some wildlife species      |
| Fish Habitat          | Wetland's fish habitat function is impacted or degraded |
| Water Quality         | Wetland's water quality function is intact              |
| Hydrologic Control    | Wetland's hydrologic control function is intact         |
| Sensitivity to Impact | Wetland is potentially sensitive to future impacts      |

Function and Condition Assessment

| Enhancement Potential |   | Education |   | Recreation |   | Aesthetic Quality |   |
|-----------------------|---|-----------|---|------------|---|-------------------|---|
| Q                     | A | Q         | A | Q          | A | Q                 | A |
| Q-1                   | A | Q-1       | B | Q-1        | C | Q-1               |   |
| Q-2                   | A | Q-2       | B | Q-2        | A | Q-2               |   |
| Q-3                   | A | Q-3       | B | Q-3        | C | Q-3               |   |
| Q-4                   | A | Q-4       | B | Q-4        | B | Q-4               |   |
| Q-5B                  | C | Q-5       | C | Q-5        | A | Q-5               |   |
| Q-6                   | B | Q-6       | B | Q-6        | B | Q-6               |   |

|                       |  |
|-----------------------|--|
| Enhancement Potential | Wetland has high enhancement potential           |
| Education             | Wetland site has potential for educational use   |
| Recreation            | Wetland site provides recreational opportunities |
| Aesthetic Quality     | N/A  |

# Oregon Freshwater Wetland Assessment Methodology

## Function and Condition Summary Sheet for OFWAM



Project Name: City of Seaside Local Wetlands Inventory

Wetland Code: NEC - 6

| Function              | Assessment                                 | Rationale   |
|-----------------------|--|---|
| Wildlife Habitat      | Provides habitat for some wildlife species | Connected to Necanicum River                          |
| Fish Habitat          | Impacted or degraded                       | Sensitive species in river                            |
| Water Quality         | Intact                                     | Evidence of flooding                                  |
| Hydrologic Control    | Intact                                     | Adjacent to floodway                                  |
| Sensitivity to Impact | Potentially sensitive to future impacts    | Surrounding area is zoned open space, urbanizing area |
| Enhancement Potential | High enhancement potential                 | Other functions degraded                              |
| Education             | Potential to provide educational uses      | No access, except from Seaside Golf Course            |
| Recreation            | Wetland provides recreational uses         | Canoe and kayaking, fishing                           |
| Aesthetic Quality     | N/A  | Only one Cowardin class, no access                    |

Oregon Freshwater Wetland Assessment Methodology



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|--|--|--------------------------|---------------|
| Project Name: City of Seaside Local Wetlands Inventory |  | Date: September 18, 1998 |               |
| Project Location: City of Seaside                      |  | Offsite Assessment?: No  |               |
| Wetland Code:  | NEC-7  | Wetland Type(s):         | PFO, PEM, PSS |
| Wetland Location:                                      | Necanicum River, south of golf course, west of Hwy 101 |                          |               |
| Approx. Area (acres)                                   | 156.36   | Investigator(s)          | KLT, KMT      |

Function and Condition Assessment

| Wildlife Habitat |   | Fish Habitat |   | Water Quality |   | Hydrologic Control |   | Sensitivity to Impact |   |
|------------------|---|--------------|---|---------------|---|--------------------|---|-----------------------|---|
| Q                | A | Q            | A | Q             | A | Q                  | A | Q                     | A |
| Q-1              | A | Q-1          | A | Q-1           | A | Q-1                | A | Q-1                   | B |
| Q-2              | A | Q-2          | A | Q-2           | A | Q-2                | A | Q-2                   | B |
| Q-3              | A | Q-3          |   | Q-3           | A | Q-3                | A | Q-3                   | B |
| Q-4              | A | Q-4          | B | Q-4           | A | Q-4                | C | Q-4                   | B |
| Q-5              | A | Q-5          | B | Q-5           | B | Q-5                | A | Q-5                   | B |
| Q-6              | A | Q-6          | A | Q-6           | B | Q-6                | B | Q-6                   | A |
| Q-7              | B |              |   |               |   | Q-7                | C |                       |   |
| Q-8              | B |              |   |               |   |                    |   |                       |   |
| Q-9A             |   |              |   |               |   |                    |   |                       |   |
| Q-9B             | A |              |   |               |   |                    |   |                       |   |

Results:

|                       |  |
|-----------------------|--|
| Wildlife Habitat      | Wetland provides diverse wildlife habitat          |
| Fish Habitat          | Wetland's fish habitat function is intact          |
| Water Quality         | Wetland's water quality function is intact         |
| Hydrologic Control    | Wetland's hydrologic control function is intact    |
| Sensitivity to Impact | Wetland is potentially sensitive to future impacts |

Function and Condition Assessment

| Enhancement Potential |   | Education |   | Recreation |   | Aesthetic Quality |   |
|-----------------------|---|-----------|---|------------|---|-------------------|---|
| Q                     | A | Q         | A | Q          | A | Q                 | A |
| Q-1                   |   | Q-1       | B | Q-1        | B | Q-1               |   |
| Q-2                   | A | Q-2       | B | Q-2        | A | Q-2               |   |
| Q-3                   | A | Q-3       | A | Q-3        | C | Q-3               |   |
| Q-4                   | A | Q-4       | C | Q-4        | A | Q-4               |   |
| Q-5B                  | A | Q-5       | B | Q-5        | A | Q-5               |   |
| Q-6                   | B | Q-6       | B | Q-6        | B | Q-6               |   |

Results:

|                       |  |
|-----------------------|--|
| Enhancement Potential | Wetland has moderate enhancement potential       |
| Education             | Wetland site has potential for educational use   |
| Recreation            | Wetland site provides recreational opportunities |
| Aesthetic Quality     | N/A  |

# Oregon Freshwater Wetland Assessment Methodology

## Function and Condition Summary Sheet for OFWAM



Project Name: City of Seaside Local Wetlands Inventory

Wetland Code: NEC - 7

| Function              | Assessment                              | Rationale   |
|-----------------------|---|---|
| Wildlife Habitat      | Provides diverse wildlife habitat       | Connected to Necanicum River and other wetland areas, vegetative buffer |
| Fish Habitat          | Intact                                  | Sensitive species in river, adjacent to Necanicum River                 |
| Water Quality         | Intact                                  | Evidence of flooding  |
| Hydrologic Control    | Intact                                  | Adjacent to floodway  |
| Sensitivity to Impact | Potentially sensitive to future impacts | Surrounding area is zoned exclusive farm use                            |
| Enhancement Potential | Moderate enhancement potential          | Wetland is in good condition, not much to enhance                       |
| Education             | Potential to provide educational uses   | No public access, except along Highway 101                              |
| Recreation            | Wetland provides recreational uses      | Canoe and kayaking, fishing   |
| Aesthetic Quality     | N/A                                     | Not very visible from road  |

# Oregon Freshwater Wetland Assessment Methodology



|  |                                       |                          |          |
|--|---------------------------------------|--------------------------|----------|
| Project Name: City of Seaside Local Wetlands Inventory |                                       | Date: September 18, 1998 |          |
| Project Location: City of Seaside                      |                                       | Offsite Assessment?: Yes |          |
| Wetland Code:  | NEC-8                                 | Wetland Type(s):         | PEM      |
| Wetland Location:                                      | West of Hwy 101, north of Rippet Road |                          |          |
| Approx. Area (acres)                                   | 1.22                                  | Investigator(s)          | KLT, KMT |

## Function and Condition Assessment

| Wildlife Habitat |   | Fish Habitat |   | Water Quality |   | Hydrologic Control |   | Sensitivity to Impact |   |
|------------------|---|--------------|---|---------------|---|--------------------|---|-----------------------|---|
| Q                | A | Q            | A | Q             | A | Q                  | A | Q                     | A |
| Q-1              | B | Q-1          |   | Q-1           | B | Q-1                | A | Q-1                   |   |
| Q-2              | A | Q-2          |   | Q-2           | A | Q-2                | A | Q-2                   |   |
| Q-3              | C | Q-3          |   | Q-3           | A | Q-3                | B | Q-3                   | B |
| Q-4              |   | Q-4          |   | Q-4           | B | Q-4                | B | Q-4                   | B |
| Q-5              | B | Q-5          |   | Q-5           | B | Q-5                | B | Q-5                   | B |
| Q-6              | A | Q-6          |   | Q-6           | B | Q-6                | B | Q-6                   | A |
| Q-7              | A |              |   |               |   | Q-7                | C |                       |   |
| Q-8              | B |              |   |               |   |                    |   |                       |   |
| Q-9A             |   |              |   |               |   |                    |   |                       |   |
| Q-9B             | A |              |   |               |   |                    |   |                       |   |

### Results:

|                       |  |
|-----------------------|--|
| Wildlife Habitat      | Wetland provides diverse wildlife habitat          |
| Fish Habitat          | N/A  |
| Water Quality         | Wetland's water quality function is intact         |
| Hydrologic Control    | Wetland's hydrologic control function is impacted  |
| Sensitivity to Impact | Wetland is potentially sensitive to future impacts |

## Function and Condition Assessment

| Enhancement Potential |   | Education |   | Recreation |   | Aesthetic Quality |   |
|-----------------------|---|-----------|---|------------|---|-------------------|---|
| Q                     | A | Q         | A | Q          | A | Q                 | A |
| Q-1                   | B | Q-1       | C | Q-1        | C | Q-1               | C |
| Q-2                   | C | Q-2       | B | Q-2        | C | Q-2               |   |
| Q-3                   | A | Q-3       | B | Q-3        | C | Q-3               |   |
| Q-4                   | B | Q-4       | C | Q-4        | A | Q-4               |   |
| Q-5B                  | A | Q-5       | C | Q-5        | B | Q-5               |   |
| Q-6                   | B | Q-6       | B | Q-6        | B | Q-6               |   |

|                       |  |
|-----------------------|--|
| Enhancement Potential | Wetland has moderate enhancement potential   |
| Education             | Wetland site is not appropriate for educational use                                |
| Recreation            | Wetland site is not appropriate for or does not provide recreational opportunities |
| Aesthetic Quality     | N/A  |

# Oregon Freshwater Wetland Assessment Methodology

## Function and Condition Summary Sheet for OFWAM



Project Name: City of Seaside Local Wetlands Inventory

Wetland Code: NEC - 8

| Function              | Assessment   | Rationale  |
|-----------------------|--|--|
| Wildlife Habitat      | Provides diverse wildlife habitat                                  | Connected to other wetland areas, woody vegetation     |
| Fish Habitat          | N/A  | No fish habitat  |
| Water Quality         | Intact   | Evidence of flooding                                   |
| Hydrologic Control    | Impacted   | Adjacent to floodway                                   |
| Sensitivity to Impact | Potentially sensitive to future impacts                            | Surrounding area is zoned exclusive farm use           |
| Enhancement Potential | Moderate enhancement potential                                     | Wetland is in good condition, diverse wildlife habitat |
| Education             | Not appropriate for educational uses                               | No public access                                       |
| Recreation            | Not appropriate for or does not provide recreational opportunities | No public access, no boating or fishing                |
| Aesthetic Quality     | N/A  | Not able to evaluate                                   |

# Oregon Freshwater Wetland Assessment Methodology



|  |  |                          |                          |
|--|--|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| Project Name: City of Seaside Local Wetlands Inventory |  | Date: September 18, 1998 |                          |
| Project Location: City of Seaside                      |  | Offsite Assessment?: No  |                          |
| Wetland Code:  | TC-1   | Wetland Type(s):         | PEM, PFO, P SS, PAB, PUB |
| Wetland Location:                                      | East of Wahanna Rd, area surrounding airport, and adjacent to Stanley Lake |                          |                          |
| Approx. Area (acres)                                   | 64.58  | Investigator(s)          | KLT, KMT                 |

## Function and Condition Assessment

| Wildlife Habitat | Fish Habitat | Water Quality | Hydrologic Control | Sensitivity to Impact |
|------------------|--------------|---------------|--------------------|-----------------------|
| Q A              | Q A          | Q A           | Q A                | Q A                   |
| Q-1 A            | Q-1 C        | Q-1 A         | Q-1 A              | Q-1 A                 |
| Q-2 B            | Q-2 A        | Q-2 A         | Q-2 A              | Q-2 A                 |
| Q-3 A            | Q-3 B        | Q-3 A         | Q-3 A              | Q-3 B                 |
| Q-4 A            | Q-4 B        | Q-4 A         | Q-4 B              | Q-4 A                 |
| Q-5 A            | Q-5 C        | Q-5 A         | Q-5 B              | Q-5 A                 |
| Q-6 A            | Q-6 A        | Q-6 C         | Q-6 A              | Q-6 C                 |
| Q-7 B            |              |               | Q-7 A              |                       |
| Q-8 C            |              |               |                    |                       |
| Q-9A             |              |               |                    |                       |
| Q-9B B           |              |               |                    |                       |

### Results:

|                       |   |
|-----------------------|---|
| Wildlife Habitat      | Wetland provides diverse wildlife habitat               |
| Fish Habitat          | Wetland's fish habitat function is impacted or degraded |
| Water Quality         | Wetland's water quality function is intact              |
| Hydrologic Control    | Wetland's hydrologic control function is intact         |
| Sensitivity to Impact | Wetland is potentially sensitive to future impacts      |

## Function and Condition Assessment

| Enhancement Potential | Education | Recreation | Aesthetic Quality |
|-----------------------|-----------|------------|-------------------|
| Q A                   | Q A       | Q A        | Q A               |
| Q-1 A                 | Q-1 B     | Q-1 B      | Q-1 A             |
| Q-2 A                 | Q-2 B     | Q-2 A      | Q-2 A             |
| Q-3 A                 | Q-3 B     | Q-3 C      | Q-3 A             |
| Q-4 A                 | Q-4 B     | Q-4 A      | Q-4 A             |
| Q-5B B                | Q-5 B     | Q-5 A      | Q-5 A             |
| Q-6 B                 | Q-6 B     | Q-6 A      | Q-6 A             |

|                       |   |
|-----------------------|---|
| Enhancement Potential | Wetland has high enhancement potential      |
| Education             | Wetland has potential for educational use   |
| Recreation            | Wetland provides recreational opportunities |
| Aesthetic Quality     | Wetland is considered to be pleasing        |

# Oregon Freshwater Wetland Assessment Methodology

## Function and Condition Summary Sheet for OFWAM



Project Name: City of Seaside Local Wetlands Inventory

Wetland Code: TC - 1

| Function              | Assessment                              | Rationale   |
|-----------------------|---|---|
| Wildlife Habitat      | Provides diverse wildlife habitat       | Variety of wetland classes, connected to other body of water or wetland       |
| Fish Habitat          | Impacted or degraded                    | Modified and developing area, not shaded                                      |
| Water Quality         | Intact                                  | Evidence of flooding  |
| Hydrologic Control    | Intact                                  | Adjacent to floodplain  |
| Sensitivity to Impact | Potentially sensitive to future impacts | Adjacent to Wahanna Road and development                                      |
| Enhancement Potential | High enhancement potential              | Wetland is somewhat degraded, but many characteristics are intact.            |
| Education             | Potential to provide educational uses   | Access is limited; however, viewing areas exist along Lewis and Clark Road    |
| Recreation            | Wetland provides recreational uses      | Adjacent to Stanley Lake, diverse wildlife habitat                            |
| Aesthetic Quality     | Pleasing                                | Wetland is located adjacent to Stanley Lake, substantial amount of open space |

Oregon Freshwater Wetland Assessment Methodology



|  |   |                          |          |
|--|---|--------------------------|----------|
| Project Name: City of Seaside Local Wetlands Inventory |   | Date: September 18, 1998 |          |
| Project Location: City of Seaside                      |   | Offsite Assessment?: Yes |          |
| Wetland Code:  | TC-2  | Wetland Type(s):         | PEM      |
| Wetland Location:                                      | East of Wahanna Rd, south of Lewis and Clark Rd |                          |          |
| Approx. Area (acres)                                   | 22.78   | Investigator(s)          | KLT, KMT |

Function and Condition Assessment

| Wildlife Habitat |   | Fish Habitat |   | Water Quality |   | Hydrologic Control |   | Sensitivity to Impact |   |
|------------------|---|--------------|---|---------------|---|--------------------|---|-----------------------|---|
| Q                | A | Q            | A | Q             | A | Q                  | A | Q                     | A |
| Q-1              | A | Q-1          | C | Q-1           | A | Q-1                | A | Q-1                   | B |
| Q-2              | B | Q-2          | A | Q-2           | A | Q-2                | A | Q-2                   | B |
| Q-3              | C | Q-3          | C | Q-3           | A | Q-3                | A | Q-3                   | C |
| Q-4              | C | Q-4          | A | Q-4           | A | Q-4                | B | Q-4                   | A |
| Q-5              | A | Q-5          | C | Q-5           | A | Q-5                | B | Q-5                   | A |
| Q-6              | A | Q-6          |   | Q-6           | C | Q-6                | A | Q-6                   | C |
| Q-7              | B |              |   |               |   | Q-7                | A |                       |   |
| Q-8              | C |              |   |               |   |                    |   |                       |   |
| Q-9A             |   |              |   |               |   |                    |   |                       |   |
| Q-9B             | C |              |   |               |   |                    |   |                       |   |

Results:

|                       |   |
|-----------------------|---|
| Wildlife Habitat      | Wetland provides habitat for some wildlife species      |
| Fish Habitat          | Wetland's fish habitat function is impacted or degraded |
| Water Quality         | Wetland's water quality function is intact              |
| Hydrologic Control    | Wetland's hydrologic control function is intact         |
| Sensitivity to Impact | Wetland is potentially sensitive to future impacts      |

Function and Condition Assessment

| Enhancement Potential |   | Education |   | Recreation |   | Aesthetic Quality |   |
|-----------------------|---|-----------|---|------------|---|-------------------|---|
| Q                     | A | Q         | A | Q          | A | Q                 | A |
| Q-1                   | A | Q-1       | B | Q-1        | B | Q-1               | B |
| Q-2                   | A | Q-2       | B | Q-2        |   | Q-2               |   |
| Q-3                   | A | Q-3       | B | Q-3        | C | Q-3               |   |
| Q-4                   | A | Q-4       | B | Q-4        | B | Q-4               |   |
| Q-5B                  | C | Q-5       | B | Q-5        | B | Q-5               |   |
| Q-6                   | B | Q-6       | B | Q-6        | B | Q-6               |   |

Results:

|                       |   |
|-----------------------|---|
| Enhancement Potential | Wetland has high enhancement potential                          |
| Education             | Wetland has potential for educational use                       |
| Recreation            | Wetland has the potential to provide recreational opportunities |
| Aesthetic Quality     | N/A   |

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## Function and Condition Summary Sheet for OFWAM

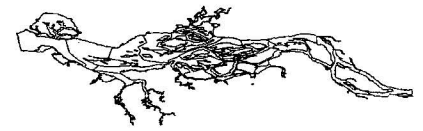


Project Name: City of Seaside Local Wetlands Inventory

Wetland Code: TC - 2

| Function              | Assessment                                 | Rationale  |
|-----------------------|--|--|
| Wildlife Habitat      | Provides habitat for some wildlife species | Connected to other wetlands, no vegetated buffer   |
| Fish Habitat          | Impacted or degraded                       | Modified and developing area, not directly connected to lake or river, land used for grazing |
| Water Quality         | Intact                                     | Evidence of flooding   |
| Hydrologic Control    | Intact                                     | Adjacent to floodplain   |
| Sensitivity to Impact | Potentially sensitive to future impacts    | Adjacent to Lewis and Clark Road and development   |
| Enhancement Potential | High enhancement potential                 | Other functions are degraded, open pasture   |
| Education             | Potential to provide educational uses      | No public access; however, limited viewing areas exist along Lewis and Clark Road            |
| Recreation            | Potential to provide recreational uses     | Provides habitat for some wildlife species   |
| Aesthetic Quality     | N/A  | No primary viewing area exists   |

Oregon Freshwater Wetland Assessment Methodology



|  |  |                          |          |
|--|--|--------------------------|----------|
| Project Name: City of Seaside Local Wetlands Inventory |  | Date: September 18, 1998 |          |
| Project Location: City of Seaside                      |  | Offsite Assessment?: No  |          |
| Wetland Code:  | TC-3                                     | Wetland Type(s):         | PEM, PFO |
| Wetland Location:                                      | East of Wahanna Rd, South of 12th Avenue |                          |          |
| Approx. Area (acres)                                   | 27.48                                    | Investigator(s)          | KLT, KMT |

Function and Condition Assessment

| Wildlife Habitat |   | Fish Habitat |   | Water Quality |   | Hydrologic Control |   | Sensitivity to Impact |   |
|------------------|---|--------------|---|---------------|---|--------------------|---|-----------------------|---|
| Q                | A | Q            | A | Q             | A | Q                  | A | Q                     | A |
| Q-1              | A | Q-1          |   | Q-1           | B | Q-1                | A | Q-1                   | A |
| Q-2              | A | Q-2          |   | Q-2           | A | Q-2                | A | Q-2                   | A |
| Q-3              | A | Q-3          |   | Q-3           | A | Q-3                | A | Q-3                   | B |
| Q-4              | C | Q-4          |   | Q-4           | A | Q-4                | A | Q-4                   | A |
| Q-5              | B | Q-5          |   | Q-5           | A | Q-5                | A | Q-5                   | A |
| Q-6              | A | Q-6          |   | Q-6           | B | Q-6                | A | Q-6                   | A |
| Q-7              | B |              |   |               |   | Q-7                | A |                       |   |
| Q-8              | C |              |   |               |   |                    |   |                       |   |
| Q-9A             |   |              |   |               |   |                    |   |                       |   |
| Q-9B             | C |              |   |               |   |                    |   |                       |   |

Results:

|                       |  |
|-----------------------|--|
| Wildlife Habitat      | Wetland provides habitat for some wildlife species |
| Fish Habitat          | N/A  |
| Water Quality         | Wetland's water quality function is intact         |
| Hydrologic Control    | Wetland's hydrologic control function is intact    |
| Sensitivity to Impact | Wetland is potentially sensitive to future impacts |

Function and Condition Assessment

| Enhancement Potential |   | Education |   | Recreation |   | Aesthetic Quality |   |
|-----------------------|---|-----------|---|------------|---|-------------------|---|
| Q                     | A | Q         | A | Q          | A | Q                 | A |
| Q-1                   | B | Q-1       | B | Q-1        | B | Q-1               |   |
| Q-2                   | C | Q-2       | B | Q-2        | C | Q-2               |   |
| Q-3                   | B | Q-3       | B | Q-3        | C | Q-3               |   |
| Q-4                   | A | Q-4       | B | Q-4        | B | Q-4               |   |
| Q-5B                  | C | Q-5       | B | Q-5        |   | Q-5               |   |
| Q-6                   | B | Q-6       | B | Q-6        | B | Q-6               |   |

Results:

|                       |   |
|-----------------------|---|
| Enhancement Potential | Wetland has little enhancement potential                        |
| Education             | Wetland has potential for educational use                       |
| Recreation            | Wetland has the potential to provide recreational opportunities |
| Aesthetic Quality     | N/A   |

# Oregon Freshwater Wetland Assessment Methodology

## Function and Condition Summary Sheet for OFWAM



Project Name: City of Seaside Local Wetlands Inventory

Wetland Code: TC - 3

| Function              | Assessment                                 | Rationale   |
|-----------------------|--|---|
| Wildlife Habitat      | Provides habitat for some wildlife species | Connected to other wetlands, no vegetated buffer                          |
| Fish Habitat          | N/A  | No fish habitat   |
| Water Quality         | Intact                                     | Evidence of flooding, surrounded by roads and development                 |
| Hydrologic Control    | Intact                                     | Adjacent to floodplain, restricted outlet                                 |
| Sensitivity to Impact | Potentially sensitive to future impacts    | Adjacent to Wahanna Road and Shore Terrace development                    |
| Enhancement Potential | High enhancement potential                 | Surrounded by urbanizing area, other functions not present                |
| Education             | Potential to provide educational uses      | No public access; however, limited viewing areas exist along Wahanna Road |
| Recreation            | Potential to provide recreational uses     | Provides habitat for some wildlife species                                |
| Aesthetic Quality     | N/A  | No primary viewing area exists  |

Oregon Freshwater Wetland Assessment Methodology



|  |  |                          |               |
|--|--|--------------------------|---------------|
| Project Name: City of Seaside Local Wetlands Inventory |  | Date: September 18, 1998 |               |
| Project Location: City of Seaside                      |  | Offsite Assessment?: Yes |               |
| Wetland Code:  | TC-4                                       | Wetland Type(s):         | PEM, PFO, PSS |
| Wetland Location:                                      | East of Wahanna Rd, South of Shore Terrace |                          |               |
| Approx. Area (acres)                                   | 35.18                                      | Investigator(s)          | KLT, KMT      |

Function and Condition Assessment

| Wildlife Habitat |   | Fish Habitat |   | Water Quality |   | Hydrologic Control |   | Sensitivity to Impact |   |
|------------------|---|--------------|---|---------------|---|--------------------|---|-----------------------|---|
| Q                | A | Q            | A | Q             | A | Q                  | A | Q                     | A |
| Q-1              | A | Q-1          | A | Q-1           | C | Q-1                | A | Q-1                   | B |
| Q-2              | A | Q-2          | A | Q-2           | A | Q-2                | A | Q-2                   | B |
| Q-3              | A | Q-3          | B | Q-3           | A | Q-3                | A | Q-3                   | C |
| Q-4              | C | Q-4          | A | Q-4           | A | Q-4                | A | Q-4                   | A |
| Q-5              | B | Q-5          | A | Q-5           | A | Q-5                | A | Q-5                   | A |
| Q-6              | A | Q-6          | A | Q-6           | C | Q-6                | A | Q-6                   | A |
| Q-7              | A |              |   |               |   | Q-7                | A |                       |   |
| Q-8              | A |              |   |               |   |                    |   |                       |   |
| Q-9A             |   |              |   |               |   |                    |   |                       |   |
| Q-9B             | B |              |   |               |   |                    |   |                       |   |

Results:

|                       |  |
|-----------------------|--|
| Wildlife Habitat      | Wetland provides diverse wildlife habitat                |
| Fish Habitat          | Wetland's fish habitat function is intact                |
| Water Quality         | Wetland's water quality function is impacted or degraded |
| Hydrologic Control    | Wetland's hydrologic control function is intact          |
| Sensitivity to Impact | Wetland is potentially sensitive to future impacts       |

Function and Condition Assessment

| Enhancement Potential |   | Education |   | Recreation |   | Aesthetic Quality |   |
|-----------------------|---|-----------|---|------------|---|-------------------|---|
| Q                     | A | Q         | A | Q          | A | Q                 | A |
| Q-1                   | A | Q-1       | B | Q-1        | B | Q-1               |   |
| Q-2                   | B | Q-2       | B | Q-2        | C | Q-2               |   |
| Q-3                   |   | Q-3       | A | Q-3        | C | Q-3               |   |
| Q-4                   | A | Q-4       | B | Q-4        | A | Q-4               |   |
| Q-5B                  | B | Q-5       | B | Q-5        | B | Q-5               |   |
| Q-6                   | B | Q-6       | B | Q-6        | B | Q-6               |   |

|                       |   |
|-----------------------|---|
| Enhancement Potential | Wetland has high enhancement potential                          |
| Education             | Wetland has potential for educational use                       |
| Recreation            | Wetland has the potential to provide recreational opportunities |
| Aesthetic Quality     | N/A   |

# Oregon Freshwater Wetland Assessment Methodology

## Function and Condition Summary Sheet for OFWAM



Project Name: City of Seaside Local Wetlands Inventory

Wetland Code: TC - 4

| Function              | Assessment                              | Rationale   |
|-----------------------|---|---|
| Wildlife Habitat      | Provides diverse wildlife habitat       | Variety of wetland classes, connected to other wetlands                   |
| Fish Habitat          | Intact                                  | Modified and developing area, not shaded, seasonal streams with fish      |
| Water Quality         | Impacted or degraded                    | Groundwater, seasonal streams   |
| Hydrologic Control    | Intact                                  | Adjacent to floodplain  |
| Sensitivity to Impact | Potentially sensitive to future impacts | Adjacent to Wahanna Road and development                                  |
| Enhancement Potential | High enhancement potential              | Other functions are degraded  |
| Education             | Potential to provide educational uses   | No public access; however, limited viewing areas exist along Wahanna Road |
| Recreation            | Potential to provide recreational uses  | Diverse wildlife habitat  |
| Aesthetic Quality     | N/A                                     | No primary viewing area exists  |

# **APPENDIX D**

## **LOCALLY SIGNIFICANT WETLANDS CRITERIA CHECKLISTS**

LSW Criteria Checklist

Evaluating Wetland # NEA-1 City: Seaside

**A. "OUT" Test** Wetlands that score "Yes" in any of the following categories do NOT proceed to Section B:

| Y | N |  |
|---|---|--|
|   | ✓ | Wetlands ARTIFICIALLY CREATED ENTIRELY FROM UPLAND that are:<br>(a) created for the purpose of controlling, storing, or maintaining stormwater;<br>(b) active surface mining or active log ponds;<br>(c) ditches without free & open connection to waters of the state AND w/o fish<br>(d) < 1 acre and unintentionally created from irrigation leak or construction activity<br>(e) created for the purpose of wastewater treatment, cranberry production, stock watering, settling of sediment, cooling industrial water, or as a golf course hazard |
|   | ✓ | Documented as being contaminated by hazardous substances, materials or wastes ("Hazmat sites")   |

**B. "IN" Those that meet ONE OR MORE of the following criteria are LSWs.**

| Y | N |   |
|---|---|---|
| ✓ |   | Wetlands that score the highest rank (stated in italics below) for <u>any</u> of the four ecological functions addressed by OFWAM or equivalent methodology:<br>✓ <i>diverse</i> wildlife habitat,<br>✓ <i>intact</i> fish habitat,<br>✓ <i>intact</i> water quality, or<br>✓ <i>intact</i> hydrologic control. |
|   |   | Wetlands that are rated in the second highest functional category for water quality (called <i>impacted or degraded</i> in OFWAM), <u>AND</u> that occur within 1/4 mile of a water quality-limited stream listed by DEQ.   |
|   | ✓ | Contain one or more rare/uncommon wetland plant communities in Oregon. (Most concise list is found as Appendix G in OFWAM).   |
| ✓ |   | Inhabited by any species listed by the federal or state government as a sensitive, threatened or endangered species in Oregon (unless consultation w/appropriate agency deems the site not important for the maintenance of the species).   |
| ✓ |   | Wetland rates in the second highest functional category for fish habitat (called <i>impacted or degraded</i> in OFWAM), and has a surface water connection to a stream segment that is mapped by ODFW as habitat for "indigenous anadromous salmonids."   |
|   |   | <i>Optional Criterion</i> (local discretion): Wetland represents a <i>locally</i> unique plant community.   |
|   |   | <i>Optional Criterion</i> (local discretion): Wetland rates in highest category for education potential (it must be publicly owned to rank that in OFWAM) and there is documented use for educational purposes by a school or organization.   |

**LSW Criteria Checklist**

Evaluating Wetland # NEA-2 City: Seaside

**A. "OUT" Test** Wetlands that score "Yes" in any of the following categories do NOT proceed to Section B:

| Y | N |  |
|---|---|--|
|   | ✓ | Wetlands ARTIFICIALLY CREATED ENTIRELY FROM UPLAND that are:<br>(a) created for the purpose of controlling, storing, or maintaining stormwater;<br>(b) active surface mining or active log ponds;<br>(c) ditches without free & open connection to waters of the state AND w/o fish<br>(d) < 1 acre and unintentionally created from irrigation leak or construction activity<br>(e) created for the purpose of wastewater treatment, cranberry production, stock watering, settling of sediment, cooling industrial water, or as a golf course hazard |
|   | ✓ | Documented as being contaminated by hazardous substances, materials or wastes ("Hazmat sites")   |

**B. "IN" Those that meet ONE OR MORE of the following criteria are LSWs.**

| Y | N |   |
|---|---|---|
| ✓ |   | Wetlands that score the highest rank (stated in italics below) for <u>any</u> of the four ecological functions addressed by OFWAM or equivalent methodology:<br>_____ <i>diverse</i> wildlife habitat,<br>_____ <i>intact</i> fish habitat,<br>✓ <i>intact</i> water quality, or<br>✓ <i>intact</i> hydrologic control. |
|   |   | Wetlands that are rated in the second highest functional category for water quality (called <i>impacted or degraded</i> in OFWAM), <u>AND</u> that occur within 1/4 mile of a water quality-limited stream listed by DEQ.   |
|   | ✓ | Contain one or more rare/uncommon wetland plant communities in Oregon. (Most concise list is found as Appendix G in OFWAM).   |
| ✓ |   | Inhabited by any species listed by the federal or state government as a sensitive, threatened or endangered species in Oregon (unless consultation w/appropriate agency deems the site not important for the maintenance of the species).   |
| ✓ |   | Wetland rates in the second highest functional category for fish habitat (called <i>impacted or degraded</i> in OFWAM), and has a surface water connection to a stream segment that is mapped by ODFW as habitat for "indigenous anadromous salmonids."   |
|   |   | <i>Optional Criterion</i> (local discretion): Wetland represents a <i>locally</i> unique plant community.   |
|   |   | <i>Optional Criterion</i> (local discretion): Wetland rates in highest category for education potential (it must be publicly owned to rank that in OFWAM) and there is documented use for educational purposes by a school or organization.   |

LSW Criteria Checklist

Evaluating Wetland # NEA-3 City: Seaside

**A. "OUT" Test** Wetlands that score "Yes" in any of the following categories do NOT proceed to Section B:

| Y | N |  |
|---|---|--|
|   | ✓ | Wetlands ARTIFICIALLY CREATED ENTIRELY FROM UPLAND that are:<br>(a) created for the purpose of controlling, storing, or maintaining stormwater;<br>(b) active surface mining or active log ponds;<br>(c) ditches without free & open connection to waters of the state AND w/o fish<br>(d) < 1 acre and unintentionally created from irrigation leak or construction activity<br>(e) created for the purpose of wastewater treatment, cranberry production, stock watering, settling of sediment, cooling industrial water, or as a golf course hazard |
|   | ✓ | Documented as being contaminated by hazardous substances, materials or wastes ("Hazmat sites")   |

**B. "IN" Those that meet ONE OR MORE of the following criteria are LSWs.**

| Y | N |   |
|---|---|---|
| ✓ |   | Wetlands that score the highest rank (stated in italics below) for <u>any</u> of the four ecological functions addressed by OFWAM or equivalent methodology:<br>_____ <i>diverse</i> wildlife habitat,<br>_____ <i>intact</i> fish habitat,<br>✓ <i>intact</i> water quality, or<br>✓ <i>intact</i> hydrologic control. |
|   |   | Wetlands that are rated in the second highest functional category for water quality (called <i>impacted or degraded</i> in OFWAM), <u>AND</u> that occur within 1/4 mile of a water quality-limited stream listed by DEQ.   |
| ✓ | ✓ | Contain one or more rare/uncommon wetland plant communities in Oregon. (Most concise list is found as Appendix G in OFWAM).   |
| ✓ |   | Inhabited by any species listed by the federal or state government as a sensitive, threatened or endangered species in Oregon (unless consultation w/appropriate agency deems the site not important for the maintenance of the species).   |
| ✓ |   | Wetland rates in the second highest functional category for fish habitat (called <i>impacted or degraded</i> in OFWAM), and has a surface water connection to a stream segment that is mapped by ODFW as habitat for "indigenous anadromous salmonids."   |
|   |   | <i>Optional Criterion</i> (local discretion): Wetland represents a <i>locally</i> unique plant community.   |
|   |   | <i>Optional Criterion</i> (local discretion): Wetland rates in highest category for education potential (it must be publicly owned to rank that in OFWAM) and there is documented use for educational purposes by a school or organization.   |

LSW Criteria Checklist

Evaluating Wetland # NEA-4 City: Seaside

**A. "OUT" Test** Wetlands that score "Yes" in any of the following categories do NOT proceed to Section B:

| Y | N |  |
|---|---|--|
|   | ✓ | Wetlands ARTIFICIALLY CREATED ENTIRELY FROM UPLAND that are:<br>(a) created for the purpose of controlling, storing, or maintaining stormwater;<br>(b) active surface mining or active log ponds;<br>(c) ditches without free & open connection to waters of the state AND w/o fish<br>(d) < 1 acre and unintentionally created from irrigation leak or construction activity<br>(e) created for the purpose of wastewater treatment, cranberry production, stock watering, settling of sediment, cooling industrial water, or as a golf course hazard |
|   | ✓ | Documented as being contaminated by hazardous substances, materials or wastes ("Hazmat sites")   |

**B. "IN" Those that meet ONE OR MORE of the following criteria are LSWs.**

| Y | N |   |
|---|---|---|
| ✓ |   | Wetlands that score the highest rank (stated in italics below) for <u>any</u> of the four ecological functions addressed by OFWAM or equivalent methodology:<br>✓ <i>diverse</i> wildlife habitat,<br>✓ <i>intact</i> fish habitat,<br>✓ <i>intact</i> water quality, or<br>✓ <i>intact</i> hydrologic control. |
|   |   | Wetlands that are rated in the second highest functional category for water quality (called <i>impacted or degraded</i> in OFWAM), <u>AND</u> that occur within 1/4 mile of a water quality-limited stream listed by DEQ.   |
|   | ✓ | Contain one or more rare/uncommon wetland plant communities in Oregon. (Most concise list is found as Appendix G in OFWAM).   |
| ✓ |   | Inhabited by any species listed by the federal or state government as a sensitive, threatened or endangered species in Oregon (unless consultation w/appropriate agency deems the site not important for the maintenance of the species).   |
| ✓ |   | Wetland rates in the second highest functional category for fish habitat (called <i>impacted or degraded</i> in OFWAM), and has a surface water connection to a stream segment that is mapped by ODFW as habitat for "indigenous anadromous salmonids."   |
|   |   | <i>Optional Criterion</i> (local discretion): Wetland represents a <i>locally</i> unique plant community.   |
|   |   | <i>Optional Criterion</i> (local discretion): Wetland rates in highest category for education potential (it must be publicly owned to rank that in OFWAM) and there is documented use for educational purposes by a school or organization.   |

LSW Criteria Checklist

Evaluating Wetland # NEC-1 City: Seaside

**A. "OUT" Test** Wetlands that score "Yes" in any of the following categories do NOT proceed to Section B:

| Y | N |  |
|---|---|--|
|   | ✓ | Wetlands ARTIFICIALLY CREATED ENTIRELY FROM UPLAND that are:<br>(a) created for the purpose of controlling, storing, or maintaining stormwater;<br>(b) active surface mining or active log ponds;<br>(c) ditches without free & open connection to waters of the state AND w/o fish<br>(d) < 1 acre and unintentionally created from irrigation leak or construction activity<br>(e) created for the purpose of wastewater treatment, cranberry production, stock watering, settling of sediment, cooling industrial water, or as a golf course hazard |
|   | ✓ | Documented as being contaminated by hazardous substances, materials or wastes ("Hazmat sites")   |

**B. "IN" Those that meet ONE OR MORE of the following criteria are LSWs.**

| Y | N |   |
|---|---|---|
| ✓ |   | Wetlands that score the highest rank (stated in italics below) for <u>any</u> of the four ecological functions addressed by OFWAM or equivalent methodology:<br>_____ <i>diverse</i> wildlife habitat,<br>_____ <i>intact</i> fish habitat,<br>✓_____ <i>intact</i> water quality, or<br>✓_____ <i>intact</i> hydrologic control. |
|   |   | Wetlands that are rated in the second highest functional category for water quality (called <i>impacted or degraded</i> in OFWAM), <u>AND</u> that occur within 1/4 mile of a water quality-limited stream listed by DEQ.   |
|   | ✓ | Contain one or more rare/uncommon wetland plant communities in Oregon. (Most concise list is found as Appendix G in OFWAM).   |
| ✓ |   | Inhabited by any species listed by the federal or state government as a sensitive, threatened or endangered species in Oregon (unless consultation w/appropriate agency deems the site not important for the maintenance of the species).   |
| ✓ |   | Wetland rates in the second highest functional category for fish habitat (called <i>impacted or degraded</i> in OFWAM), and has a surface water connection to a stream segment that is mapped by ODFW as habitat for "indigenous anadromous salmonids."   |
|   |   | <i>Optional Criterion</i> (local discretion): Wetland represents a <i>locally</i> unique plant community.   |
|   |   | <i>Optional Criterion</i> (local discretion): Wetland rates in highest category for education potential (it must be publicly owned to rank that in OFWAM) and there is documented use for educational purposes by a school or organization.   |

LSW Criteria Checklist

Evaluating Wetland # NEC-2 City: Seaside

**A. "OUT" Test** Wetlands that score "Yes" in any of the following categories do NOT proceed to Section B:

| Y | N |  |
|---|---|--|
|   | ✓ | Wetlands ARTIFICIALLY CREATED ENTIRELY FROM UPLAND that are:<br>(a) created for the purpose of controlling, storing, or maintaining stormwater;<br>(b) active surface mining or active log ponds;<br>(c) ditches without free & open connection to waters of the state AND w/o fish<br>(d) < 1 acre and unintentionally created from irrigation leak or construction activity<br>(e) created for the purpose of wastewater treatment, cranberry production, stock watering, settling of sediment, cooling industrial water, or as a golf course hazard |
|   | ✓ | Documented as being contaminated by hazardous substances, materials or wastes ("Hazmat sites")   |

**B. "IN" Those that meet ONE OR MORE of the following criteria are LSWs.**

| Y | N |   |
|---|---|---|
| ✓ |   | Wetlands that score the highest rank (stated in italics below) for <u>any</u> of the four ecological functions addressed by OFWAM or equivalent methodology:<br>_____ <i>diverse</i> wildlife habitat,<br>_____ <i>intact</i> fish habitat,<br>✓ <i>intact</i> water quality, or<br>✓ <i>intact</i> hydrologic control. |
|   |   | Wetlands that are rated in the second highest functional category for water quality (called <i>impacted or degraded</i> in OFWAM), <u>AND</u> that occur within 1/4 mile of a water quality-limited stream listed by DEQ.   |
|   | ✓ | Contain one or more rare/uncommon wetland plant communities in Oregon. (Most concise list is found as Appendix G in OFWAM).   |
| ✓ |   | Inhabited by any species listed by the federal or state government as a sensitive, threatened or endangered species in Oregon (unless consultation w/appropriate agency deems the site not important for the maintenance of the species).   |
| ✓ |   | Wetland rates in the second highest functional category for fish habitat (called <i>impacted or degraded</i> in OFWAM), and has a surface water connection to a stream segment that is mapped by ODFW as habitat for "indigenous anadromous salmonids."   |
|   |   | <i>Optional Criterion</i> (local discretion): Wetland represents a <i>locally</i> unique plant community.   |
|   |   | <i>Optional Criterion</i> (local discretion): Wetland rates in highest category for education potential (it must be publicly owned to rank that in OFWAM) and there is documented use for educational purposes by a school or organization.   |

LSW Criteria Checklist

Evaluating Wetland # NEC-3 City: Seaside

**A. "OUT" Test** Wetlands that score "Yes" in any of the following categories do NOT proceed to Section B:

| Y | N |  |
|---|---|--|
|   | ✓ | Wetlands ARTIFICIALLY CREATED ENTIRELY FROM UPLAND that are:<br>(a) created for the purpose of controlling, storing, or maintaining stormwater;<br>(b) active surface mining or active log ponds;<br>(c) ditches without free & open connection to waters of the state AND w/o fish<br>(d) < 1 acre and unintentionally created from irrigation leak or construction activity<br>(e) created for the purpose of wastewater treatment, cranberry production, stock watering, settling of sediment, cooling industrial water, or as a golf course hazard |
|   | ✓ | Documented as being contaminated by hazardous substances, materials or wastes ("Hazmat sites")   |

**B. "IN" Those that meet ONE OR MORE of the following criteria are LSWs.**

| Y | N |   |
|---|---|---|
| ✓ |   | Wetlands that score the highest rank (stated in italics below) for <u>any</u> of the four ecological functions addressed by OFWAM or equivalent methodology:<br>_____ <i>diverse</i> wildlife habitat,<br>_____ <i>intact</i> fish habitat,<br>✓ <i>intact</i> water quality, or<br>✓ <i>intact</i> hydrologic control. |
|   |   | Wetlands that are rated in the second highest functional category for water quality (called <i>impacted or degraded</i> in OFWAM), <u>AND</u> that occur within 1/4 mile of a water quality-limited stream listed by DEQ.   |
|   | ✓ | Contain one or more rare/uncommon wetland plant communities in Oregon. (Most concise list is found as Appendix G in OFWAM).   |
| ✓ |   | Inhabited by any species listed by the federal or state government as a sensitive, threatened or endangered species in Oregon (unless consultation w/appropriate agency deems the site not important for the maintenance of the species).   |
| ✓ |   | Wetland rates in the second highest functional category for fish habitat (called <i>impacted or degraded</i> in OFWAM), and has a surface water connection to a stream segment that is mapped by ODFW as habitat for "indigenous anadromous salmonids."   |
|   |   | <i>Optional Criterion</i> (local discretion): Wetland represents a <i>locally</i> unique plant community.   |
|   |   | <i>Optional Criterion</i> (local discretion): Wetland rates in highest category for education potential (it must be publicly owned to rank that in OFWAM) and there is documented use for educational purposes by a school or organization.   |

LSW Criteria Checklist

Evaluating Wetland # NEC-4 City: Seaside

**A. "OUT" Test** Wetlands that score "Yes" in any of the following categories do NOT proceed to Section B:

| Y | N |  |
|---|---|--|
|   | ✓ | Wetlands ARTIFICIALLY CREATED ENTIRELY FROM UPLAND that are:<br>(a) created for the purpose of controlling, storing, or maintaining stormwater;<br>(b) active surface mining or active log ponds;<br>(c) ditches without free & open connection to waters of the state AND w/o fish<br>(d) < 1 acre and unintentionally created from irrigation leak or construction activity<br>(e) created for the purpose of wastewater treatment, cranberry production, stock watering, settling of sediment, cooling industrial water, or as a golf course hazard |
|   | ✓ | Documented as being contaminated by hazardous substances, materials or wastes ("Hazmat sites")   |

**B. "IN" Those that meet ONE OR MORE of the following criteria are LSWs.**

| Y | N |   |
|---|---|---|
| ✓ |   | Wetlands that score the highest rank (stated in italics below) for <u>any</u> of the four ecological functions addressed by OFWAM or equivalent methodology:<br>_____ <i>diverse</i> wildlife habitat,<br>_____ <i>intact</i> fish habitat,<br>✓ <i>intact</i> water quality, or<br>✓ <i>intact</i> hydrologic control. |
|   |   | Wetlands that are rated in the second highest functional category for water quality (called <i>impacted or degraded</i> in OFWAM), <u>AND</u> that occur within 1/4 mile of a water quality-limited stream listed by DEQ.   |
|   | ✓ | Contain one or more rare/uncommon wetland plant communities in Oregon. (Most concise list is found as Appendix G in OFWAM).   |
| ✓ |   | Inhabited by any species listed by the federal or state government as a sensitive, threatened or endangered species in Oregon (unless consultation w/appropriate agency deems the site not important for the maintenance of the species).   |
| ✓ |   | Wetland rates in the second highest functional category for fish habitat (called <i>impacted or degraded</i> in OFWAM), and has a surface water connection to a stream segment that is mapped by ODFW as habitat for "indigenous anadromous salmonids."   |
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LSW Criteria Checklist

Evaluating Wetland # NEC-5 City: Seaside

**A. "OUT" Test**

Wetlands that score "Yes" in any of the following categories do NOT proceed to Section B:

| Y | N |  |
|---|---|--|
|   | ✓ | Wetlands ARTIFICIALLY CREATED ENTIRELY FROM UPLAND that are:<br>(a) created for the purpose of controlling, storing, or maintaining stormwater;<br>(b) active surface mining or active log ponds;<br>(c) ditches without free & open connection to waters of the state AND w/o fish<br>(d) < 1 acre and unintentionally created from irrigation leak or construction activity<br>(e) created for the purpose of wastewater treatment, cranberry production, stock watering, settling of sediment, cooling industrial water, or as a golf course hazard |
|   | ✓ | Documented as being contaminated by hazardous substances, materials or wastes ("Hazmat sites")   |

**B. "IN"**

Those that meet ONE OR MORE of the following criteria are LSWs.

| Y | N |   |
|---|---|---|
| ✓ |   | Wetlands that score the highest rank (stated in italics below) for <u>any</u> of the four ecological functions addressed by OFWAM or equivalent methodology:<br>_____ <i>diverse</i> wildlife habitat,<br>_____ <i>intact</i> fish habitat,<br>✓ <i>intact</i> water quality, or<br>✓ <i>intact</i> hydrologic control. |
|   |   | Wetlands that are rated in the second highest functional category for water quality (called <i>impacted or degraded</i> in OFWAM), <u>AND</u> that occur within 1/4 mile of a water quality-limited stream listed by DEQ.   |
|   | ✓ | Contain one or more rare/uncommon wetland plant communities in Oregon. (Most concise list is found as Appendix G in OFWAM).   |
| ✓ |   | Inhabited by any species listed by the federal or state government as a sensitive, threatened or endangered species in Oregon (unless consultation w/appropriate agency deems the site not important for the maintenance of the species).   |
| ✓ |   | Wetland rates in the second highest functional category for fish habitat (called <i>impacted or degraded</i> in OFWAM), and has a surface water connection to a stream segment that is mapped by ODFW as habitat for "indigenous anadromous salmonids."   |
|   |   | <i>Optional Criterion</i> (local discretion): Wetland represents a <i>locally</i> unique plant community.   |
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LSW Criteria Checklist

Evaluating Wetland # NEC-6 City: Seaside

**A. "OUT" Test** Wetlands that score "Yes" in any of the following categories do NOT proceed to Section B:

| Y | N |  |
|---|---|--|
|   | ✓ | Wetlands ARTIFICIALLY CREATED ENTIRELY FROM UPLAND that are:<br>(a) created for the purpose of controlling, storing, or maintaining stormwater;<br>(b) active surface mining or active log ponds;<br>(c) ditches without free & open connection to waters of the state AND w/o fish<br>(d) < 1 acre and unintentionally created from irrigation leak or construction activity<br>(e) created for the purpose of wastewater treatment, cranberry production, stock watering, settling of sediment, cooling industrial water, or as a golf course hazard |
|   | ✓ | Documented as being contaminated by hazardous substances, materials or wastes ("Hazmat sites")   |

**B. "IN" Those that meet ONE OR MORE of the following criteria are LSWs.**

| Y | N |   |
|---|---|---|
| ✓ |   | Wetlands that score the highest rank (stated in italics below) for <u>any</u> of the four ecological functions addressed by OFWAM or equivalent methodology:<br>_____ <i>diverse</i> wildlife habitat,<br>_____ <i>intact</i> fish habitat,<br>✓ <i>intact</i> water quality, or<br>✓ <i>intact</i> hydrologic control. |
|   |   | Wetlands that are rated in the second highest functional category for water quality (called <i>impacted or degraded</i> in OFWAM), <u>AND</u> that occur within 1/4 mile of a water quality-limited stream listed by DEQ.   |
|   | ✓ | Contain one or more rare/uncommon wetland plant communities in Oregon. (Most concise list is found as Appendix G in OFWAM).   |
| ✓ |   | Inhabited by any species listed by the federal or state government as a sensitive, threatened or endangered species in Oregon (unless consultation w/appropriate agency deems the site not important for the maintenance of the species).   |
| ✓ |   | Wetland rates in the second highest functional category for fish habitat (called <i>impacted or degraded</i> in OFWAM), and has a surface water connection to a stream segment that is mapped by ODFW as habitat for "indigenous anadromous salmonids."   |
|   |   | <i>Optional Criterion</i> (local discretion): Wetland represents a <i>locally</i> unique plant community.   |
|   |   | <i>Optional Criterion</i> (local discretion): Wetland rates in highest category for education potential (it must be publicly owned to rank that in OFWAM) and there is documented use for educational purposes by a school or organization.   |

LSW Criteria Checklist

Evaluating Wetland # NEC-7 City: Seaside

**A. "OUT" Test** Wetlands that score "Yes" in any of the following categories do NOT proceed to Section B:

| Y | N |  |
|---|---|--|
|   | ✓ | Wetlands ARTIFICIALLY CREATED ENTIRELY FROM UPLAND that are:<br>(a) created for the purpose of controlling, storing, or maintaining stormwater;<br>(b) active surface mining or active log ponds;<br>(c) ditches without free & open connection to waters of the state AND w/o fish<br>(d) < 1 acre and unintentionally created from irrigation leak or construction activity<br>(e) created for the purpose of wastewater treatment, cranberry production, stock watering, settling of sediment, cooling industrial water, or as a golf course hazard |
|   | ✓ | Documented as being contaminated by hazardous substances, materials or wastes ("Hazmat sites")   |

**B. "IN" Those that meet ONE OR MORE of the following criteria are LSWs.**

| Y | N |   |
|---|---|---|
| ✓ |   | Wetlands that score the highest rank (stated in italics below) for <u>any</u> of the four ecological functions addressed by OFWAM or equivalent methodology:<br>✓ <i>diverse</i> wildlife habitat,<br>✓ <i>intact</i> fish habitat,<br>✓ <i>intact</i> water quality, or<br>✓ <i>intact</i> hydrologic control. |
|   |   | Wetlands that are rated in the second highest functional category for water quality (called <i>impacted or degraded</i> in OFWAM), <u>AND</u> that occur within 1/4 mile of a water quality-limited stream listed by DEQ.   |
|   | ✓ | Contain one or more rare/uncommon wetland plant communities in Oregon. (Most concise list is found as Appendix G in OFWAM).   |
| ✓ |   | Inhabited by any species listed by the federal or state government as a sensitive, threatened or endangered species in Oregon (unless consultation w/appropriate agency deems the site not important for the maintenance of the species).   |
| ✓ |   | Wetland rates in the second highest functional category for fish habitat (called <i>impacted or degraded</i> in OFWAM), and has a surface water connection to a stream segment that is mapped by ODFW as habitat for "indigenous anadromous salmonids."   |
|   |   | <i>Optional Criterion</i> (local discretion): Wetland represents a <i>locally</i> unique plant community.   |
|   |   | <i>Optional Criterion</i> (local discretion): Wetland rates in highest category for education potential (it must be publicly owned to rank that in OFWAM) and there is documented use for educational purposes by a school or organization.   |

LSW Criteria Checklist

Evaluating Wetland # NEC-0 City: Seaside

**A. "OUT" Test** Wetlands that score "Yes" in any of the following categories do NOT proceed to Section B:

| Y | N |  |
|---|---|--|
|   | ✓ | Wetlands ARTIFICIALLY CREATED ENTIRELY FROM UPLAND that are:<br>(a) created for the purpose of controlling, storing, or maintaining stormwater;<br>(b) active surface mining or active log ponds;<br>(c) ditches without free & open connection to waters of the state AND w/o fish<br>(d) < 1 acre and unintentionally created from irrigation leak or construction activity<br>(e) created for the purpose of wastewater treatment, cranberry production, stock watering, settling of sediment, cooling industrial water, or as a golf course hazard |
|   | ✓ | Documented as being contaminated by hazardous substances, materials or wastes ("Hazmat sites")   |

**B. "IN" Those that meet ONE OR MORE of the following criteria are LSWs.**

| Y | N |   |
|---|---|---|
| ✓ |   | Wetlands that score the highest rank (stated in italics below) for <u>any</u> of the four ecological functions addressed by OFWAM or equivalent methodology:<br>✓ <i>diverse</i> wildlife habitat,<br>— <i>intact</i> fish habitat,<br>✓ <i>intact</i> water quality, or<br>— <i>intact</i> hydrologic control. |
|   |   | Wetlands that are rated in the second highest functional category for water quality (called <i>impacted or degraded</i> in OFWAM), <u>AND</u> that occur within 1/4 mile of a water quality-limited stream listed by DEQ.   |
|   | ✓ | Contain one or more rare/uncommon wetland plant communities in Oregon. (Most concise list is found as Appendix G in OFWAM).   |
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LSW Criteria Checklist

Evaluating Wetland # TC-1 City: Seaside

**A. "OUT" Test** Wetlands that score "Yes" in any of the following categories do NOT proceed to Section B:

| Y | N |  |
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|   | ✓ | Wetlands ARTIFICIALLY CREATED ENTIRELY FROM UPLAND that are:<br>(a) created for the purpose of controlling, storing, or maintaining stormwater;<br>(b) active surface mining or active log ponds;<br>(c) ditches without free & open connection to waters of the state AND w/o fish<br>(d) < 1 acre and unintentionally created from irrigation leak or construction activity<br>(e) created for the purpose of wastewater treatment, cranberry production, stock watering, settling of sediment, cooling industrial water, or as a golf course hazard |
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**B. "IN" Those that meet ONE OR MORE of the following criteria are LSWs.**

| Y | N |   |
|---|---|---|
| ✓ |   | Wetlands that score the highest rank (stated in italics below) for <u>any</u> of the four ecological functions addressed by OFWAM or equivalent methodology:<br>✓ <i>diverse</i> wildlife habitat,<br>✓ <i>intact</i> fish habitat,<br>✓ <i>intact</i> water quality, or<br>✓ <i>intact</i> hydrologic control. |
|   |   | Wetlands that are rated in the second highest functional category for water quality (called <i>impacted or degraded</i> in OFWAM), <u>AND</u> that occur within 1/4 mile of a water quality-limited stream listed by DEQ.   |
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LSW Criteria Checklist

Evaluating Wetland # TC-2 City: Seaside

**A. "OUT" Test** Wetlands that score "Yes" in any of the following categories do NOT proceed to Section B:

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**B. "IN" Those that meet ONE OR MORE of the following criteria are LSWs.**

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| ✓ |   | Wetlands that score the highest rank (stated in italics below) for <u>any</u> of the four ecological functions addressed by OFWAM or equivalent methodology:<br>_____ <i>diverse</i> wildlife habitat,<br>_____ <i>intact</i> fish habitat,<br>✓ <i>intact</i> water quality, or<br>✓ <i>intact</i> hydrologic control. |
|   |   | Wetlands that are rated in the second highest functional category for water quality (called <i>impacted or degraded</i> in OFWAM), <u>AND</u> that occur within 1/4 mile of a water quality-limited stream listed by DEQ.   |
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LSW Criteria Checklist

Evaluating Wetland # TC-3 City: Seaside

**A. "OUT" Test** Wetlands that score "Yes" in any of the following categories do NOT proceed to Section B:

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|   | ✓ | Wetlands ARTIFICIALLY CREATED ENTIRELY FROM UPLAND that are:<br>(a) created for the purpose of controlling, storing, or maintaining stormwater;<br>(b) active surface mining or active log ponds;<br>(c) ditches without free & open connection to waters of the state AND w/o fish<br>(d) < 1 acre and unintentionally created from irrigation leak or construction activity<br>(e) created for the purpose of wastewater treatment, cranberry production, stock watering, settling of sediment, cooling industrial water, or as a golf course hazard |
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**B. "IN" Those that meet ONE OR MORE of the following criteria are LSWs.**

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|---|---|---|
| ✓ |   | Wetlands that score the highest rank (stated in italics below) for <u>any</u> of the four ecological functions addressed by OFWAM or equivalent methodology:<br>_____ <i>diverse</i> wildlife habitat,<br>_____ <i>intact</i> fish habitat,<br>✓ <i>intact</i> water quality, or<br>✓ <i>intact</i> hydrologic control. |
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LSW Criteria Checklist

Evaluating Wetland # TC-4 City: Seaside

**A. "OUT" Test** Wetlands that score "Yes" in any of the following categories do NOT proceed to Section B:

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|---|---|--|
|   | ✓ | Wetlands ARTIFICIALLY CREATED ENTIRELY FROM UPLAND that are:<br>(a) created for the purpose of controlling, storing, or maintaining stormwater;<br>(b) active surface mining or active log ponds;<br>(c) ditches without free & open connection to waters of the state AND w/o fish<br>(d) < 1 acre and unintentionally created from irrigation leak or construction activity<br>(e) created for the purpose of wastewater treatment, cranberry production, stock watering, settling of sediment, cooling industrial water, or as a golf course hazard |
|   | ✓ | Documented as being contaminated by hazardous substances, materials or wastes ("Hazmat sites")   |

**B. "IN" Those that meet ONE OR MORE of the following criteria are LSWs.**

| Y | N |   |
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# **APPENDIX E**

## **RIPARIAN DATA**



## City of Seaside Riparian Inventory

|   |                         |
|---|-------------------------|
| Date(s) of field work: September 22, 1998 | Stream Name: Mill Creek |
| Investigator(s): KLT, KMT                 | Stream Reach: CSR-1     |
| Location: Mill Creek, west of airport     | Reach Length: 1000 feet |
| Hydrologic Basin: Stanley Lake            |                         |

|  |  |
|--|--|
| Associated Wetlands: TC-1<br>Adjacent Land-Use: Airport development zone, residential<br>Soil — Mapped Series: Gearhart Fine Sandy Loam, 3 to 15 percent slope<br>Stream Flow Direction: North | Tax Lot(s):<br>61010D TL 2300-2400<br>61010DC TL 500, 601,<br>700, 703, 1205 |
|--|--|

**Channel Characteristics:**

Channel Width: <5 feet    Bank Full Depth: 2 feet    Est. Depth of OHW: <2 feet  
 Bank Condition: Stable:        Minor Erosion : X    Severe Erosion:      
 Percent Shaded: 0-25% X    26-50%:        51-75%        >75%      
 Riparian Classes %\*: FOD: 25    FOC:        SS: 50    EM: 25  
 Woody Debris: Present: X    Not Present:      
 Substrate: Organic: X    Sand: X    Silt: X    Gravel:        Other:      
 Degree of Human Channel Modification: High: X    Moderate:        Low:    

**Comments:**

Riparian area adjacent to Mill Creek, surrounded by development and Highway 101

**Dominant Riparian Vegetation**

| TREES            | SHRUBS     | VINES          | HERBS                 |
|------------------|------------|----------------|-----------------------|
| Alnus rubra      | Salix spp. | Rubus discolor | Athyrium filix-femina |
| Picea sitchensis |            |                | Ranunculus spp.       |
|                  |            |                | Potentilla pacifica   |
|                  |            |                | Carex obnupta         |
|                  |            |                | Scirpus validus       |

**Riparian Measurements: (Measured from Top of Bank (TOB), Looking Downstream)**

|  |  |   |
|--|--|---|
| Dist. TOB to Break in Slope:               | Left: <u>n/a</u> feet                                  | Right: <u>n/a</u> feet                                  |
| Dist. TOB to Veg. Community Change:        | Left: <u>n/a</u> feet                                  | Right: <u>n/a</u> feet                                  |
| Slope of Riparian Zone:                    | Left: 0-10% <u>X</u> 11-19% <u>   </u> >20% <u>   </u> | Right: 0-10% <u>X</u> 11-19% <u>   </u> >20% <u>   </u> |
| Degree of Riparian Zone Disturbance:       | High: <u>X</u> Moderate: <u>   </u> Low: <u>   </u>    |   |
| Width of Riparian Zone Looking Downstream: | Left: <u>20</u> feet                                   | Right: <u>20</u> feet                                   |

## City of Seaside Riparian Inventory



|   |                              |
|---|------------------------------|
| Date(s) of field work: September 22, 1998                       | Stream Name: Necanicum River |
| Investigator(s): KLT, KMT                                       | Stream Reach: CSR- 2         |
| Location: East bank of Necanicum River, north of 1st Ave bridge | Reach Length: 250 feet       |
| Hydrologic Basin: Necanicum                                     |                              |

|  |                        |
|--|------------------------|
| Associated Wetlands: NEC-1   | Tax Lot(s):            |
| Adjacent Land-Use: Developed commercial                            | 61021AA TL 13700-14100 |
| Soil — Mapped Series: Gearhart fine sandy loam, 3-15 percent slope |                        |
| Stream Flow Direction: North                                       |                        |

**Channel Characteristics:**

Channel Width: 150 feet      Bank Full Depth: 20 feet      Est. Depth of OHW: 5 feet

Bank Condition: Stable: \_\_\_\_\_ Minor Erosion : X Severe Erosion: \_\_\_\_\_

Percent Shaded: 0-25% X    26-50%: \_\_\_\_\_    51-75% \_\_\_\_\_    >75% \_\_\_\_\_

Riparian Classes %\*: FOD: \_\_\_\_\_ FOC: 70    SS: \_\_\_\_\_    EM: 30

Woody Debris: Present: \_\_\_\_\_ Not Present: X

Substrate: Organic: X    Sand: X    Silt: \_\_\_\_\_    Gravel: \_\_\_\_\_    Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Degree of Human Channel Modification: High: X    Moderate: \_\_\_\_\_    Low: \_\_\_\_\_

Comments:  
Small riparian buffer located west of Copeland Lumber.

| Dominant Riparian Vegetation |                  |                |                      |
|------------------------------|------------------|----------------|----------------------|
| TREES                        | SHRUBS           | VINES          | HERBS                |
| Alnus rubra                  | Salix hookeriana | Rubus discolor | Convolvulus arvensis |
|                              |                  |                | Carex obnupta        |
|                              |                  |                |                      |
|                              |                  |                |                      |

**Riparian Measurements:** (Measured from Top of Bank (TOB), Looking Downstream)

|  |   |
|--|---|
| Dist. TOB to Break in Slope:               | Left: <u>n/a</u> feet    Right: <u>20</u> feet            |
| Dist. TOB to Veg. Community Change:        | Left: <u>n/a</u> feet    Right: <u>20</u> feet            |
| Slope of Riparian Zone:                    | Left: 0-10% <u>n/a</u> 11-19% <u>n/a</u> >20 % <u>n/a</u> |
|  | Right: 0-10% _____    11-19% _____    >20 % <u>X</u>      |
| Degree of Riparian Zone Disturbance:       | High: _____    Moderate: <u>X</u> Low: _____              |
| Width of Riparian Zone Looking Downstream: | Left: _____ feet    Right: <u>20</u> feet                 |

## City of Seaside Riparian Inventory



|  |                             |
|--|-----------------------------|
| Date(s) of field work: September 22, 1998                        | Stream Name: Neawanna Creek |
| Investigator(s): KLT, KMT  | Stream Reach: CSR- 3        |
| Location: East bank of Neawanna Creeek, south of Broadway bridge | Reach Length: 300 feet      |
| Hydrologic Basin: Neawanna                                       |                             |

|   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| Associated Wetlands: NEA-4  | Tax Lot(s):     |
| Adjacent Land-Use: Developed residential  | 61022BD TL 1500 |
| Soil — Mapped Series: Coquille-Clatsop complex, protected, 0 to 1 percent slope |                 |
| Stream Flow Direction: North  |                 |

**Channel Characteristics:**

Channel Width: 150 feet      Bank Full Depth: 100 feet      Est. Depth of OHW: 5 feet

Bank Condition: Stable: X      Minor Erosion : \_\_\_\_\_      Severe Erosion: \_\_\_\_\_

Percent Shaded: 0-25% X      26-50%: \_\_\_\_\_      51-75% \_\_\_\_\_      >75% \_\_\_\_\_

Riparian Classes %\*: FOD: 100      FOC: \_\_\_\_\_      SS: \_\_\_\_\_      EM: \_\_\_\_\_

Woody Debris: Present: \_\_\_\_\_      Not Present: X

Substrate: Organic: X      Sand: \_\_\_\_\_      Silt: \_\_\_\_\_      Gravel: \_\_\_\_\_      Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Degree of Human Channel Modification: High: \_\_\_\_\_      Moderate: X      Low: \_\_\_\_\_

Comments:  
Isolated riparian buffer located west of apartment complex.

**Dominant Riparian Vegetation**

| TREES            | SHRUBS            | VINES          | HERBS                 |
|------------------|-------------------|----------------|-----------------------|
| Alnus rubra      | Cytisus scoparius | Rubus discolor | Athyrium filix-femina |
| Picea sitchensis |                   |                |                       |
|                  |                   |                |                       |
|                  |                   |                |                       |

**Riparian Measurements:** (Measured from Top of Bank (TOB), Looking Downstream)

|  |   |
|--|---|
| Dist. TOB to Break in Slope:               | Left: <u>n/a</u> feet      Right: <u>100</u> feet         |
| Dist. TOB to Veg. Community Change:        | Left: <u>n/a</u> feet      Right: <u>100</u> feet         |
| Slope of Riparian Zone:                    | Left: 0-10% <u>n/a</u> 11-19% <u>n/a</u> >20 % <u>n/a</u> |
|  | Right: 0-10% <u>X</u> 11-19% _____      >20 % _____       |
| Degree of Riparian Zone Disturbance:       | High: _____      Moderate: <u>X</u> Low: _____            |
| Width of Riparian Zone Looking Downstream: | Left: _____ feet      Right: _____ feet                   |

## City of Seaside Riparian Inventory



|   |   |
|---|---|
| Date(s) of field work: September 22, 1998<br>Investigator(s): KLT, KMT<br>Location: Mantle Lake, west of Necanicum River<br>Hydrologic Basin: Necanicum | Stream Name: Necanicum River<br>Stream Reach: CSR-4<br>Reach Length: 370 feet |
|---|---|

|  |   |
|--|---|
| Associated Wetlands: NEC-3, NEC-4<br>Adjacent Land-Use: Developed residential<br>Soil — Mapped Series: Humitropepts-Tropaquepts complex, 0 to 20 percent slope<br>Stream Flow Direction: North | Tax Lot(s):<br><br>61021DB TL 18800<br>61021DC TL 101,108,<br>109,112,113,114,125 |
|--|---|

**Channel Characteristics:**

Channel Width: \_\_\_ feet    Bank Full Depth: 70 feet    Est. Depth of OHW: \_\_\_ feet

Bank Condition: Stable: \_\_\_    Minor Erosion: X    Severe Erosion: \_\_\_\_\_

Percent Shaded: 0-25% X    26-50%: \_\_\_\_\_    51-75% \_\_\_\_\_    >75% \_\_\_\_\_

Riparian Classes %\*: FOD: \_\_\_    FOC: 20    SS: 80    EM: \_\_\_

Woody Debris: Present: \_\_\_    Not Present: X

Substrate: Organic: X    Sand: \_\_\_    Silt: \_\_\_    Gravel: \_\_\_\_\_    Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Degree of Human Channel Modification: High: X    Moderate: \_\_\_\_\_    Low: \_\_\_\_\_

Comments:  
Riparian area adjacent to Mantle Lake, surrounded by development. Culvert to Necanicum River.

| Dominant Riparian Vegetation |                   |                |       |
|------------------------------|-------------------|----------------|-------|
| TREES                        | SHRUBS            | VINES          | HERBS |
| Alnus rubra                  | Cytisus scoparius | Rubus discolor |       |
| Picea sitchensis             | Salix spp.        |                |       |
|                              |                   |                |       |
|                              |                   |                |       |

**Riparian Measurements:** (Measured from Top of Bank (TOB), Looking Downstream)

|  |   |
|--|---|
| Dist. TOB to Break in Slope:               | Left: <u>n/a</u> feet    Right: <u>n/a</u> feet     |
| Dist. TOB to Veg. Community Change:        | Left: <u>n/a</u> feet    Right: <u>n/a</u> feet     |
| Slope of Riparian Zone:                    | Left: 0-10% _____    11-19% _____    >20% <u>X</u>  |
|  | Right: 0-10% _____    11-19% _____    >20% <u>X</u> |
| Degree of Riparian Zone Disturbance:       | High: <u>X</u> Moderate: _____    Low: _____        |
| Width of Riparian Zone Looking Downstream: | Left: ___ feet    Right: ___ feet                   |

# **APPENDIX F**

## **RIPARIAN ASSESSMENT**

# Riparian Assessment Methodology



Project Name: City of Seaside Local Wetlands Inventory

|                                 |                 |                  |          |
|---------------------------------|-----------------|------------------|----------|
| Location: Mill Creek            |                 |                  |          |
| Riparian Code: CSR - 1          |                 |                  |          |
| Approx Riparian Width: 20 feet  |                 |                  |          |
| Associated Wetland Code: TC - 1 |                 |                  |          |
| Date:                           | September, 1998 | Investigator(s): | KLT, KMT |

| Water Quality |   | Flood Management |   | Thermal Regulation |   | Wildlife Habitat |   |
|---------------|---|------------------|---|--------------------|---|------------------|---|
| Q             | A | Q                | A | Q                  | A | Q                | A |
| Q-1           | A | Q-1              | A | Q-1                | B | Q-1              | B |
| Q-2           | B | Q-2              | A | Q-2                | B | Q-2              | B |
| Q-3           | A | Q-3              | B | Q-3                | A | Q-3              | A |
| Q-4           | A |                  |   |                    |   | Q-4              | A |
| Q-5           | A |                  |   |                    |   | Q-5              | C |
|               |   |                  |   |                    |   | Q-6              | B |
|               |   |                  |   |                    |   | Q-7              | A |
|               |   |                  |   |                    |   | Q-8              | A |

**Results:**

| Function           | Assessment     | Rationale                                      |
|--------------------|----------------|--|
| Water Quality      | Moderate Value | Surrounded by development and Highway 101      |
| Flood Management   | Moderate Value | Channelization                                 |
| Thermal Regulation | Moderate Value | Not extensive woody vegetation                 |
| Wildlife Habitat   | Moderate Value | Limited surface water and adjacent development |



## Riparian Assessment Methodology

Project Name: City of Seaside Local Wetlands Inventory

|  |                 |                  |          |
|--|-----------------|------------------|----------|
| Location: East bank of Necanicum River, north of 1st Avenue bridge |                 |                  |          |
| Riparian Code: CSR - 2   |                 |                  |          |
| Approx Riparian Width: 20 feet                                     |                 |                  |          |
| Associated Wetland Code: NEC - 1                                   |                 |                  |          |
| Date:  | September, 1998 | Investigator(s): | KLT, KMT |

| Water Quality |   | Flood Management |   | Thermal Regulation |   | Wildlife Habitat |   |
|---------------|---|------------------|---|--------------------|---|------------------|---|
| Q             | A | Q                | A | Q                  | A | Q                | A |
| Q-1           | C | Q-1              | A | Q-1                | B | Q-1              | C |
| Q-2           | B | Q-2              | A | Q-2                | A | Q-2              | A |
| Q-3           | A | Q-3              | B | Q-3                | B | Q-3              | B |
| Q-4           | B |                  |   |                    |   | Q-4              | B |
| Q-5           | A |                  |   |                    |   | Q-5              | C |
|               |   |                  |   |                    |   | Q-6              | B |
|               |   |                  |   |                    |   | Q-7              | B |
|               |   |                  |   |                    |   | Q-8              | B |

**Results:**

| Function           | Assessment     | Rationale                               |
|--------------------|----------------|---|
| Water Quality      | Moderate Value | Adjacent to impervious surface          |
| Flood Management   | Moderate Value | Channelization                          |
| Thermal Regulation | Moderate Value | Vegetation does not hang over the river |
| Wildlife Habitat   | Low Value      | Adjacent to downtown development        |



## Riparian Assessment Methodology

Project Name: City of Seaside Local Wetlands Inventory

Location: East bank of Neawanna Creek, south of Broadway bridge

Riparian Code: CSR - 3

Approx Riparian Width: 20 feet

Associated Wetland Code: NEA - 4

Date: September, 1998 Investigator(s): KLT, KMT

| Water Quality |   | Flood Management |   | Thermal Regulation |   | Wildlife Habitat |   |
|---------------|---|------------------|---|--------------------|---|------------------|---|
| Q             | A | Q                | A | Q                  | A | Q                | A |
| Q-1           | A | Q-1              | A | Q-1                | B | Q-1              | C |
| Q-2           | A | Q-2              | A | Q-2                | A | Q-2              | A |
| Q-3           | A | Q-3              | A | Q-3                | B | Q-3              | B |
| Q-4           | A |                  |   |                    |   | Q-4              | B |
| Q-5           | A |                  |   |                    |   | Q-5              | C |
|               |   |                  |   |                    |   | Q-6              | A |
|               |   |                  |   |                    |   | Q-7              | A |
|               |   |                  |   |                    |   | Q-8              | A |

### Results:

| Function           | Assessment     | Rationale                    |
|--------------------|----------------|------------------------------|
| Water Quality      | High Value     | Surrounded by emergent marsh |
| Flood Management   | High Value     | Surrounded by emergent marsh |
| Thermal Regulation | Moderate Value | No shading                   |
| Wildlife Habitat   | Moderate Value | No woody debris              |

# Riparian Assessment Methodology



**Project Name:** City of Seaside Local Wetlands Inventory

|  |                 |                         |          |
|--|-----------------|-------------------------|----------|
| <b>Location:</b> Mantle Lake                 |                 |                         |          |
| <b>Riparian Code:</b> CSR - 4                |                 |                         |          |
| <b>Approx Riparian Width:</b> 70 feet        |                 |                         |          |
| <b>Associated Wetland Code:</b> NEC-3, NEC-4 |                 |                         |          |
| <b>Date:</b>                                 | September, 1998 | <b>Investigator(s):</b> | KLT, KMT |

| Water Quality |   | Flood Management |   | Thermal Regulation |   | Wildlife Habitat |   |
|---------------|---|------------------|---|--------------------|---|------------------|---|
| Q             | A | Q                | A | Q                  | A | Q                | A |
| Q-1           | A | Q-1              | A | Q-1                | B | Q-1              | B |
| Q-2           | B | Q-2              | A | Q-2                | B | Q-2              | B |
| Q-3           | A | Q-3              | B | Q-3                | A | Q-3              | A |
| Q-4           | A |                  |   |                    |   | Q-4              | A |
| Q-5           | A |                  |   |                    |   | Q-5              | C |
|               |   |                  |   |                    |   | Q-6              | B |
|               |   |                  |   |                    |   | Q-7              | A |
|               |   |                  |   |                    |   | Q-8              | A |

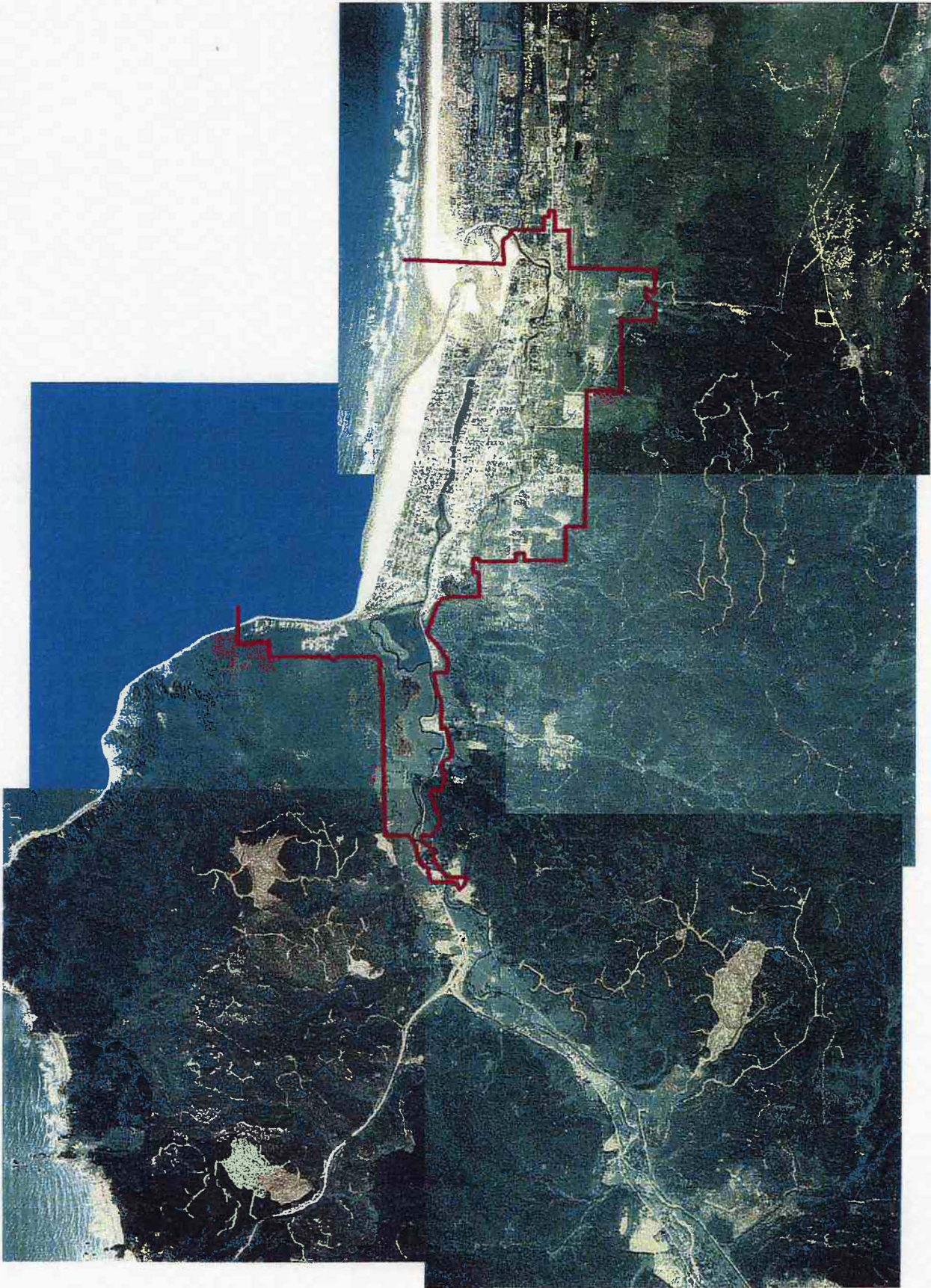
**Results:**

| Function           | Assessment     | Rationale                           |
|--------------------|----------------|-------------------------------------|
| Water Quality      | Moderate Value | Herbaceous vegetation               |
| Flood Management   | Moderate Value | Riprap and channelization           |
| Thermal Regulation | Moderate Value | No shading                          |
| Wildlife Habitat   | Moderate Value | Surrounding residential development |

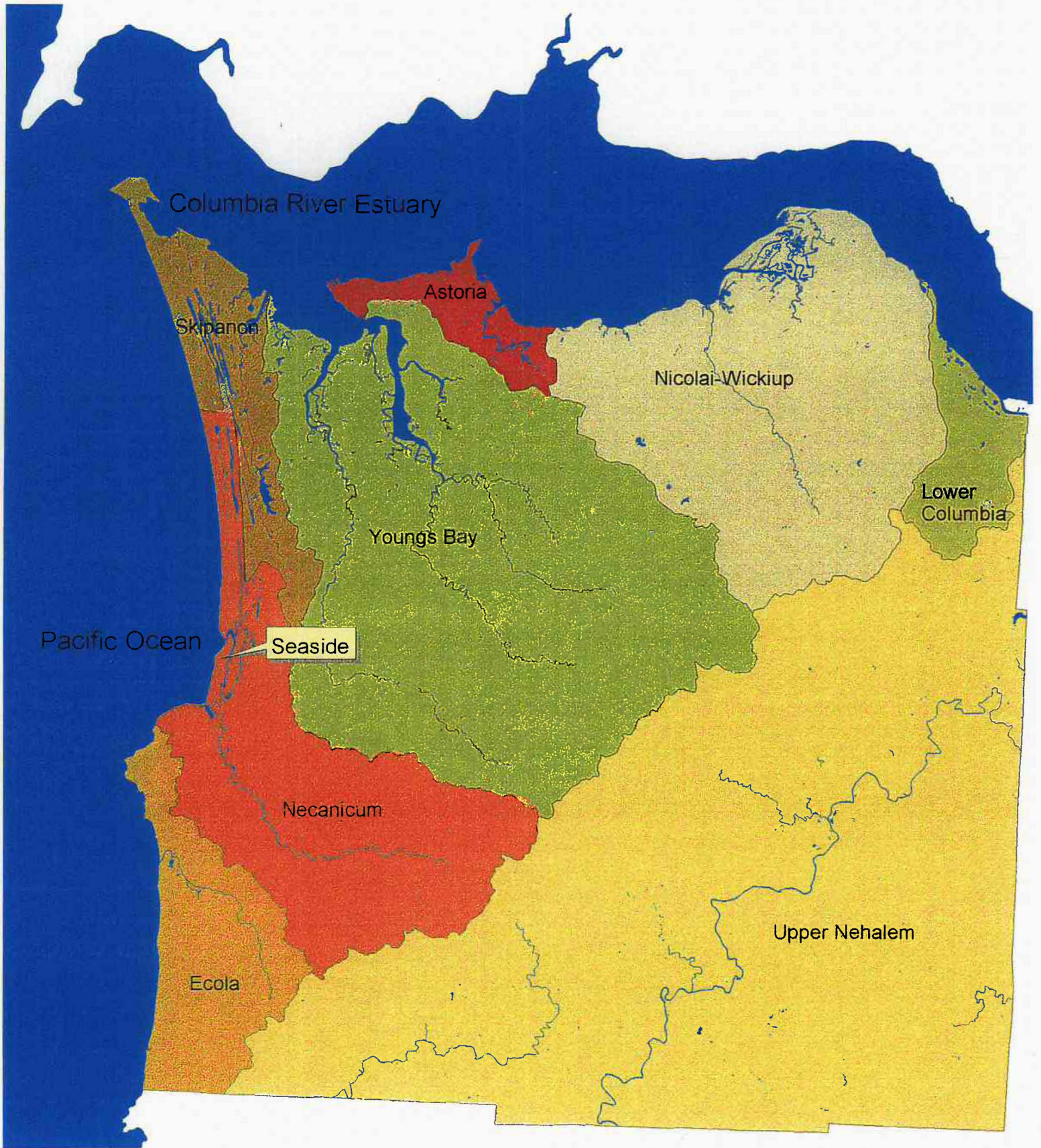
# **APPENDIX G**

## **MAPS**

**City of Seaside  
Local Wetlands Inventory and Goal 5 Planning Area**



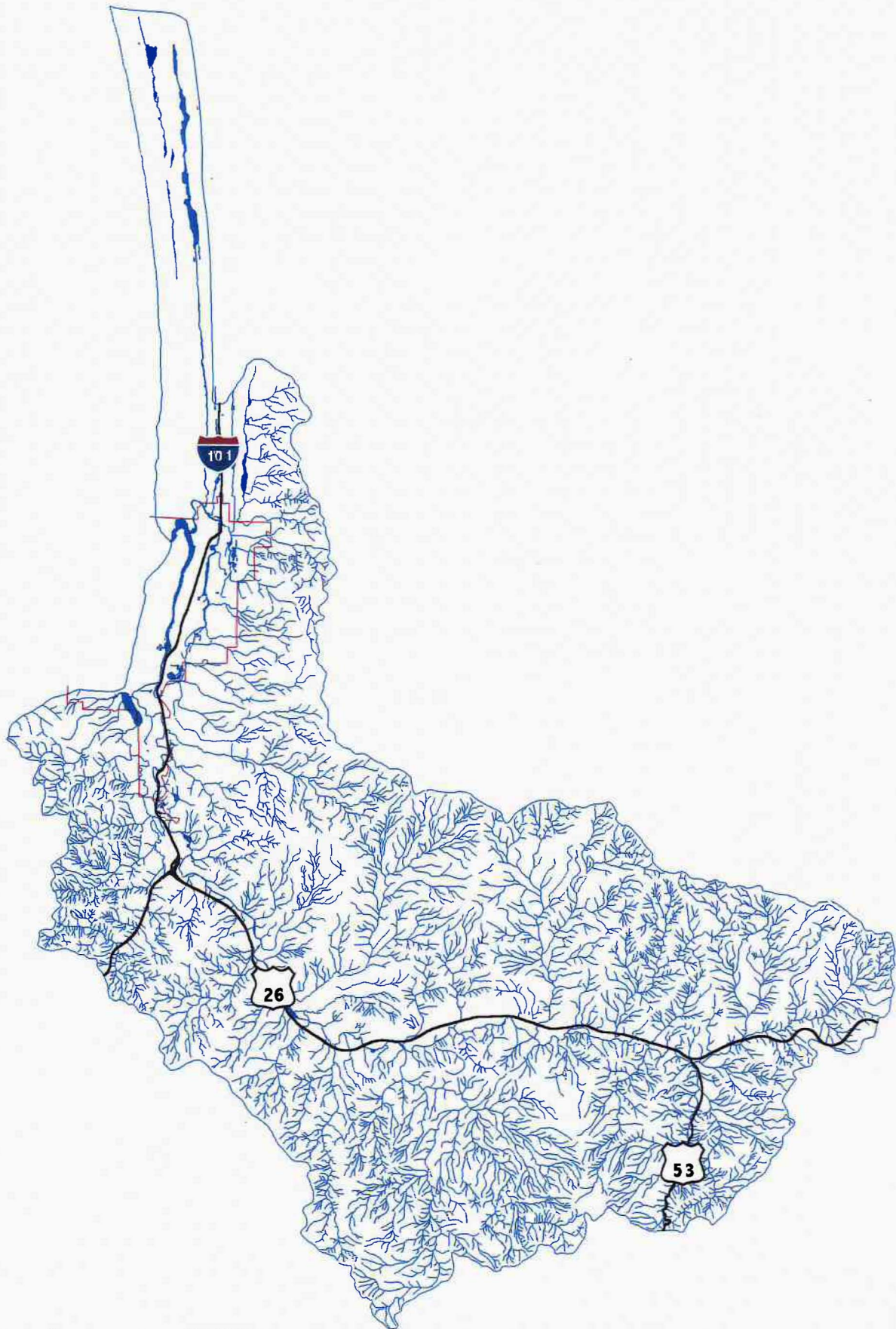
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# Necanicum Watershed



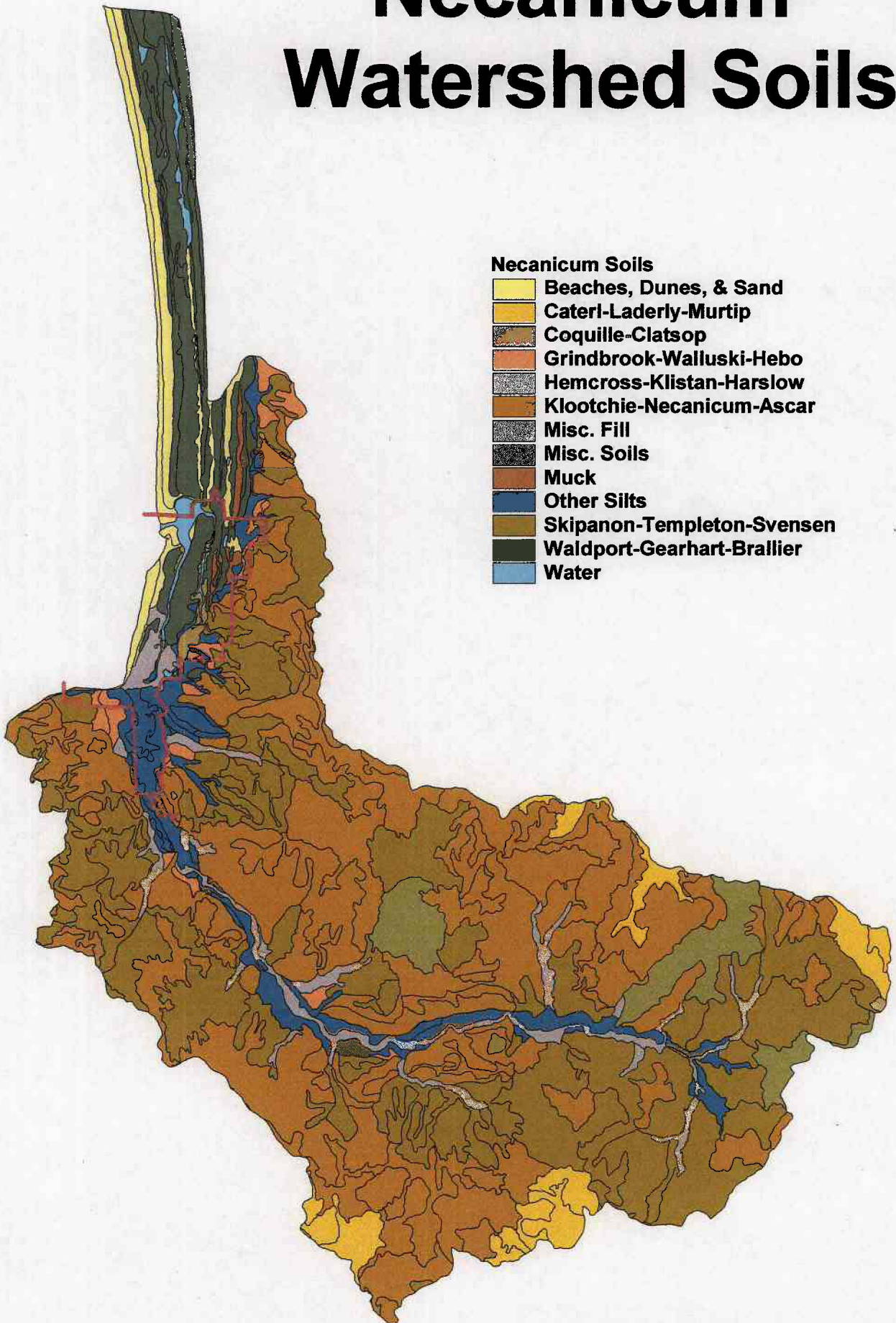
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# Necanicum Watershed Soils

## Necanicum Soils

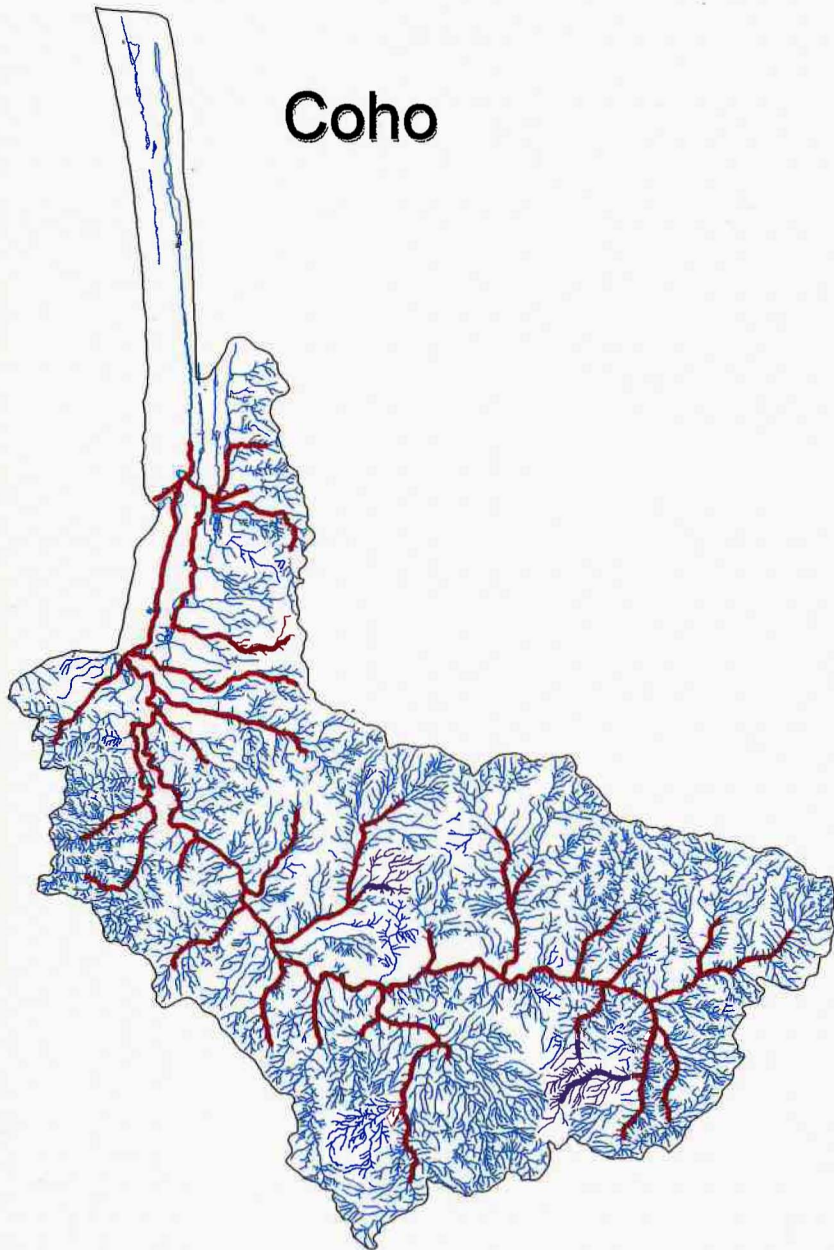
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- Hemcross-Klistan-Harslow
- Kloutchie-Necanicum-Ascar
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- Misc. Soils
- Muck
- Other Silts
- Skipanon-Templeton-Svensen
- Waldport-Gearhart-Brallier
- Water



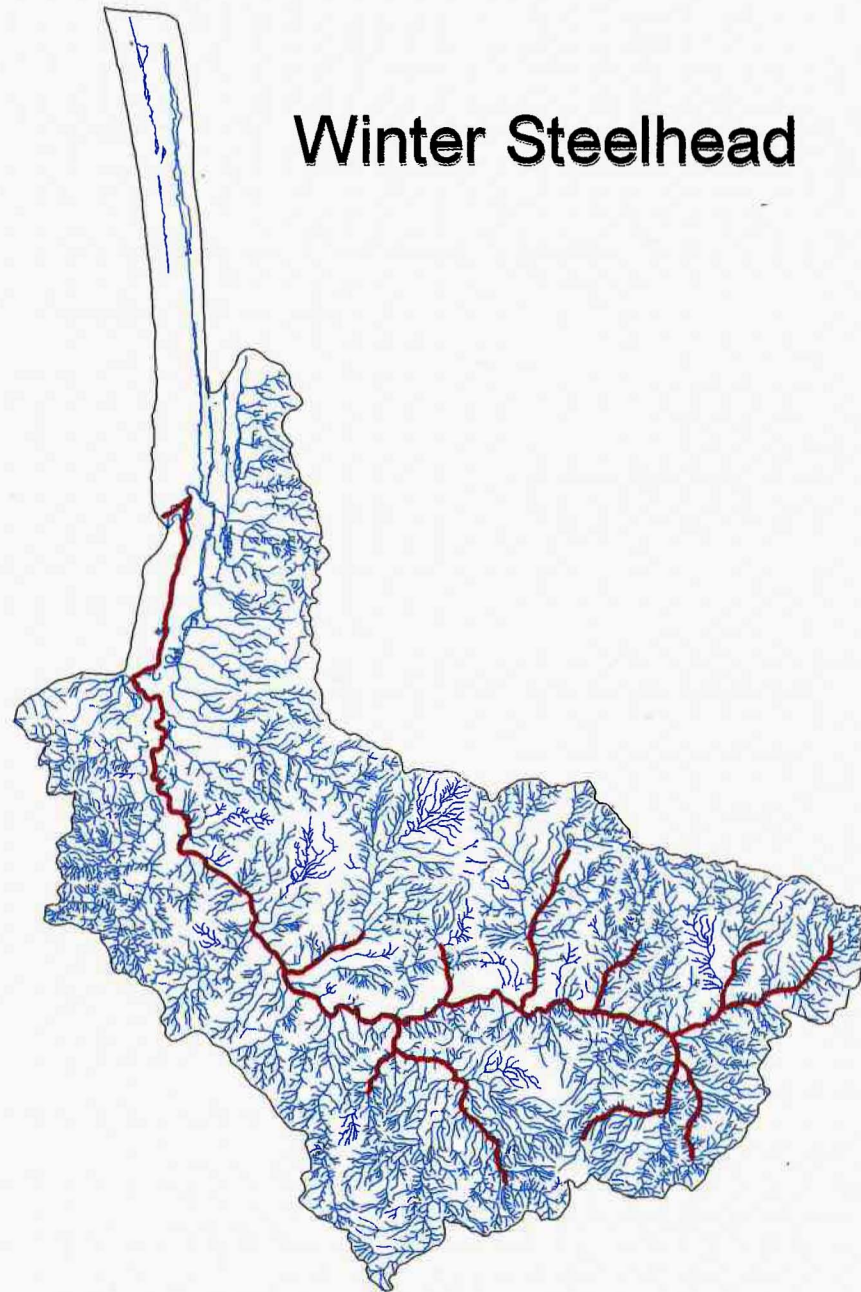
# Necanicum Watershed Fish Distribution Data (ODFW, 1996)

"Areas of suitable habitat currently believed to be utilized by wild, natural, and/or hatchery fish populations."

**Coho**



**Winter Steelhead**



# Oregon Estuary Plan Book Data (1987)

## Necanicum Estuary

### Estuarine Habitats

-  Algal Mat
-  Fresh Marsh
-  High Salt Marsh
-  Intertidal Shore
-  Low Salt Marsh
-  Mud
-  Sand
-  Sand / Mud
-  Sand / Mud Flat
-  Sand Bar
-  Sand Flat
-  Shrub
-  Subtidal Cobble / Gravel
-  Subtidal Unconsolidated Bottom
-  Tidal Marsh

