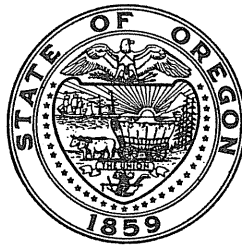


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RIVER BASIN**

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MASTER PLAN FOR ANGLER ACCESS AND ASSOCIATED RECREATIONAL USES



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This report details a plan that we hope can be followed to solve the access problems of the Rogue River Basin. Too, we hope that all agencies that are interested in retaining existing water access as well as providing additional facilities, whether they be municipal, county, or state will all join in a cooperative effort to carry out this plan in an orderly manner. It is probable that Land and Water Conservation Funds will be available on a 50-50 matching basis. In order to acquire these funds, it will be necessary to apply through the Oregon State Highway Department.

The geographical area covered in this report includes the Rogue River and its major tributaries, the Illinois and Applegate Rivers.

The entire basin has a drainage of 5,000 square miles in southwestern Oregon. This includes most of Jackson and Josephine Counties and nearly one-third of Curry County. This is one of the three major rivers in Oregon that includes drainage from the Cascade Range and cuts through the Coast Range to the Pacific Ocean. The Rogue begins at an elevation of 5,300 feet and flows some 210 miles. Long sections are dominated by plunging white water rapids and wild, remote countryside.

The widely known fishery of the Rogue River system is primarily for steelhead and chinook salmon. Sport catch in the system from 1961 through 1965 indicates an average annual harvest in excess of 9,850 salmon and 11,900 steelhead by roughly 72,000 anglers. Sea-run cutthroat, small steelhead and jack salmon, which are caught in good numbers during periods of the year,

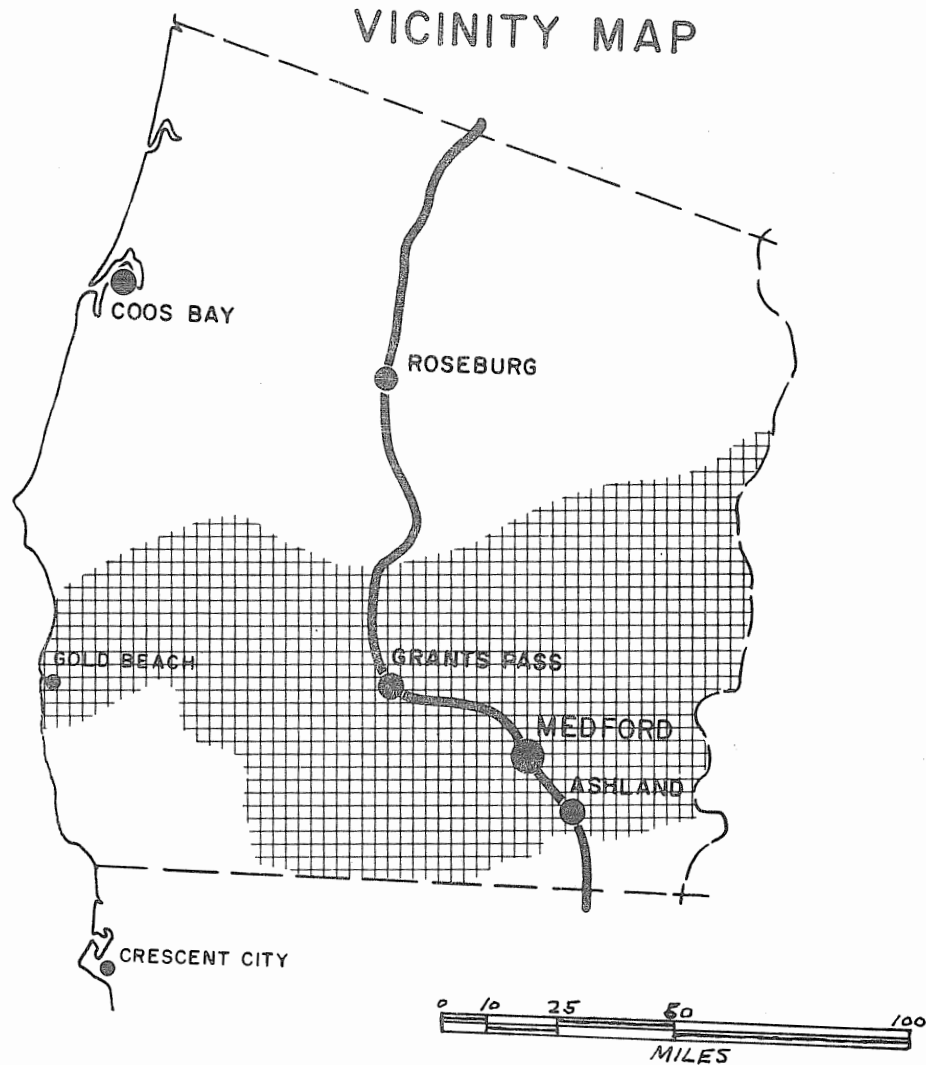
are in addition to the above figures. Trout angling is popular in the upper river and tributary streams. It is supplemented with the stocking of over 51,000 legal trout each season.

The public access status of this system is generally good. Government timber lands border a sizable portion of the streams, and park systems in Jackson and Josephine Counties have been very active in developing stream access.

Three large reservoirs have been approved for the system and will create an impact upon recreation in the area. The development of public access on these pools is being planned as an integral part of each impoundment by the agencies involved. Recreation plans for the Applegate, Elk Creek and Lost Creek Reservoirs should be available by 1968.

One hundred-nineteen sites have been included in this access plan for the Rogue Basin. Thirty-five of these are adequately developed and are considered complete. Additional development is suggested on 84 locations, and 52 sites are recommended for acquisition to assure future access or provide new access where it is needed.

The system has been divided into areas according to access needs, type of fishery and geographical location. Descriptions of these areas and their access status follow in the appropriate sections.



The Rogue River heads in the Cascade Mountains near Crater Lake. With two large tributaries, the Applegate River and the Illinois River, this system cuts through the Coast Range and flows into the Pacific Ocean at Gold Beach.

Major access routes in the Grants Pass and Medford area include Interstate 5 and Highway 99. Highway 62 follows the Rogue from near Medford into the headwaters above Prospect. Highway 238 parallels much of the Applegate to Ruch, and Highway 199 connects Grants Pass with Kerby and Junction City on the Illinois River. Gold Beach and the lower Rogue are located on Coast Highway 101.

ROGUE RIVER

AREA I

Area I includes that portion of the river from the mouth up to mile 15.5 near Silver Creek. The river in this area is characterized by moderate rapids and large sandy gravel bars. The tide effects 5.5 miles of the river, while the bay proper is quite narrow and extends approximately 2 miles inland. The land bordering the river varies with timbered slopes upstream to rolling hills and small farm tracts in the lower section.

The Rogue in this area is generally accessible to travel by drift or power boats and by road on either bank. Public roads border the north bank up to Silver Creek, while U. S. Plywood Corporation owns and maintains the south bank road and most of the land from river mile 5 to Lobster Creek.

The high value of river frontage for home sites has tied up almost all of the north bank in private tracts. Most of the frontage between Lobster and Silver Creeks was recently acquired by the U. S. Forest Service under a program of land exchange.

The angling pressure in Area I is quite intensive during the peak of spring chinook season and again in the fall during the salmon and steelhead migrations. Anchored boat angling is the popular method of spring chinook angling while in the summer and fall considerable wading and bank angling is common when pursuing steelhead.

While the river itself is boatable, access developments have not kept pace with demand and public boat ramps are critically needed. Boat anglers presently drag boats to the river or launch over packed gravel bars. Many boats are beached along the river for use throughout the season. For this reason good beaching areas are in demand as heavy wave action is created by

powered sight-seeing boats that travel the river. The existing facilities for launching boats include four private docks located in the lower bay area and a small public ramp at river mile 5.5 with inadequate parking.

Ten sites have been recommended on the following pages that have potential for boat ramps. Several of these sites also offer potential for picnic and campground developments which are in short supply in this area.

Acquisition of 61 acres and 5,800 feet of frontage is recommended to fully develop needed angler access and provide associated recreation for the public.

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Rogue River _____ System _____ Site No. 1
_____ I _____ Area _____ Priority A
Name Port of Gold Beach

Location At Gold Beach, South Bank

T 36 S, R 15 W, Sec. 36 River Mile 0 County Curry

Ownership: Public Port of Gold Beach

Private _____ Tax Lot No. _____

Number of owners _____

DESCRIPTION

Land type Flat graveled area

Cover type Open with buildings

Road access Off Highway 101, Condition Good

Flows Tidal Water quality Good

Present stage of development Seasonal floating docks for about 30 pleasure boats

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: _____ Acres, _____ of frontage

Type of conveyance _____

Development:

Boat ramp: Type Concrete Number of lanes 4

Toilets X Trails _____ Roads _____

Parking area X; For _____ cars or 200 car-trailer units

This site has potential for a large boat basin.

AREA I

SITE # 1

FISHERY: Tidewater troll for salmon and sea-run cutthroat trout through the
5.5 miles of bay area.

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Heavy	Sa		Sa	
Medium		Sa		
Light	Tr	Tr		St

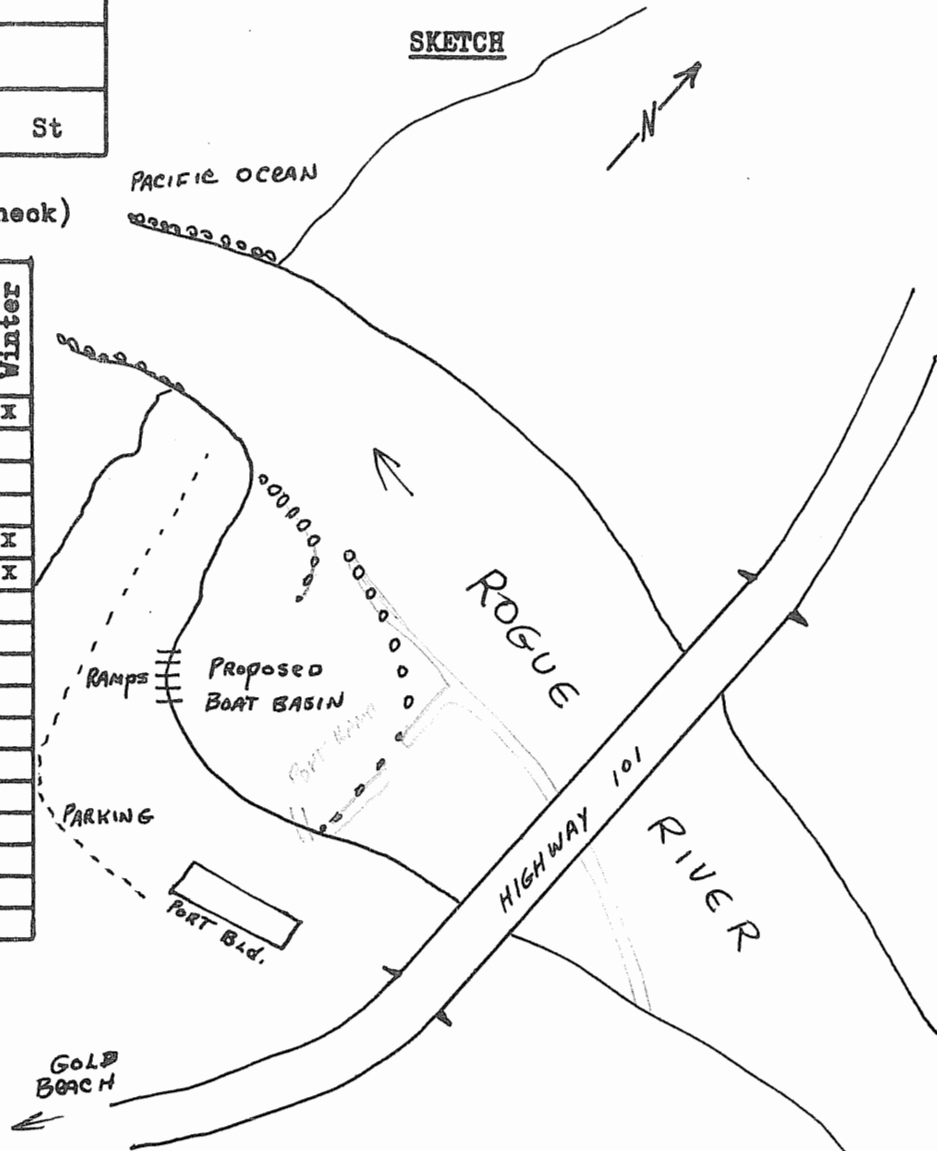
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Sg - Sturgeon, Ww - Warm Water Fishes)

Seasons (Check)

RECREATION
(Check)

Boating, motor
Boating, non-motor
Camping, tent
Camping, trailer
Fishing, boat
Fishing, shore
Hiking
Horseback riding
Hunting, big game
Hunting, upland game
Hunting, waterfowl
Nature study
Picnicking
Sightseeing
Skin and scuba diving
Swimming
Water skiing

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
	X	X	X	X
	X	X	X	X
	X	X	X	X
	X	X	X	



OTHER

Safety Problems: Rough bar, congested boat traffic

Group Facilities: Bus parking

REMARKS Proposals are being formulated with Corps of Army Engineers to build breakwater structures which will protect this basin from surge. This would provide a boat basin that could serve 100 commercial and 200-300 private boats with moorage. Adequate area exists for parking the expected car-trailer traffic. A 4-lane ramp is included in the plan.

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Rogue River System Site No. 2
I Area Priority Complete
Name Rogue Bay Front

Location At Wedderburn, North Bank
T 36 S, R 15 W, Sec. 25 River Mile 1 County Curry
Ownership: Public _____
Private X Tax Lot No. 1100, 1200, 600, 700
Number of owners 3

DESCRIPTION

Land type Flat to rolling - rocky soil
Cover type Structures and paving
Road access Off Highway 101, Condition Good - paved
Flows Tidal Water quality Good
Present stage of development Complete resort development

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: _____ Acres, _____ of frontage
Type of conveyance _____

Development:

Boat ramp: Type _____ Number of lanes _____
Toilets _____ Trails _____ Roads _____
Parking area _____; For _____ cars or _____ car-trailer units

This site has four resorts that provide accommodations for tourist and some
hoist launching of larger craft for a fee.

SITE # 2

FISHERY: Tidewater boat angling for salmon and some angling for sea-run

cutthroat from private docks. Ocean fishery during the season.

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Heavy	Sa		Sa	
Medium		Sa		
Light	Tr	Tr		

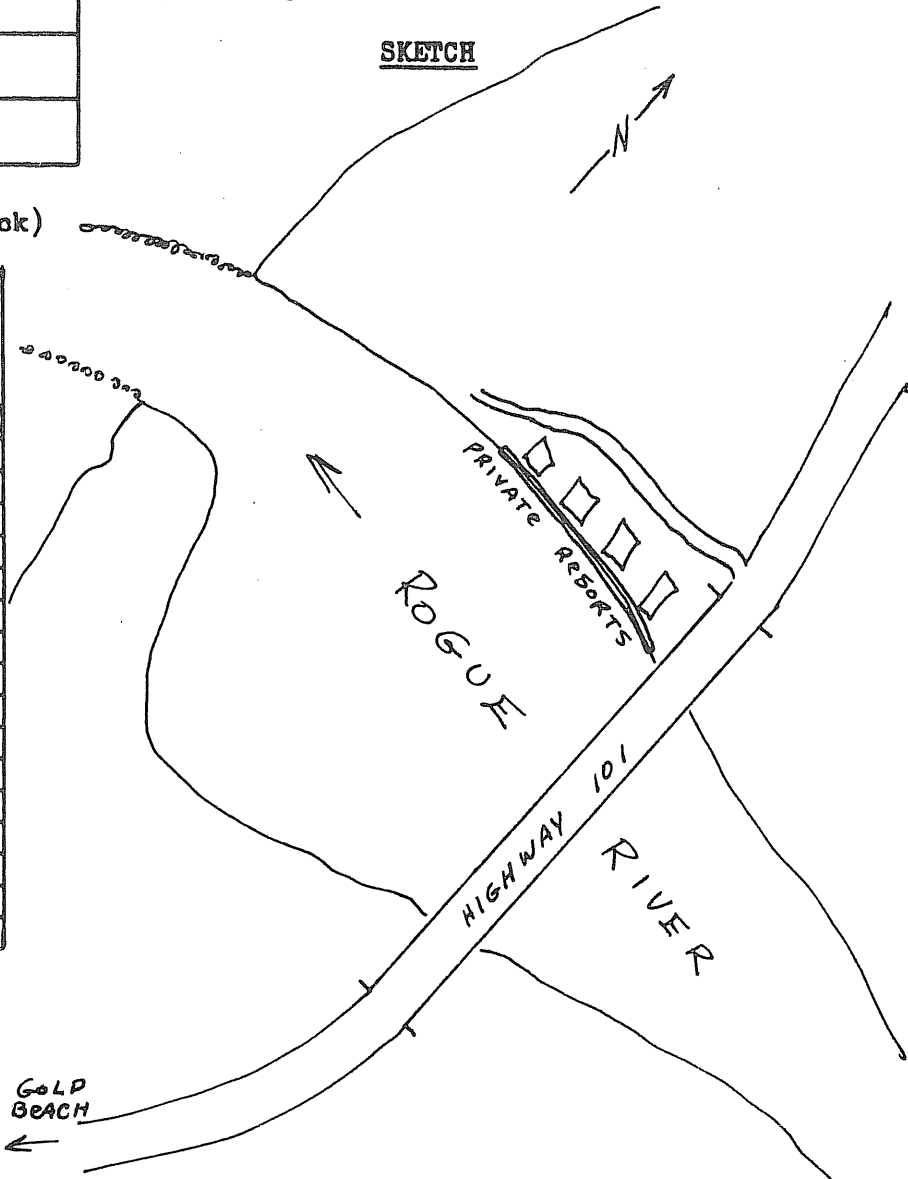
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Sg - Sturgeon, Ww - Warm Water Fishes)

SKETCH

Seasons (Check)

RECREATION
(Check)

Boating, motor
Boating, non-motor
Camping, tent
Camping, trailer
Fishing, boat
Fishing, shore
Hiking
Horseback riding
Hunting, big game
Hunting, upland game
Hunting, waterfowl
Nature study
Picnicking
Sightseeing
Skin and scuba diving
Swimming
Water skiing

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OTHER

Safety Problems: Barge and dredge traffic, plus rough bar

Group Facilities:

REMARKS

No sites in this area have potential for development into public access. Boat anglers in this section of the river utilize these accommodations.

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Rogue River System Site No. 3
I Area Priority A
Name Bridge Ramp

Location At Wedderburn, North Bank
T 36S, R 14 W, Sec. 30 River Mile 1 County Curry
Ownership: Public
Private X Tax Lot No. 3305 - 1203
Number of owners 1

DESCRIPTION

Land type Flat - sandy soil
Cover type Gravel
Road access Off Highway 101, Condition Fair - gravel
Flows Tidal Water quality Good
Present stage of development Parking area and natural ramp

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: 1 Acres, _____ of frontage
Type of conveyance Purchase for development

Development:

Boat ramp: Type Concrete plank Number of lanes 1
Toilets X Trails _____ Roads _____
Parking area _____; For _____ cars or _____ car-trailer units
This site once provided the only public ramp in the lower 5 miles of the
Rogue. It has reverted to a private ramp.

SITE # 3

FISHERY: Highly preferred spring chinook and some sea-run cutthroat angling
from motor boats.

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Heavy	Sa		Sa	
Medium		Sa		
Light	Tr	Tr	St	St

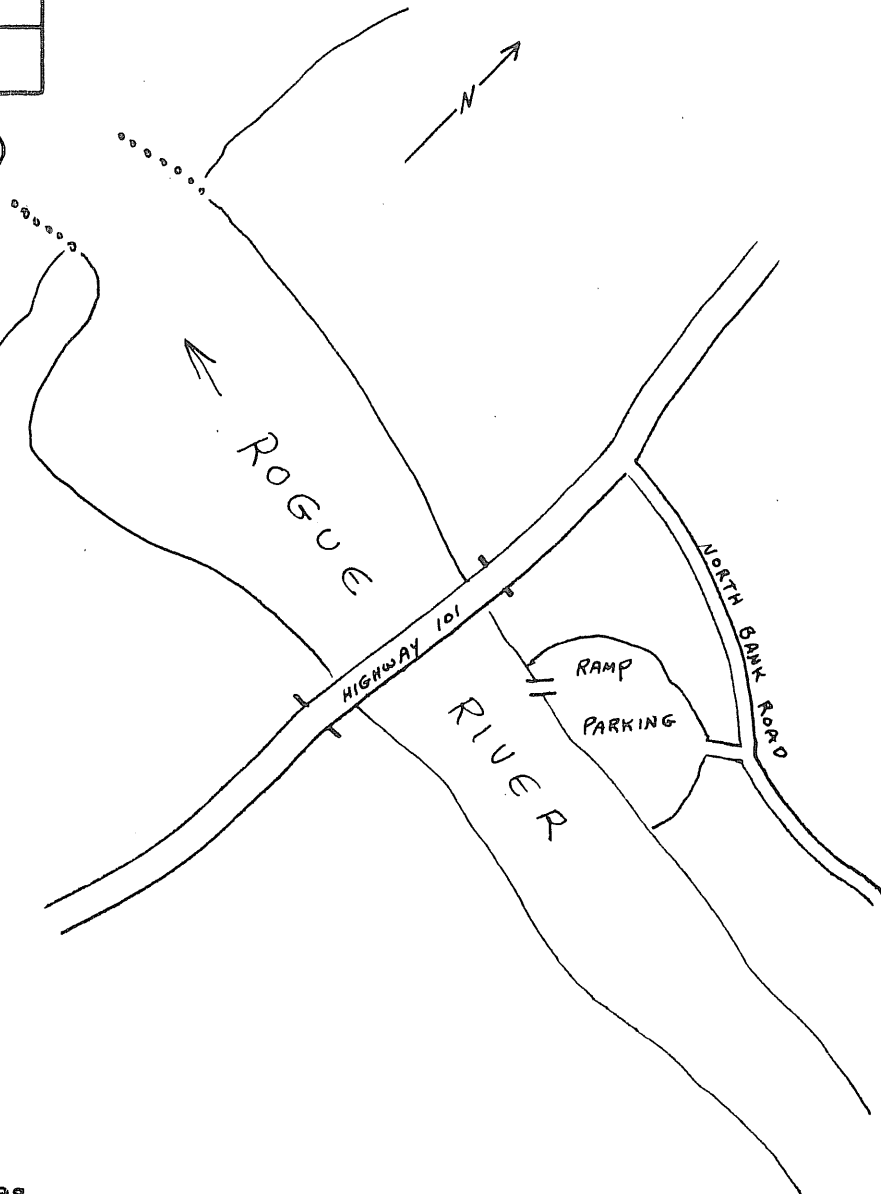
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Sg - Sturgeon, Ww - Warm Water Fishes)

SKETCH

Seasons (Check)

RECREATION
(Check)

Boating, motor
Boating, non-motor
Camping, tent
Camping, trailer
Fishing, boat
Fishing, shore
Hiking
Horseback riding
Hunting, big game
Hunting, upland game
Hunting, waterfowl
Nature study
Picnicking
Sightseeing
Skin and scuba diving
Swimming
Water skiing

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OTHER

Safety Problems:

Group Facilities: Parking for buses

REMARKS The county obtained use on the private land through verbal agreement. This has been lost and the ramp will be moved to the mouth of Indian Creek across the river.

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Rogue River System Site No. 4
I Area Priority A
Name County Ramp at Indian Creek

Location 1 mile east of Gold Beach, South Bank
T36 S, R 14 W, Sec. 30 River Mile 1.5 County Curry

Ownership: Public _____
Private X Tax Lot No. 5900
Number of owners _____

DESCRIPTION

Land type Flat - sandy soil
Cover type Gravel
Road access County road, Condition Good, paved
Flows Tidal Water quality Good
Present stage of development Planning stage

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: _____ Acres, _____ of frontage
Type of conveyance _____

Development:

Boat ramp: Type Concrete plank Number of lanes 1
Toilets X Trails _____ Roads _____
Parking area X; For _____ cars or 20 car-trailer units

This site will provide much needed public launching and moorage in the
lower bay area.

SITE # 4

FISHERY: This area is highly preferred for boat angling for spring chinook and sea-run cutthroat. Fall salmon and winter steelhead are also taken.

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Heavy	Sa		Sa	
Medium		Sa		
Light	Tr	Tr	St	St

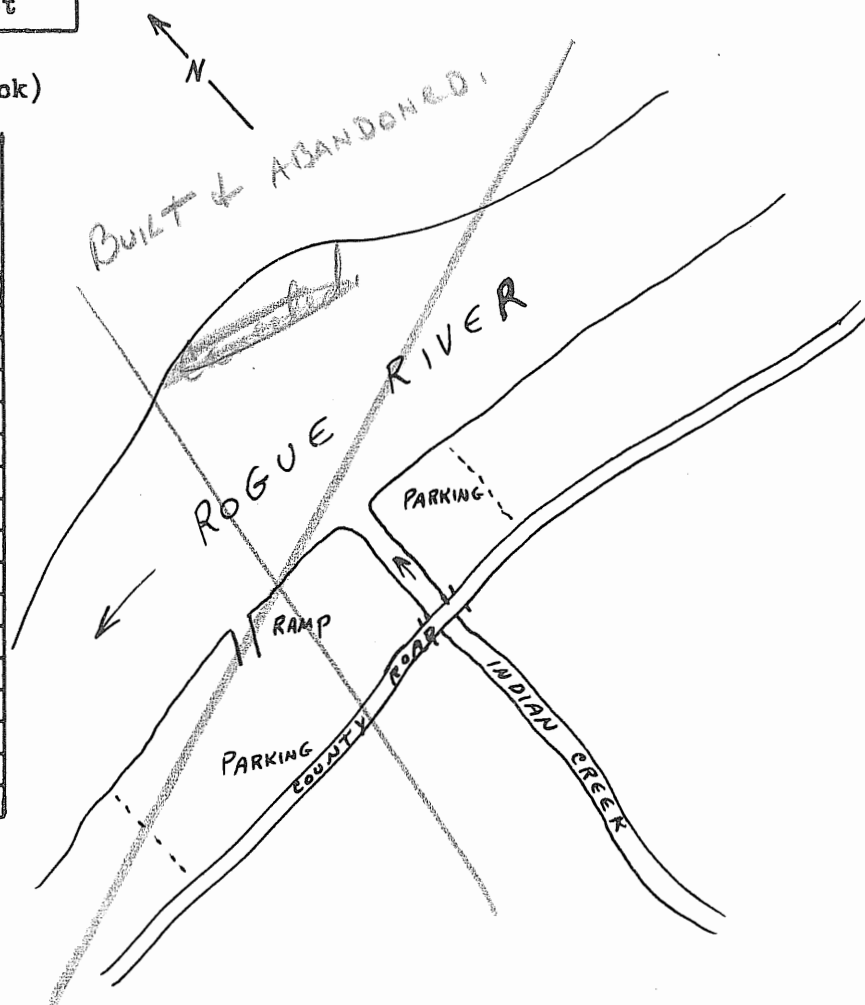
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Sg - Sturgeon, Ww - Warm Water Fishes)

SKETCH

Seasons (Check)

RECREATION
(Check)

- Boating, motor
- Boating, non-motor
- Camping, tent
- Camping, trailer
- Fishing, boat
- Fishing, shore
- Hiking
- Horseback riding
- Hunting, big game
- Hunting, upland game
- Hunting, waterfowl
- Nature study
- Picnicking
- Sightseeing
- Skin and scuba diving
- Swimming
- Water skiing

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OTHER

Safety Problems:

Group Facilities: Parking for buses.

REMARKS Curry County has a perpetual easement on the ramp site and plans a concrete plank ramp with parking. A moorage dock will also be provided. Completion date is for sometime in 1967. A possible \$1.50 launch fee may be charged.

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Rogue River System Site No. 5
I Area Priority Complete
Name Arntzen's Resort

Location One mile northeast of Gold Beach, South Bank
T 36 S, R 14 W, Sec. 30 River Mile 2 County Curry

Ownership: Public _____
Private X Tax Lot No. 5900
Number of owners 1

DESCRIPTION

Land type Flat - Sandy loam
Cover type Shade trees
Road access County, Condition Good - paved
Flows Tidal Water quality Good
Present stage of development Complete private resort

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: _____ Acres, _____ of frontage
Type of conveyance _____

Development:

Boat ramp: Type _____ Number of lanes _____
Toilets _____ Trails _____ Roads _____
Parking area _____; For _____ cars or _____ car-trailer units

This site provides tourist accommodations and incidental sling launching
for a fee.

SITE # 5

FISHERY: Tidewater boat angling for salmon and sea-run cutthroat trout.

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Heavy	Sa		Sa	
Medium		Sa		
Light	Ct Tr			

(Sa - Salmon, St - Steelhead, Tr - Trout,
Sg - Sturgeon, Ww - Warm Water Fishes)
Ct - Sea-run cutthroat

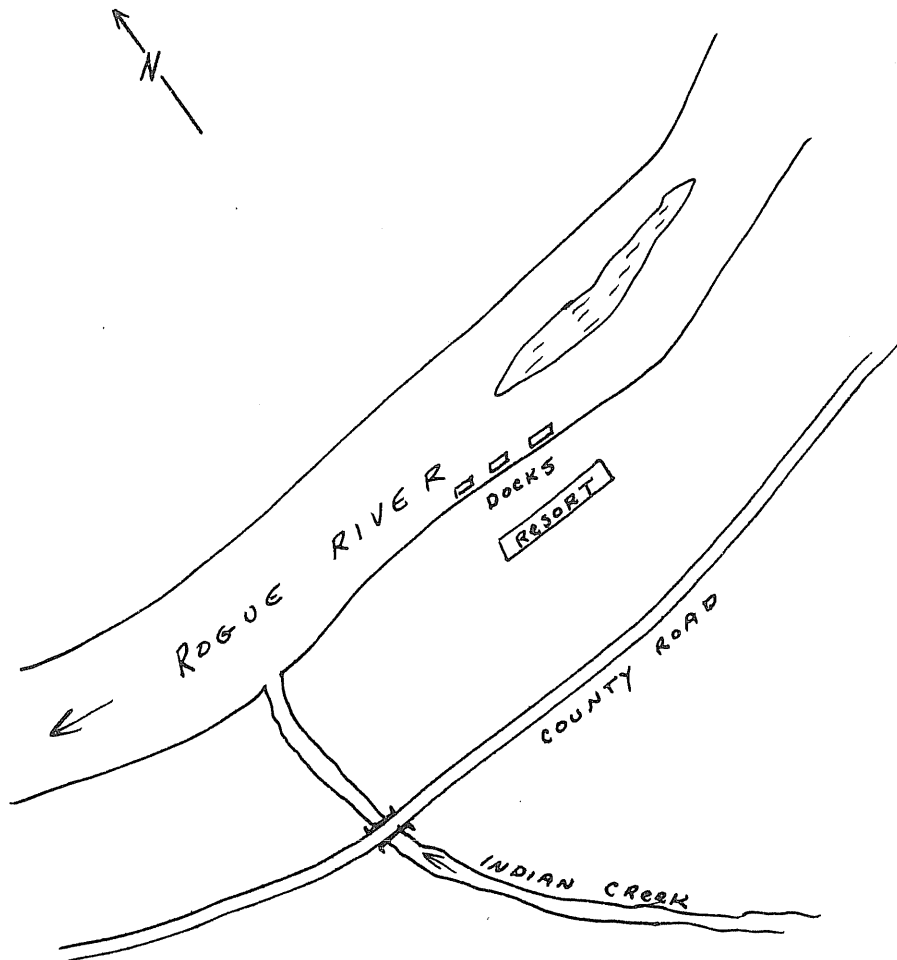
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Seasons (Check)

RECREATION
(Check)

Boating, motor
Boating, non-motor
Camping, tent
Camping, trailer
Fishing, boat
Fishing, shore
Hiking
Horseback riding
Hunting, big game
Hunting, upland game
Hunting, waterfowl
Nature study
Picnicking
Sightseeing
Skin and scuba diving
Swimming
Water skiing

Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
X	X	X	
X	X	X	
X	X	X	X
X	X	X	



OTHER

Safety Problems:

Group Facilities:

REMARKS Limited moorage is also available for a fee.

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Rogue River System Site No. 6
I Area Priority C
Name Clay Bank Area

Location 5 miles northeast of Gold Beach, South Bank
T 36 S, R 14 W, Sec. 16 River Mile 5 County Curry

Ownership: Public _____

Private X Tax Lot No. 2160

Number of owners _____ U. S. Plywood Corporation

DESCRIPTION

Land type Flat gravel bar

Cover type Scattered willow brush and grass

Road access County, Condition Fair - gravel

Flows Slight tidal influence Water quality Good

Present stage of development Road beaten out onto bar

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: _____ Acres, 1,500 feet of frontage

Type of conveyance Purchase for angler access

Development:

Boat ramp: Type _____ Number of lanes _____

Toilets X Trails _____ Roads X

Parking area _____; For _____ cars or _____ car-trailer units

This site presently used by bank anglers without guarantee of access.

AREA I

SITE # 6

FISHERY: Bank angling from this bar area for salmon and steelhead.

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Heavy	Sa	St		
Medium			St	
Light				St

(Sa - Salmon, St - Steelhead, Tr - Trout,
Sg - Sturgeon, Ww - Warm Water Fishes)

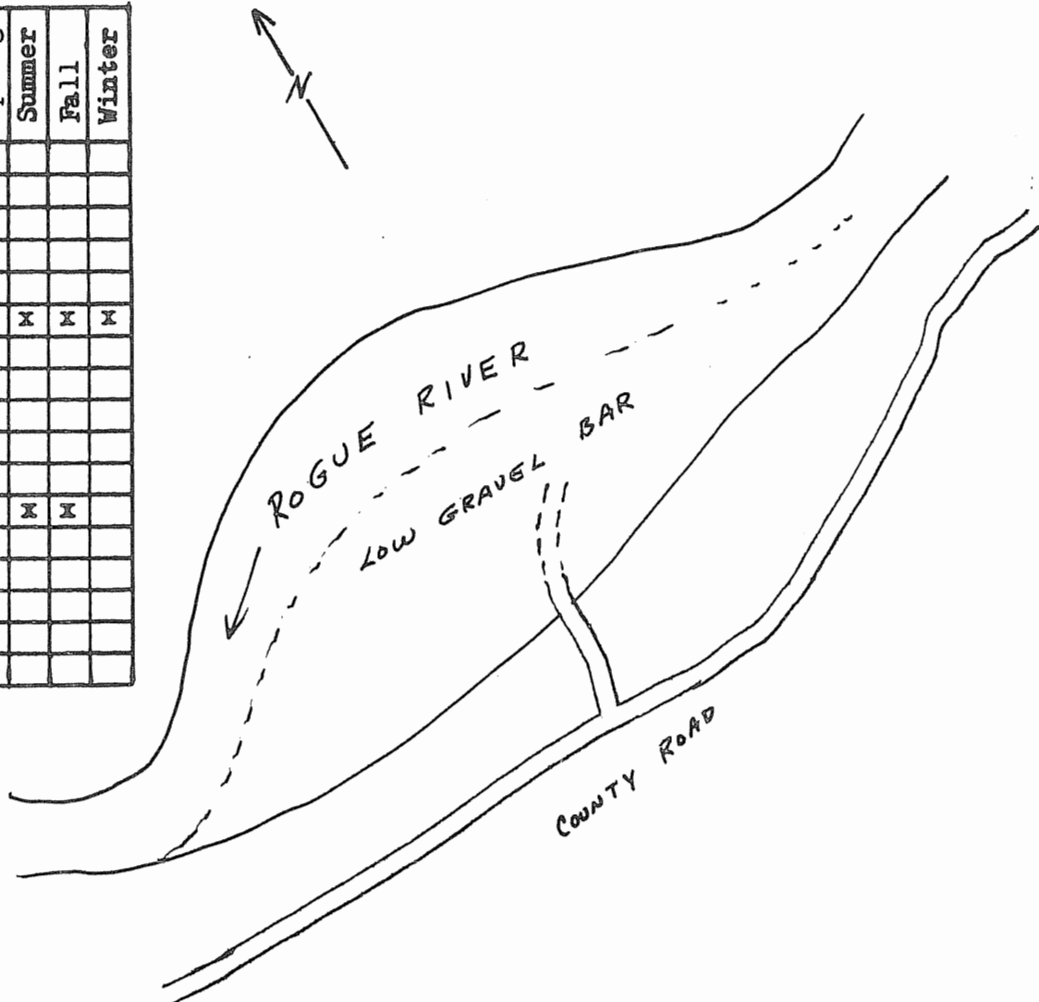
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Seasons (Check)

RECREATION
(Check)

- Boating, motor
- Boating, non-motor
- Camping, tent
- Camping, trailer
- Fishing, boat
- Fishing, shore
- Hiking
- Horseback riding
- Hunting, big game
- Hunting, upland game
- Hunting, waterfowl
- * Nature study
- Picnicking
- Sightseeing
- Skin and scuba diving
- Swimming
- Water skiing
- * Rock hounding

Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
X	X	X	X
	X	X	



OTHER

Safety Problems:

Group Facilities:

REMARKS

Potential for permanent developments is poor because of flood effect.

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Rogue River System Site No. 7
I Area Priority B
Name Ferry Hole Bar

Location 6 miles northeast of Gold Beach, South Bank
T 36 S, R 14 W, Sec. 16 River Mile 5.5 County Curry

Ownership: Public _____
Private X Tax Lot No. 2160
Number of owners 1 U. S. Plywood Corp.

DESCRIPTION

Land type Flat gravel bar
Cover type Open
Road access Off U. S. Plywood, Condition Fair
Flows Slight tidal influence Water quality Good
Present stage of development Road beaten out onto gravel bar

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: _____ Acres, 1,200 feet of frontage
Type of conveyance Purchase for angler access

Development:

Boat ramp: Type Steel mat (temporary) Number of lanes 1
Toilets X Trails _____ Roads X
Parking area _____; For _____ cars or _____ car-trailer units
This site provides some boat launching and moorage each season after U. S.
Plywood blades a road out to the river.

AREA I

SITE # 7

FISHERY: Primarily a spring chinook boat fishery with as many as 100 boats

anchored in the area. Some steelhead boat angling in late summer.

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Heavy	Sa			
Medium				
Light		Sa St	Sa St	

(Sa - Salmon, St - Steelhead, Tr - Trout,
Sg - Sturgeon, Ww - Warm Water Fishes)

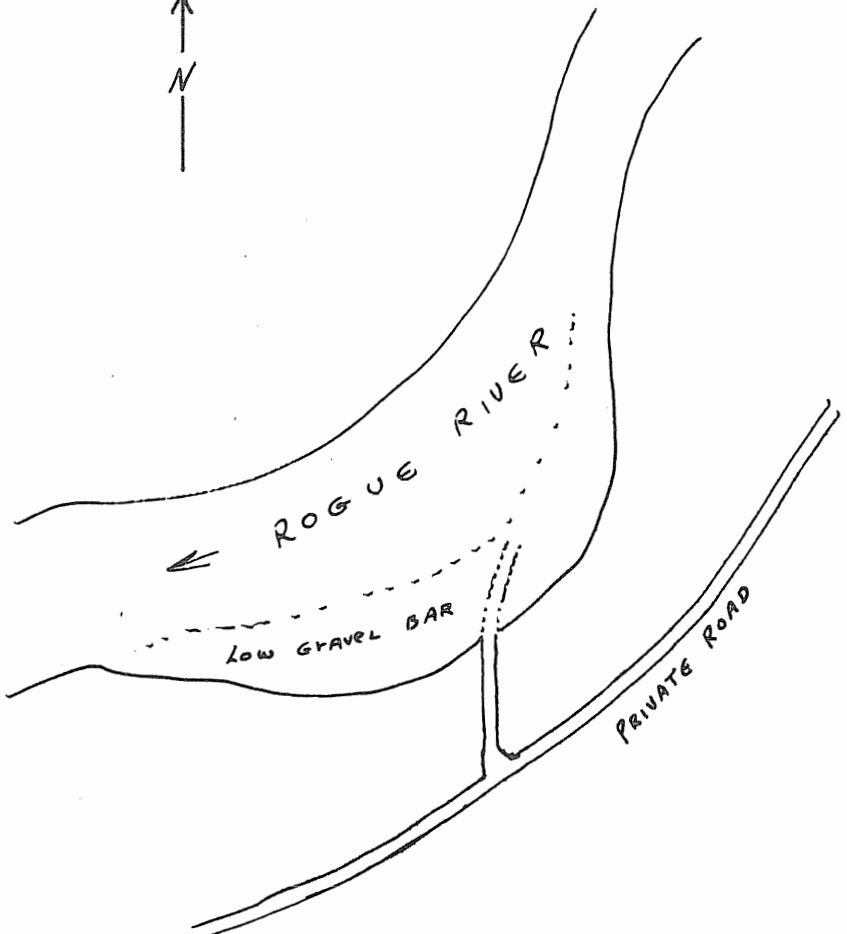
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Seasons (Check)

RECREATION
(Check)

- Boating, motor
- Boating, non-motor
- Camping, tent
- Camping, trailer
- Fishing, boat
- Fishing, shore
- Hiking
- Horseback riding
- Hunting, big game
- Hunting, upland game
- Hunting, waterfowl
- * Nature study
- Picnicking
- Sightseeing
- Skin and scuba diving
- Swimming
- Water skiing
- * Rock hounding

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
	X	X	X	
	X	X	X	
	X	X	X	
		X		



OTHER

Safety Problems: Swift water

Group Facilities:

REMARKS

This bar area subject to severe flooding and any developments should be temporary.

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Rogue River System Site No. 8
I Area Priority Complete
Name Ferry Hole Ramp

Location 6 miles northeast of Wedderburn, North Bank
T 36 S, R 14 W, Sec. 16 River Mile 5.5 County Curry
Ownership: Public County
Private County Tax Lot No. County
Number of owners County

DESCRIPTION

Land type Flat Bench
Cover type Residents with lawns
Road access County, Condition Good - gravel
Flows Slight tidal influence Water quality Good
Present stage of development Gravel ramp and limited parking

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: County Acres, County of frontage
Type of conveyance County

Development:

Boat ramp: Type County Number of lanes County
Toilets County Trails County Roads County
Parking area County; For County cars or County car-trailer units

This site provides boat launching for the spring chinook fishery in this area.

Parking is limited to about 10 car-trailer units.

SITE # 8

FISHERY: Heavy spring chinook fishery from anchored boats. Some steelhead
and jack salmon angling in the late summer.

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Heavy	Sa			
Medium				
Light		Sa St	Sa St	

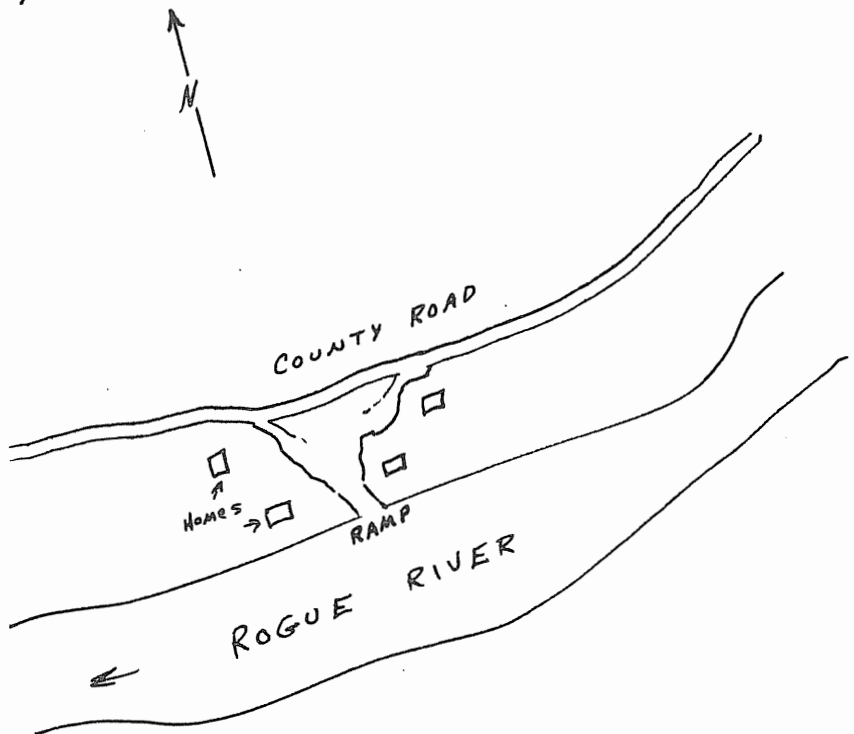
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Sg - Sturgeon, Ww - Warm Water Fishes)

SKETCH

Seasons (Check)

RECREATION
(Check)

- Boating, motor
- Boating, non-motor
- Camping, tent
- Camping, trailer
- Fishing, boat
- Fishing, shore
- Hiking
- Horseback riding
- Hunting, big game
- Hunting, upland game
- Hunting, waterfowl
- Nature study
- Picnicking
- Sightseeing
- Skin and scuba diving
- Swimming
- Water skiing

[illegible]

OTHER

Safety Problems:

Group Facilities:

REMARKS

This public ramp has very restricted parking with residents on all sides. No feasible area is available for developing parking. The county usually repairs this gravel ramp when high water erodes the lower portion.

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Rogue River System Site No. 9
I Area Priority B
Name Canfield Riffle

Location 5 miles east of Gold Beach, North Bank
T 36 S, R 14 W, Sec. 9 & 10 River Mile 6 County Curry

Ownership: Public _____
Private X Tax Lot No. 2101 - 1090
Number of owners 1 U. S. Plywood Corporation

DESCRIPTION

Land type Flat - gravel bar
Cover type Open with weeds
Road access County, Condition Fair - gravel
Flows High - winter Water quality Good
Present stage of development None

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: _____ Acres, 600 feet of frontage
Type of conveyance Purchase for bank angling

Development:

Boat ramp: Type _____ Number of lanes _____
Toilets X Trails _____ Roads X
Parking area _____; For _____ cars or _____ car-trailer units

This site is used by the public without guarantee of access at present.

SITE # 9

FISHERY: This is a preferred area for salmon and steelhead angling. The spring chinook fishery is primarily from boats in this area.

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Heavy	Sa		St	
Medium		St Sa	Sa	
Light				St

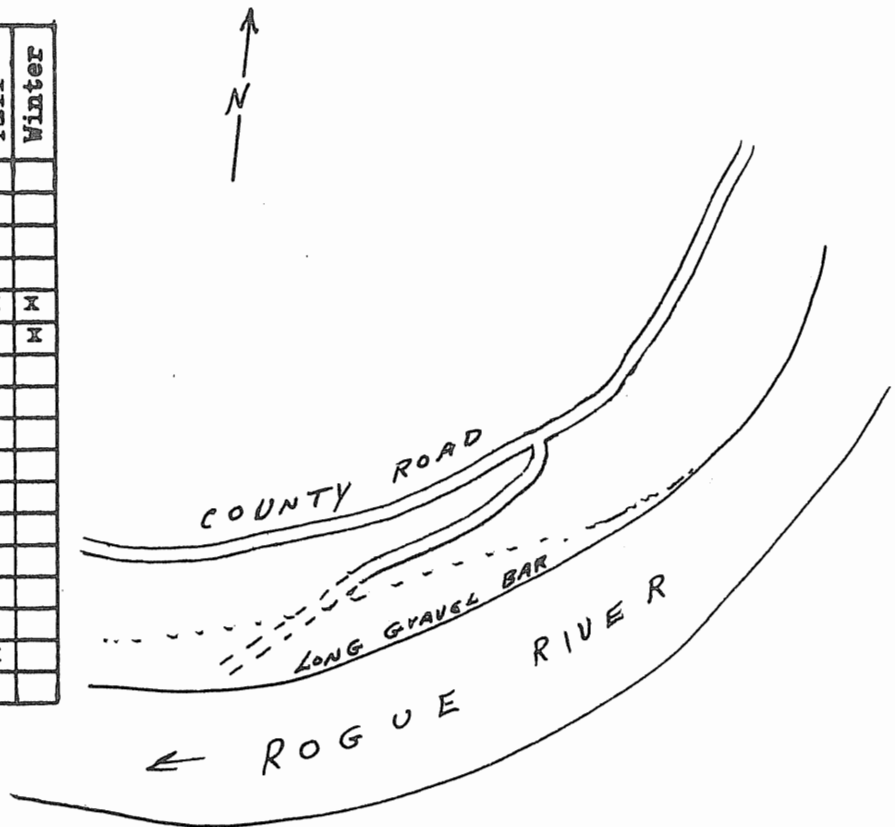
(Sa - Salmon, St - Steelhead, Tr - Trout,
Sg - Sturgeon, Ww - Warm Water Fishes)

SKETCH

Seasons (Check)

RECREATION
(Check)

- Boating, motor
- Boating, non-motor
- Camping, tent
- Camping, trailer
- Fishing, boat
- Fishing, shore
- Hiking
- Horseback riding
- Hunting, big game
- Hunting, upland game
- Hunting, waterfowl
- Nature study
- Picnicking
- Sightseeing
- Skin and scuba diving
- Swimming
- Water skiing

[illegible]

OTHER

Safety Problems:

Group Facilities:

REMARKS Boats are launched from the bar when traffic packs the gravel. This is considered adequate at this site. It would be desirable to have a road bladed to the bar each spring.

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Rogue System Site No. 10
I Area Priority A
Name Coyote Riffle

Location 7 miles northeast of Gold Beach, South Bank
T 36 S, R 14 W, Sec. 10, 11, 15 River Mile 7 County Curry
Ownership: Public

Private X Tax Lot No. 2150-2102-2111
Number of owners U. S. Plywood Corporation

DESCRIPTION

Land type Flat bench, sloping out to a gravel bar
Cover type Mixed deciduous and myrtle trees with heavy brush
Road access U. S. Plywood, Condition Fair
Flows High - winter Water quality Good
Present stage of development Annual road maintenance out on bar

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: 20 Acres, of frontage
Type of conveyance Purchase

Development:

Boat ramp: Type Temporary improved gravel Number of lanes 1
Toilets X Trails Roads X
Parking area X; For cars or 20 car-trailer units
This site provides bank angler access at present, but without guarantee in
the future.

AREA I

SITE # 10

FISHERY: This area provides one of the most preferred bank angling sites for spring chinook. Boat angling for salmon and steelhead is moderate in this area.

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Heavy	Sa	St	St	
Medium				
Light				St

(Sa - Salmon, St - Steelhead, Tr - Trout, Sg - Sturgeon, Ww - Warm Water Fishes)

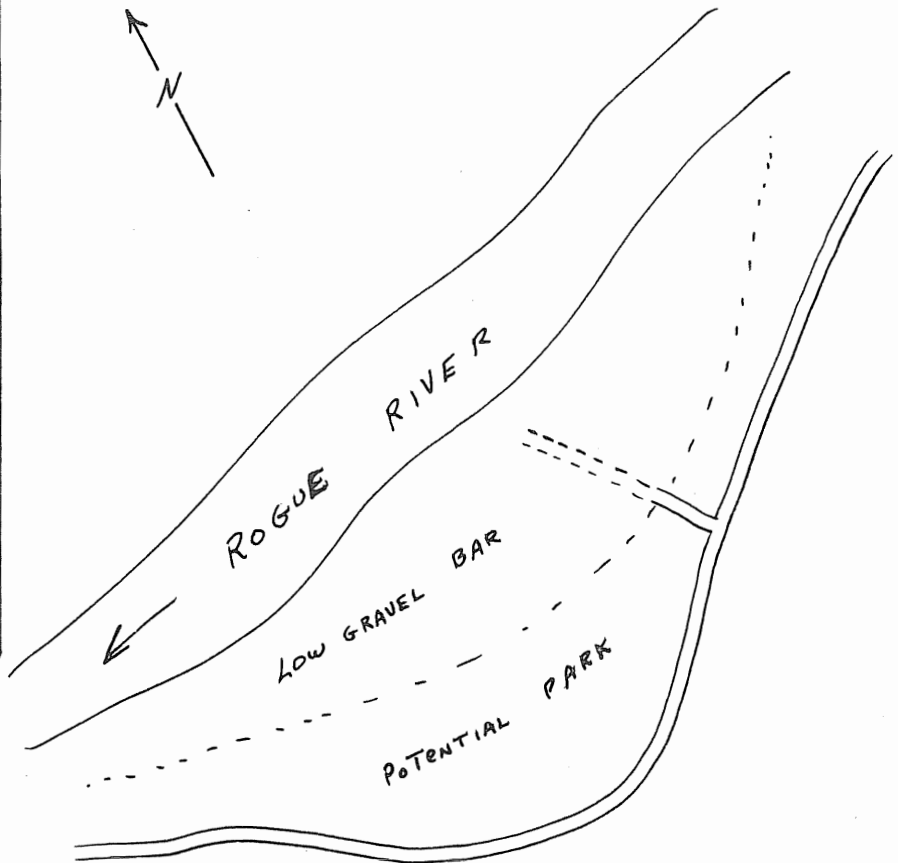
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Seasons (Check)

RECREATION
(Check)

- Boating, motor
- Boating, non-motor
- Camping, tent
- Camping, trailer
- Fishing, boat
- Fishing, shore
- Hiking
- Horseback riding
- * Hunting, big game
- Hunting, upland game
- Hunting, waterfowl
- ** Nature study
- Picnicking
- Sightseeing
- Skin and scuba diving
- Swimming
- Water skiing
- * Deer & bear
- ** Bird watching

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Boating, motor	X	X	X	X
Boating, non-motor				
Camping, tent	X	X	X	X
Camping, trailer	X	X	X	X
Fishing, boat	X	X	X	X
Fishing, shore	X	X	X	X
Hiking				
Horseback riding				
* Hunting, big game			X	X
Hunting, upland game				
Hunting, waterfowl				
** Nature study	X		X	
Picnicking		X	X	
Sightseeing				
Skin and scuba diving				
Swimming		X	X	
Water skiing				
* Deer & bear				
** Bird watching				



OTHER

Safety Problems:

Group Facilities:

REMARKS This large wooded bench has great potential for a large camping and picnicking development. Its proximity to the river fishery and the coast highway likely qualifies this as the most desirable site for such development in Area I.

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Rogue River System Site No. 11
I Area Priority B
Name Huntley Park

Location 8 miles northeast of Gold Beach, South Bank
T 36 S, R 14 W, Sec. 11 River Mile 8 County Curry
Ownership: Public

Private X Tax Lot No. 2111
Number of owners 1 U. S. Plywood Corporation

DESCRIPTION

Land type Flat sandy loam bench
Cover type Mixed coniferous and myrtle trees, scattered grass
Road access U. S. Plywood, Condition Good - gravel
Flows High - winter Water quality Good
Present stage of development Camping and picnicking complete

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: _____ Acres, _____ of frontage
Type of conveyance _____

Development:

Boat ramp: Type Concrete plank Number of lanes 1
Toilets _____ Trails _____ Roads _____
Parking area X; For _____ cars or 15 car-trailer units
This site provides the only public picnic or camping site within a 15-
mile radius. Summer use volume is at turn-way capacity.

AREA I

SITE # 11

FISHERY: Primarily a bank angling area for spring chinook and winter steelhead.

Boat angling is heavy just above this area. Anglers beach their boats rather than launching each trip.

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Heavy	Sa			St
Medium				
Light		St	Sa St	

(Sa - Salmon, St - Steelhead, Tr - Trout, Sg - Sturgeon, Ww - Warm Water Fishes)

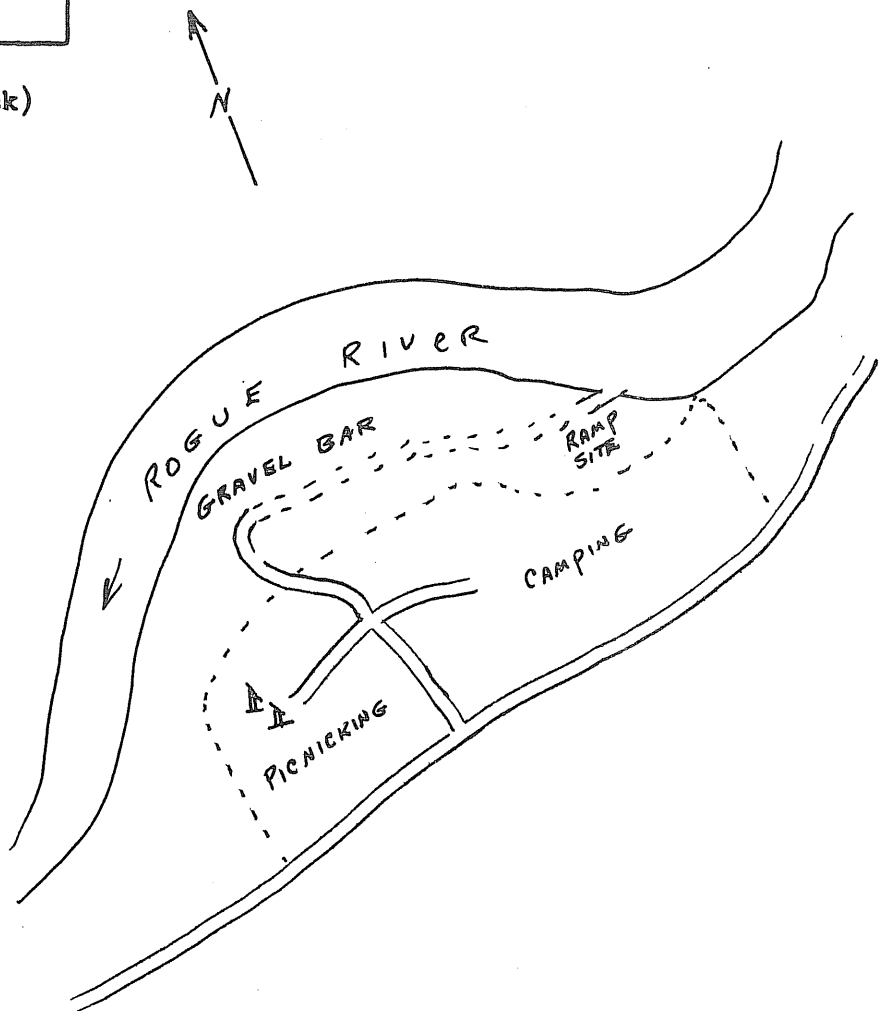
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Seasons (Check)

RECREATION
(Check)

- Boating, motor
- Boating, non-motor
- Camping, tent
- Camping, trailer
- Fishing, boat
- Fishing, shore
- Hiking
- Horseback riding
- Hunting, big game
- Hunting, upland game
- Hunting, waterfowl
- * Nature study
- Picnicking
- Sightseeing
- Skin and scuba diving
- Swimming
- Water skiing
- * Rock hounding

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
	X	X	X	
	X	X	X	
	X	X	X	X
	X	X	X	X
	X	X	X	
		X	X	
		X	X	
		X	X	



OTHER

Safety Problems: Dangerous currents in river for swimmer.

Group Facilities: Picnicking, camping and bus parking.

REMARKS

Some expansion at either end of the park would be desirable for increased use. This park is on a bench that escapes most floods.

Exposed bedrock at the upper end of this large gravel bar would provide a good foundation for developing a ramp.

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Rogue River System Site No. 12
I Area Priority A
Name Gillespie Riffle & Kimball Bar

Location 9 miles northeast of Gold Beach, North & south Bank
T 36 S, R 14 W, Sec. 1 - 12 River Mile 9 County Curry

Ownership: Public _____
Private X Tax Lot No. 300, 1011, 2120 on north bank
Number of owners 2 2120 - U. S. Plywood on south bank

DESCRIPTION

Land type Flat gravel bar
Cover type Some willow on bar with a small mixed stand of trees
County - north side
Road access U.S. Plywood - south side, Condition Fair
Flows High - winter Water quality Good
Present stage of development Resort development only

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: _____ Acres, 1000 feet _____ of frontage
Easement at Gillespie Riffle on the
Type of conveyance north bank

Development:

Boat ramp: Type _____ Number of lanes _____
Toilets X Trails _____ Roads X
Parking area X; For 15 cars or _____ car-trailer units
This site provides boat and bank angling for resort guests on the north bank.
Bank access is available to the public on the south bank.

SITE # 12

FISHERY: This is considered one of the few prime summer steelhead fly fishing areas and a preferred winter steelhead and spring chinook.

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Heavy	Sa	St	St Sa	St
Medium				
Light				

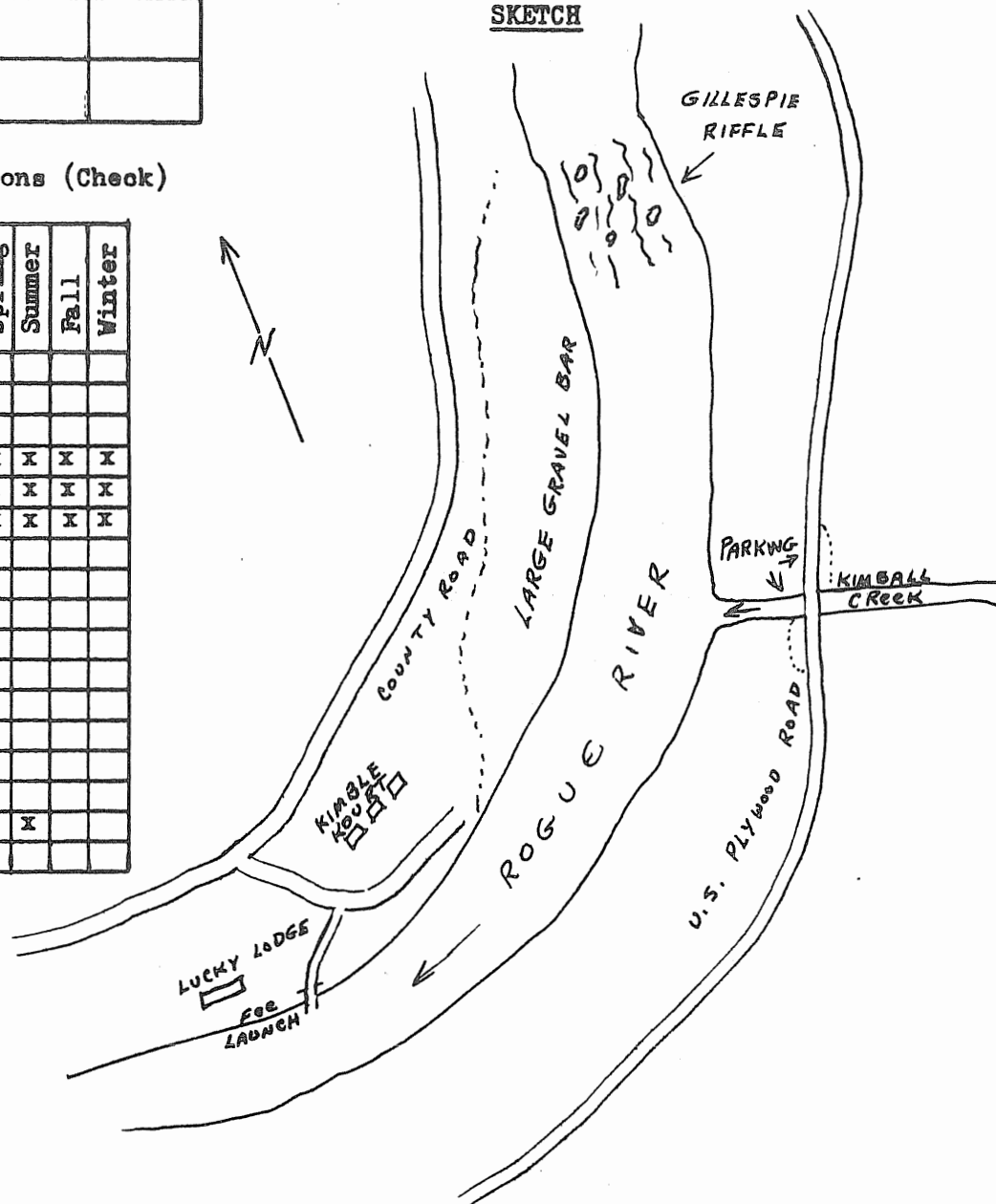
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Sg - Sturgeon, Ww - Warm Water Fishes)

SKETCH

Seasons (Check)

RECREATION
(Check)

- Boating, motor
- Boating, non-motor
- Camping, tent
- * Camping, trailer
- Fishing, boat
- Fishing, shore
- Hiking
- Horseback riding
- Hunting, big game
- Hunting, upland game
- Hunting, waterfowl
- Nature study
- Picnicking
- Sightseeing
- Skin and scuba diving
- Swimming
- Water skiing
- * Fee camping

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OTHER

Safety Problems:

Group Facilities:

REMARKS Two private resorts operate on the north bank. Access on the large gravel bar is restricted primarily to resort guests. A facility for launching boats on trailers is available at the downstream resort for a fee. Frontage access for the public at Gillespie Riffle is highly desirable.

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Rogue River System Site No. 13
I Area Priority B
Name Orchard Bar

Location 10 miles northeast of Gold Beach, South Bank
T 36 S, R 14 W, Sec. 1 River Mile 10 County Curry
Ownership: Public _____
Private X Tax Lot No. 1011
Number of owners _____ U. S. Plywood

DESCRIPTION

Land type Small narrow bench along road and large flat gravel bar
Cover type Mixed trees and brush on bench - open on bar
Road access U. S. Plywood, Condition Good
Flows High - winter Water quality Good
Present stage of development Packed road on bar

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: _____ Acres, 1,500 feet of frontage
Type of conveyance Purchase

Development:

Boat ramp: Type Steel mat Number of lanes 1
Toilets X Trails _____ Roads X
Parking area X; For _____ cars or 15 car-trailer units

This site provides 1,500 feet of bank angler access and a poor gravel launching site. Access is not guaranteed at present.

SITE # 13

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Heavy	Sa		Sa St	St
Medium		St		
Light				

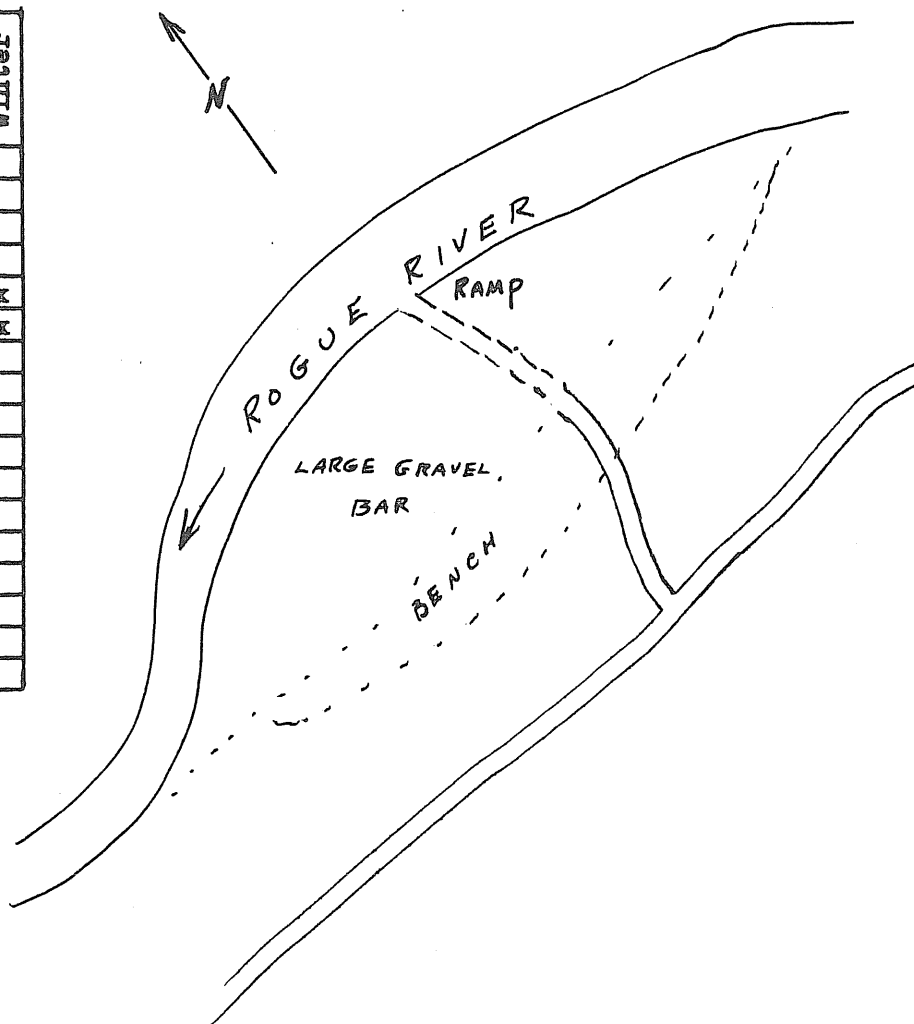
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Sg - Sturgeon, Ww - Warm Water Fishes)

SKETCH

Seasons (Check)

RECREATION
(Check)

Boating, motor
Boating, non-motor
Camping, tent
Camping, trailer
Fishing, boat
Fishing, shore
Hiking
Horseback riding
Hunting, big game
Hunting, upland game
Hunting, waterfowl
Nature study
Picnicking
Sightseeing
Skin and scuba diving
Swimming
Water skiing

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OTHER

Safety Problems:

Group Facilities:

REMARKS

This bar is subject to flooding effect and, therefore, a steel mat which would be removed during high water is recommended. There is minor potential for about 6 camp site developments on a narrow bench near the road.

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Rogue River System Site No. 14
I Area Priority A
Name Jim Davis Riffle

Location 10 miles northeast of Gold Beach, North Bank
T 35 S, R 14 W, Sec. 36 River Mile 10 County Curry
Ownership: Public
Private X Tax Lot No. 6799
Number of owners 1

DESCRIPTION

Land type Flat - sandy loam bench
Cover type Myrtle grove and deciduous trees
Road access County, Condition Fair - gravel
Flows High - winter Water quality Good
Present stage of development None

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: 15 Acres, _____ of frontage
Type of conveyance Purchase

Development:

Boat ramp: Type _____ Number of lanes _____
Toilets X Trails _____ Roads X
Parking area X; For 10 cars or _____ car-trailer units

This site provides some bank angling access and is considered a good moorage.

Sandy bank moorage is necessary because of waves created by mail and
sightseeing boat traffic.

AREA I

SITE # 14

FISHERY: A good boat fishery exists in the area for spring chinook, summer steelhead, jack salmon, and winter steelhead.

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Heavy	Sa		Sa St	St
Medium		St		
Light				

(Sa - Salmon, St - Steelhead, Tr - Trout, Sg - Sturgeon, Ww - Warm Water Fishes)

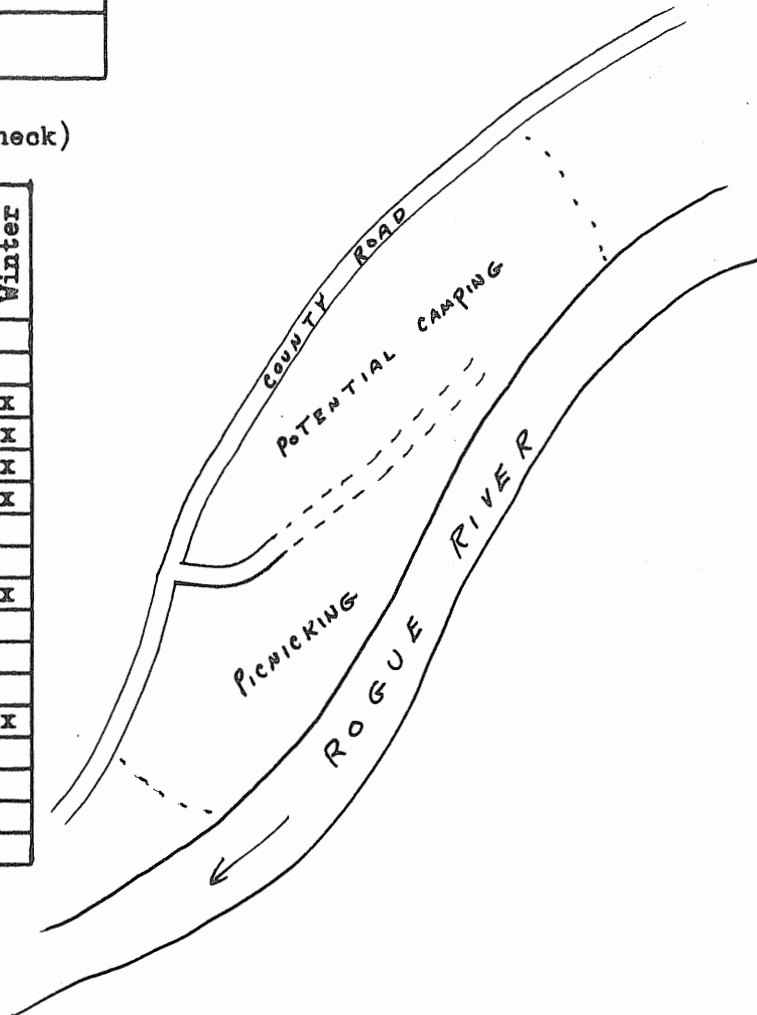
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Seasons (Check)

RECREATION
(Check)

- Boating, motor
- Boating, non-motor
- Camping, tent
- Camping, trailer
- Fishing, boat
- Fishing, shore
- Hiking
- Horseback riding
- * Hunting, big game
- Hunting, upland game
- Hunting, waterfowl
- Nature study
- Picnicking
- Sightseeing
- Skin and scuba diving
- Swimming
- Water skiing
- * Deer & bear

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
	X	X	X	X
	X	X	X	X
	X	X	X	X
	X	X	X	X
			X	X
	X	X	X	X
		X		



OTHER

Safety Problems:

Group Facilities: Bus parking, group camping and picnicking when developed.

REMARKS This bench area floods during very high water but has good potential for a large picnic and camping development. Boat ramp construction would be difficult because of sand bars and location of the main channel.

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Rogue River System Site No. 15
I Area Priority C
Name Lobster Creek Area

Location 11 miles northeast of Gold Beach, North and south Bank
T 35 S, R 13 W, Sec. 31 River Mile 11 County Curry
Ownership: Public U. S. Forest Service
Private _____ Tax Lot No. _____
Number of owners _____

DESCRIPTION

Land type Sloping to steep banks on both banks
Cover type Myrtle groves and mixed trees over brush
Road access U.S. Plywood and county, Condition Fair - gravel
Flows High - winter Water quality Good
Present stage of development Gravel road to river on south bank

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: _____ Acres, _____ of frontage
Type of conveyance Agreement to improve ramp.

Development:

Boat ramp: Type Steel mat Number of lanes 1
Toilets X Trails _____ Roads X
Parking area X; For _____ cars or 15 car-trailer units
This site provides bank angling access on both banks of the Rogue, above and
below the bridge.

AREA I

SITE # 15

FISHERY: Preferred bank angling for salmon and steelhead.

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Heavy	Sa		St	
Medium		St	Sa	St
Light				

(Sa - Salmon, St - Steelhead, Tr - Trout, Sg - Sturgeon, Ww - Warm Water Fishes)

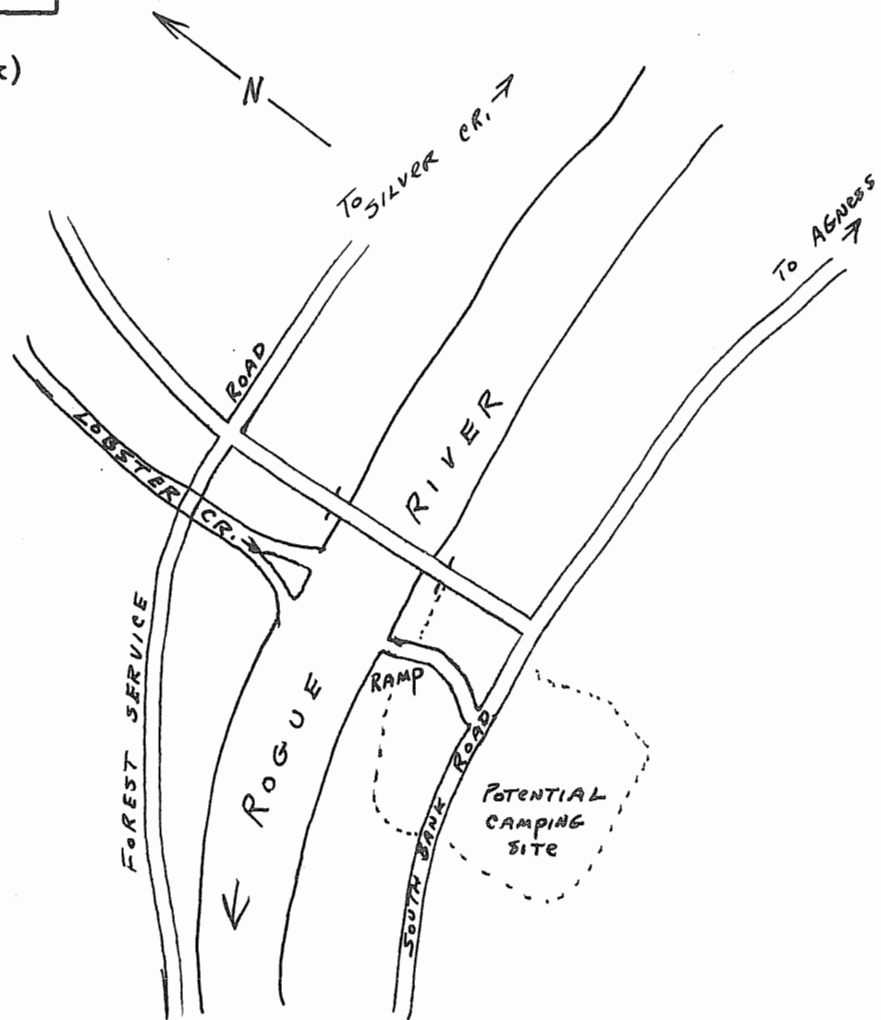
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Seasons (Check)

RECREATION (Check)

- Boating, motor
- Boating, non-motor
- Camping, tent
- Camping, trailer
- Fishing, boat
- Fishing, shore
- Hiking
- Horseback riding
- * Hunting, big game
- * Hunting, upland game
- Hunting, waterfowl
- Nature study
- Picnicking
- Sightseeing
- Skin and scuba diving
- Swimming
- Water skiing
- * Deer, bear & pigeons

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Boating, motor	X	X	X	X
Boating, non-motor	X	X	X	X
Camping, tent	X	X	X	X
Camping, trailer	X	X	X	X
Fishing, boat	X	X	X	X
Fishing, shore	X	X	X	X
Hiking				
Horseback riding				
* Hunting, big game			X	X
* Hunting, upland game			X	
Hunting, waterfowl				
Nature study				
Picnicking		X	X	
Sightseeing				
Skin and scuba diving				
Swimming		X	X	
Water skiing				
* Deer, bear & pigeons				



OTHER

Safety Problems:

Group Facilities: Bus parking, group picnicking and camping.

REMARKS Light boats launch from the bar on the south bank below the bridge. Many anglers beach their boats along this bar during salmon season.

The flat bench on the south bank below the bridge has been designated as a future camping and picnic site by the Forest Service. The area will have 16 camp sites.

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Rogue River System Site No. 16
I Area Priority B
Name Dunkleburger Bar

Location 14 miles northeast of Gold Beach, North Bank
T 35 S, R 13 W, Sec. 33 River Mile 13 County Curry
Ownership: Public U. S. Forest Service
Private Tax Lot No.
Number of owners

DESCRIPTION

Land type Steep gravel - loam
Cover type Heavy mixed trees and brush
Road access U. S. Forest Service, Condition Fair - gravel
Flows High - winter Water quality Good
Present stage of development Gravel road out across gravel bar.

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: Acres, of frontage
Type of conveyance

Development:

Boat ramp: Type Number of lanes
Toilets X Trails Roads X
Parking area X; For cars or 10 car-trailer units
This site provides boat and bank angler access except during high water. The
bar is about 2,000 feet long.

SITE # 16

FISHERY: This is a preferred angling area for salmon and steelhead.

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Heavy	Sa			St
Medium			St	
Light		St	Sa	

(Sa - Salmon, St - Steelhead, Tr - Trout,
Sg - Sturgeon, Ww - Warm Water Fishes)

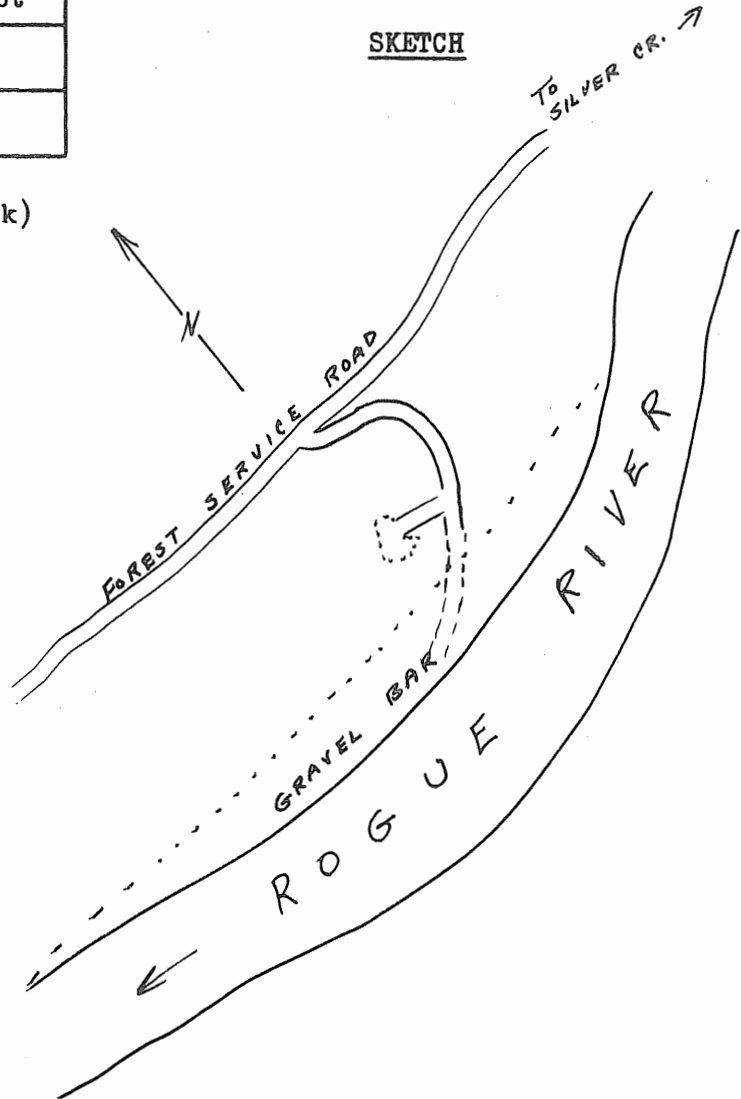
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Seasons (Check)

	X				M	Spring
	X				M	Summer
	X				M	Fall
	X		X		M	Winter

RECREATION
(Check)

- Boating, motor
- Boating, non-motor
- Camping, tent
- Camping, trailer
- Fishing, boat
- Fishing, shore
- Hiking
- Horseback riding
- Hunting, big game
- Hunting, upland game
- Hunting, waterfowl
- * Nature study
- Picnicking
- Sightseeing
- Skin and scuba diving
- Swimming
- Water skiing
- * Bird watching
- Rock hounding



OTHER

Safety Problems: Swift water

Group Facilities:

REMARKS

This bar is not suitable for permanent ramp construction. Blading a road out across the bar each spring would provide public boating access. A small picnic area exists above the bar area. This could be expanded by clearing and leveling.

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Rogue River System Site No. 17
I Area Priority C
Name Quosatana Creek Area

Location 13 miles northeast of Gold Beach, South Bank
35 S 34
T 36 S, R 13 W, Sec. 3 River Mile 14 County Curry

Ownership: Public _____
Private X Tax Lot No. 5400, 1400
Number of owners 2

DESCRIPTION

Land type Flat - Sandy loam bottom
Cover type Mixed trees and myrtle groves - heavy brush
Road access Forest Service, Condition Fair
Flows High - winter Water quality Good
Present stage of development None

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: 25 Acres, _____ of frontage
Type of conveyance Purchase for park development and angler access

Development:

Boat ramp: Type Temporary (steel mat) Number of lanes 1
Toilets X Trails X Roads X
Parking area X; For _____ cars or 15 car-trailer units
This site provides limited bank access to about 1,000 feet of frontage at
present. Anglers must walk about 400 yards from the road to the
river.

SITE # 17

FISHERY: Primarily a bank fishery for steelhead with some boat angling for spring chinook and steelhead. Lack of boat launching access handicaps angler effort in area.

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Heavy	Sa			
Medium		St	Sa St	
Light		Tr		St

(Sa - Salmon, St - Steelhead, Tr - Trout,
Sg - Sturgeon, Ww - Warm Water Fishes)

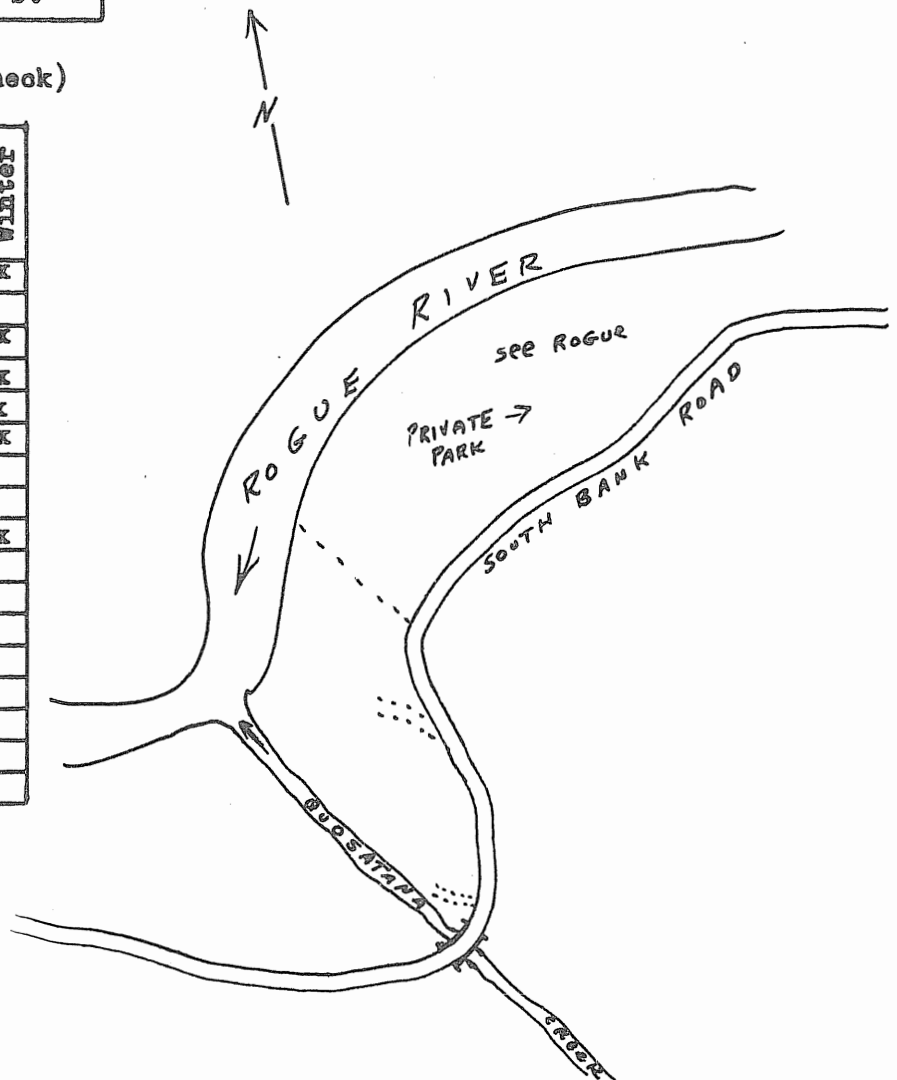
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Seasons (Check)

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RECREATION
(Check)

- Boating, motor
- Boating, non-motor
- Camping, tent
- Camping, trailer
- Fishing, boat
- Fishing, shore
- Hiking
- Horseback riding
- * Hunting, big game
- Hunting, upland game
- Hunting, waterfowl
- Nature study
- Picnicking
- Sightseeing
- Skin and scuba diving
- Swimming
- Water skiing
- * Deer & bear



OTHER

Safety Problems: Swift water

Group Facilities: Available if developed

REMARKS Good potential for a large camping and picnic area development.

A private park adjoins the area to the east and provides fee camping and launching over a gravel bar at present.

Subject to high flood deposition of silt.

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Rogue River System Site No. 18
I Area Priority Complete
Name Rogue River Hideaway

Location 14 miles northeast of Gold Beach, South Bank
T 35 S, R 13 W, Sec. 34 River Mile 15 County Curry

Ownership: Public _____
Private X Tax Lot No. 5,410
Number of owners 1

DESCRIPTION

Land type Flat sandy loam bench
Cover type Myrtle grove
Road access Forest Service, Condition Good - gravel
Flows High - winter Water quality Good
Present stage of development Complete when repairs are finished.

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: _____ Acres, _____ of frontage
Type of conveyance _____

Development:

Boat ramp: Type _____ Number of lanes _____

Toilets _____ Trails _____ Roads _____

Parking area _____; For _____ cars or _____ car-trailer units

This site provides a private fee park with about 30 trailer and tent sites.

Picnicking and boat launching on a gravel bar are also available
with charge. The park is just recovering from flood damage in
1964 and camper use is still low.

AREA I

SITE # 18

FISHERY: Angling at this site not preferred, but the park provides launching and moorage access for a developing boat fishery in the nearby areas.

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Heavy				
Medium	Sa			
Light		St	St Sa	St

(Sa - Salmon, St - Steelhead, Tr - Trout,
Sg - Sturgeon, Ww - Warm Water Fishes)

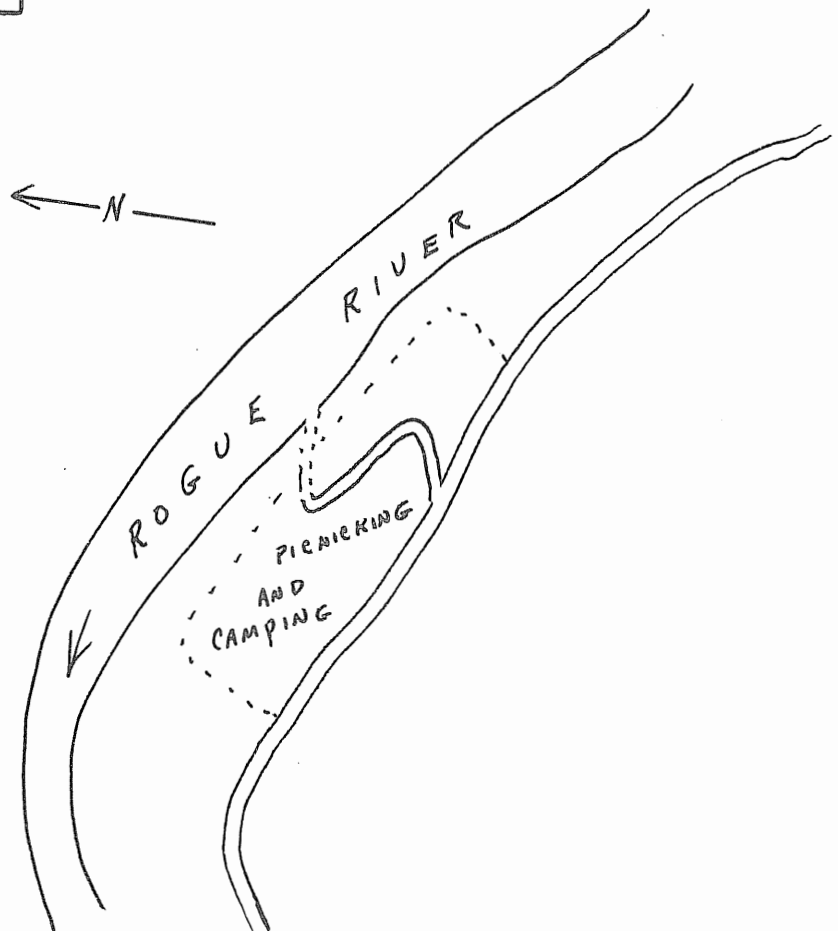
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Seasons (Check)

RECREATION
(Check)

- Boating, motor
- Boating, non-motor
- Camping, tent
- Camping, trailer
- Fishing, boat
- Fishing, shore
- Hiking
- Horseback riding
- * Hunting, big game
- Hunting, upland game
- Hunting, waterfowl
- ** Nature study
- Picnicking
- Sightseeing
- Skin and scuba diving
- Swimming
- Water skiing
- * Deer & bear
- ** Bird watching

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
	X	X	X	X
	X	X	X	X
	X	X	X	X
	X	X	X	X
			X	
	X	X	X	
		X	X	



OTHER

Safety Problems: Swift water

Group Facilities: Group camping and picnicking, bus parking

REMARKS This property has very good potential for an even larger camping and picnic area.

The Quosatana Creek area borders on the west. The river is not generally accessible from road above this site, until the Agness area is reached.

ROGUE RIVER

AREA II

Area II extends from river mile 15.5 near Silver Creek up to river mile 33 at Illahe. The area is generally remote with heavily timbered mountains sloping to the steep river banks. In the upper portion near the small settlement of Agness, the Rogue has numerous white water rapids. The Illinois River joins the Rogue here. Below Agness the river tends to level out into a series of long pools and moderate rapids. This lower portion is accessible by motor or drift boats but is at some distance from the roads that wind along the slopes above the river.

Ownership of the river frontage is in a transitional stage as the U. S. Forest Service is actively acquiring this land for future recreation and timber management.

Angling is becoming increasingly popular in the Agness area for spring chinook and both salmon and steelhead in the fall. Most of the angling is from boats and launching is currently done on gravel bars as improved ramps have not been developed.

As better roads and bridges provide increased car access into this area, pressure from recreationists will increase sharply. The Forest Service is currently constructing two pay-campgrounds that will provide 72 camping units in the area.

Two sites are recommended for boat ramp development. The most desirable is at Agness Bar (Site #2) with potential sites on either side of the Rogue River. The second is a site across from Shasta Costa Creek which has potential but should be deferred to the future if sites upstream or downstream with higher priority can be developed.

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Rogue River System Site No. 1
II Area Priority Complete
Name Crooked Riffle Campgrounds

Location 1.5 miles west of Agness, South Bank
T 35 S, R 11 W, Sec. 11 River Mile 25 County Curry

Ownership: Public Forest Service
Private _____ Tax Lot No. _____
Number of owners _____

DESCRIPTION

Land type Sloping - Rocky soil
Cover type Mixed trees and brush
Road access Forest Service, Condition Fair - gravel
Flows High - winter Water quality Good
Present stage of development Plans only

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: _____ Acres, _____ of frontage
Type of conveyance _____

Development:

Boat ramp: Type _____ Number of lanes _____
Toilets _____ Trails _____ Roads _____
Parking area _____; For _____ cars or _____ car-trailer units
This site will provide camping facilities for 22 sites. No boat access is
planned.

AREA II

SITE # 1

FISHERY: Angling in this area is presently limited to boat angling for salmon and steelhead. No road exists to the river.

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Heavy				
Medium	Sa	St Sa	St	St
Light			Sa	

(Sa - Salmon, St - Steelhead, Tr - Trout,
Sg - Sturgeon, Ww - Warm Water Fishes)

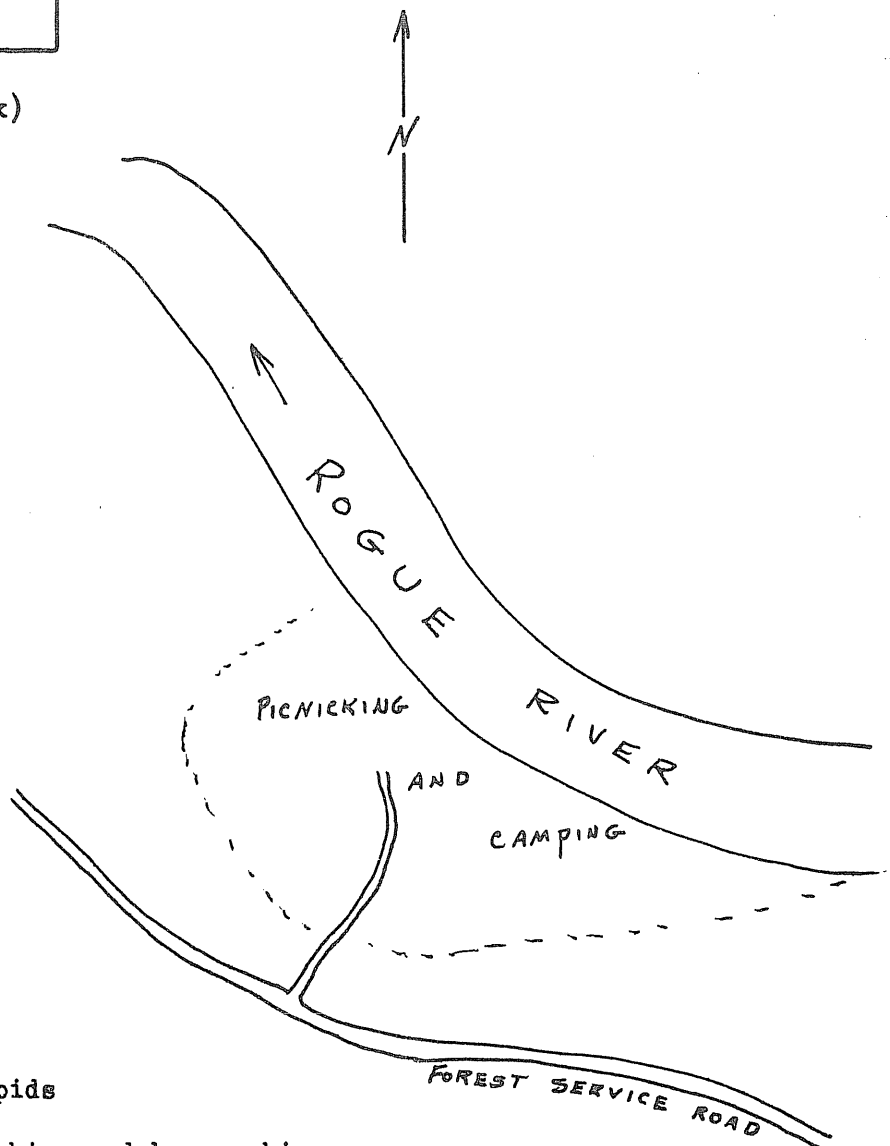
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Seasons (Check)

RECREATION
(Check)

- Boating, motor
- Boating, non-motor
- Camping, tent
- Camping, trailer
- Fishing, boat
- Fishing, shore
- Hiking
- Horseback riding
- * Hunting, big game
- * Hunting, upland game
- Hunting, waterfowl
- Nature study
- Picnicking
- Sightseeing
- Skin and scuba diving
- Swimming
- Water skiing
- * Deer, bear & grouse

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
	X	X	X	X
	X	X	X	X
	X	X	X	X
	X	X	X	X
		X	X	
			X	X
			X	
	X	X	X	X
		X	X	



OTHER

Safety Problems: White water rapids

Group Facilities: Camping, picnicking and bus parking.

REMARKS

The Forest Service plans to develop this area in the near future.

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Rogue River System Site No. 2
II Area Priority A
Name Agness Bar

Location At Agness, North Bank
T 35 S, R 11 W, Sec. 18 River Mile 27 County Curry

Ownership: Public _____
Private X Tax Lot No. 900 North bank
400 South bank
Number of owners 2

DESCRIPTION

Land type Flat gravel bar
Cover type Open gravel
Road access Off county road, Condition Fair - gravel
Flows High - winter Water quality Good
Present stage of development Rough road to river on gravel bar.

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: 1 Acres, _____ of frontage
Type of conveyance Purchase for ramp site

Development:

Boat ramp: Type Steel mat Number of lanes 1
Toilets X Trails _____ Roads _____
Parking area X; For _____ cars or 20 car-trailer units
This site is used extensively by the public for launching boats to be used
for angling in the area.

SITE # 2

FISHERY: Most preferred site in the Agness area for boat and bank angling for salmon and steelhead.

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Heavy	Sa	St	St	St
Medium		Sa	Sa	
Light				

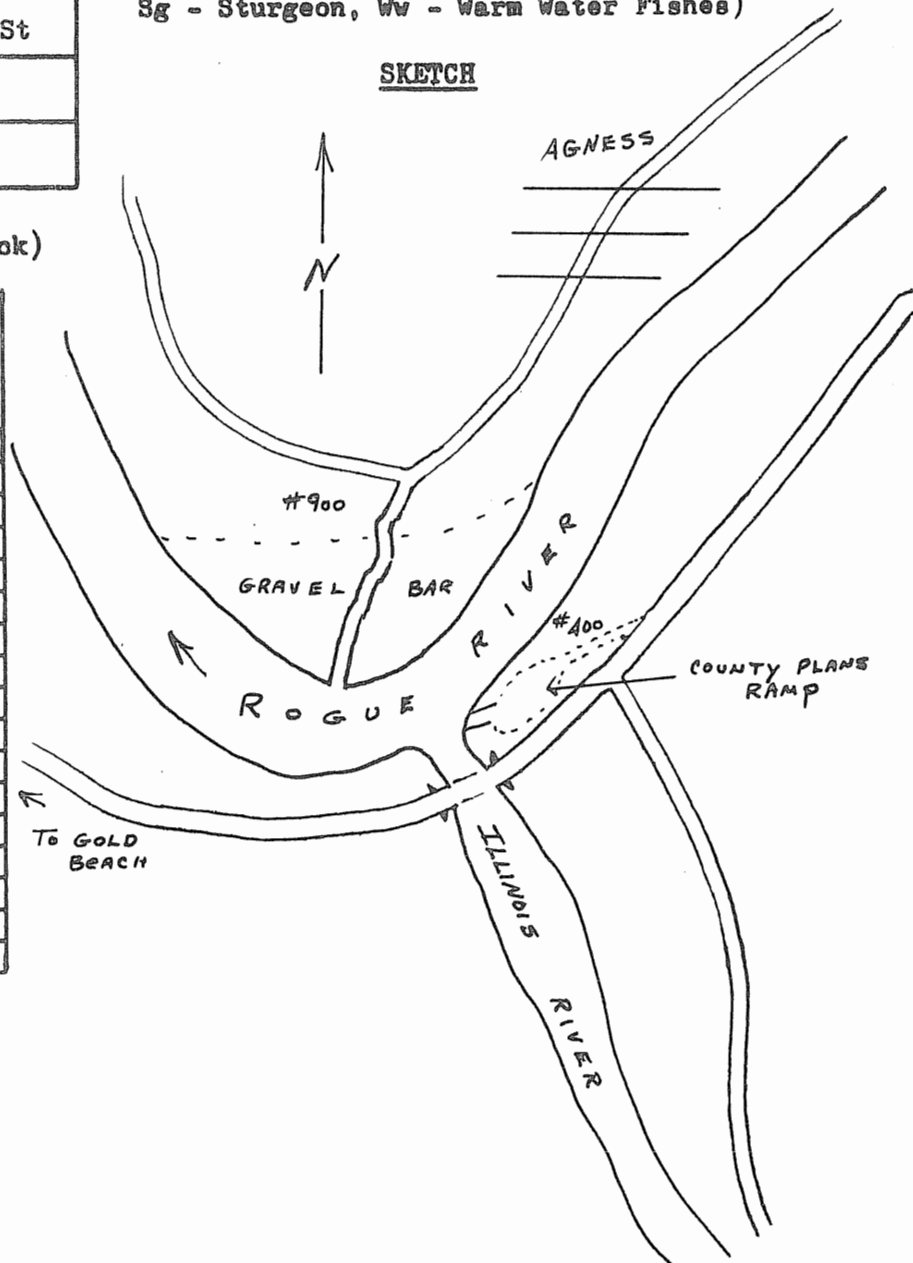
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Sg - Sturgeon, Ww - Warm Water Fishes)

SKETCH

Seasons (Check)

RECREATION
(Check)

Boating, motor
Boating, non-motor
Camping, tent
Camping, trailer
Fishing, boat
Fishing, shore
Hiking
Horseback riding
Hunting, big game
Hunting, upland game
Hunting, waterfowl
Nature study
Picnicking
Sightseeing
Skin and scuba diving
Swimming
Water skiing

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OTHER

Safety Problems: Swift water

Group Facilities:

REMARKS The county has interest in developing a ramp on private land on the south bank near the Illinois Bridge abutment. Curry County maintains the road on the private gravel bar (north side) through verbal agreement with the landowner. They plan to firm this agreement in the future through easement.

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Rogue River System Site No. 3
II Area Priority C
Name Shasta Costa Bar

Location 1 mile north of Agness, North Bank
T 35 S, R 11 W, Sec. 6 River Mile 29 County Curry

Ownership: Public Forest Service
Private X Tax Lot No. 800
Number of owners 2

DESCRIPTION

Land type Flat
Cover type Scattered brush
Road access Off county road, Condition Fair - gravel
Flows High - winter Water quality Good
Present stage of development Road to river on gravel bar

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: 2 Acres, _____ of frontage
Type of conveyance Purchase

Development:

Boat ramp: Type Improved gravel Number of lanes 1
Toilets X Trails _____ Roads _____
Parking area X; For _____ cars or _____ car-trailer units

This site is presently used for private boat launching by owners.

SITE # 3

FISHERY: Boat and bank angling for chinook and steelhead.

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Heavy		St	St	
Medium	Sa			St
Light		Sa	Sa	

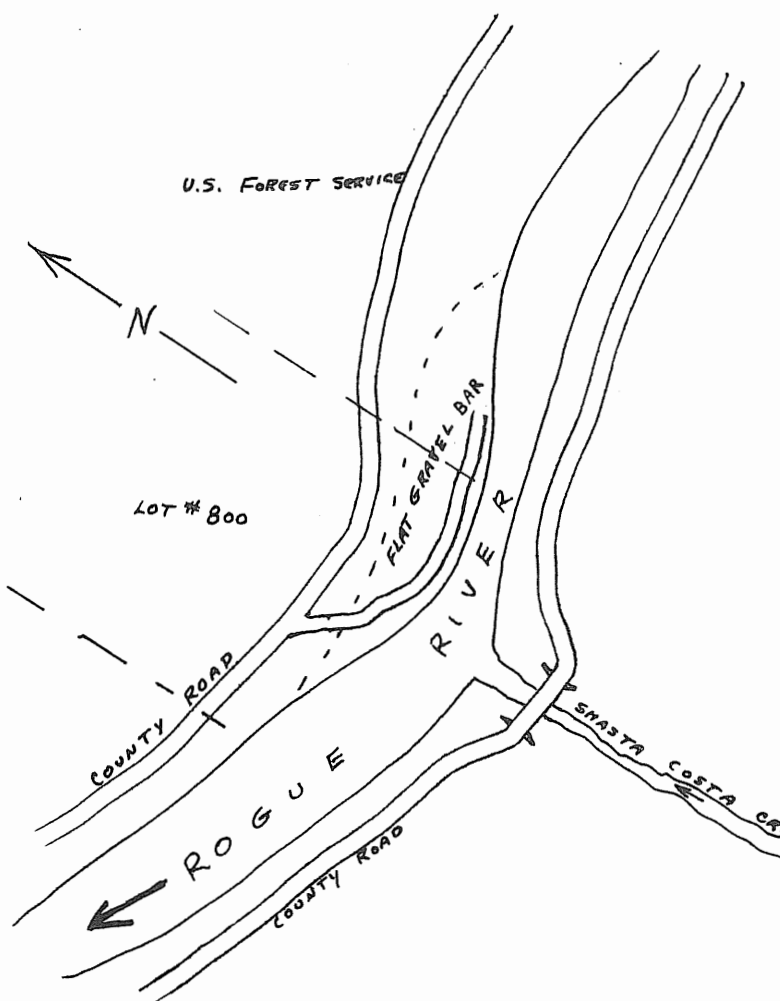
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Sg - Sturgeon, Ww - Warm Water Fishes)

SKETCH

Seasons (Check)

RECREATION
(Check)

- Boating, motor
- Boating, non-motor
- Camping, tent
- Camping, trailer
- Fishing, boat
- Fishing, shore
- Hiking
- Horseback riding
- Hunting, big game
- Hunting, upland game
- Hunting, waterfowl
- Nature study
- Picnicking
- Sightseeing
- Skin and scuba diving
- Swimming
- Water skiing

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OTHER

Safety Problems: Swift water

Group Facilities:

REMARKS This potential ramp site would be desirable only if Foster Creek, located 4 miles upstream, is not developed.

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Rogue River System Site No. 4
II Area Priority Complete
Name Illahe Camp Grounds

Location At Illahe, North Bank
T 34 S, R 11 W, Sec. 19 River Mile 32.5 County Curry
Ownership: Public Forest Service
Private Tax Lot No.
Number of owners 1

DESCRIPTION

Land type Rolling - rocky soil; bluff into river
Cover type Mixed young pine and madrone trees
Road access Forest Service, Condition Fair - gravel
Flows High - winter Water quality Good
Present stage of development Camp under construction

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: Acres, of frontage
Type of conveyance

Development:

Boat ramp: Type Number of lanes
Toilets Trails Roads
Parking area ; For cars or car-trailer units
This site will provide 50 camp sites and a pionic area. Angling is not
available from the immediate frontage.

AREA II

SITE # 4

FISHERY: Boat and bank angling in this area is available for salmon and steelhead.

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Heavy		St	St	
Medium	Sa	Sa		St
Light			Sa	

(Sa - Salmon, St - Steelhead, Tr - Trout, Sg - Sturgeon, Ww - Warm Water Fishes)

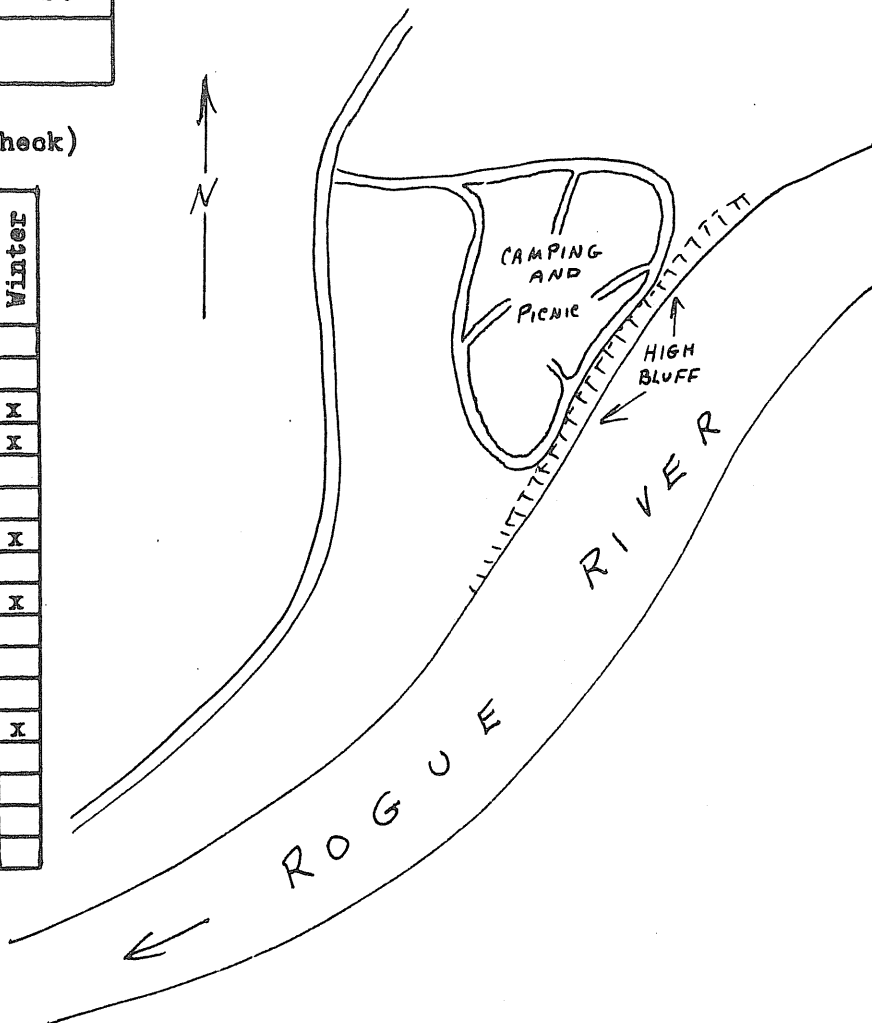
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Seasons (Check)

RECREATION
(Check)

- Boating, motor
- Boating, non-motor
- Camping, tent
- Camping, trailer
- Fishing, boat
- Fishing, shore
- Hiking
- Horseback riding
- * Hunting, big game
- Hunting, upland game
- Hunting, waterfowl
- Nature study
- Picnicking
- Sightseeing
- Skin and scuba diving
- Swimming
- Water skiing
- * Deer

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
	X	X	X	X
	X	X	X	X
	X	X	X	X
			X	X
	X	X	X	X



OTHER

Safety Problems: Fenced bluff along river frontage

Group Facilities: Group camping, picnicking and bus parking

REMARKS This large park will be open some time in 1968 for fee camping. Angling is restricted by the high bluffs into the river. A ramp at Foster Creek .5 miles upstream would serve anglers from this camp ideally.

ROGUE RIVER

AREA III

Area III includes that portion of the Rogue from river mile 33 near Foster Creek to river mile 68 near Grave Creek. This area is referred to as the Rogue Canyon and is the heart of the area under consideration for a "National Wild River." For 35 miles the river plunges through steep rock gorges and surges around huge boulders as it cuts through the coast mountains. Steep slopes of coniferous timber and Canyon Live Oak border the river through this isolated and primitive section. Only at Marial, near the middle of the area, does a public road reach the river. This serves a small settlement and a private lodge, but provides little or no angler access to the river in this rugged section.

Ownership in Area III is largely federal timber land with the river frontage classified to preserve its scenic and recreation value. However, a few parcels of private land are scattered through the area and two private lodges are located at Paradise and Black Bars. These lodges provide accommodations for recreationists in the canyon. Black Bar can be reached on land by a winding jeep road and Paradise Bar has a small airfield which is sometimes used during search and rescue work.

Drift boats operated by professional white water guides and a foot trail on the north bank provide the only common access into the canyon. Drift boat anglers travel the canyon during most of the year with peak concentrations during the summer and fall. Steelhead and a few fall salmon provide most of the angling for these boaters. Angler drift trips usually originate in the Galice area just above Grave Creek. From three to five days are spent drifting the canyon with most of the trips terminating at Foster Creek where a natural bar provides take-out access to a road.

The access sites evaluated in this section are generally complete and considered adequate with a minimum of development, in keeping with the character of this wild area. However, acquisition and ramp development is highly recommended on the Foster Creek site as this is a key location and suitable access from the river to the road is needed.

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Rogue River System Site No. 1
III Area Priority A
Name Foster Creek

Location 1 mile north of Illahe, Northwest Bank
T34 S, R 11 W, Sec. 18 River Mile 33.5 County Curry
Ownership: Public Forest Service #2200
Private X Tax Lot No. 2300
Number of owners 3 U. S. Plywood #700

DESCRIPTION

Land type Flat - sandy soil and gravel bar
Cover type Open with brush and grass
Forest Service north
Road access Country road south, Condition Fair - gravel
Flows High - winter Water quality Good
Present stage of development Unimproved gravel ramp

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: 2 Acres, _____ of frontage
Type of conveyance Agreement with Forest Service

Development:

Boat ramp: Type Concrete Number of lanes 1
Toilets X Trails _____ Roads X
Parking area X; For _____ cars or 20 car-trailer units

This site provides a take-out point for about 80% of the drift boat traffic
from the canyon area.

AREA III

SITE # 1

FISHERY: This whole section is preferred by boat and bank anglers for salmon and steelhead.

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Heavy	Sa		St	St
Medium		St Sa		
Light			Sa	

(Sa - Salmon, St - Steelhead, Tr - Trout,
Sg - Sturgeon, Ww - Warm Water Fishes)

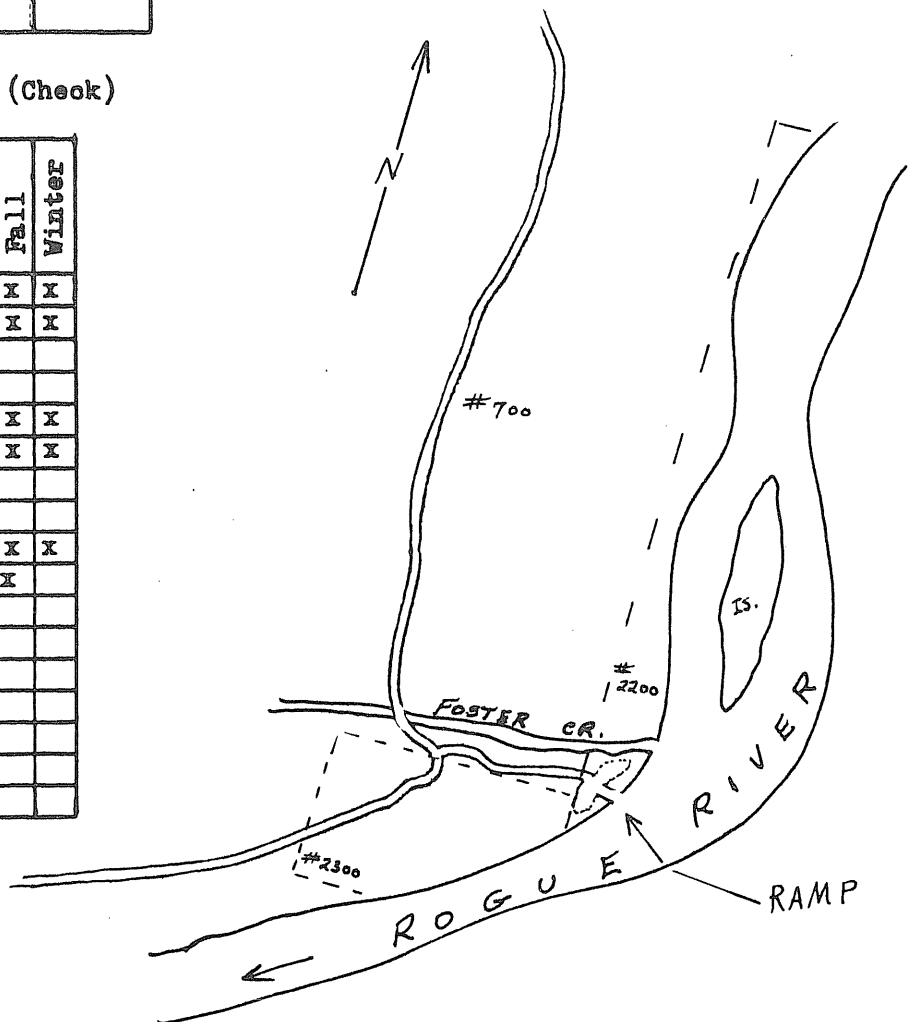
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Seasons (Check)

RECREATION
(Check)

- Boating, motor
- Boating, non-motor
- Camping, tent
- Camping, trailer
- Fishing, boat
- Fishing, shore
- Hiking
- Horseback riding
- * Hunting, big game
- * Hunting, upland game
- Hunting, waterfowl
- Nature study
- Picnicking
- Sightseeing
- Skin and scuba diving
- Swimming
- Water skiing
- * Deer & grouse

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Boating, motor	X	X	X	X
Boating, non-motor	X	X	X	X
Camping, tent				
Camping, trailer				
Fishing, boat	X	X	X	X
Fishing, shore	X	X	X	X
Hiking				
Horseback riding				
* Hunting, big game			X	X
* Hunting, upland game			X	
Hunting, waterfowl				
Nature study				
Picnicking				
Sightseeing				
Skin and scuba diving				
Swimming				
Water skiing				
* Deer & grouse				



OTHER

Safety Problems: White water rapids

Group Facilities: Bus parking

REMARKS Several attempts have been made to acquire this site for permanent public access in the past. The Forest Service is in the process of acquiring Lot Number 700 that borders to the north. It is highly desirable to develop an adequate ramp at this site.

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Rogue River System Site No. 2
III Area Priority Complete
Name Illahe Lodge

Location 1 mile north of Illahe, North Bank
T 34 S, R 11 W, Sec. 7 River Mile 34 County Curry

Ownership: Public _____
Private X Tax Lot No. 700
800
Number of owners 2

DESCRIPTION

Land type Sloping - sandy loam
Cover type Scattered trees and brush
Road access Off Forest Service, Condition Fair
Flows High - winter Water quality Good
Present stage of development _____

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: _____ Acres, _____ of frontage
Type of conveyance Easement for access over private road

Development:

Boat ramp: Type _____ Number of lanes _____
Toilets _____ Trails _____ Roads _____
Parking area _____; For _____ cars or _____ car-trailer units
This site provides angler-tourist accommodations through reservations at
the lodge.

AREA III

SITE # 2

FISHERY: A preferred area for boat angling on salmon and steelhead.

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Heavy	Sa		St	St
Medium		St Sa		
Light			Sa	

(Sa - Salmon, St - Steelhead, Tr - Trout,
Sg - Sturgeon, Ww - Warm Water Fishes)

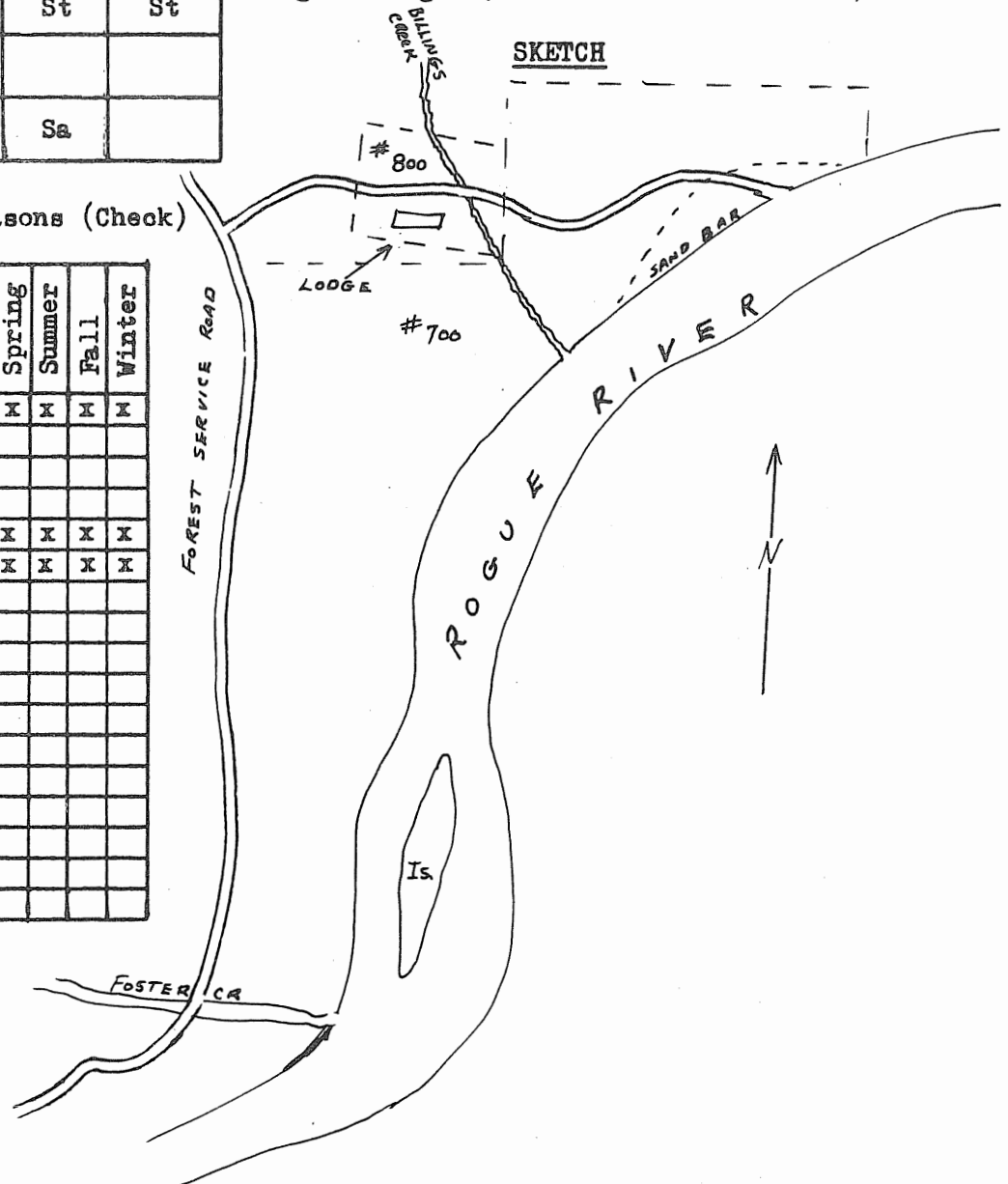
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Seasons (Check)

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Boating, motor	X	X	X	X
Boating, non-motor				
Camping, tent				
Camping, trailer				
Fishing, boat	X	X	X	X
Fishing, shore	X	X	X	X
Hiking				
Horseback riding				
Hunting, big game				
Hunting, upland game				
Hunting, waterfowl				
Nature study				
Picnicking				
Sightseeing				
Skin and scuba diving				
Swimming				
Water skiing				

RECREATION
(Check)

Boating, motor
Boating, non-motor
Camping, tent
Camping, trailer
Fishing, boat
Fishing, shore
Hiking
Horseback riding
Hunting, big game
Hunting, upland game
Hunting, waterfowl
Nature study
Picnicking
Sightseeing
Skin and scuba diving
Swimming
Water skiing



OTHER

Safety Problems:

Group Facilities:

REMARKS

Lot number 700 is in the ownship of U. S. Plywood and the Forest Service is in the process of acquiring this tract. Road easement through the private parcel #800 would give public access to launching on a natural bar as indicated. Space for parking about 5 cars exists at the bar.

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Rogue River System Site No. 3
III Area Priority Complete
Name Paradise Bar

Location 12 miles northwest of Illahe, North Bank
T 33 S, R 10 W, Sec. 18 River Mile 44 County Curry

Ownership: Public _____
Private X Tax Lot No. 1200
Number of owners 1

DESCRIPTION

Land type Flat bench with high steep bank into river
Cover type Mixed trees and natural grass
Road access Foot trail only, Condition Fair
Flows High - winter Water quality Good
Present stage of development Private lodge

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: _____ Acres, _____ of frontage
Type of conveyance _____

Development:

Boat ramp: Type _____ Number of lanes _____
Toilets _____ Trails _____ Roads _____
Parking area _____; For _____ cars or _____ car-trailer units

This site provides food and overnight lodging for drift boaters from upstream,
and motor launches from the Gold Beach area.

AREA III

SITE # 3

FISHERY: Boat angling for salmon and steelhead.

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Heavy			St	
Medium	Sa	St		
Light		Tr		St

(Sa - Salmon, St - Steelhead, Tr - Trout,
Sg - Sturgeon, Ww - Warm Water Fishes)

SKETCH

Seasons (Check)

RECREATION
(Check)

Boating, motor
Boating, non-motor
Camping, tent
Camping, trailer
Fishing, boat
Fishing, shore
Hiking
Horseback riding
Hunting, big game
Hunting, upland game
Hunting, waterfowl
Nature study
Picnicking
Sightseeing
Skin and scuba diving
Swimming
Water skiing

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Boating, motor	X	X	X	
Boating, non-motor		X		
Camping, tent				
Camping, trailer				
Fishing, boat	X	X	X	X
Fishing, shore		X		
Hiking		X		
Horseback riding				
Hunting, big game				
Hunting, upland game				
Hunting, waterfowl				
Nature study				
Picnicking				
Sightseeing				
Skin and scuba diving				
Swimming				
Water skiing				

See fold-out map.

OTHER

Safety Problems: White water rapids.

Group Facilities:

REMARKS

The resort owner has a small airstrip and ham-radio set which has been used in rescue work in this remote wild area. This is considered the upstream limit for motor boat travel. Blossom Bar just above here is a very rough rapids.

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Rogue River System Site No. 4
III Area Priority Complete
Name Marial

Location 11 miles northwest of Illahe, North Bank
T 33 S, R 10 W, Sec. 10 River Mile 47 County Curry

Ownership: Public _____
Private X Tax Lot No. 800
Number of owners 2

DESCRIPTION

Land type Sloping bench with steep banks into river
Cover type Mixed trees and brush
Road access Forest Service, Condition Poor, winding gravel
Flows High - winter Water quality Good
Present stage of development Private lodge and small settlement

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: _____ Acres, _____ of frontage
Type of conveyance _____

Development:

Boat ramp: Type _____ Number of lanes _____
Toilets _____ Trails _____ Roads _____
Parking area _____; For _____ cars or _____ car-trailer units
This site provides food and lodging for tourists and anglers.

SITE # 4

(Sa - Salmon, St - Steelhead, Tr - Trout,
Sg - Sturgeon, Ww - Warm Water Fishes)

Seasons (Check)

See fold-out map.

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Safety Problems: White water rapids

REMARKS High steep banks make boat access nearly impossible. Local residents hoist personal boats occasionally with boom-tackle.

The roads into this small settlement are narrow, winding, dirt roads.

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Rogue River System Site No. 5
III Area Priority B
Name Mule Creek

Location 1 mile north of Marial, North Bank
T 33 R, R 10 W, Sec. 9 River Mile 48.5 County Curry

Ownership: Public
Private X Tax Lot No. 600
Number of owners 1

DESCRIPTION

Land type Sloping - sandy loam
Cover type Grass covered slopes
Road access Private road, Condition Fair - dirt
Flows High - winter Water quality Good
Present stage of development Road and sand slide for boats

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: 2 Acres, _____ of frontage
Type of conveyance Purchase for ramp construction

Development:

Boat ramp: Type Concrete Number of lanes 1
Toilets X Trails _____ Roads X
Parking area X; For _____ cars or 20 car-trailer units
This site is privately owned and boat access is possible with the owner's
permission.

SITE # 5

FISHERY: Mostly boat angling for salmon and steelhead. Some bank angling on occasion.

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Heavy			St	
Medium	Sa	St		
Light		Tr		St

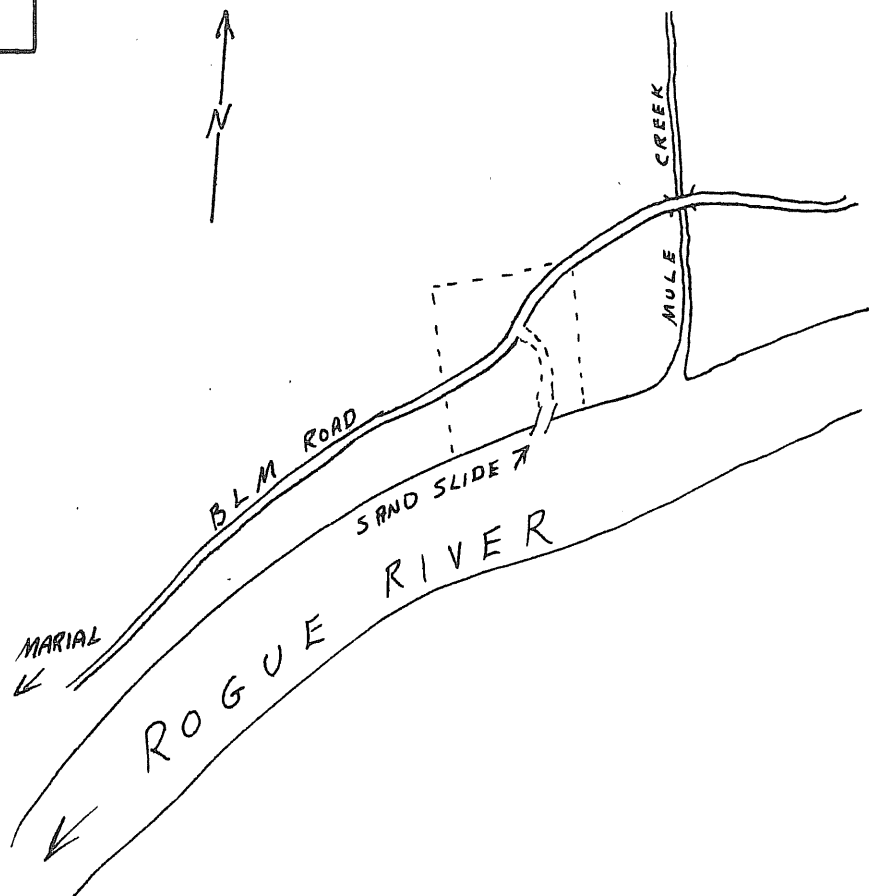
(Sa - Salmon, St - Steelhead, Tr - Trout,
Sg - Sturgeon, Ww - Warm Water Fishes)

SKETCH

Seasons (Check)

RECREATION
(Check)

- Boating, motor
- Boating, non-motor
- Camping, tent
- Camping, trailer
- Fishing, boat
- Fishing, shore
- Hiking
- Horseback riding
- Hunting, big game
- Hunting, upland game
- Hunting, waterfowl
- Nature study
- Picnicking
- Sightseeing
- Skin and scuba diving
- Swimming
- Water skiing

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OTHER

Safety Problems: White water rapids

Group Facilities:

REMARKS

A potential area exists for public ramp development. Access at this site was pursued by the Oregon Game Commission at one time. Suitable easements could not be gained on the area, so the project was suspended.

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Rogue River System Site No. 6
III Area Priority Complete
Name Tucker Flat

Location 1.5 miles north east of Marial, North Bank
T 33 S, R 10 W, Sec. 3 River Mile 49 County Curry
Ownership: Public BLM
Private _____ Tax Lot No. _____
Number of owners 1

DESCRIPTION

Land type High benches sloping toward steep river banks
Cover type Mixed trees and scattered brush
Road access BLM road, Condition Fair - gravel
Flows High - winter Water quality Good
Present stage of development 7 camping units

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: _____ Acres, _____ of frontage
Type of conveyance _____

Development:

Boat ramp: Type _____ Number of lanes _____
Toilets _____ Trails _____ Roads _____
Parking area _____; For _____ cars or _____ car-trailer units
This site provides camping facilities about .5 mile from the river.

SITE # 6

FISHERY: Boat angling for spring chinook and steelhead through the area.

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Heavy			St	
Medium	Sa	St		St
Light		Tr		

(Sa - Salmon, St - Steelhead, Tr - Trout,
Sg - Sturgeon, Ww - Warm Water Fishes)

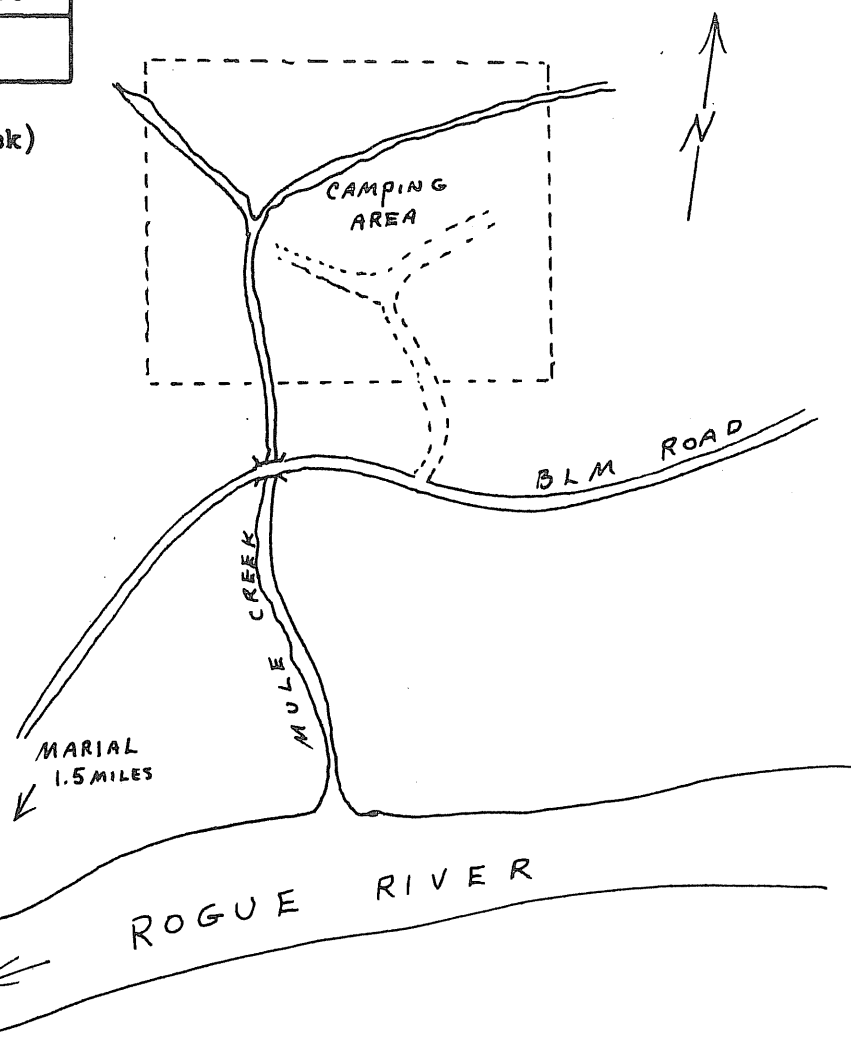
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Seasons (Check)

RECREATION
(Check)

Boating, motor
Boating, non-motor
Camping, tent
Camping, trailer
Fishing, boat
Fishing, shore
Hiking
Horseback riding
Hunting, big game
Hunting, upland game
Hunting, waterfowl
Nature study
Picnicking
Sightseeing
Skin and scuba diving
Swimming
Water skiing

* Deer



OTHER

Safety Problems:

Group Facilities:

REMARKS

Camp sites include fire-grates, pit toilets and tables.

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Rogue River System Site No. 7
III Area Priority Complete
Name Kelsey Creek

Location 6 miles east of Marial, North Bank
T 33 S, R 9 W, Sec. 22 River Mile 55 County Curry
Ownership: Public BLM
Private _____ Tax Lot No. _____
Number of owners _____

DESCRIPTION

Land type Steep rocky banks and mountain sides
Cover type Mixed trees and scrub brush
Road access Foot trail only, Condition Fair
Flows High - winter Water quality Good
Present stage of development 3 camp units

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: _____ Acres, _____ of frontage
Type of conveyance _____

Development:

Boat ramp: Type _____ Number of lanes _____
Toilets _____ Trails _____ Roads _____
Parking area _____; For _____ cars or _____ car-trailer units
This site provides a camping site for boaters and hikers passing through
the area.

AREA III

SITE # 7

FISHERY: Drift boat angling for summer steelhead and incidental salmon. Some
hikers angle for steelhead and trout during the summer.

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Heavy			St	
Medium		Tr St		
Light	Sa	Sa		St

(Sa - Salmon, St - Steelhead, Tr - Trout,
 Sg - Sturgeon, Ww - Warm Water Fishes)

SKETCH

Seasons (Check)

RECREATION
 (Check)

- Boating, motor
- Boating, non-motor
- Camping, tent
- Camping, trailer
- Fishing, boat
- Fishing, shore
- Hiking
- Horseback riding
- Hunting, big game
- Hunting, upland game
- Hunting, waterfowl
- * Nature study
- Picnicking
- Sightseeing
- Skin and scuba diving
- Swimming
- Water skiing
- * Wild area

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
		X	X	
		X	X	
	X	X	X	X
		X	X	
		X	X	
		X	X	

See fold-out map

OTHER

Safety Problems: White water rapids

Group Facilities:

REMARKS

Site includes fire-grates, pit toilet and tables.

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Rogue River System Site No. 8
III Area Priority To be complete
Name Meadow Creek

Location 11.5 miles downstream from Grave Creek, North Bank
T 33 S, R 9 W, Sec. 22 River Mile 56.5 County Josephine

Ownership: Public BLM
Private _____ Tax Lot No. _____
Number of owners _____

DESCRIPTION

Land type Steep mountain sides and rocky river banks
Cover type Canyon live oak and coniferous trees - brush
Road access Foot trail only, Condition Fair
Flows High - winter Water quality Good
Present stage of development Planning stage

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: _____ Acres, _____ of frontage
Type of conveyance _____

Development:

Boat ramp: Type _____ Number of lanes _____
Toilets X Trails _____ Roads _____
Parking area _____; For _____ cars or _____ car-trailer units
This site will provide 3-4 camp sites for boaters and hikers in the canyon
area when completed.

SITE # 8

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Heavy			St	
Medium		Tr St		
Light	Sa	Sa		St

(Sa - Salmon, St - Steelhead, Tr - Trout,
Sg - Sturgeon, Ww - Warm Water Fishes)

SKETCH

Seasons (Check)

RECREATION
(Check)

<u>RECREATION</u> (Check)		Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Boating, motor					
Boating, non-motor	X	X	X		
Camping, tent					
Camping, trailer					
Fishing, boat	X	X	X	X	
Fishing, shore		X			
Hiking	X	X	X	X	
Horseback riding					
Hunting, big game					
Hunting, upland game					
Hunting, waterfowl					
Nature study					
Picnicking					
Sightseeing					
Skin and scuba diving					
Swimming	X				
Water skiing					

See fold-out map.

OTHER

Safety Problems: White water rapids

Group Facilities:

REMARKS BLM is planning to move tables and fire-grates from another site to this area soon.

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Rogue River System Site No. 9
III Area Priority Complete
Name Black Bar

Location 8 miles west of Grave Creek, South Bank
T33 S, R 9 W, Sec. 35 River Mile 60 County Josephine

Ownership: Public _____
Private X Tax Lot No. _____
Number of owners _____

DESCRIPTION

Land type Sloping to flat bench with steep river banks.
Cover type Coniferous trees higher up with willow brush on flat
Road access Private jeep road over BLM, Condition Poor
Flows High - winter Water quality Good
Present stage of development Private summer homes and lodge

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: _____ Acres, _____ of frontage
Type of conveyance _____

Development:

Boat ramp: Type _____ Number of lanes _____
Toilets _____ Trails _____ Roads _____
Parking area _____; For _____ cars or _____ car-trailer units

This site accommodates anglers with meals and lodging at a private lodge.

AREA III

SITE # 9

FISHERY: Boat angling for salmon and steelhead through the area.

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Heavy			St	
Medium		Tr St		
Light	Sa	Sa		St

(Sa - Salmon, St - Steelhead, Tr - Trout,
Sg - Sturgeon, Ww - Warm Water Fishes)

SKETCH

Seasons (Check)

See fold-out map.

RECREATION
(Check)

- Boating, motor
- Boating, non-motor
- Camping, tent
- Camping, trailer
- Fishing, boat
- Fishing, shore
- Hiking
- Horseback riding
- Hunting, big game
- Hunting, upland game
- Hunting, waterfowl
- * Nature study
- Picnicking
- Sightseeing
- Skin and scuba diving
- Swimming
- Water skiing
- * Wild area

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
		X	X	
	X	X	X	X
		X	X	
	X	X	X	X
		X	X	

OTHER

Safety Problems: White water rapids

Group Facilities:

REMARKS

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Rogue River System Site No. 10
III Area Priority Complete
Name Russian Creek

Location 5 miles west of Grave Creek mouth, North Bank
T 33 S, R 8 W, Sec. 32 River Mile 63 County Josephine

Ownership: Public BLM
Private _____ Tax Lot No. _____
Number of owners _____

DESCRIPTION

Land type Steep rocky banks and mountain sides
Cover type Mixed trees and scrub brush
Road access Foot trail only, Condition Fair
Flows High - winter Water quality Good
Present stage of development One camp site

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: _____ Acres, _____ of frontage
Type of conveyance _____

Development:

Boat ramp: Type _____ Number of lanes _____
Toilets _____ Trails _____ Roads _____
Parking area _____; For _____ cars or _____ car-trailer units
This site provides a camping site for boaters and hikers passing through the
area.

AREA III

SITE # 10

FISHERY: Drift boat angling for summer steelhead and incidental trout and salmon. Hikers angle from the bank.

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Heavy			St	
Medium		Tr St		
Light	Sa	Sa		St

(Sa - Salmon, St - Steelhead, Tr - Trout, Sg - Sturgeon, Ww - Warm Water Fishes)

SKETCH

Seasons (Check)

See fold-out map.

RECREATION
(Check)

- Boating, motor
- Boating, non-motor
- Camping, tent
- Camping, trailer
- Fishing, boat
- Fishing, shore
- Hiking
- Horseback riding
- Hunting, big game
- Hunting, upland game
- Hunting, waterfowl
- * Nature study
- Picnicking
- Sightseeing
- Skin and scuba diving
- Swimming
- * Water skiing
- * Wild area

Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
	X	X	
	X	X	
X	X	X	X
	X	X	
	X	X	
	X	X	

OTHER

Safety Problems: White water rapids

Group Facilities:

REMARKS

Site includes fire-grate, pit toilet and table.

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Rogue River System Site No. 11
III Area Priority Complete
Name Big Slide

Location 3 miles west of Grave Creek mouth, North Bank
T 33 S, R 8 W, Sec. 34 River Mile 65 County Josephine
Ownership: Public BLM
Private _____ Tax Lot No. _____
Number of owners _____

DESCRIPTION

Land type Steep rocky banks and mountain sides
Cover type Mixed trees and scattered brush
Road access Foot trail only, Condition Fair
Flows High - water Water quality Good
Present stage of development 3 camp units

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: _____ Acres, _____ of frontage
Type of conveyance _____

Development:

Boat ramp: Type _____ Number of lanes _____
Toilets _____ Trails _____ Roads _____
Parking area _____; For _____ cars or _____ car-trailer units
This site provides a camping site for drift boat anglers and hikers who
use the Rogue River trail.

AREA III

SITE # 11

FISHERY: Primarily drift boat angling for summer steelhead. Some hikers

angle for steelhead and trout during the summer.

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Heavy			St	
Medium		Tr St		
Light	Sa	Sa		St

(Sa - Salmon, St - Steelhead, Tr - Trout,
Sg - Sturgeon, Ww - Warm Water Fishes)

SKETCH

See fold-out map.

Seasons (Check)

RECREATION
(Check)

- Boating, motor
- Boating, non-motor
- Camping, tent
- Camping, trailer
- Fishing, boat
- Fishing, shore
- Hiking
- Horseback riding
- Hunting, big game
- Hunting, upland game
- Hunting, waterfowl
- * Nature study
- Picnicking
- Sightseeing
- Skin and scuba diving
- Swimming
- Water skiing
- * Wild area

Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
	X	X	
	X	X	
X	X	X	X
	X	X	
	X	X	
	X	X	

OTHER

Safety Problems: White water rapids

Group Facilities:

REMARKS

Camp units include fire grate, pit toilets, and picnic tables.

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Rogue River System Site No. 12
III Area Priority To be complete
Name Rainie Falls

Location 1.75 miles west of Grave Creek mouth, North Bank
T 34 S, R 8 W, Sec. 2 River Mile 66 County Josephine

Ownership: Public BLM
Private _____ Tax Lot No. _____
Number of owners _____

DESCRIPTION

Land type Small flat with steep rocky banks
Cover type Mixed trees and scrub brush
Road access Foot trail only, Condition Good
Flows High - winter Water quality Good
Present stage of development Improvements temporarily destroyed *

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: _____ Acres, _____ of frontage
Type of conveyance _____

Development:

Boat ramp: Type _____ Number of lanes _____
Toilets X Trails _____ Roads _____
Parking area _____; For _____ cars or _____ car-trailer units

This site provides bank angling below Rainie Falls on both banks.

* Two camping units destroyed by high water will be rebuilt by the BLM.

SITE # 12

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Heavy	Se		St	St
Medium		St		
Light			Tr	

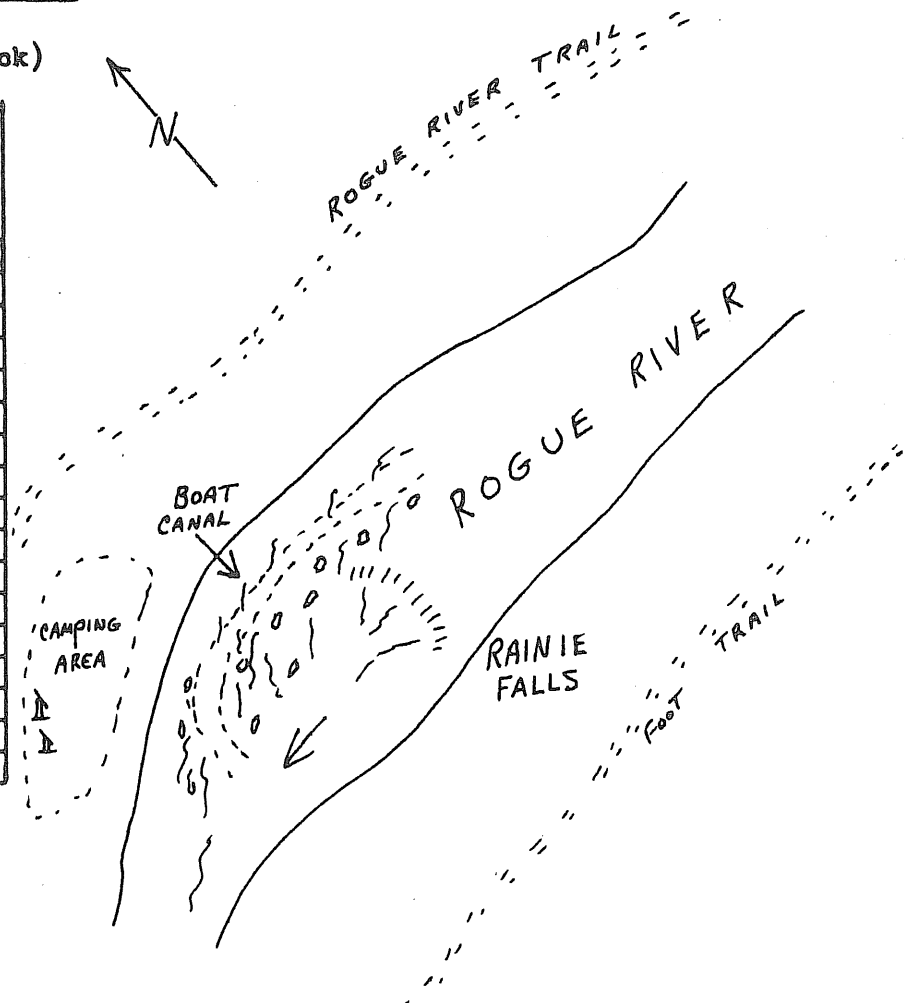
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Sg - Sturgeon, Ww - Warm Water Fishes)

SKETCH

Seasons (Check)

RECREATION
(Check)

- Boating, motor
- Boating, non-motor
- Camping, tent
- Camping, trailer
- Fishing, boat
- Fishing, shore
- Hiking
- Horseback riding
- Hunting, big game
- Hunting, upland game
- Hunting, waterfowl
- * Nature study
- Picnicking
- Sightseeing
- Skin and scuba diving
- Swimming
- Water skiing
- * Wild area

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OTHER

Safety Problems: 10-foot waterfall, and white water rapids.

Group Facilities:

REMARKS A canal has been blasted along the north bank to facilitate roping drift boats and rafts around the falls.

Bank anglers must park at the Grave Creek Bridge and walk by trail 1.75 miles down either bank to angle below the falls.

ROGUE RIVER

AREA IV

Area IV covers a large span of the middle Rogue from Grave Creek to Gold Ray Dam (river mile 68 to 126). The river runs through a broad valley in the upper portions with long pools and gentle rapids. Below Grants Pass the gradient increases slightly as the river winds first through rolling hills and mountains, and finally through the vertical rock walls of the short but impressive Hellgate Canyon. Beyond this the gradient is moderate with steep timbered slopes flanking on either side. Several white water rapids are encountered, however, with the number increasing as Grave Creek is approached.

Angling pressure through this area is generally heavy for salmon and steelhead. The upper limit for winter steelhead angling was recently extended 44 miles upstream from Hellgate Canyon to Gold Ray Dam. The greatest pressure on this fishery is concentrated from Grants Pass down to the Galice area and is usually pursued from drift boats.

Chinook angling through Area IV is practiced mostly from floating piers or "salmon boards" as they are commonly called. Josephine County constructs several of these "boards" for public use near Galice each season and they are tremendously popular.

Summer steelhead and trout angling occupy the bank angler's time through the summer months. This section of the Rogue is stocked each season with 30,000 legal trout from Game Commission hatcheries.

Savage Rapids Dam, Ideal Cement Diversion (at Gold Hill) and Gold Ray Dam all interrupt the boating continuity in Area IV. Boat access to and from the river in the immediate vicinity of these barriers is a definite

need in this area. General angler access is good through much of Area IV with very active access programs pursued by Josephine and Jackson Counties, and other agencies. A total of 38 access sites has been evaluated in this area. These include 14 established park sites, 14 completed launching ramps and locations for 9 additional ramp installations.

The following site evaluation sheets describe the needed access.

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Rogue River System Site No. 1
IV Area Priority B
Name Grave Creek Access

Location 7.5 miles north of Galice, Northeast Bank
T 34 S, R 8 W, Sec. 1 River Mile 68 County Josephine

Ownership: Public BLM - County long-term lease
Private _____ Tax Lot No. _____
Number of owners _____

DESCRIPTION

Land type Steep with boulders and gravel
Cover type None
Road access County, Condition Good - gravel
High - winter
Flows Low - summer Water quality Good
Present stage of development Complete except for toilets

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: _____ Acres, _____ of frontage
Type of conveyance _____

Development:

Boat ramp: Type _____ Number of lanes _____
Toilets X Trails _____ Roads _____
Parking area _____; For _____ cars or _____ car-trailer units

This site provides about 1,800 feet of bank angling and a concrete boat ramp
in a key location. It is the last take-out point before entering the lower
Rogue Canyon. Many drift trips through the canyon put in at this point.

AREA IV

SITE # 1

FISHERY: Drift boat and bank angling here for steelhead and salmon.

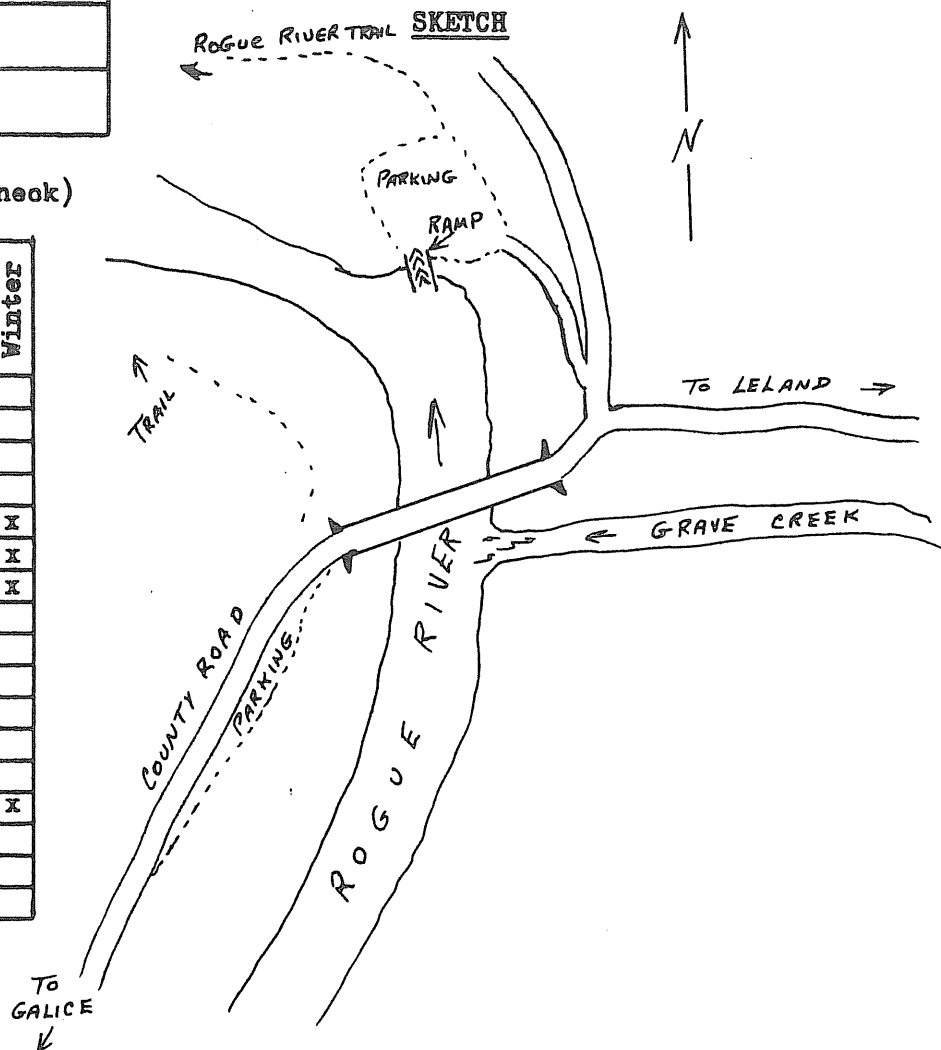
	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Heavy	Sa			St
Medium	St	Tr St	St	
Light				

(Sa - Salmon, St - Steelhead, Tr - Trout, Sg - Sturgeon, Ww - Warm Water Fishes)

Seasons (Check)

RECREATION
(Check)

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Boating, motor				
Boating, non-motor		X		
Camping, tent				
Camping, trailer				
Fishing, boat	X	X	X	X
Fishing, shore	X	X	X	X
Hiking	X	X	X	X
Horseback riding				
Hunting, big game				
Hunting, upland game				
Hunting, waterfowl				
Nature study				
Picnicking				
* Sightseeing	X	X	X	X
Skin and scuba diving				
Swimming		X	X	
Water skiing				
* Rocky gorge - high bridge				



OTHER

Safety Problems: Swift water - white water rapids

Group Facilities:

REMARKS

This area provides parking for anglers that hike down to fish below Rainie Fall.

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Rogue River System Site No. 2
IV Area Priority Complete
Name Argo Recreation Area

Location 5.5 miles north of Galice, Southwest Bank
T 34 S, R 8 W, Sec. 18 - 19 River Mile 70 County Josephine
Ownership: Public BLM - County long-term lease
Private _____ Tax Lot No. _____
Number of owners _____

DESCRIPTION

Land type Flat gravel bar
Cover type Weeds and willow brush
Road access County, Condition Good - gravel
High - winter
Flows Low - summer Water quality Good
Present stage of development Complete for angler day use

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: _____ Acres, _____ of frontage
Type of conveyance _____

Development:

Boat ramp: Type _____ Number of lanes _____
Toilets _____ Trails _____ Roads _____
Parking area _____; For _____ cars or _____ car-trailer units

This site contains 82 acres with .75 mile of frontage for bank angling.

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Rogue River System Site No. 3
IV Area Priority Complete
Name Almeda Park Accesss

Location 3 miles north of Galice, Southwest Bank
T 34 S, R 7 W, Sec. 19 River Mile 72 County Josephine
Ownership: Public Oregon Game Commission - County maintenance

Private _____ Tax Lot No. _____

Number of owners _____

DESCRIPTION

Land type Flat - gravel loam

Cover type Coniferous trees and grass

Road access County, Condition Good

High - winter

Flows Low - summer Water quality Good

Present stage of development Complete for angler and park use.

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: _____ Acres, _____ of frontage

Type of conveyance _____

Development:

Boat ramp: Type _____ Number of lanes _____

Toilets _____ Trails _____ Roads _____

Parking area _____; For _____ cars or _____ car-trailer units

This site provides about 1,500 feet of bank angling and ample parking for
boat launching on a concrete ramp.

AREA IV

SITE # 3

FISHERY: Bank and salmon board angling for spring chinook is very popular through this area. Drift boaters angle for salmon and steelhead.

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Heavy	St Sa			St
Medium		St	St	
Light				

(Sa - Salmon, St - Steelhead, Tr - Trout, Sg - Sturgeon, Ww - Warm Water Fishes)

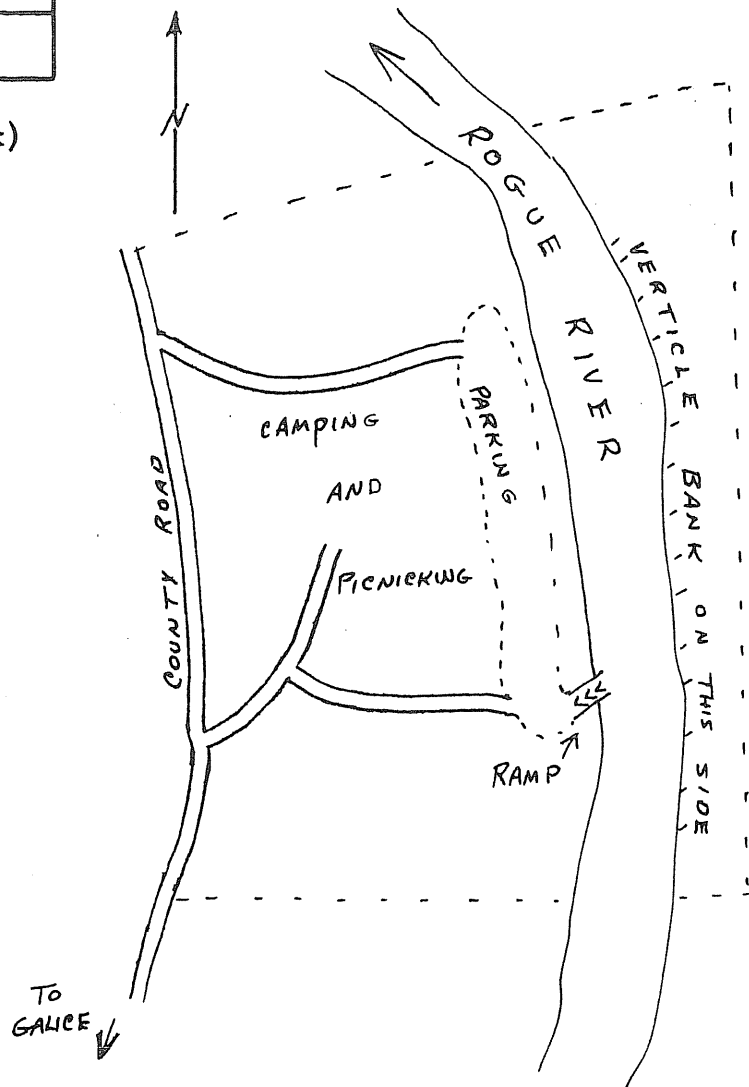
SKETCH

Seasons (Check)

RECREATION
(Check)

- Boating, motor
- Boating, non-motor
- Camping, tent
- Camping, trailer
- Fishing, boat
- Fishing, shore
- Hiking
- Horseback riding
- Hunting, big game
- Hunting, upland game
- Hunting, waterfowl
- Nature study
- Picnicking
- * Sightseeing
- Skin and scuba diving
- Swimming
- Water skiing
- * Old mine sites
- Rugged mountains

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
	X	X		
	X	X	X	X
	X	X	X	X
	X	X	X	X
	X	X	X	X
		X	X	



OTHER

Safety Problems: Swift water

Group Facilities: Picnicking and bus parking

REMARKS

Seven picnic and camp sites are developed.
Josephine County development and maintenance agreement.

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Rogue River System Site No. 4
IV Area Priority A
Name Rand Recreation Area

Location 2 miles north of Galice, Southwest Bank
T 34 S, R 8 W, Sec. 24 & 25 River Mile 73 County Josephine
Ownership: Public BLM - County long-term lease
Private _____ Tax Lot No. _____
Number of owners _____

DESCRIPTION

Land type Flat - sandy loam
Cover type Pine mixed with deciduous trees, grass and brush
Road access Off county road, Condition Good to fair
High - winter
Flows Low - summer Water quality Good
Present stage of development Gravel ramp and limited parking

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: _____ Acres, _____ of frontage
Type of conveyance _____

Development:

Boat ramp: Type Concrete Number of lanes 1
Toilets X Trails X Roads X
Parking area X; For _____ cars or 15 car-trailer units

This site provides 2,900 feet frontage for bank angling. The county maintains
3 salmon boards for public use during salmon season. A gravel ramp is used
at present.

AREA IV

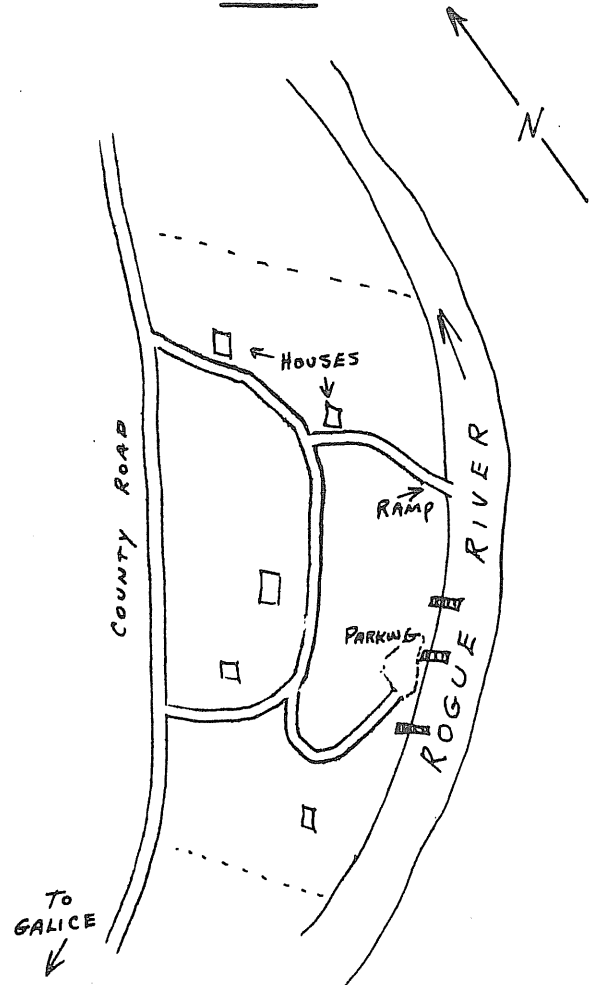
SITE # 4

FISHERY: Salmon board and drift boat angling for salmon and steelhead.

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Heavy	St Sa			St
Medium		St	St	
Light	Tr			

(Sa - Salmon, St - Steelhead, Tr - Trout,
Sg - Sturgeon, Ww - Warm Water Fishes)

SKETCH



Seasons (Check)

RECREATION
(Check)

Boating, motor
Boating, non-motor
Camping, tent
Camping, trailer
Fishing, boat
Fishing, shore
Hiking
Horseback riding
Hunting, big game
Hunting, upland game
Hunting, waterfowl
Nature study
Picnicking
Sightseeing
Skin and scuba diving
Swimming
Water skiing

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
		X		
	X	X	X	X
	X	X	X	X
	X	X	X	X
	X	X	X	
		X	X	

OTHER

Safety Problems: Swift water

Group Facilities: Bus parking, group picnicking and camping in the future,

REMARKS

The county has tentative plans for a large park complex at this site with camping, picnicking and the construction of a concrete ramp.

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Rogue River System Site No. 5
IV Area Priority A
Name Twin Rocks Area

Location One mile north of Galice, Southwest Bank
T 34 S, R 8 W, Sec. 25 & 36 River Mile 74 County Josephine
Ownership: Public BLM
Private X Tax Lot No. 200 (upstream area)
Number of owners 2

DESCRIPTION

Land type Rolling in the upper portion to flat downstream
Cover type Coniferous trees and old grown up field
Road access Off county road, Condition Good
High - winter
Flows Low - summer Water quality Good
Present stage of development Gravel roads into the upstream portion

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: 60 Acres, _____ of frontage
Type of conveyance Purchase

Development:

Boat ramp: Type Concrete Number of lanes 1
Toilets X Trails X Roads X
Parking area X; For _____ cars or 15 car-trailer units
This site provides bank access with no guarantee from trespass to about .5
mile of frontage.

AREA IV

SITE # 5

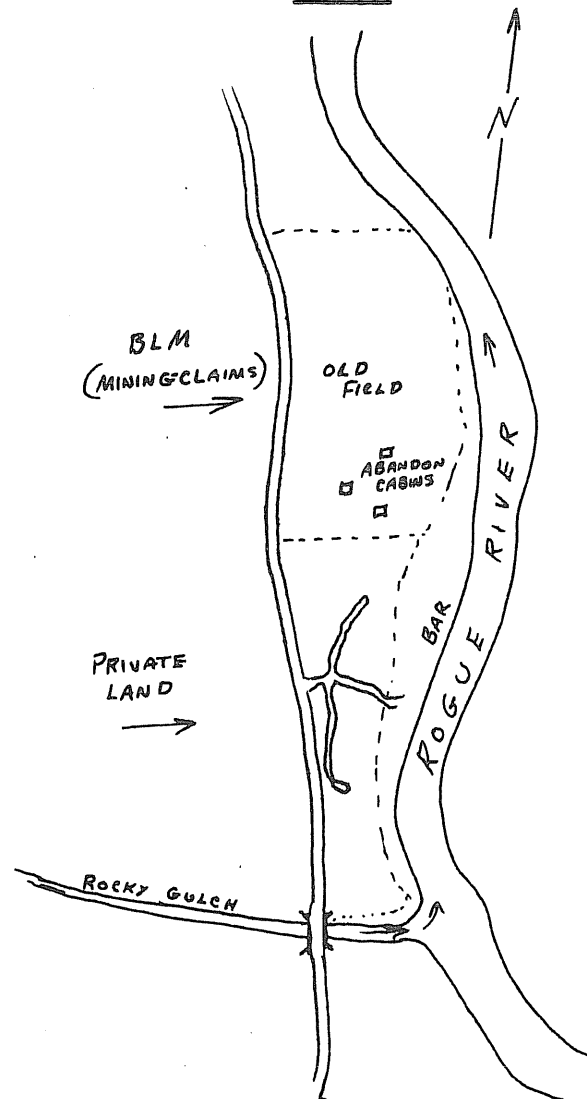
FISHERY: Highly preferred spring chinook area for bank and salmon board anglers.

Steelhead angling is popular from the bank also.

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Heavy	St Sa			St
Medium		St	St	
Light	Tr			

(Sa - Salmon, St - Steelhead, Tr - Trout,
Sg - Sturgeon, Ww - Warm Water Fishes)

SKETCH



Seasons (Check)

RECREATION
(Check)

Boating, motor
Boating, non-motor
Camping, tent
Camping, trailer
Fishing, boat
Fishing, shore
Hiking
Horseback riding
Hunting, big game
Hunting, upland game
Hunting, waterfowl
Nature study
Picnicking
Sightseeing
Skin and scuba diving
Swimming
Water skiing

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
		X		
	X	X	X	X
	X	X	X	X
	X	X	X	X
	X	X	X	X
	X	X	X	X

OTHER

Safety Problems:

Group Facilities: Bus parking, group picnicking and camping in the future.

REMARKS

Both of these areas have great potential for park development.
Mining claims on the downstream portion have not been settled.

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Rogue River System Site No. 6
IV Area Priority C
Name Carpenter Island Access

Location 1 mile south of Galice, Southwest Bank
T 35 S, R 8 W, Sec. 1 River Mile 76.5 County Josephine

Ownership: Public Josephine County and BLM with County lease
Private _____ Tax Lot No. _____
Number of owners _____

DESCRIPTION

Land type Flat, clay-gravel
Cover type Mostly graveled with a small grove of trees
Road access County, Condition Good - gravel
High - winter
Flows Low - summer Water quality Good
Present stage of development Gravel road and parking access

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: _____ Acres, _____ of frontage
Type of conveyance _____

Development:

Boat ramp: Type _____ Number of lanes _____
Toilets X Trails X Roads _____
Parking area _____; For _____ cars or _____ car-trailer units

This site provides 800 feet river frontage for preferred bank angling.

AREA IV

SITE # 6

FISHERY: Salmon and steelhead angling from the banks and bcats.

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Heavy	St Sa			St
Medium		St	St	
Light				

(Sa - Salmon, St - Steelhead, Tr - Trout,
Sg - Sturgeon, Ww - Warm Water Fishes)

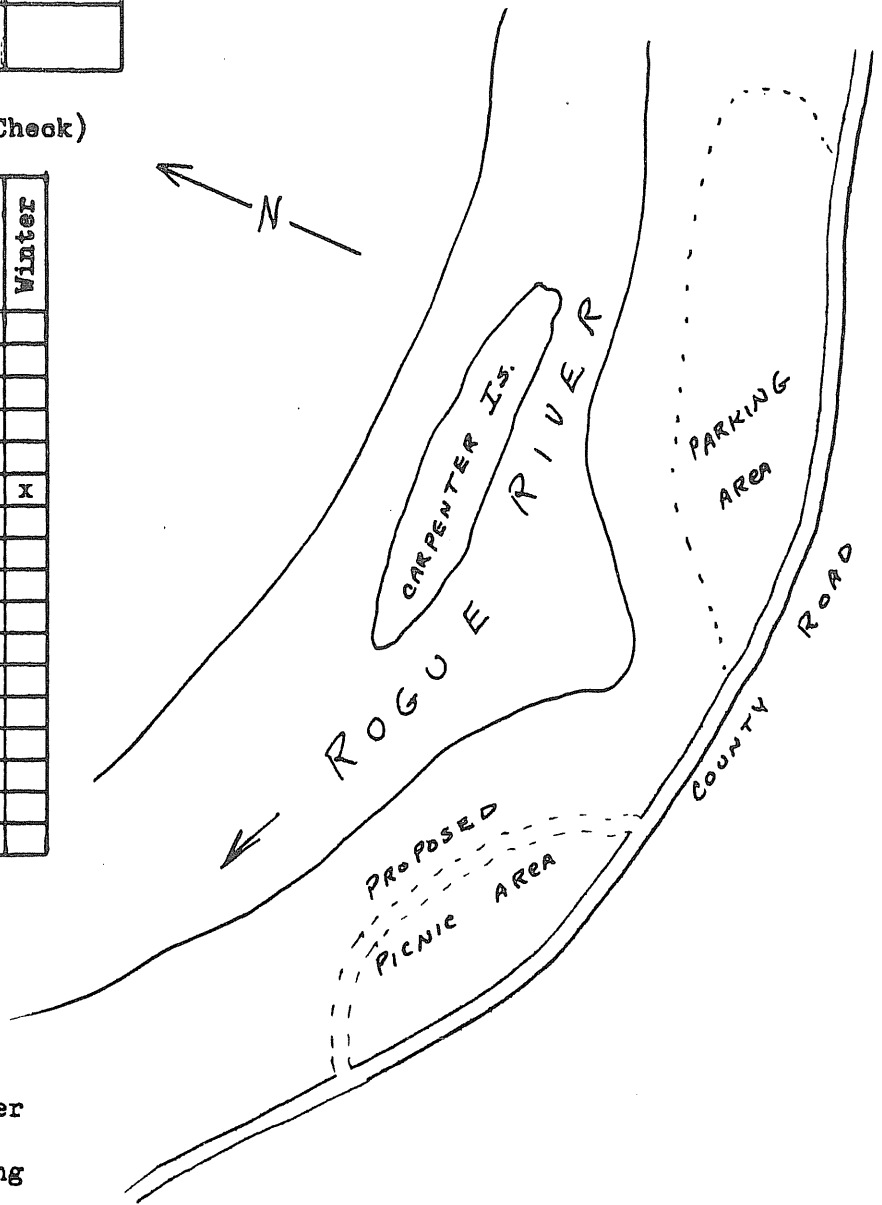
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Seasons (Check)

RECREATION
(Check)

Boating, motor
Boating, non-motor
Camping, tent
Camping, trailer
Fishing, boat
Fishing, shore
Hiking
Horseback riding
Hunting, big game
Hunting, upland game
Hunting, waterfowl
Nature study
Picnicking
Sightseeing
Skin and scuba diving
Swimming
Water skiing

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
	X	X	X	X
	X	X	X	



OTHER

Safety Problems: Swift water

Group Facilities: Bus parking

REMARKS

The county plans to develop this area for picnicking and bank angling.

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Rogue River System Site No. 7
IV Area Priority A
Name Ennis Riffle Access

Location 2.5 miles east of Galice, Southwest Bank
T 35 S R 7 W, Sec. 6 River Mile 77 County Josephine
Ownership: Public BLM
Private _____ Tax Lot No. _____
Number of owners _____

DESCRIPTION

Land type Flat gravel bar
Cover type Small pine grove with willows and weeds on the bar
Road access County, Condition Good - paved
High - winter
Flows Low - summer Water quality Good
Present stage of development None

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: 50 Acres, _____ of frontage
Type of conveyance Purchase

Development:

Boat ramp: Type Concrete Number of lanes 1
Toilets X Trails _____ Roads X
Parking area _____; For _____ cars or 15 car-trailer units
This site provides 3,600 feet of frontage for bank angling. Light boats
launch from the large gravel bar area.

SITE # 7

FISHERY: Salmon and steelhead angling from the bank and boats.

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Heavy	St Sa			St
Medium		St	St	
Light	Tr	Tr		

(Sa - Salmon, St - Steelhead, Tr - Trout,
Sg - Sturgeon, Ww - Warm Water Fishes)

SKETCH

Seasons (Check)

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RECREATION
(Check)

- Boating, motor
- Boating, non-motor
- Camping, tent
- Camping, trailer
- Fishing, boat
- Fishing, shore
- Hiking
- Horseback riding
- Hunting, big game
- Hunting, upland game
- Hunting, waterfowl
- * Nature study
- Picnicking
- Sightseeing
- Skin and scuba diving
- Swimming
- Water skiing
- * Rock hounding

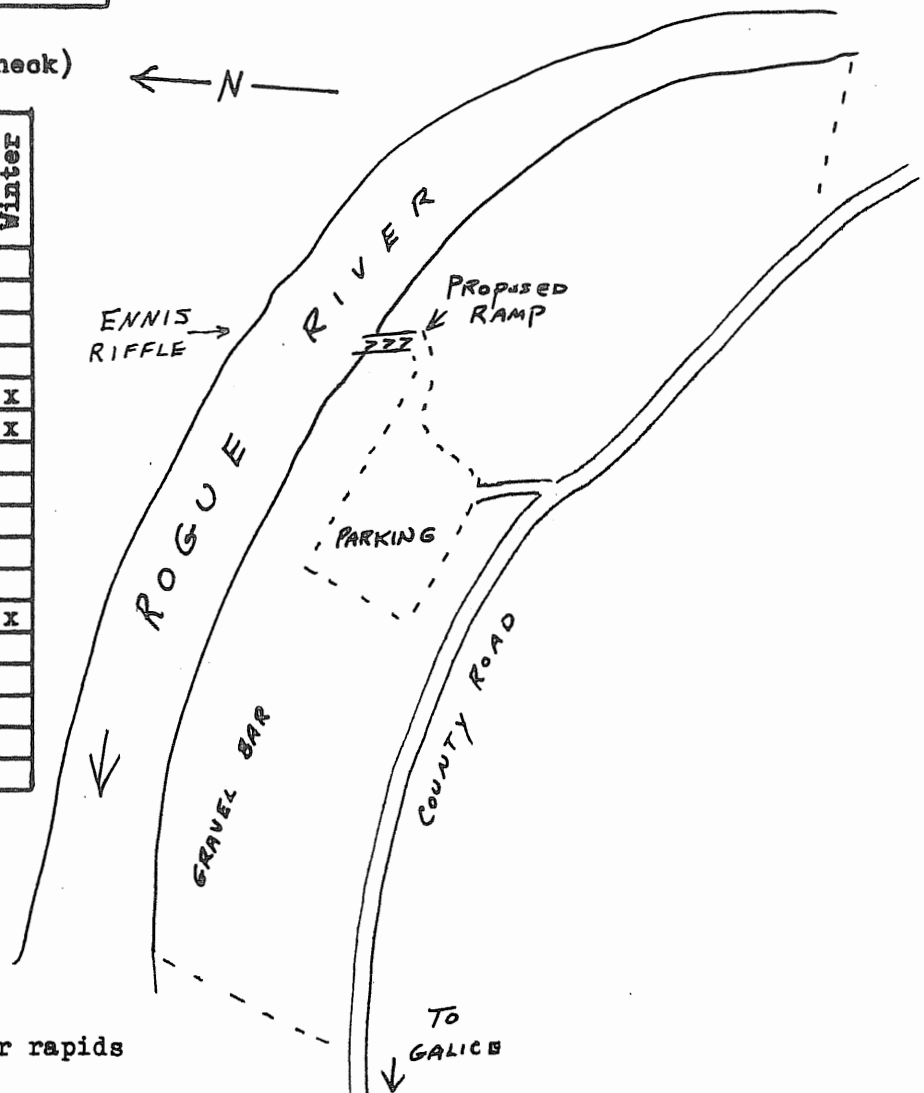
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Safety Problems: White water rapids

Group Facilities: Bus parking

REMARKS

The county has designed a ramp and parking area. Pit toilets and some picnicking will be available. The county is presently negotiating for the purchase of this land.



WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Rogue River System Site No. 8
IV Area Priority B

Name Taylor Creek Bar - Old Man Riffle

Location 3.5 miles east of Galice, South Bank
T 35 S, R 7 W, Sec. 6 River Mile 78 County Josephine

Ownership: Public BLM (Present access to moorage area)

Private X Tax Lot No. 400 - 500 - 600

Number of owners 3

DESCRIPTION

Land type Steep rocky bank and large gravel bar

Cover type Pine grove with willow and weeds on bar

Road access County, Condition Good - paved
High - winter

Flows Low - summer Water quality Good

Present stage of development Private road out on bar

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: Acres, About 2,600 feet of frontage

Type of conveyance Easement for angling access

Development:

Boat ramp: Type Number of lanes

Toilets X Trails Roads X

Parking area X; For 10 cars or car-trailer units

This site The bar area is used by a few bank anglers with permission. The steep bank area is a favorite moorage area for salmon and steelhead boat anglers.

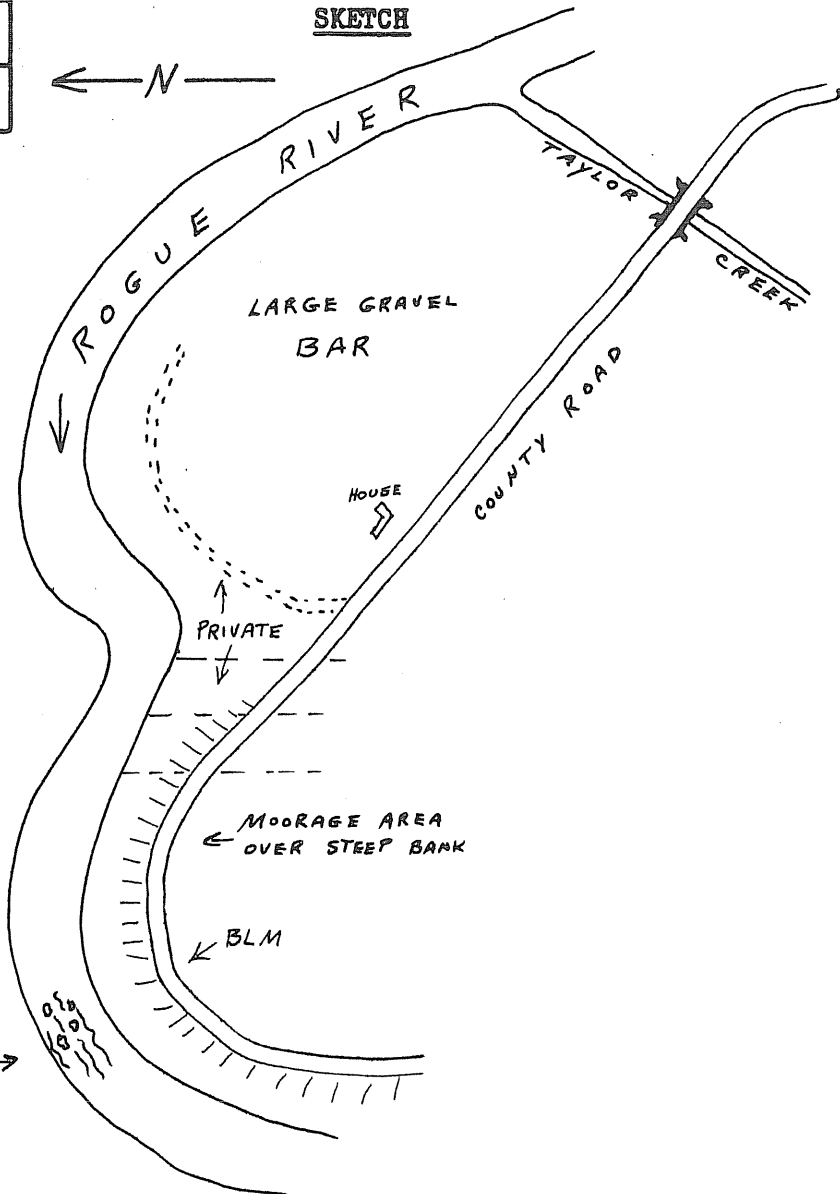
SITE # 8

FISHERY: This is a preferred bank and boat fishery for salmon and steelhead.

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Heavy	St Sa			St
Medium		St	St	
Light				

(Sa - Salmon, St - Steelhead, Tr - Trout,
Sg - Sturgeon, Ww - Warm Water Fishes)

SKETCH



RECREATION
(Check)

Boating, motor
Boating, non-motor
Camping, tent
Camping, trailer
Fishing, boat
Fishing, shore
Hiking
Horseback riding
Hunting, big game
Hunting, upland game
Hunting, waterfowl
Nature study
Picnicking
Sightseeing
Skin and scuba diving
Swimming
Water skiing

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OTHER

Safety Problems: Swift water

Group Facilities:

REMARKS

This is a preferred angling area and gets heavy boat pressure and bank pressure where available. Several salmon board sites would be available with easement. The gravel bar and two small parcels between the bar and moorage area are in private ownership. BLM owns the moorage area and downstream around the bend.

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Rogue River System Site No. 9
IV Area Priority Complete
Name Indian Mary Park

Location 4.5 miles east of Galice, Southwest Bank
T 35 S, R 7 W, Sec. 4 River Mile 79 County Josephine
Ownership: Public County
Private County Tax Lot No.
Number of owners

DESCRIPTION

Land type Flat with gentle slope into river
Cover type Mixed trees over mowed lawn
Road access County, Condition Good - paved
Flows High - winter
Moderate - summer Water quality Good
Present stage of development Complete for angler use

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: Acres, of frontage
Type of conveyance

Development:

Boat ramp: Type Number of lanes
Toilets Trails Roads
Parking area ; For cars or car-trailer units
This site contains 41 acres of completely developed picnic and camping area.
A concrete ramp and ample parking make it a major recreation site
in this area. About 1,800 feet of frontage provides bank angling.

AREA IV

SITE # 9

FISHERY: Boat and bank angling for salmon and steelhead.

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Heavy	St Sa			St
Medium		Tr St	Tr St	
Light				

(Sa - Salmon, St - Steelhead, Tr - Trout,
Sg - Sturgeon, Ww - Warm Water Fishes)

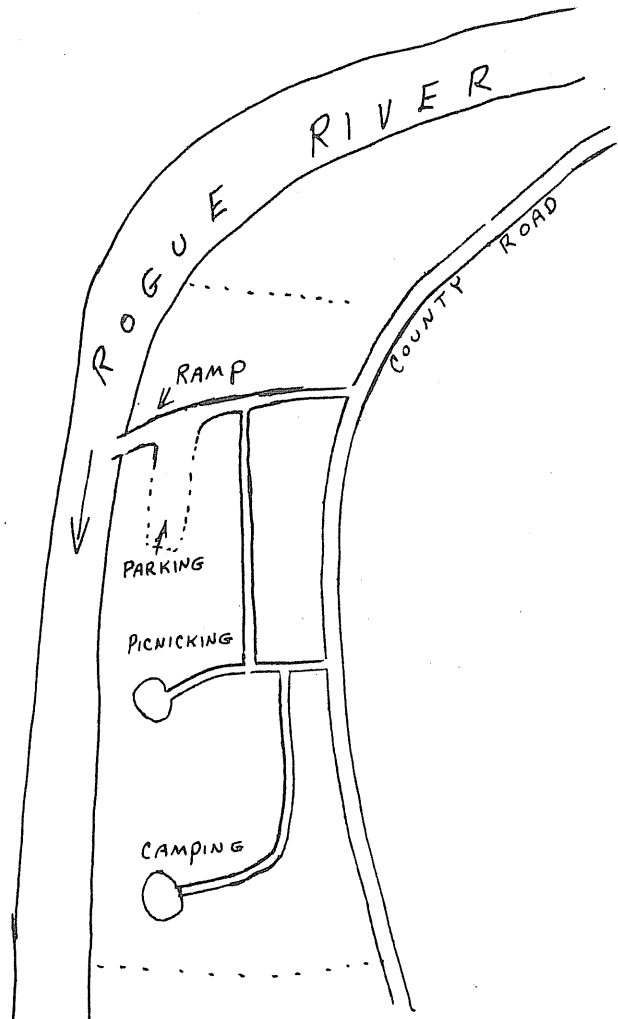
SKETCH

Seasons (Check)

RECREATION
(Check)

- Boating, motor
- Boating, non-motor
- Camping, tent
- Camping, trailer
- Fishing, boat
- Fishing, shore
- * Hiking
- Horseback riding
- Hunting, big game
- Hunting, upland game
- Hunting, waterfowl
- Nature study
- Picnicking
- Sightseeing
- Skin and scuba diving
- Swimming
- Water skiing
- * 2.5 miles of trails

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
		X		
	X	X	X	X
	X	X	X	X
	X	X	X	X
	X	X	X	X
	X	X	X	X
		X	X	



OTHER

Safety Problems:

Group Facilities: Picnicking and camping with ample bus parking.

REMARKS

Fee camping year around.
The county plans to expand the trailor camp sites.

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Rogue River System Site No. 10
IV Area Priority B
Name Hellgate Park

Location 7 miles west of Merlin, Northeast Bank

T 35 S, R 7 W, Sec. 4 River Mile 80 County Josephine

Ownership: Public BLM with county long-term lease

Private X Tax Lot No. 200

Number of owners 1 California-Oregon Power Company

DESCRIPTION

Land type Fairly steep rocky hillsides

Cover type Mixed trees and brush

Road access County, Condition Good - paved

Flows High - winter
Low - summer Water quality Good

Present stage of development Parking, toilets and three picnic sites

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: Acres, of frontage

Type of conveyance Agreement for extension of the park

Development:

Boat ramp: Type Concrete Number of lanes 1

Toilets X Trails X Roads

Parking area X; For cars or 10 car-trailer units

This site provides almost 1.5 miles of bank access for anglers with parking

at three sites. The park presently constitutes only about .5
mile of the frontage.

AREA IV

SITE # 10

FISHERY: This is a preferred bank fishery for salmon and steelhead. Boat anglers drift down or motor up from Indian Mary park.

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Heavy	St Sa			St
Medium		St	St	
Light				

(Sa - Salmon, St - Steelhead, Tr - Trout, Sg - Sturgeon, Ww - Warm Water Fishes)

Seasons (Check)

RECREATION
(Check)

- Boating, motor
- Boating, non-motor
- Camping, tent
- Camping, trailer
- Fishing, boat
- Fishing, shore
- Hiking
- Horseback riding
- * Hunting, big game
- Hunting, upland game
- Hunting, waterfowl
- Nature study
- Picnicking
- ** Sightseeing
- Skin and scuba diving
- Swimming
- Water skiing
- * Deer and bear
- ** Hellgate Gorge

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
		X	X	
		X		
	X	X	X	X
	X	X	X	X
	X	X	X	
			X	X
	X	X	X	
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		X	X	

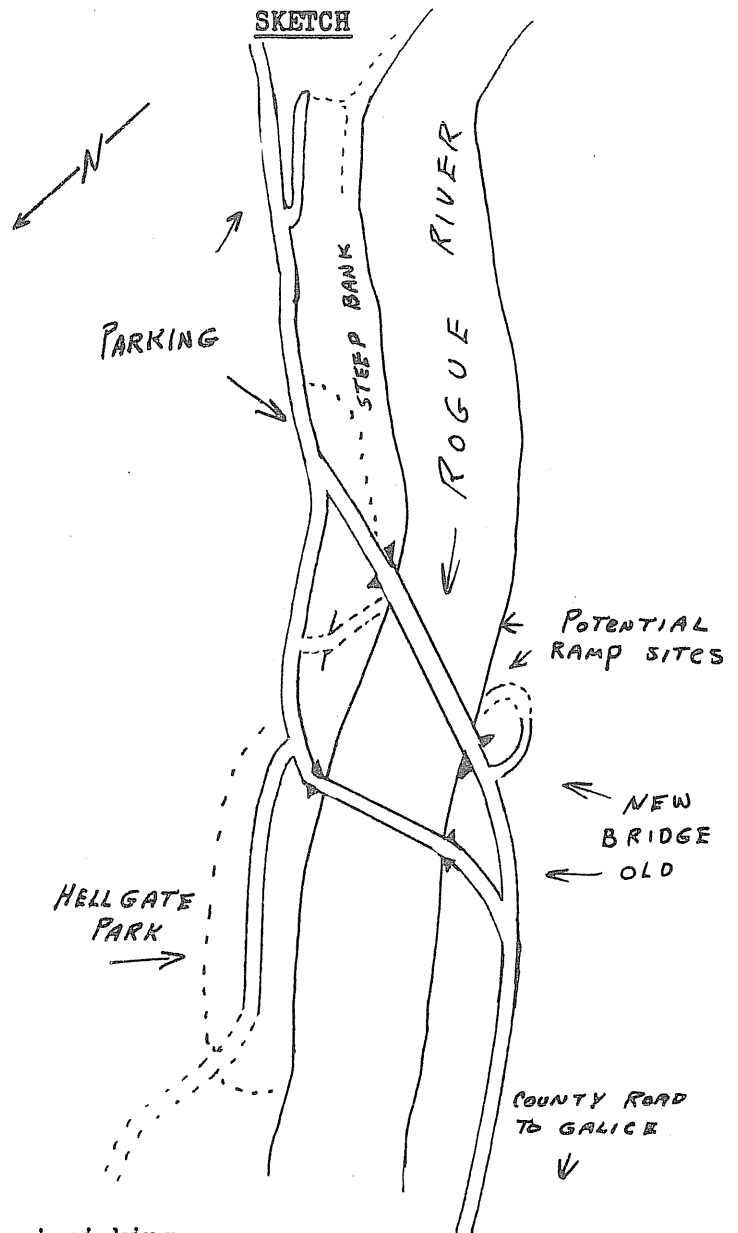
OTHER

Safety Problems: Swift water

Group Facilities: Bus parking and group picnicking

REMARKS

BLM reserves a timber access road right-of-way through the park. A new bridge constructed upstream provides approaches to the river where the county may construct a concrete ramp. Improved trails to the river are needed in the upstream area.



WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Rogue River System Site No. 11
IV Area Priority A
Name Hog Creek Landing

Location 5 miles west of Merlin, Northeast Bank
T 35 S, R 7 W, Sec. 11 River Mile 81.5 County Josephine
Ownership: Public The county owns a 20-foot road to the river
Private X Tax Lot No. 700, 800, 900, 1000
Number of owners 4

DESCRIPTION

Land type Steep rock bank to small bedrock flat
Cover type Natural weeds and brush
Road access County, Condition Good
High - winter
Flows Low - summer Water quality Good
Present stage of development None except for road

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: 2 Acres, _____ of frontage
Type of conveyance Purchase for parking

Development:

Boat ramp: Type Concrete Number of lanes 1
Toilets X Trails _____ Roads _____
Parking area X; For _____ cars or 10 car-trailer units

This site provides a natural gravel ramp with limited parking at present. It is a favorite launching place for drift boats during the winter steelhead season. This bedrock flat is subject to flooding each winter and would not be suitable for any buildings.

SITE # 11

FISHERY: This is primarily a launching site for drift boats.

(Sa - Salmon, St - Steelhead, Tr - Trout,
Sg - Sturgeon, Ww - Warm Water Fishes)

RECREATION
(Check)

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Safety Problems: White water rapids through area.

REMARKS

SKETCH

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HELLGATE CANYON

TO GALICE

ROGUE RIVER

COUNTY ROADS

GRAVEL RAMP

STEEP BLUFFS

TO MERLIN

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Rogue River System Site No. 12
IV Area Priority B
Name Jumpoff Joe Creek Area

Location 4 miles west of Merlin, Northeast Bank
T 35 S, R 7 W, Sec. 14 River Mile 82.5 County Josephine
Ownership: Public

Private X Tax Lot No. 700
Number of owners 2

DESCRIPTION

Land type Sloping - loam
Cover type Scattered trees - grass
Road access Private road, Condition Fair - dirt
High - winter
Flows Low - summer Water quality Good
Present stage of development None

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: _____ Acres, 800 feet of frontage
Type of conveyance Easement for access

Development:

Boat ramp: Type _____ Number of lanes _____

Toilets _____ Trails X Roads X

Parking area X; For 10 cars or _____ car-trailer units

This site provides bank angling to selected individuals over private land.

SITE # 12

FISHERY: This area is preferred by bank anglers for salmon and steelhead.

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Heavy				
Medium	Sa		St	St
Light				

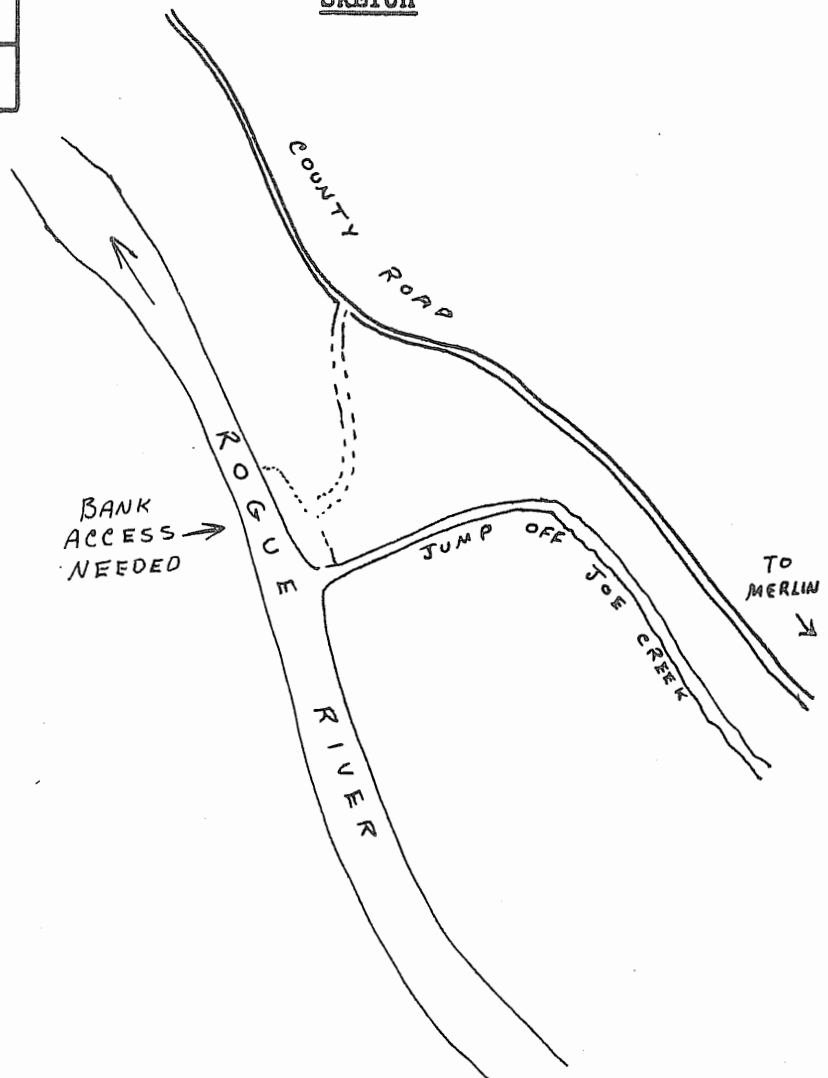
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Sg - Sturgeon, Ww - Warm Water Fishes)

SKETCH

Seasons (Check)

RECREATION
(Check)

- Boating, motor
- Boating, non-motor
- Camping, tent
- Camping, trailer
- Fishing, boat
- Fishing, shore
- Hiking
- Horseback riding
- Hunting, big game
- Hunting, upland game
- Hunting, waterfowl
- Nature study
- Picnicking
- Sightseeing
- Skin and scuba diving
- Swimming
- Water skiing

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OTHER

Safety Problems:

Group Facilities:

REMARKS

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Rogue River System Site No. 13
IV Area Priority B
Name Robertson Bridge Access

Location 13 miles west of Grants Pass, Northeast Bank
T 35 S, R 7 W, Sec. 26 River Mile 85.5 County Josephine
Ownership: Public OSGC - County maintenance

Private _____ Tax Lot No. _____

Number of owners _____

DESCRIPTION

Land type Sloping - rocky soil

Cover type Natural weeds and grass

Road access County, Condition Good - paved

Flows High - winter
Low - summer Water quality Good

Present stage of development Complete for launching and limited parking

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: _____ Acres, _____ of frontage

Type of conveyance _____

Development:

Boat ramp: Type _____ Number of lanes _____

Toilets X Trails _____ Roads _____

Parking area X; For _____ cars or 15 car-trailer units

This site provides a ramp and parking for about 6 to 8 cars. Bank access
consists of about 100 yards of frontage.

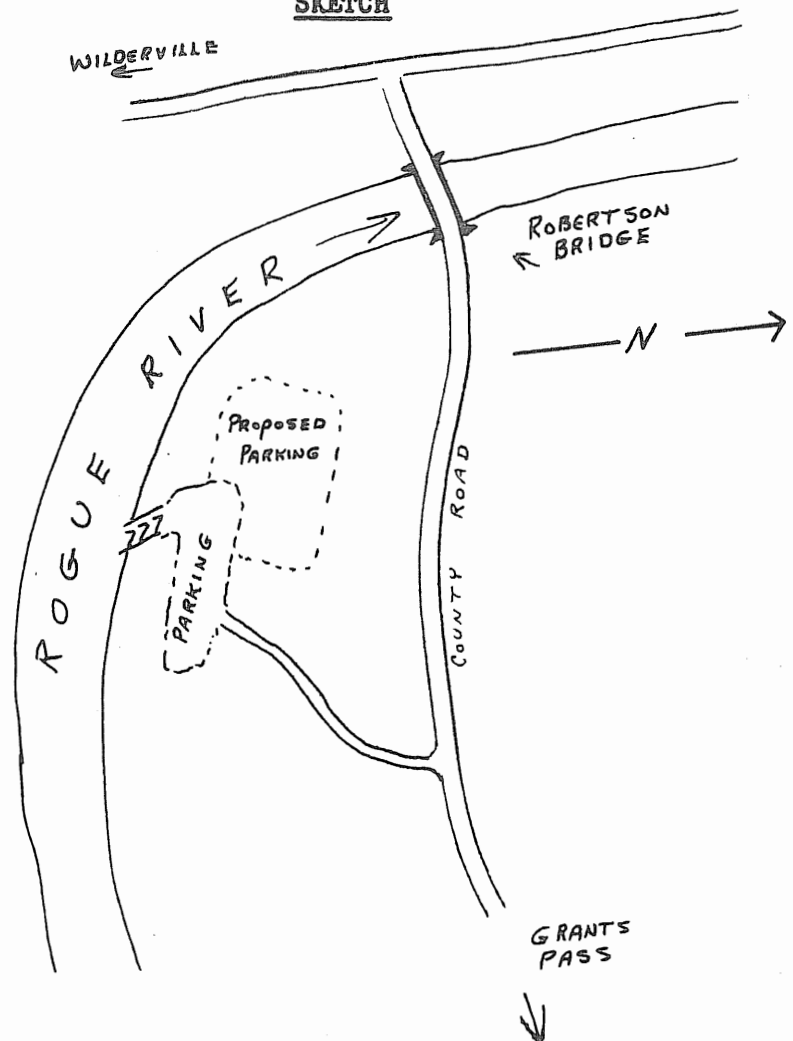
SITE # 13

FISHERY: Bank and boat angling for salmon and steelhead. Trout are liberated
at this site during the season.

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Heavy	St Sa			St
Medium	Tr	Tr	St	
Light				

(Sa - Salmon, St - Steelhead, Tr - Trout,
Sg - Sturgeon, Ww - Warm Water Fishes)

SKETCH



RECREATION
(Check)

- Boating, motor
- Boating, non-motor
- Camping, tent
- Camping, trailer
- Fishing, boat
- Fishing, shore
- Hiking
- Horseback riding
- Hunting, big game
- Hunting, upland game
- Hunting, waterfowl
- Nature study
- Picnicking
- Sightseeing
- Skin and scuba diving
- Swimming
- Water skiing

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OTHER

Safety Problems:

Group Facilities:

REMARKS

Additional parking & maneuvering area for boat launching is needed.

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Rogue River System Site No. 14
IV Area Priority B
Name Everton Riffle Area

Location 6 miles southwest of Merlin, Southwest Bank
T 35 S, R 7 W, Sec. 35 River Mile 87 County Josephine

Ownership: Public _____
Private X Tax Lot No. 2100
Number of owners 1

DESCRIPTION

Land type Sloping - sandy gravel
Cover type Coniferous trees - brush
Road access Off county road, Condition Poor to river
High - winter
Flows Low - summer Water quality Good
Present stage of development Dirt road to river

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: _____ Acres, 3,000 feet of frontage
Type of conveyance Purchase for bank access

Development:

Boat ramp: Type _____ Number of lanes _____
Toilets _____ Trails _____ Roads _____
Parking area _____; For _____ cars or _____ car-trailer units
This site provides bank angling access through trespass at present.

SITE # 14

FISHERY: Bank angling for salmon and steelhead.

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Heavy				
Medium	Sa	St	St	St
Light		Tr		

(Sa - Salmon, St - Steelhead, Tr - Trout,
Sg - Sturgeon, Ww - Warm Water Fishes)

Seasons (Check)

RECREATION
(Check)

- Boating, motor
- Boating, non-motor
- Camping, tent
- Camping, trailer
- Fishing, boat
- Fishing, shore
- Hiking
- Horseback riding
- Hunting, big game
- Hunting, upland game
- Hunting, waterfowl
- * Nature study
- Picnicking
- Sightseeing
- Skin and scuba diving
- Swimming
- Water skiing
- * Bird watching

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OTHER

Safety Problems:

Group Facilities:

REMARKS

SKETCH

TO A
ROBERTSON
BRIDGE

ISLAND

TO
HIGHWAY 99

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Rogue River System Site No. 15
IV Area Priority B
Name Upper Ferry Park

Location 2 miles south of Robertson Bridge, North Bank

T 36 S R 7 W, Sec. 2 River Mile 89 County Josephine

Ownership: Public County

Private Tax Lot No.

Number of owners

DESCRIPTION

Land type Steep slope to river - Clay loam

Cover type Mixed trees and brush

Road access County, Condition Good - gravel

High - winter

Flows Low - summer Water quality Good to fair in summer

Present stage of development Complete except for added parking

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: Acres, of frontage

Type of conveyance

Development:

Boat ramp: Type Number of lanes

Toilets Trails Roads

Parking area X; For cars or 10 car-trailer units

This site contains 4 acres with about 1,200 feet of frontage for bank
angling. Limited parking and picnicking is available. A concrete
ramp has just been completed at this site.

AREA IV

SITE # 15

FISHERY: Boat angling for spring chinook and steelhead. Trout are stocked at this site and provide bank angling.

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Heavy	St Sa			St
Medium	Tr			
Light		Tr St	St	

(Sa - Salmon, St - Steelhead, Tr - Trout, Sg - Sturgeon, Ww - Warm Water Fishes)

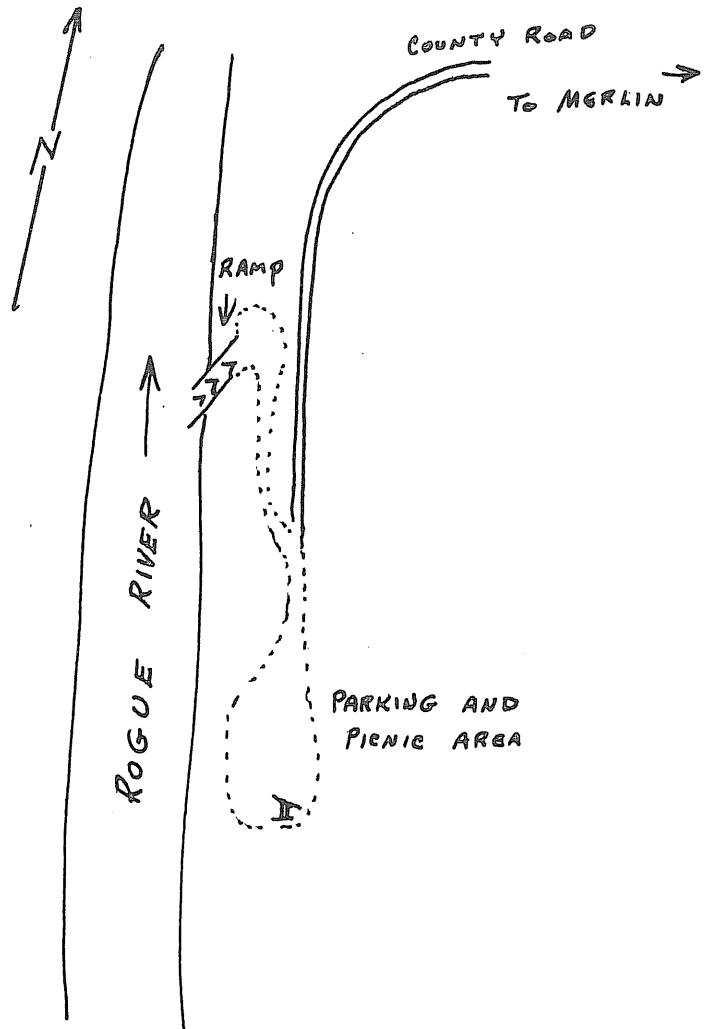
SKETCH

Seasons (Check)

RECREATION
(Check)

Boating, motor
Boating, non-motor
Camping, tent
Camping, trailer
Fishing, boat
Fishing, shore
Hiking
Horseback riding
Hunting, big game
Hunting, upland game
Hunting, waterfowl
Nature study
Picnicking
Sightseeing
Skin and scuba diving
Swimming
Water skiing

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
		X		
	X	X	X	X
	X	X	X	X
	X	X	X	
		X	X	



OTHER

Safety Problems: Vertical banks

Group Facilities:

REMARKS

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Rogue River System Site No. 16
IV Area Priority B
Name Griffin Park

Location 2.5 miles south of Robertson Bridge, South Bank
T 36 S, R 7 W, Sec. 2, 12 River Mile 90 County Josephine
Ownership: Public County
Private County Tax Lot No.
Number of owners

DESCRIPTION

Land type Gentle Slope out to large gravel bar
Cover type Mixed trees and natural grass
Road access Paved, Condition Good
High - winter
Flows Low - summer Water quality Good to fair in summer
Present stage of development Complete except for launching ramp

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: Acres, of frontage
Type of conveyance

Development:

Boat ramp: Type Concrete Number of lanes 1
Toilets Trails Roads
Parking area X; For cars or 15 car-trailer units

This site provides 2,600 feet of frontage for bank angling. A road out to
the gravel bar provides access for launching light boats.

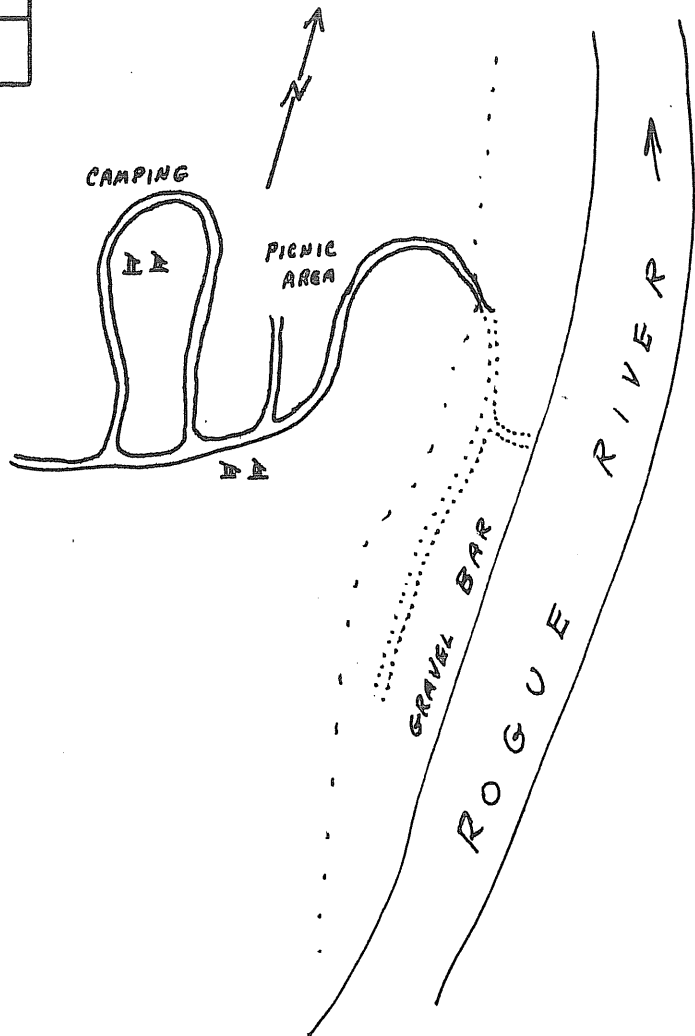
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	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Heavy				St
Medium	Sa, St Tr	Tr	St	
Light				

SKETCH

RECREATION

(Check)

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REMARKS Limited picnicking is presently available and these facilities will be increased in the near future. The county is planning to build the concrete ramp.

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Rogue River System Site No. 17
IV Area Priority B
Name Matson Park

Location 9 miles west from Grants Pass, Gunnel Road, North Bank
T 36 S, R 7 W, Sec. 14 River Mile 92 County Josephine
Ownership: Public County
Private County Tax Lot No. County
Number of owners County

DESCRIPTION

Land type Flat ground running out to a large gravel bar
Cover type Deciduous trees and open gravel
Road access County, Condition Good - paved
High - winter
Flows Low - summer Water quality Good to fair in summer
Present stage of development Picnicking and parking are available

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: County Acres, County of frontage
Type of conveyance County

Development:

Boat ramp: Type Concrete Number of lanes 1
Toilets County Trails County Roads County
Parking area County; For County cars or County car-trailer units
This site provides 1,300 feet of bank access along the gravel bar. Limited
picnicking available.

AREA IV

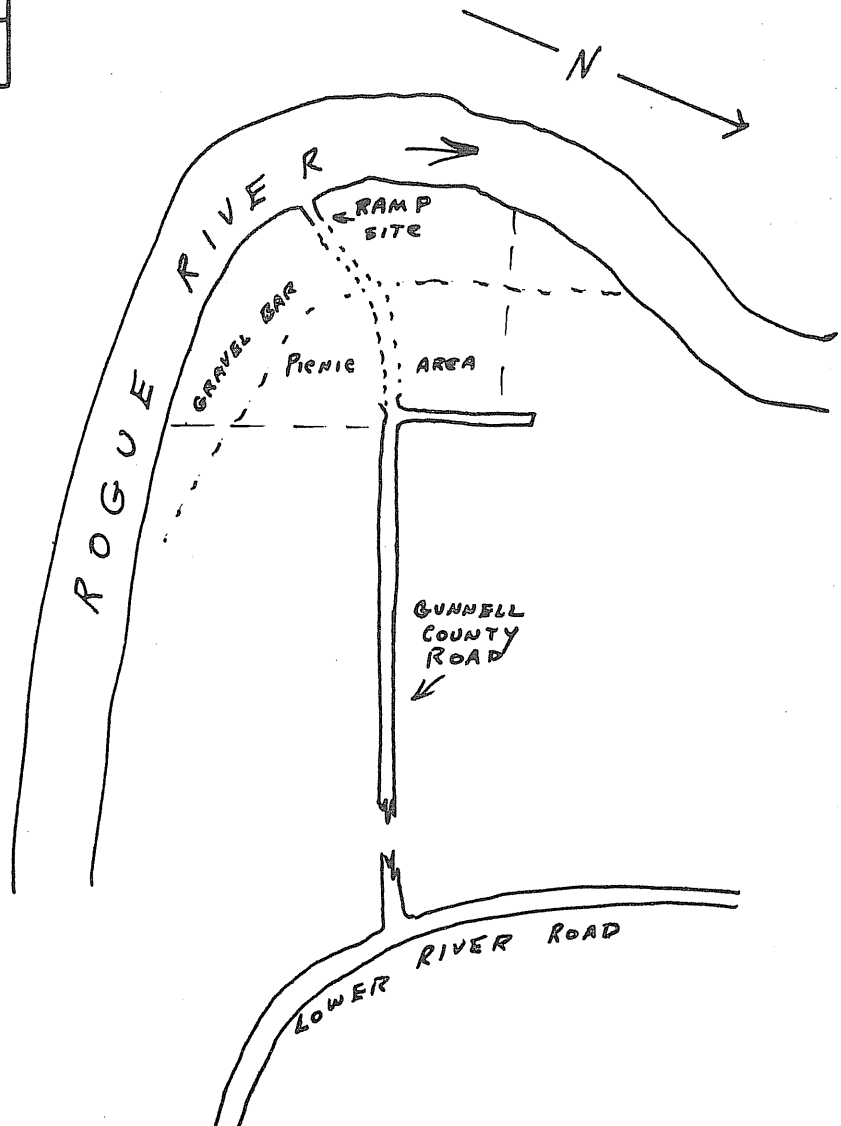
SITE # 17

FISHERY: Boat and bank angling for salmon and steelhead. Trout are stocked during the season and provide bank angling.

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Heavy				
Medium	Sa St Tr	Tr		St
Light		St	St	

(Sa - Salmon, St - Steelhead, Tr - Trout, Sg - Sturgeon, Ww - Warm Water Fishes)

SKETCH



Seasons (Check)

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
	X	X	X	X
	X	X	X	X
	X	X	X	
		X	X	
		X	X	

RECREATION
(Check)

- Boating, motor
- Boating, non-motor
- Camping, tent
- Camping, trailer
- Fishing, boat
- Fishing, shore
- Hiking
- Horseback riding
- Hunting, big game
- Hunting, upland game
- Hunting, waterfowl
- * Nature study
- Picnicking
- Sightseeing
- Skin and scuba diving
- Swimming
- Water skiing
- * Rock hounding

OTHER

Safety Problems:

Group Facilities:

REMARKS

Josephine County plans to construct a concrete ramp in the future. A road over the gravel bar provides access for launching light boats at present. This bar area is subject to heavy depositions of sand and gravel each winter.

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Rogue River System Site No. 18
IV Area Priority B
Name White Horse Park

Location 7 miles west from Grants Pass, North Bank
T 36 S, R 6 W, Sec. 18 River Mile 94 County Josephine
Ownership: Public _____ County _____
Private _____ Tax Lot No. _____
Number of owners _____

DESCRIPTION

Land type Flat benches above flood plain
Cover type Mixed trees over lawn and brushy areas
Road access County, Condition Good - paved
High - winter
Flows Low - summer Water quality Good to fair in summer
Present stage of development The park area is complete. See remarks.

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: _____ Acres, _____ of frontage
Type of conveyance _____

Development:

Boat ramp: Type _____ Number of lanes _____
Toilets _____ Trails X Roads _____
Parking area _____; For _____ cars or _____ car-trailer units
This site provides about 2,600 feet of bank angling access. A .25 mile walk
from the parking area is necessary to reach the river.

AREA IV

SITE # 18

FISHERY: Primarily a bank angling effort for salmon and steelhead.

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Heavy				St
Medium	Sa Tr		St	
Light	St	St		

(Sa - Salmon, St - Steelhead, Tr - Trout,
Sg - Sturgeon, Ww - Warm Water Fishes)

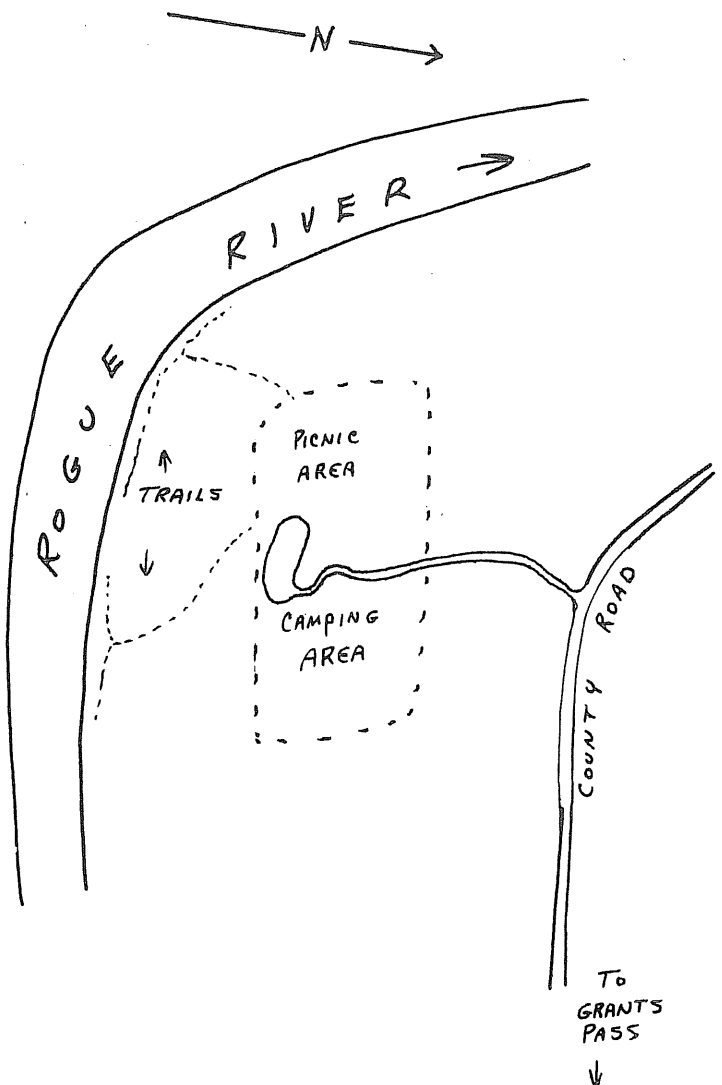
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Seasons (Check)

RECREATION
(Check)

- Boating, motor
- Boating, non-motor
- Camping, tent
- Camping, trailer
- Fishing, boat
- Fishing, shore
- Hiking
- Horseback riding
- Hunting, big game
- Hunting, upland game
- Hunting, waterfowl
- * Nature study
- Picnicking
- Sightseeing
- Skin and scuba diving
- Swimming
- Water skiing
- * Bird watching

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
	X	X	X	X
	X	X	X	
	X	X	X	
		X	X	
		X	X	



OTHER

Safety Problems:

Group Facilities: Picnicking, camping and bus parking.

REMARKS

Tent and trailer camping is available all year for a fee. A channel change during the 1964 flood rerouted the river .25 mile south of the park site. Poor launching site and road maintenance, due to flooding, restrict ramp building in this area.

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Rogue River System Site No. 19
IV Area Priority B
Name Lathrop Landing

Location 3 miles west of Grants Pass, Lower River Road, North Bank
T 36 S, R 6 W, Sec. 14 River Mile 97.5 County Josephine

Ownership: Public Game Commission easement
Private X Tax Lot No. _____
Number of owners _____

DESCRIPTION

Land type Flat - sandy loam
Cover type Pine trees and grass
Road access County, Condition Good - paved
High - winter
Flows Low - summer Water quality Good to fair in summer
Present stage of development Nearly complete, more parking will be added.

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: _____ Acres, _____ of frontage
Type of conveyance _____

Development:

Boat ramp: Type _____ Number of lanes _____
Toilets _____ Trails _____ Roads _____
Parking area X; For _____ cars or 10 car-trailer units
This site provides a convenient launching site for boat anglers and 100
yards of bank angling. A picnic table and toilet are available.

AREA IV

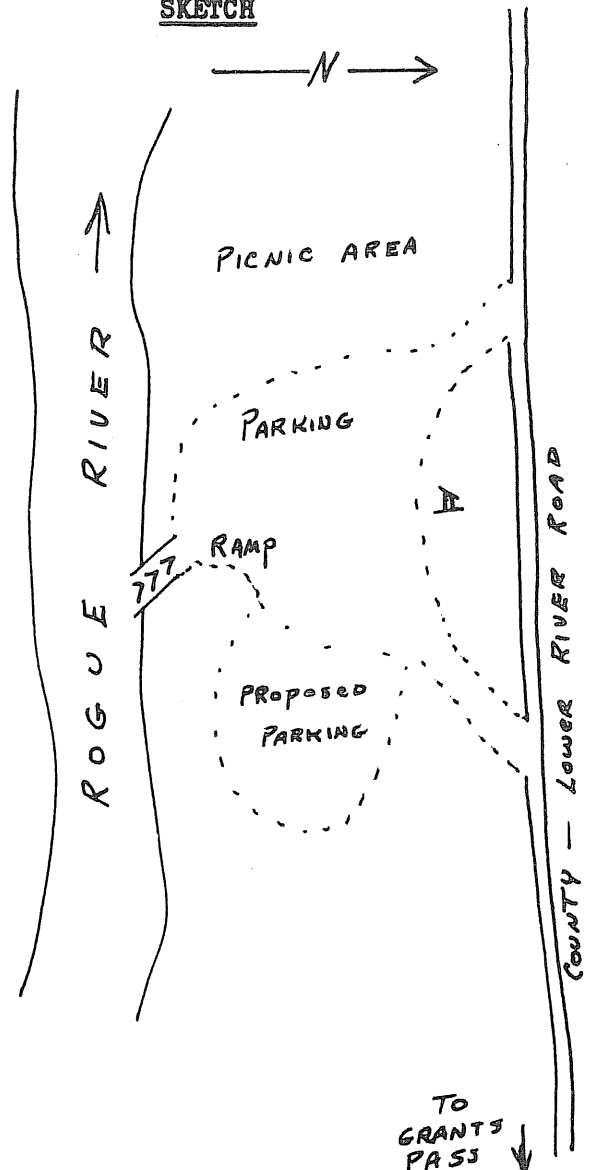
SITE # 19

FISHERY: Mostly drift boat angling for salmon and steelhead. Some bank
angling for stocked trout.

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Heavy				
Medium	St Tr	Tr		St
Light	Sa Sa	St Sa	St	

(Sa - Salmon, St - Steelhead, Tr - Trout,
Sg - Sturgeon, Wv - Warm Water Fishes)

SKETCH



Seasons (Check)

RECREATION
(Check)

Boating, motor
Boating, non-motor
Camping, tent
Camping, trailer
Fishing, boat
Fishing, shore
Hiking
Horseback riding
Hunting, big game
Hunting, upland game
Hunting, waterfowl
Nature study
Picnicking
Sightseeing
Skin and scuba diving
Swimming
Water skiing

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
	X	X	X	X
	X	X	X	X
	X	X	X	X
	X	X	X	X
	X	X	X	
		X	X	

OTHER

Safety Problems:

Group Facilities:

REMARKS

Josephine County constructed a concrete ramp and provides maintenance.

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Rogue River System Site No. 20
IV Area Priority Complete
Name Schroeder Park

Location About 2 miles west of Grants Pass, South Bank
T 36 S, R 6 W, Sec. 14 River Mile 98 County Josephine
Ownership: Public County
Private Tax Lot No.
Number of owners

DESCRIPTION

Land type Flat with moderately sloping bank to river
Cover type Mixed trees and mowed lawn
Road access Paved, Condition Good
High - winter
Flows Low - summer Water quality Good to fair in summer
Present stage of development Camping and picnic area under expansion

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: Acres, of frontage
Type of conveyance

Development:

Boat ramp: Type Number of lanes
Toilets Trails Roads
Parking area ; For cars or car-trailer units
This site provides 2,200 feet of bank angling and a concrete boat ramp for
motor and drift boats.

AREA IV

SITE # 20

FISHERY: The immediate area provides boat and bank angling for stocked trout.

The ramp provides access to spring chinook and winter steelhead angling in the area.

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Heavy	Tr	Tr		
Medium	St			St
Light	Sa	Sa	St	

(Sa - Salmon, St - Steelhead, Tr - Trout,
Sg - Sturgeon, Ww - Warm Water Fishes)

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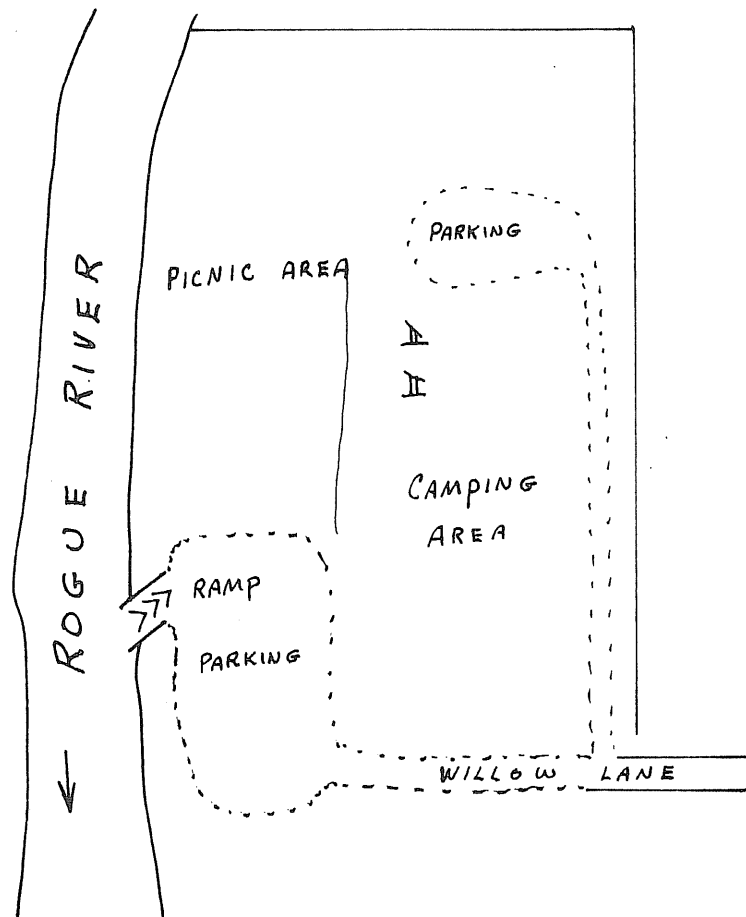
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Seasons (Check)

RECREATION
(Check)

Boating, motor
Boating, non-motor
Camping, tent
Camping, trailer
Fishing, boat
Fishing, shore
Hiking
Horseback riding
Hunting, big game
Hunting, upland game
Hunting, waterfowl
Nature study
Picnicking
Sightseeing
Skin and souba diving
Swimming
Water skiing

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
X	X	X	X	X
X	X	X	X	X
X	X	X	X	X
X	X	X	X	X
X	X		X	
X	X		X	
X	X	X		
	X	X		
X				



OTHER

Safety Problems:

Group Facilities: Picnicking and bus parking.

REMARKS

Josephine County Parks Department is currently leveling and seeding the picnic area. No fire pits or benches are in the area at present. Tent and trailor sites will be constructed in the near future.

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Rogue River System Site No. 21
IV Area Priority C
Name Tussing Park

Location 1 mile west from Grants Pass, South Bank
T 36 S, R 5 W, Sec. 19 River Mile 100 County Josephine
Ownership: Public County
Private County Tax Lot No.
Number of owners

DESCRIPTION

Land type Sloping, sandy - loam
Cover type Deciduous trees and brush
Road access County, Condition Poor - dirt
High - winter
Flows Low - summer Water quality Good to fair in summer
Present stage of development Road into undeveloped area

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: Acres, of frontage
Type of conveyance

Development:

Boat ramp: Type Number of lanes
Toilets X Trails Roads X
Parking area X; For 15 cars or car-trailer units

This site provides 1,800 feet of bank angler access at present.

AREA IV

SITE # 21

FISHERY: Bank angling for trout, steelhead and salmon.

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Heavy	Tr	Tr		
Medium				St
Light	Sa	St Sa	St	

(Sa - Salmon, St - Steelhead, Tr - Trout,
Sg - Sturgeon, Ww - Warm Water Fishes)

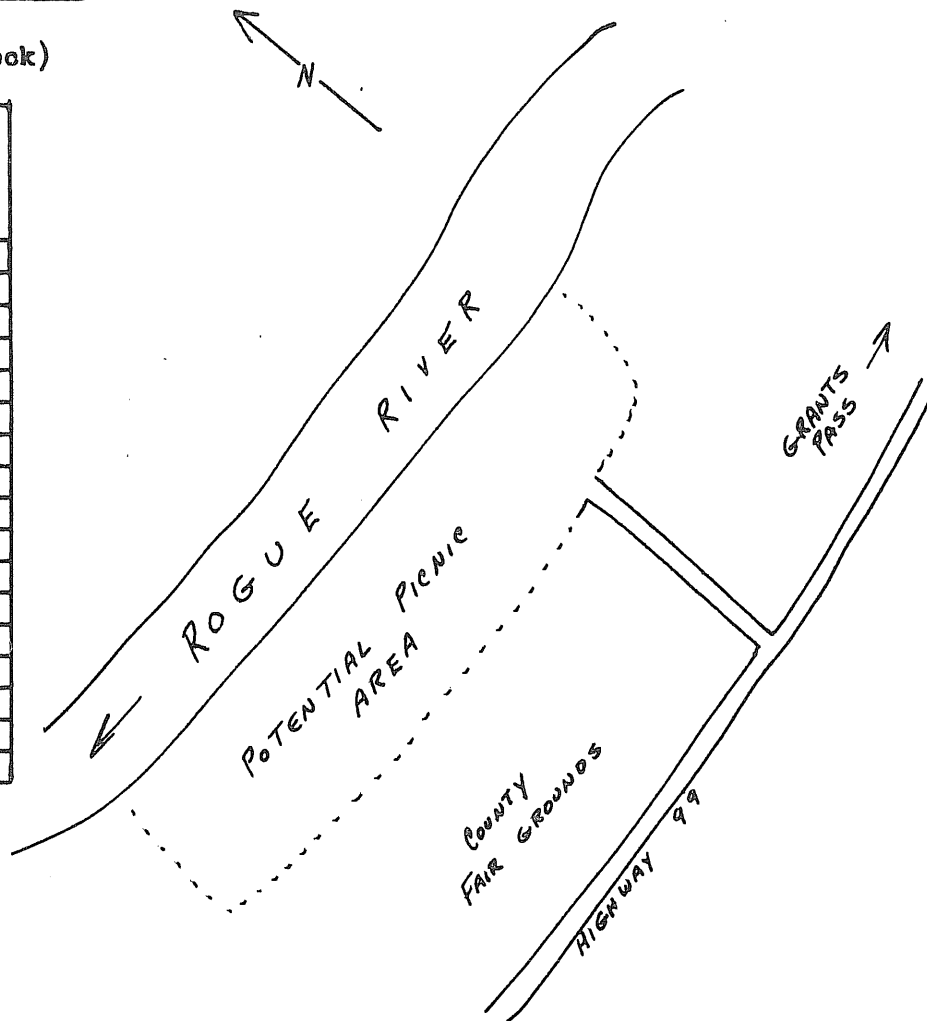
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Seasons (Check)

RECREATION (Check)

Boating, motor
Boating, non-motor
Camping, tent
Camping, trailer
Fishing, boat
Fishing, shore
Hiking
Horseback riding
Hunting, big game
Hunting, upland game
Hunting, waterfowl
Nature study
Picnicking
Sightseeing
Skin and scuba diving
Swimming
Water skiing

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
	X	X	X	X
	X	X	X	
		X	X	



OTHER

Safety Problems:

Group Facilities: Bus Parking and group picnicking in the future.

REMARKS

Picnicking, toilets, and parking will be developed by the county in the near future.

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Rogue River System Site No. 22
IV Area Priority Complete
Name Grants Pass City Park

Location In Grants Pass, South Bank
T 36 S, R 5 W, Sec. 20 River Mile 101 County Josephine
Ownership: Public City of Grants Pass
Private _____ Tax Lot No. _____
Number of owners _____

DESCRIPTION

Land type Flat with moderate sloping bank into river
Cover type Mixed trees and mowed lawn
Road access County, Condition Good
High - winter
Flows Low - summer Water quality Good to fair in summer
Present stage of development Complete for angler day use

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: _____ Acres, _____ of frontage
Type of conveyance _____

Development:

Boat ramp: Type _____ Number of lanes _____
Toilets _____ Trails _____ Roads _____
Parking area _____; For _____ cars or _____ car-trailer units
This site provides access for angling, boating, picnicking and field sports.
No camping.

AREA IV

SITE # 22

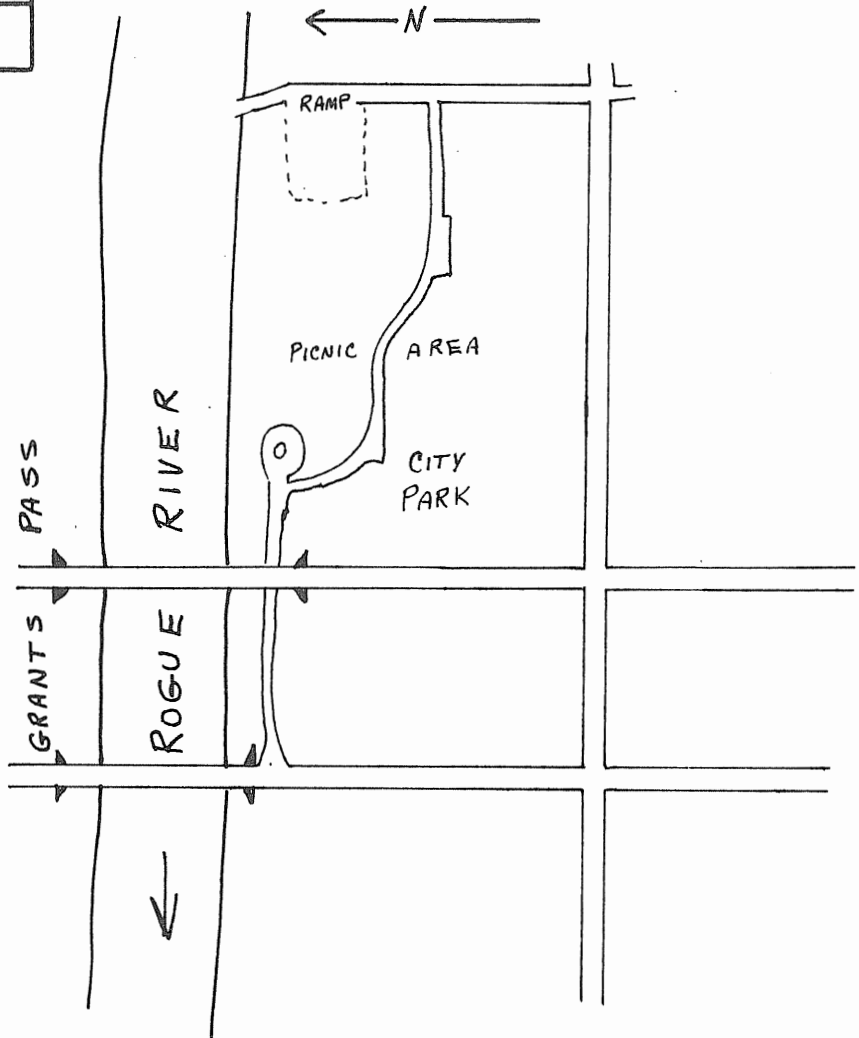
FISHERY: The immediate area provides bank angling access for stocked trout.

Drift and motor boats are used in angling for salmon and some steelhead.

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Heavy	Tr	Tr		
Medium	St			
Light	Sa	St Sa	St	St

(Sa - Salmon, St - Steelhead, Tr - Trout,
Sg - Sturgeon, Ww - Warm Water Fishes)

SKETCH



Seasons (Check)

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Boating, motor		X		
Boating, non-motor		X		
Camping, tent				
Camping, trailer				
Fishing, boat	X	X	X	X
Fishing, shore	X	X	X	X
Hiking				
Horseback riding				
Hunting, big game				
Hunting, upland game				
Hunting, waterfowl				
*Nature study	X	X	X	X
Picnicking	X	X	X	
Sightseeing				
Skin and scuba diving				
Swimming		X	X	
*Water skiing		X	X	
*Bird watching				

RECREATION
(Check)

Boating, motor
Boating, non-motor
Camping, tent
Camping, trailer
Fishing, boat
Fishing, shore
Hiking
Horseback riding
Hunting, big game
Hunting, upland game
Hunting, waterfowl
*Nature study
Picnicking
Sightseeing
Skin and scuba diving
Swimming
*Water skiing
*Bird watching

OTHER

Safety Problems: Deep water

Group Facilities: Picnicking and ample bus parking

REMARKS

This large, well-kept park provides playgrounds, picnic tables and a concrete ramp for boaters.

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Rogue River System Site No. 23
IV Area Priority B
Name Old Bridge Crossing in Grants Pass
Baker Park.

Location 1 mile east from downtown Grants Pass, South Bank
T 36 S, R 5 W, Sec. 20 River Mile 102 County Josephine
Ownership: Public City of Grants Pass and state highway
Private _____ Tax Lot No. _____
Number of owners _____

DESCRIPTION

Land type Sloping - gravel and sandy loam
Cover type Deciduous brush and weeds
Road access Off county road, Condition Fair
High - winter
Flows Low - summer Water quality Good to fair in summer
Present stage of development Parking for 8 cars only

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: _____ Acres, 1,500 feet of frontage
Type of conveyance Easement for bank access

Development:

Boat ramp: Type _____ Number of lanes _____
Toilets X Trails _____ Roads _____
Parking area X; For 15 cars or _____ car-trailer units
This site provides 288 feet of access for bank angling and swimming at
present. Light boats can be skidded into the river at this point.

SITE # 23

FISHERY: Bank angling for stocked trout, spring chinook and some steelhead.

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Heavy	Tr	Tr		
Medium	St			St
Light	Sa	Sa St	St	

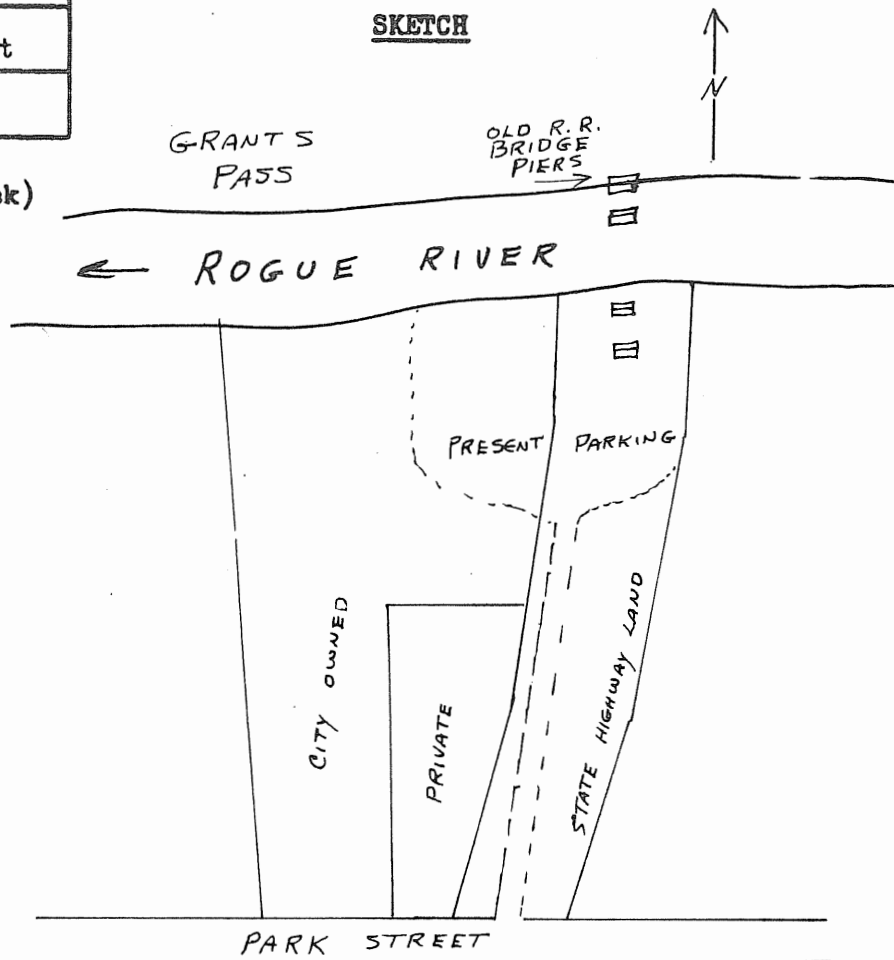
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Sg - Sturgeon, Ww - Warm Water Fishes)

SKETCH

Seasons (Check)

RECREATION
(Check)

- Boating, motor
- Boating, non-motor
- Camping, tent
- Camping, trailer
- Fishing, boat
- Fishing, shore
- Hiking
- Horseback riding
- Hunting, big game
- Hunting, upland game
- Hunting, waterfowl
- Nature study
- Picnicking
- Sightseeing
- Skin and scuba diving
- Swimming
- Water skiing

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OTHER

Safety Problems:

Group Facilities:

REMARKS

This area is being used heavily by trout anglers and swimmers without easement from trespass beyond the city and highway property. Bank access is needed upstream from this site.

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Rogue River System Site No. 24
IV Area Priority Complete
Name Climate Wayside

Location 2 miles east from Grants Pass, South Bank
T 36 S, R 5 W, Sec. 21 River Mile 103 County Josephine
Ownership: Public County
Private County Tax Lot No. County
Number of owners County

DESCRIPTION

Land type Sloping - rocky soil
Cover type Mixed trees over grass
Road access Highway 99, Condition Good
Flows High - winter
Low - summer Water quality Good to fair in summer
Present stage of development Two picnic sites and a trail to the river

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: County Acres, County of frontage
Type of conveyance County

Development:

Boat ramp: Type County Number of lanes County
Toilets County Trails County Roads County
Parking area County; For County cars or County car-trailer units

This site provides 120 feet of river access with limited parking along high-
way. The wayside contains only 0.4 acres.

AREA IV

SITE # 24

FISHERY: Bank angling for trout.

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Heavy				
Medium	Tr		St	St
Light		Tr		

(Sa - Salmon, St - Steelhead, Tr - Trout,
Sg - Sturgeon, Ww - Warm Water Fishes)

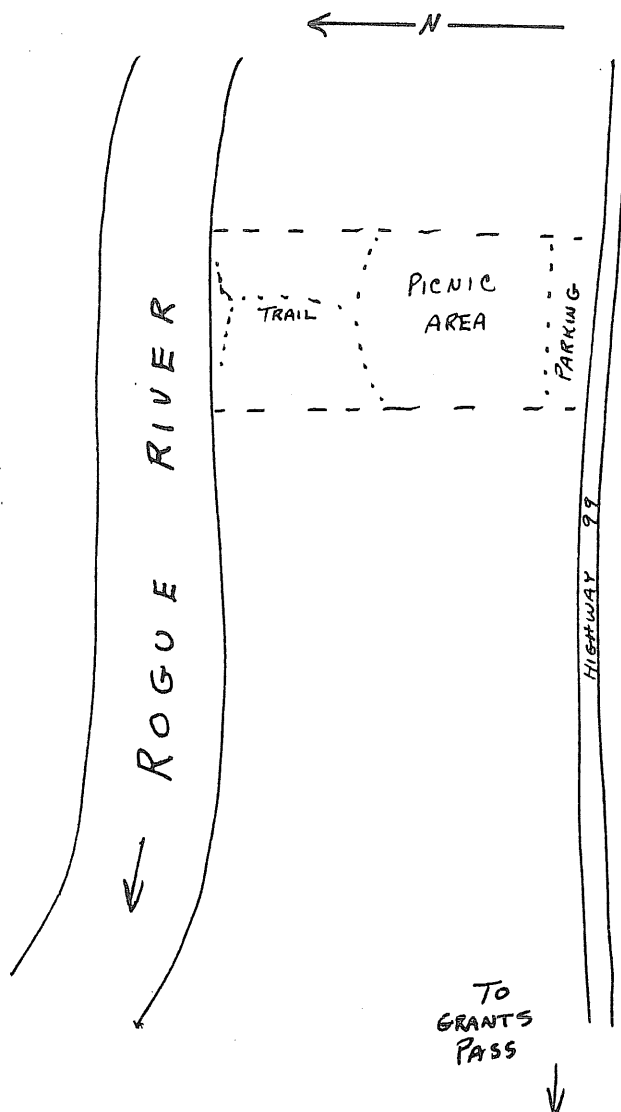
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Seasons (Check)

RECREATION
(Check)

Boating, motor
Boating, non-motor
Camping, tent
Camping, trailer
Fishing, boat
Fishing, shore
Hiking
Horseback riding
Hunting, big game
Hunting, upland game
Hunting, waterfowl
Nature study
Picnicking
Sightseeing
Skin and scuba diving
Swimming
Water skiing

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
	X	X	X	X
	X	X	X	



OTHER

Safety Problems:

Group Facilities:

REMARKS

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Rogue River System Site No. 25
IV Area Priority A
Name Chinook Park

Location 3.5 miles east of Grants Pass, South Bank
T 36 S, R 5 W, Sec. 23 River Mile 105 County Josephine
Ownership: Public County
Private X Tax Lot No. 100 - 200 - 300
Number of owners 2

DESCRIPTION

Land type Flat bench with slope down to gravel and sand flat
Cover type Open with clumps of weeds and willows
Road access Off county road, Condition Fair - gravel
High - winter
Flows Low - summer Water quality Good to fair in summer
Present stage of development Rough road and an old ramp

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: 8 Acres, of frontage
Type of conveyance Purchase

Development:

Boat ramp: Type Concrete Number of lanes 1
Toilets Trails Roads X
Parking area X; For cars or 15 car-trailer units

This site is a popular swimming and bank angling area. A poor ramp and most
of the frontage is on private land and used by the public with consent.
but without future guarantee.

AREA IV

SITE # 25

FISHERY: Boat and bank angling for planted trout, salmon and steelhead.

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Heavy	St	Sa		St
Medium	Tr	Tr	St	
Light	Sa	St		

(Sa - Salmon, St - Steelhead, Tr - Trout,
Sg - Sturgeon, Ww - Warm Water Fishes)

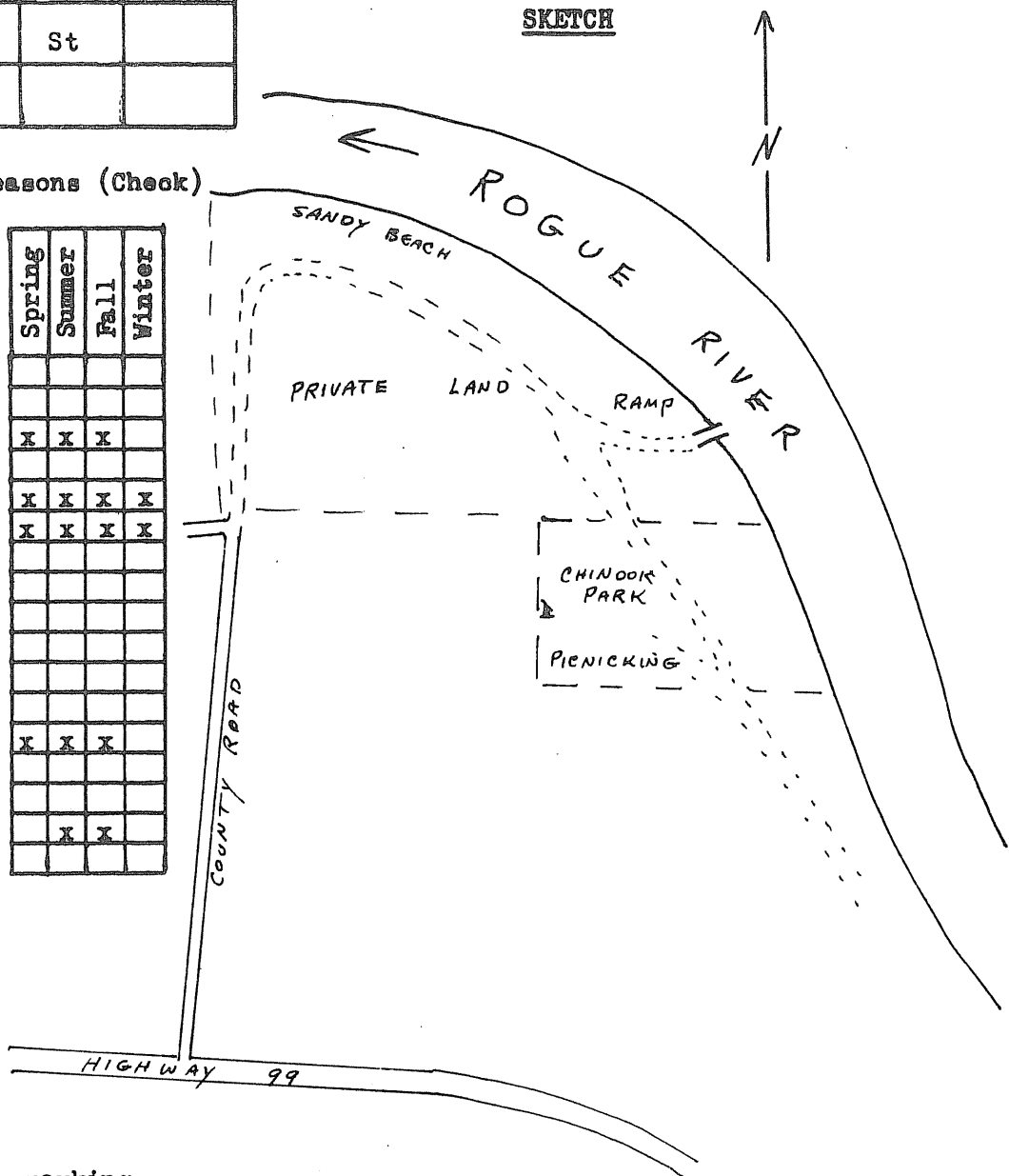
SKETCH

Seasons (Check)

RECREATION
(Check)

Boating, motor
Boating, non-motor
Camping, tent
Camping, trailer
Fishing, boat
Fishing, shore
Hiking
Horseback riding
Hunting, big game
Hunting, upland game
Hunting, waterfowl
Nature study
Picnicking
Sightseeing
Skin and scuba diving
Swimming
Water skiing

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
	X	X	X	
	X	X	X	X
	X	X	X	X
	X	X	X	
		X	X	



OTHER

Safety Problems:

Group Facilities: Bus parking

REMARKS

The county owns 3.25 acres with 400 feet of frontage. Pit toilets and a parking area are available. About 8 acres of an old gravel processing site could be purchased to provide picnic and camping. The area is convenient to Grants Pass and provides one of the few sandy beaches for swimmers.

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Rogue River System Site No. 26
IV Area Priority A
Name Pierce Riffle Park

Location About 1 mile west of Savage Dam, North Bank
T 36S, R 5 W, Sec. 24 River Mile 106.5 County Josephine
Ownership: Public Game Commission - County Maintenance
Private _____ Tax Lot No. _____
Number of owners _____

DESCRIPTION

Land type Gentle slope out to rocky banks
Cover type Deciduous trees, brush and weeds at present
Road access County, Condition Good - paved
High - winter
Flows Low - summer Water quality Good to fair in summer
Present stage of development Poor road into site

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: _____ Acres, _____ of frontage
Type of conveyance _____

Development:

Boat ramp: Type Concrete Number of lanes 1
Toilets X Trails X Roads X
Parking area X; For _____ cars or 15 car-trailer units
This site provides about 1,500 feet of frontage for bank angling at present.

AREA IV

SITE # 26

FISHERY: The top of Pierce Riffle is one of the most popular spring chinook

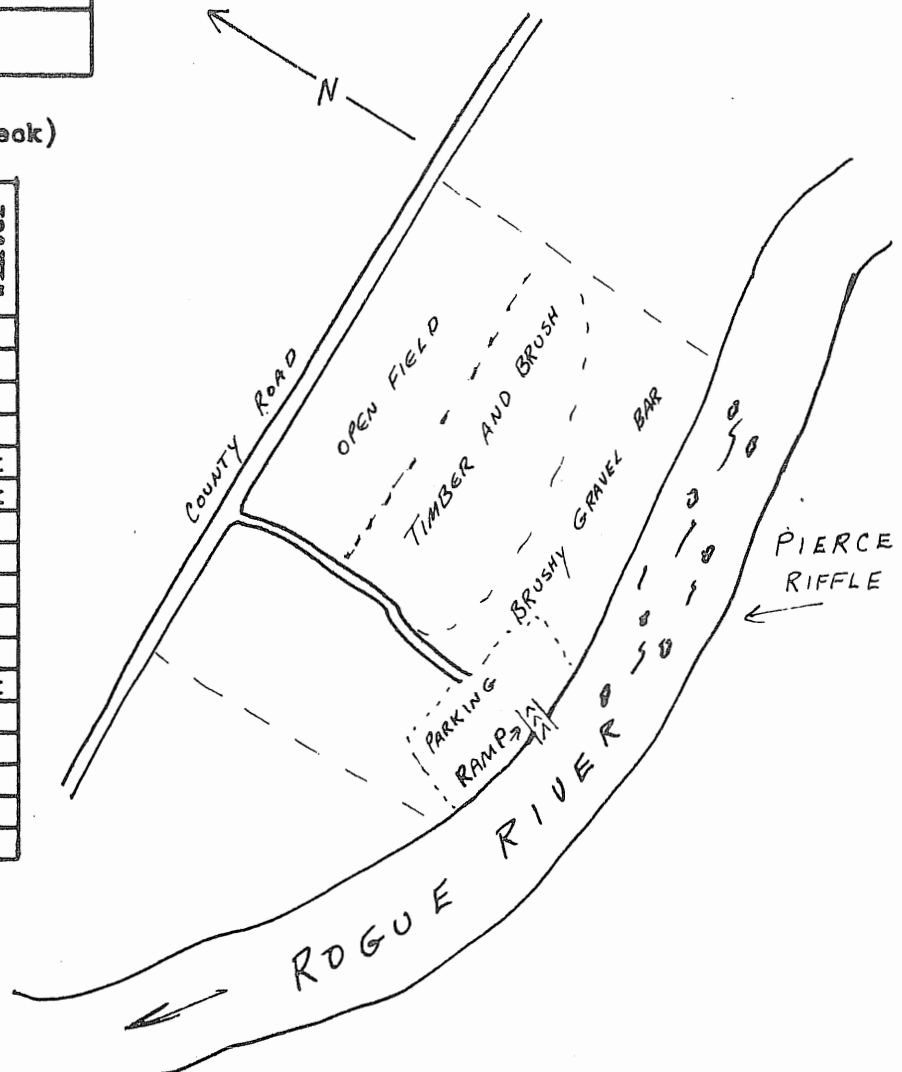
fisheries in the area. Trout and steelhead angling is also very

popular in this area.

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Heavy	St	Sa		St
Medium	Sa	Tr	St	
Light	Tr	St		

(Sa - Salmon, St - Steelhead, Tr - Trout, Sg - Sturgeon, Ww - Warm Water Fishes)

SKETCH



Seasons (Check)

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
		X		
	X	X	X	X
	X	X	X	X
	X			X
	X	X	X	
		X		

RECREATION
(Check)

- Boating, motor
- Boating, non-motor
- Camping, tent
- Camping, trailer
- Fishing, boat
- Fishing, shore
- Hiking
- Horseback riding
- Hunting, big game
- Hunting, upland game
- Hunting, waterfowl
- * Nature study
- Picnicking
- Sightseeing
- Skin and scuba diving
- Swimming
- Water skiing
- * Bird watching

OTHER

Safety Problems:

Group Facilities: Bus parking and group picnicking

REMARKS

A good road and boat ramp are currently being developed in the area by the Game Commission and Josephine County. Overnight camping in the area is restricted by a prohibitive clause in the property deed.

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Rogue River System Site No. 27
IV Area Priority B
Name Savage Creek Area

Location 6 miles east of Grants Pass, South Bank
T 36 S, R 4 W, Sec. 19 River Mile 108 County Jackson

Ownership: Public _____

Private X Tax Lot No. 1700

Number of owners 1

DESCRIPTION

Land type Flat - sandy soil

Cover type Brush and grass

Road access Highway 99, Condition Good

Flows Pool area of savage dam Water quality Good to fair in summer

Present stage of development Ramp and parking area.

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: _____ Acres, 400 feet of frontage

Type of conveyance Purchase for boat access

Development:

Boat ramp: Type _____ Number of lanes _____

Toilets X Trails _____ Roads _____

Parking area _____; For _____ cars or _____ car-trailer units

This site provides launching for water skiing and boat anglers. Parking is
adequate for about 12 car-trailer units.

SITE # 27

FISHERY: There is only a light trout fishery on the pool area by boat anglers.

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Heavy				
Medium	Tr			
Light		Tr	Tr	

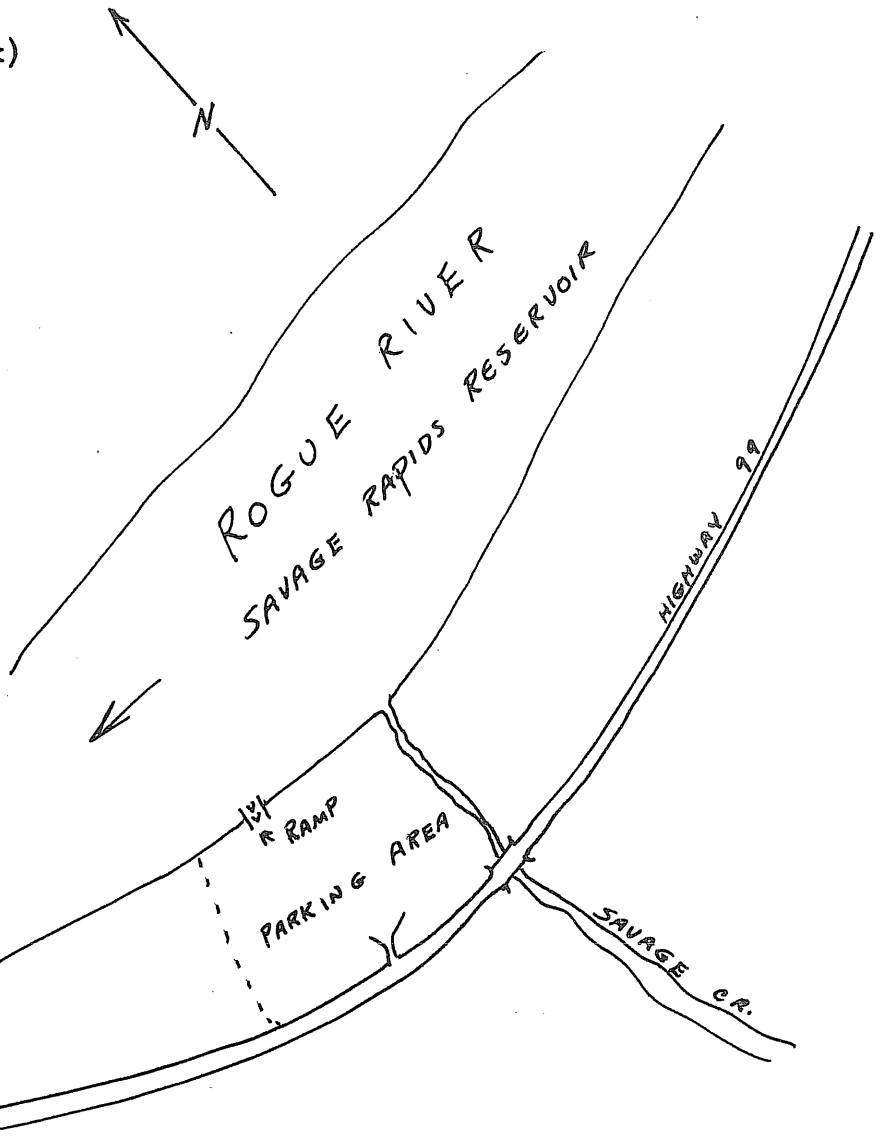
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Sg - Sturgeon, Ww - Warm Water Fishes)

SKETCH

Seasons (Check)

RECREATION
(Check)

- Boating, motor
- Boating, non-motor
- Camping, tent
- Camping, trailer
- Fishing, boat
- Fishing, shore
- Hiking
- Horseback riding
- Hunting, big game
- Hunting, upland game
- Hunting, waterfowl
- Nature study
- Picnicking
- Sightseeing
- Skin and scuba diving
- Swimming
- Water skiing

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OTHER

Safety Problems:

Group Facilities:

REMARKS

A local irrigation company owns over 2,800 feet of frontage at this site and allows the public to launch and park on the site near Savage Creek. Water skiers crowd this area during the summer.

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Rogue River System Site No. 28
IV Area Priority Complete
Name Little Savage Creek

Location 6.5 miles east of Grants Pass, South Bank
T 36S, R 4W, Sec. 19 River Mile 108.5 County Jackson

Ownership: Public _____
Private X Tax Lot No. _____
Number of owners 1 _____

DESCRIPTION

Land type Flat
Cover type Mixed trees and grass
Road access Highway 99, Condition Good
Flows Pool area of Savage Dam Water quality Good to fair in summer
Present stage of development Complete marina

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: _____ Acres, _____ of frontage
Type of conveyance _____

Development:

Boat ramp: Type _____ Number of lanes _____
Toilets _____ Trails _____ Roads _____
Parking area _____; For _____ cars or _____ car-trailer units

This site provides ramp launching, moorage and service for a fee.

AREA IV

SITE # 28

FISHERY: Boat anglers fish for trout in the pool area.

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Heavy				
Medium	Tr			
Light		Tr	Tr	

(Sa - Salmon, St - Steelhead, Tr - Trout,
Sg - Sturgeon, Ww - Warm Water Fishes)

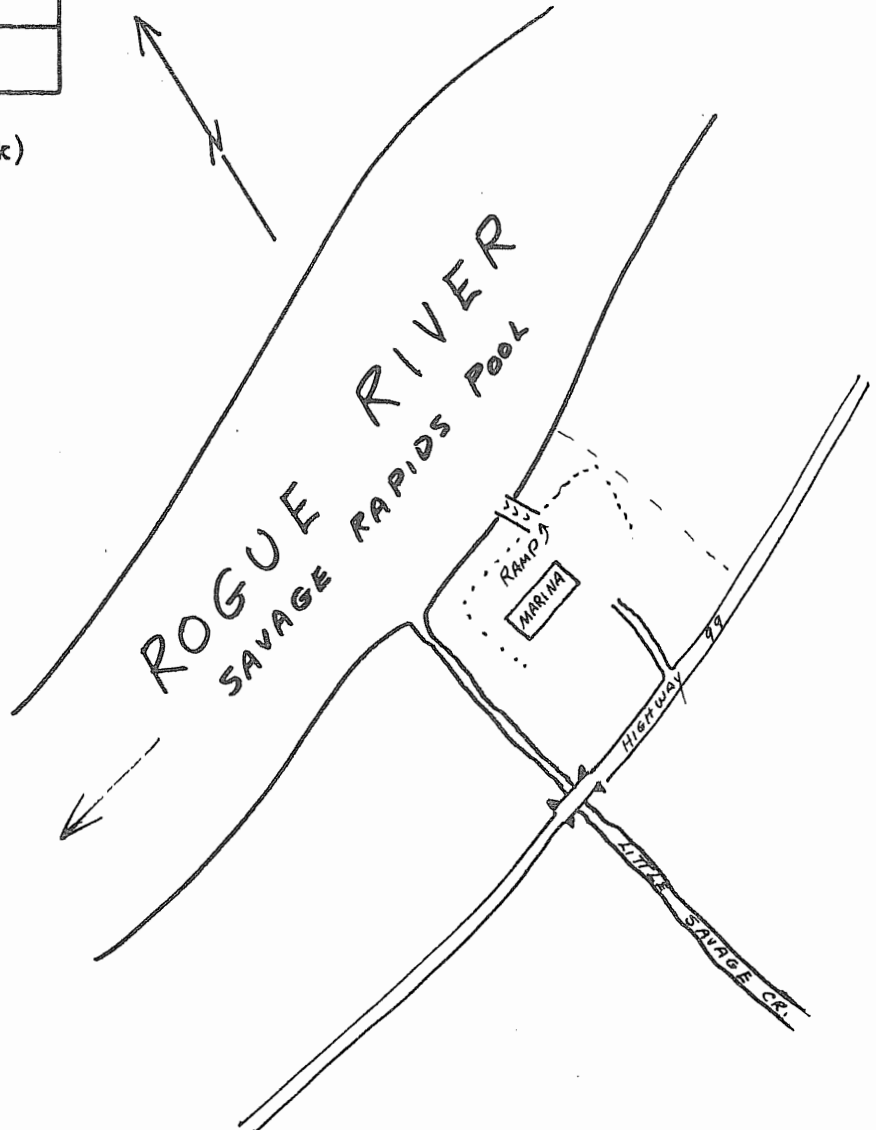
SKETCH

Seasons (Check)

RECREATION
(Check)

Boating, motor
Boating, non-motor
Camping, tent
Camping, trailer
Fishing, boat
Fishing, shore
Hiking
Horseback riding
Hunting, big game
Hunting, upland game
Hunting, waterfowl
Nature study
Picnicking
Sightseeing
Skin and scuba diving
Swimming
Water skiing

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Boating, motor	x	x	x	
Boating, non-motor		x		
Camping, tent				
Camping, trailer				
Fishing, boat	x	x	x	
Fishing, shore		x	x	
Hiking				
Horseback riding				
Hunting, big game				
Hunting, upland game				
Hunting, waterfowl				
Nature study				
Picnicking				
Sightseeing				
Skin and scuba diving				
Swimming		x		
Water skiing	x	x	x	



OTHER

Safety Problems:

Group Facilities:

REMARKS

This small marina operates through the summer months of the year.

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Rogue River System Site No. 29
IV Area Priority A
Name Savage Rapids Area

Location 6 miles east of Grants Pass, North Bank
T 36 S, R 4 W, Sec. 20 River Mile 109 County Jackson

Ownership: Public
Private X Tax Lot No. 2,100
Number of owners 1

DESCRIPTION

Land type Flat - Rocky soil
Cover type Mostly grass and weeds; a few trees against river
Road access County, Condition Good
Flows Pool area of Savage Dam Water quality Good to fair in summer
Present stage of development Gravel road into site

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: 40 Acres, of frontage
Type of conveyance Purchase

Development:

Boat ramp: Type Concrete Number of lanes 1
Toilets X Trails Roads X
Parking area X; For cars or 20 car-trailer units

This site is not used by anglers at present as bank angling in the pool area
is poor.

AREA IV

SITE # 29

FISHERY: This section of the river provides some trout angling to boaters.

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Heavy				
Medium				
Light	Tr	Tr		

Seasons (Check)

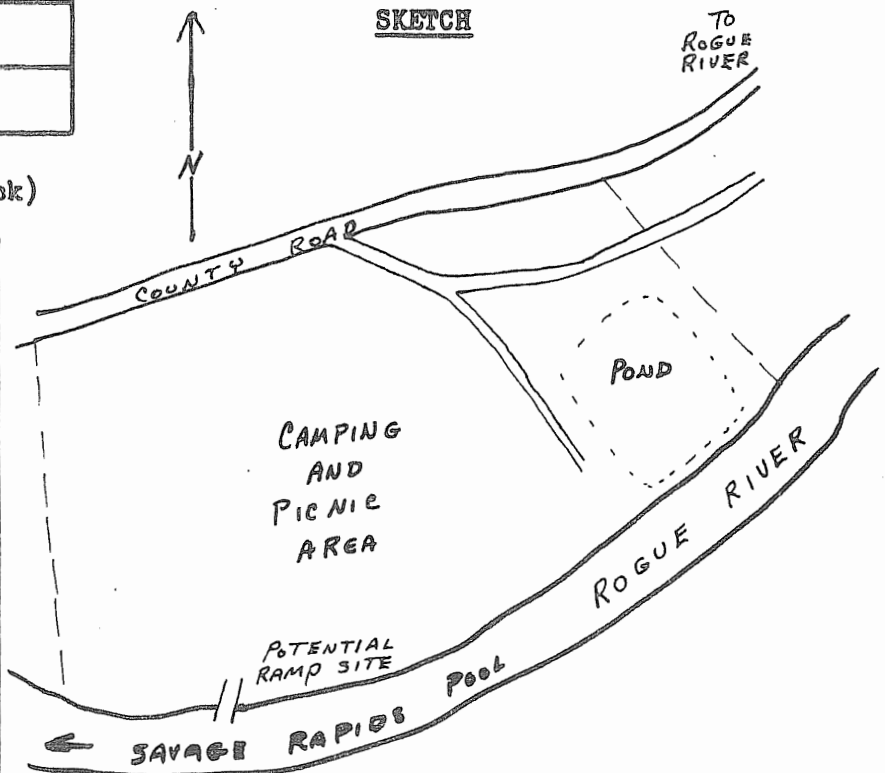
RECREATION
(Check)

Boating, motor
Boating, non-motor
Camping, tent
Camping, trailer
Fishing, boat
Fishing, shore
Hiking
Horseback riding
Hunting, big game
Hunting, upland game
Hunting, waterfowl
Nature study
Picnicking
Sightseeing
Skin and souba diving
Swimming
Water skiing

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Boating, motor	X	X	X	
Boating, non-motor	X	X	X	
Camping, tent	X	X	X	
Camping, trailer	X	X	X	
Fishing, boat	X	X	X	
Fishing, shore	X	X	X	
Hiking				
Horseback riding				
Hunting, big game				
Hunting, upland game				
Hunting, waterfowl				
Nature study				
Picnicking	X	X	X	
Sightseeing				
Skin and souba diving		X	X	
Swimming				
Water skiing	X	X	X	

(Sa - Salmon, St - Steelhead, Tr - Trout, Sg - Sturgeon, Ww - Warm Water Fishes)

SKETCH



OTHER

Safety Problems:

Group Facilities: Bus parking; group picnicking and camping.

REMARKS

This lot has about 3,500 feet of river frontage. The 1964 flood swept a few buildings off this area and the 4-acre borrow-pit pond on the area floods each year. This area has potential for a camping park with the proper development. A ramp could be developed for additional boat access on the pool.

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Rogue River System Site No. 30
IV Area Priority C
Name Mouth of Evans Creek

Location At Rogue River, North Bank
T 36 S, R 4 W, Sec. 16 & 21 River Mile 110.5 County Jackson
Ownership: Public State Highway
Private X Tax Lot No. 500
Number of owners 2

DESCRIPTION

Land type Flat with steep banks into river - loam soil
Cover type Scattered trees - grass with some brush
Road access None, Condition _____
High - winter
Flows Low - summer Water quality Good to fair in summer
Present stage of development None

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: 3 Acres, _____ of frontage
Type of conveyance Easement for road or purchase of acreage

Development:

Boat ramp: Type _____ Number of lanes _____
Toilets X Trails _____ Roads X
Parking area X; For 15 cars or _____ car-trailer units
This site provides 3,000 feet of frontage for bank angling separated near
the middle by Evans Creek.

SITE # 30

FISHERY: Bank angling for spring chinook and winter steelhead. Some boat angling
in the summer months for stocked trout.

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Heavy				
Medium		Tr Sa		St
Light	Sa		St	

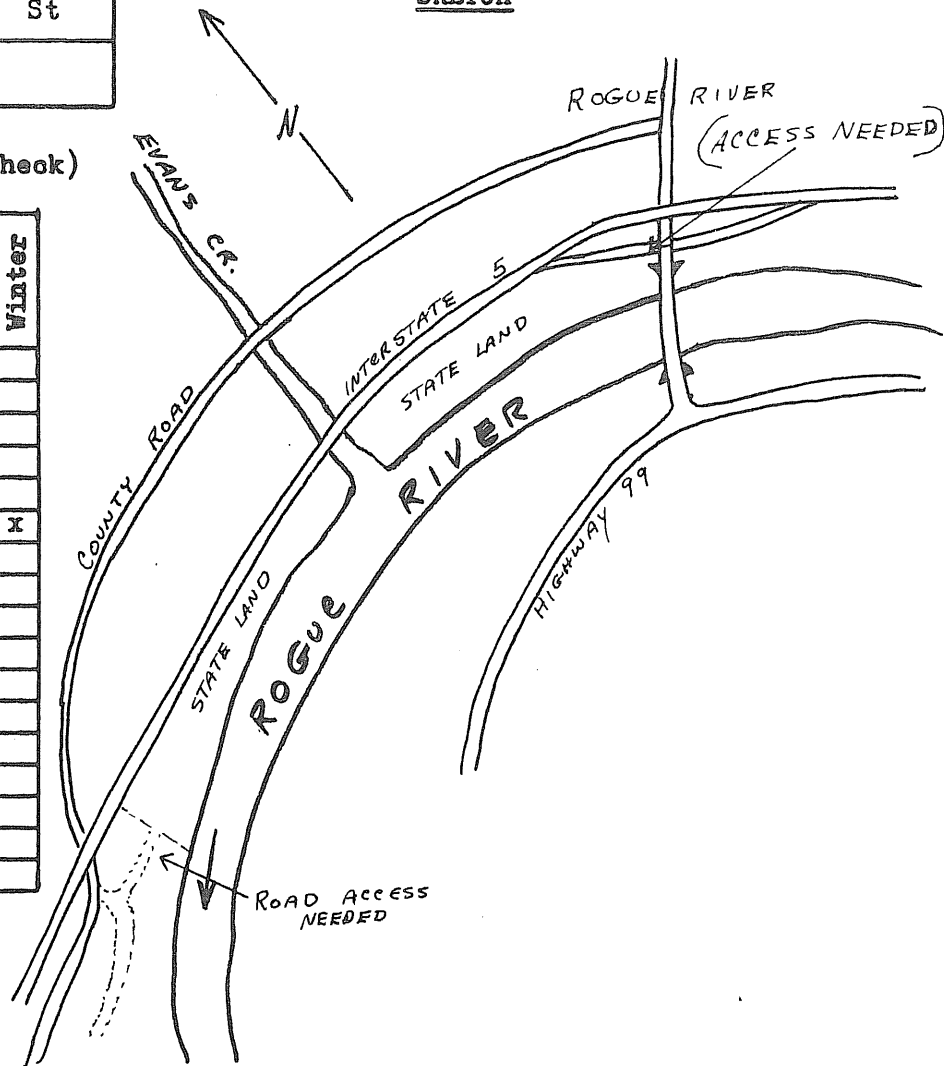
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Sg - Sturgeon, Ww - Warm Water Fishes)

SKETCH

Seasons (Check)

RECREATION
(Check)

Boating, motor
Boating, non-motor
Camping, tent
Camping, trailer
Fishing, boat
Fishing, shore
Hiking
Horseback riding
Hunting, big game
Hunting, upland game
Hunting, waterfowl
Nature study
Picnicking
Sightseeing
Skin and scuba diving
Swimming
Water skiing

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OTHER

Safety Problems: High very steep banks border the upstream parcel

Group Facilities: Group picnicking if developed.

REMARKS

The State Highway has about .5 mile frontage of flat to sloping land in this area. The area has picnic potential if access can be gained. The freeway exit ramp cramps car access into the upper area, and private land blocks road access into the downstream area. The lower area has camp site potential if some private acreage downstream were added to it.

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Rogue River System Site No. 31
IV Area Priority Complete
Name Coyote Evans Wayside

Location At Rogue River, South Bank
T 36 S, R 4 W, Sec. 22 River Mile 111 County Jackson
Ownership: Public Oregon Game Commission - County maintenance
Private _____ Tax Lot No. _____
Number of owners 1

DESCRIPTION

Land type Sloping - sandy loam to gravel
Cover type Scattered deciduous trees and mowed lawn
Road access Highway 99, Condition Good
High - winter
Flows Low - summer Water quality Good to fair in summer
Present stage of development Completely developed picnic area

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: _____ Acres, _____ of frontage
Type of conveyance _____

Development:

Boat ramp: Type _____ Number of lanes _____
Toilets _____ Trails _____ Roads _____
Parking area _____; For _____ cars or _____ car-trailer units
This site provides about 500 feet of frontage for bank angling, a concrete
ramp and picnic facilities.

AREA IV

SITE # 31

FISHERY: Bank and salmon board angling for spring chinook and winter steelhead.

Boat angling for summer and winter steelhead.

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Heavy				St
Medium	Sa		St	
Light		St Tr		

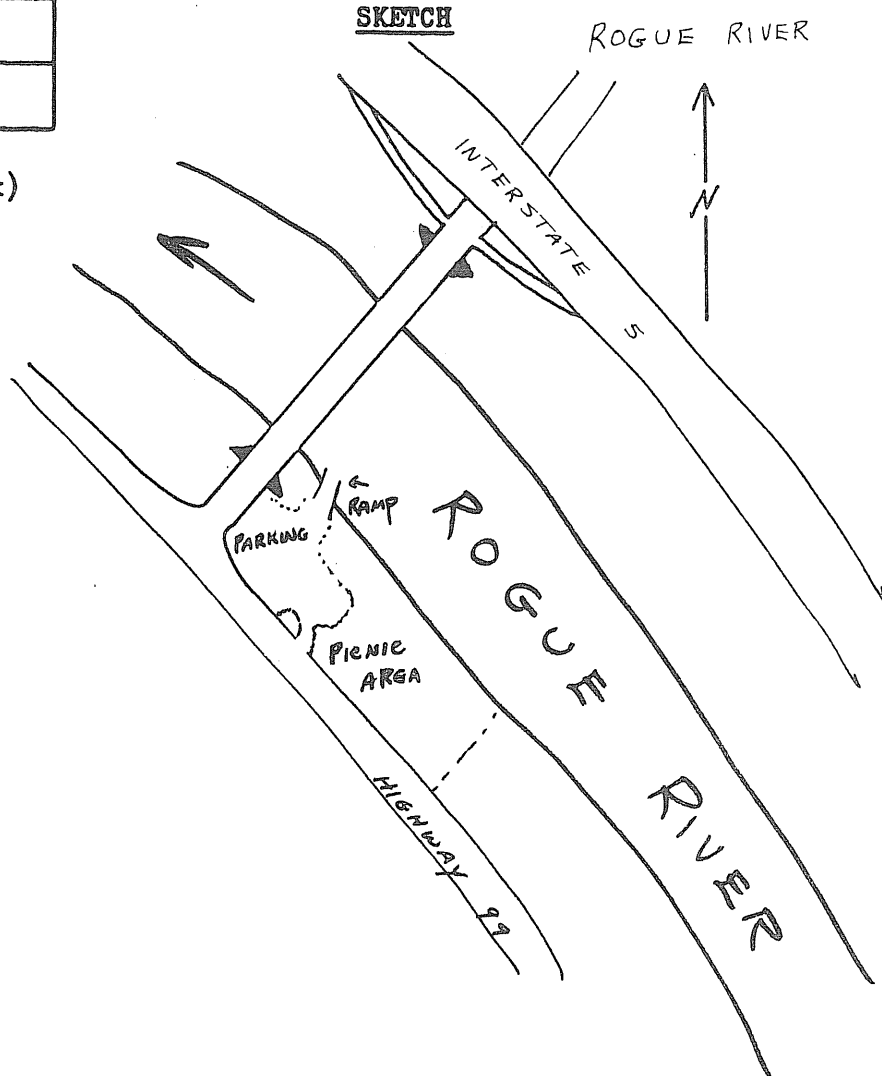
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Sg - Sturgeon, Ww - Warm Water Fishes)

Seasons (Check)

RECREATION
(Check)

Boating, motor
Boating, non-motor
Camping, tent
Camping, trailer
Fishing, boat
Fishing, shore
Hiking
Horseback riding
Hunting, big game
Hunting, upland game
Hunting, waterfowl
Nature study
Picnicking
Sightseeing
Skin and scuba diving
Swimming
Water skiing

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
		x		
	x	x	x	x
	x	x	x	x
	x	x	x	



OTHER

Safety Problems:

Group Facilities: Limited bus parking - group picnicking

REMARKS

The county expects to expand the picnic area in the future.

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Rogue River System Site No. 32
IV Area Priority A
Name Valley of Rogue State Park

Location 3 miles east of Rogue River, North Bank
T 36 S, R 4 W, Sec. 25 & 26 River Mile 114 County Jackson
Ownership: Public State Parks
Private _____ Tax Lot No. _____
Number of owners _____

DESCRIPTION

Land type Flat - sandy loam
Cover type Deciduous trees and mowed lawns
Road access Highway 5, Condition Good
High - winter
Flows Low - summer Water quality Good to fair in summer
Present stage of development Complete except for ramp repair

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: _____ Acres, _____ of frontage
Type of conveyance _____

Development:

Boat ramp: Type Concrete Number of lanes 1
Toilets _____ Trails _____ Roads _____
Parking area _____; For _____ cars or _____ car-trailer units
This site accommodates boat and bank anglers with almost a mile of frontage.
The present ramp is in disrepair but usable.

AREA IV

SITE # 32

FISHERY: Some boat angling for spring chinook and winter steelhead. Summer tourists that use the campgrounds bank angle for stocked trout.

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Heavy		Tr		
Medium	Sa		St	St
Light				

(Sa - Salmon, St - Steelhead, Tr - Trout, Sg - Sturgeon, Ww - Warm Water Fishes)

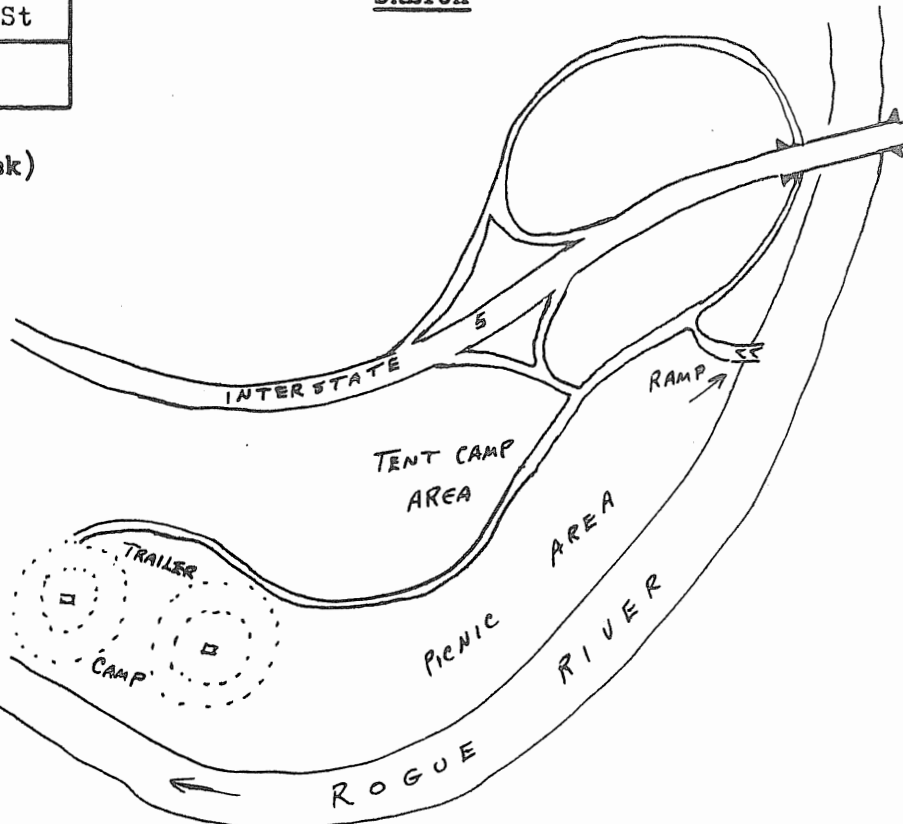
SKETCH

Seasons (Check)

RECREATION
(Check)

Boating, motor
Boating, non-motor
Camping, tent
Camping, trailer
Fishing, boat
Fishing, shore
Hiking
Horseback riding
Hunting, big game
Hunting, upland game
Hunting, waterfowl
Nature study
Picnicking
Sightseeing
Skin and scuba diving
Swimming
Water skiing

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
	X	X	X	
	X	X	X	
	X	X	X	X
	X	X	X	X
	X	X	X	
	X	X	X	
		X	X	



OTHER

Safety Problems:

Group Facilities: Picnicking, camping and bus parking.

REMARKS

This large state park has fee camping facilities for 100 trailer units and 20 tents. A large developed picnic area and modern toilets serve recreationists. During the summer, capacity crowds use the park. The asphalt ramp was destroyed by the 1964 flood, and needs to be replaced with concrete.

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Rogue River System Site No. 33
IV Area Priority C
Name Sardine Creek

Location 1 mile west of Gold Hill, North Bank
T 36 S, R 3 W, Sec. 17 River Mile 118 County Jackson

Ownership: Public State Highway
Private X Tax Lot No. 1800
Number of owners 2

DESCRIPTION

Land type Sloping
Cover type Brush and weeds
Road access Highway 99, Condition Good
High - winter
Flows Low - summer Water quality Good to fair in summer
Present stage of development None

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: Acres, 500 feet of frontage
Type of conveyance Easement

Development:

Boat ramp: Type Number of lanes
Toilets Trails X Roads
Parking area X; For 6 cars or car-trailer units
This site provides bank access on about 900 feet of frontage. The private
parcel is currently used by trespass.

SITE # 33

FISHERY: Boat angling for salmon and steelhead through this area. Bank
angling for summer steelhead and stocked trout.

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Heavy				
Medium	Sa	Tr	St	St
Light		St		

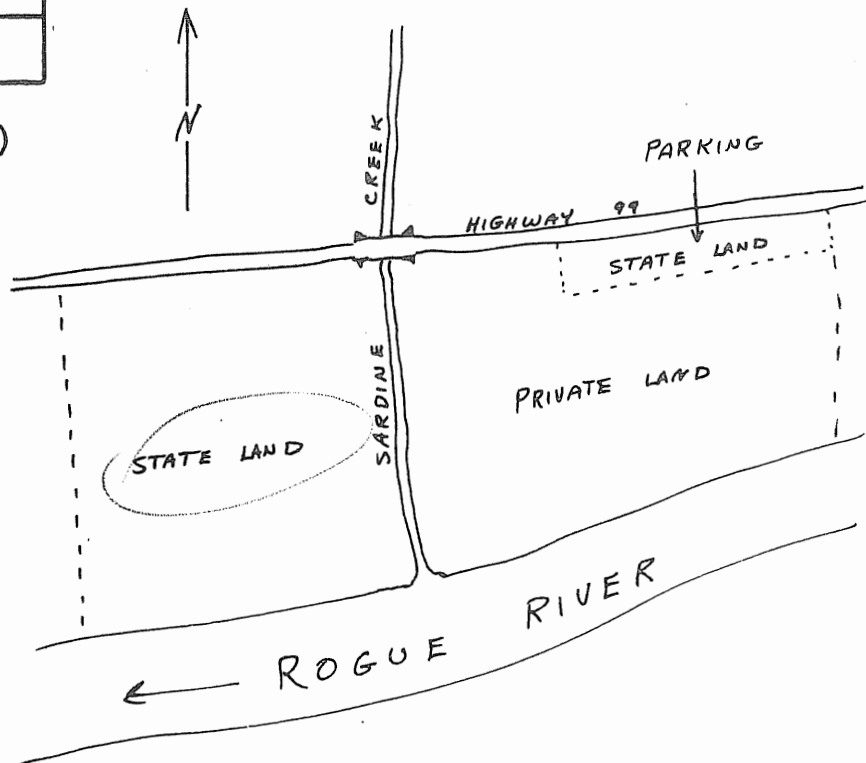
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Sg - Sturgeon, Ww - Warm Water Fishes)

SKETCH

Seasons (Check)

RECREATION
(Check)

Boating, motor
Boating, non-motor
Camping, tent
Camping, trailer
Fishing, boat
Fishing, shore
Hiking
Horseback riding
Hunting, big game
Hunting, upland game
Hunting, waterfowl
Nature study
Picnicking
Sightseeing
Skin and scuba diving
Swimming
Water skiing

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OTHER

Safety Problems:

Group Facilities:

REMARKS

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Rogue River System Site No. 34
IV Area Priority B
Name Lampman State Park

Location At Gold Hill, South Bank
T 36 S, R 3 W, Sec. 21 & 22 River Mile 119 County Jackson
Ownership: Public State Parks
Private _____ Tax Lot No. _____
Number of owners _____

DESCRIPTION

Land type Flat with steep banks into river
Cover type Mixed conifers and oak - brush and mowed lawns
Road access Highway 99, Condition Good
High - winter
Flows Low - summer Water quality Good to fair in summer
Present stage of development Fully developed picnic area

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: _____ Acres, _____ of frontage
Type of conveyance _____

Development:

Boat ramp: Type _____ Number of lanes _____
Toilets _____ Trails X Roads _____
Parking area _____; For _____ cars or _____ car-trailer units
This site provides a large picnic area and toilets. Ample parking and about
one mile of river frontage are available to bank anglers.

AREA IV

SITE # 34

FISHERY: Some boat angling for salmon and steelhead. Tourists bank angle for stocked trout.

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Heavy				
Medium		Tr	St	St
Light	Sa			

(Sa - Salmon, St - Steelhead, Tr - Trout, Sg - Sturgeon, Ww - Warm Water Fishes)

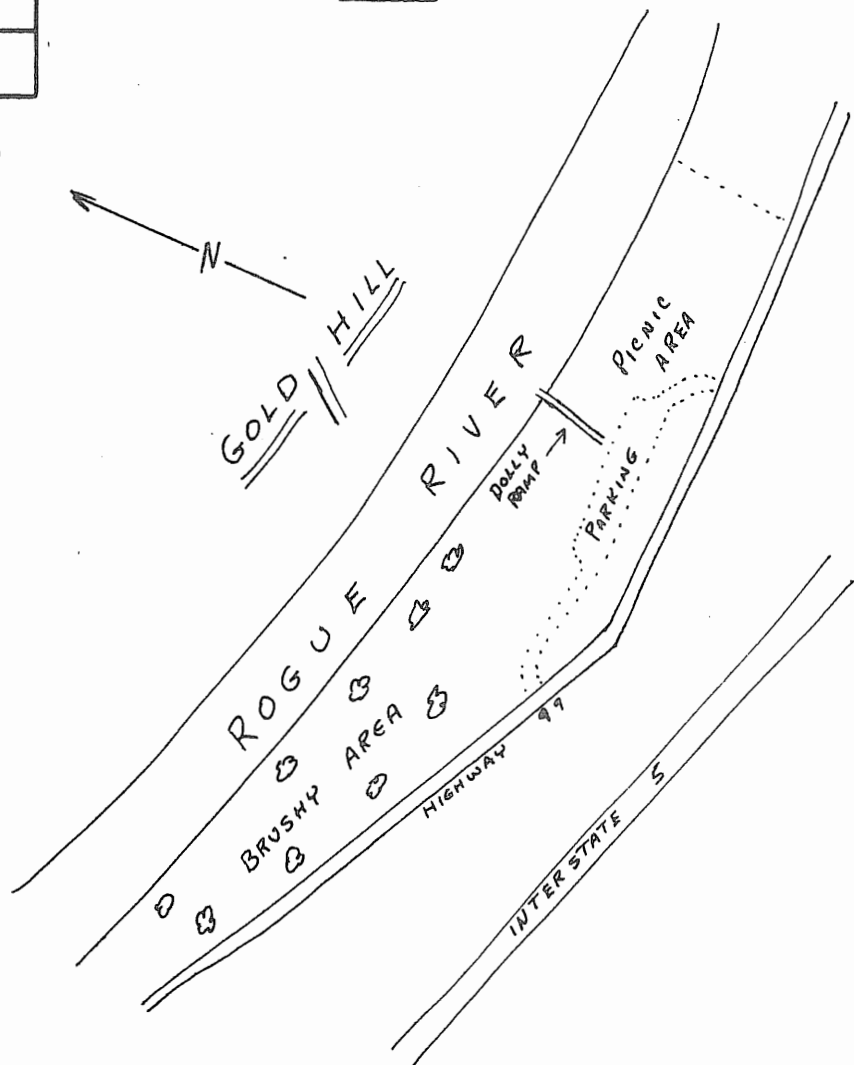
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Seasons (Check)

RECREATION
(Check)

Boating, motor
Boating, non-motor
Camping, tent
Camping, trailer
Fishing, boat
Fishing, shore
Hiking
Horseback riding
Hunting, big game
Hunting, upland game
Hunting, waterfowl
Nature study
Picnicking
Sightseeing
Skin and scuba diving
Swimming
Water skiing

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
	X	X	X	X
	X	X	X	X
	X	X	X	
	X	X	X	



OTHER

Safety Problems: Steep rocky banks

Group Facilities: Bus parking, group picnicking

REMARKS

Trails need to be developed throughout the property. A permanent rail and dolly boat launch was developed at this site, but it was quite steep and hard to operate by hand. The dolly has been removed.

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Rogue River System Site No. 35
IV Area Priority B
Name Gold Hill Bridge

Location In Gold Hill, North & South Bank
T 36 S, R 3 W, Sec. 22 River Mile 120 County Jackson
Ownership: Public Gold Hill - north bank
Private X Tax Lot No. 2300 on south bank
Number of owners 2

DESCRIPTION

Land type Sloping - sandy and rocky
Cover type Open with some pine on south bank
Road access Off Highway 99, Condition Good
High - winter
Flows Low - summer Water quality Good
Present stage of development Gravel road to river on north bank

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: 1 Acres, _____ of frontage
Type of conveyance Purchase

Development:

Boat ramp: Type Concrete Number of lanes 1
Toilets X Trails _____ Roads _____
Parking area X; For _____ cars or 15 car-trailer units
This site provides 200 feet of frontage for swimming and bank angling on the
north bank.

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Rogue River System Site No. 36
IV Area Priority A
Name Ideal Cement Power House

Location 1 mile north of Gold Hill, Northwest Bank
T 36 S, R 3 W, Sec. 15 River Mile 121 County Jackson

Ownership: Public
Private X Tax Lot No. #600 on north bank
Number of owners 1 #500 on south bank

DESCRIPTION

Land type Flat with broken areas of bedrock exposed
Cover type Brush and grass
Road access Highway 234 - County, Condition Good
Flows High - winter
Low - summer Water quality Good to fair in summer
Present stage of development None

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: 1 Acres, 1.5 miles of frontage
Purchase of 1 acre for ramp site
Type of conveyance easement for 1.5 miles bank angling

Development:

Boat ramp: Type Concrete ramp Number of lanes 1
Toilets X Trails Roads X
Parking area X; For cars or 20 car-trailer units

This site provides 1.5 miles of bank angler access without guarantee from
trespass at present.

SITE # 36

FISHERY: Lack of boat access restricts this area to bank angling. Fish sought
are spring chinook and both summer and winter steelhead.

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Heavy				
Medium	Tr Sa	Sa St	St	St
Light				

(Sa - Salmon, St - Steelhead, Tr - Trout,
Sg - Sturgeon, Ww - Warm Water Fishes)

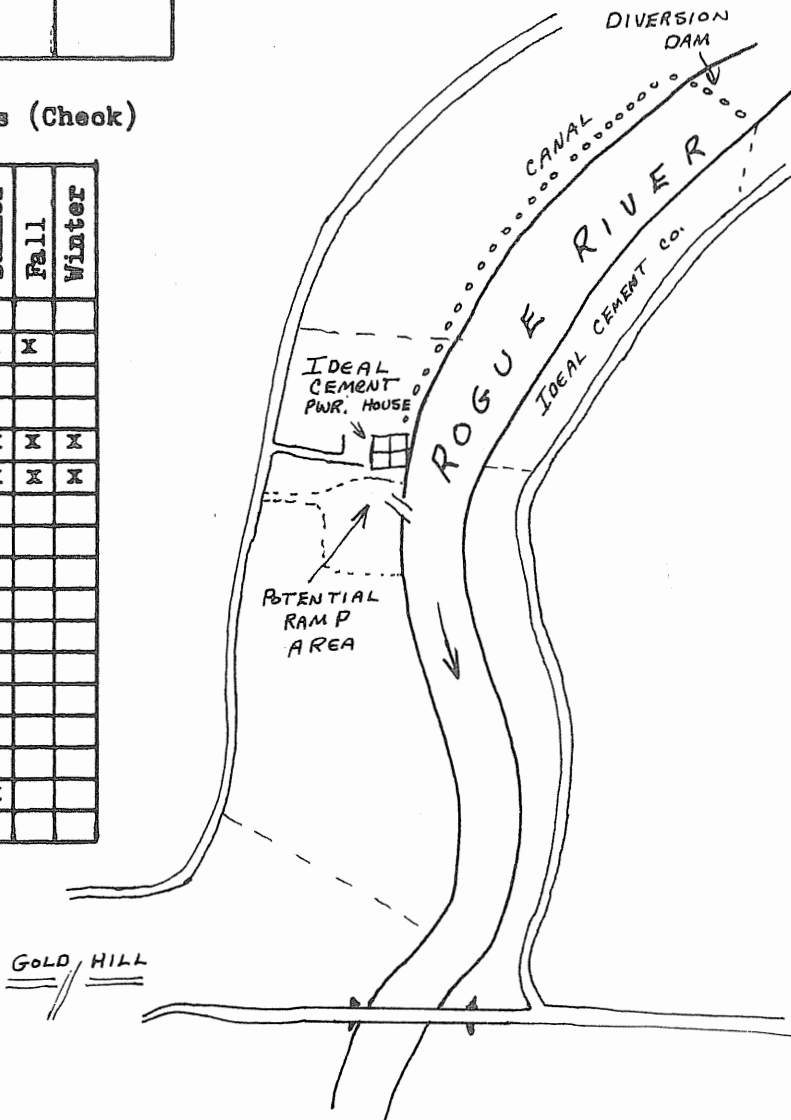
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Seasons (Check)

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RECREATION
(Check)

- Boating, motor
- Boating, non-motor
- Camping, tent
- Camping, trailer
- Fishing, boat
- Fishing, shore
- Hiking
- Horseback riding
- Hunting, big game
- Hunting, upland game
- Hunting, waterfowl
- Nature study
- Picnicking
- Sightseeing
- Skin and scuba diving
- Swimming
- Water skiing



OTHER

Safety Problems:

Group Facilities:

REMARKS A low diversion dam and broken rapids a short distance upstream prevent boating down from above. This site provides the most ideal point for ramp construction when considering bank characteristics and for access continuity. A second choice would be at Gold Hill Bridge one mile downstream. The river for 200 feet above and below the powerhouse is closed to angling because of a fish ladder.

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Rogue River System Site No. 37
IV Area Priority B
Name Gold Nugget Recreation Site

Location 3 miles north of Gold Hill, North Bank
T 36 S, R 3 W, Sec. 11 River Mile 122.5 County Jackson
Ownership: Public BLM
Private _____ Tax Lot No. _____
Number of owners _____

DESCRIPTION

Land type Flat to sloping - rocky
Cover type Mixed trees with much madrone - brush
Road access Highway 234, Condition Good
High - winter
Flows Low - summer Water quality Good to fair in summer
Present stage of development Picnic areas fully developed

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: _____ Acres, _____ of frontage
Type of conveyance _____

Development:

Boat ramp: Type Concrete Number of lanes 1
Toilets _____ Trails _____ Roads _____
Parking area X; For _____ cars or 10 car-trailer units
This site provides toilets and picnic sites with fire pits. Bank anglers
have about 3000 feet of frontage on the north bank and 600 feet
on the south bank.

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Rogue River System Site No. 38
IV Area Priority A
Name Gold Ray Area

Location 5 miles east of Gold Hill, South Bank
T 36 S, R 3 W, Sec. 12 & 13 River Mile 125 County Jackson
Ownership: Public BLM, private and county
Private X Tax Lot No. # 500
Number of owners 3

DESCRIPTION

Land type Sloping and rocky in places
Cover type Mixed trees and scattered brush
Road access County, Condition Poor - dirt
High - winter
Flows Low - summer Water quality Good - to fair in summer
Present stage of development None

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: _____ Acres, 1 mile of frontage
Type of conveyance Purchase and agreement

Development:

Boat ramp: Type Concrete Number of lanes 1
Toilets X Trails _____ Roads X
Parking area X; For _____ cars or 10 car-trailer units
This site is presently used by bank anglers by trespass on that parcel which
is private.

AREA IV

SITE # 38

FISHERY: Primarily a bank fishery for spring chinook and trout in the past.

Winter steelhead has just been opened and boat angling will develop as

access is gained.

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Heavy				
Medium	Tr	Tr, St Sa	St	St
Light	Sa			

(Sa - Salmon, St - Steelhead, Tr - Trout,
Sg - Sturgeon, Ww - Warm Water Fishes)

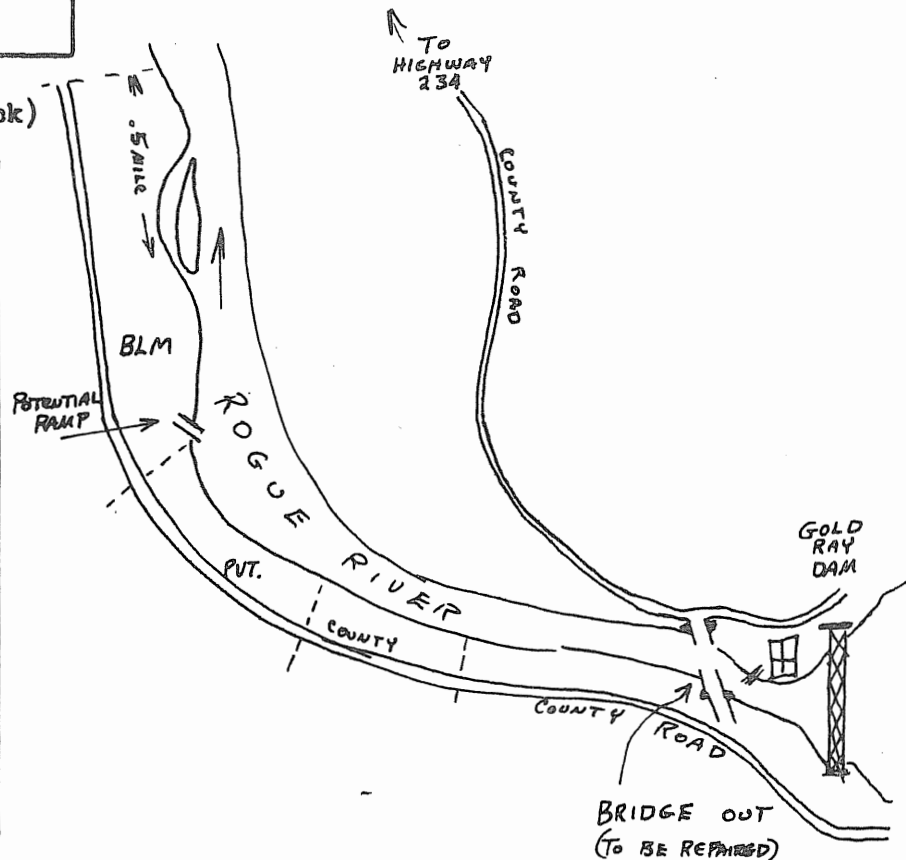
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Seasons (Check)

RECREATION (Check)

- Boating, motor
- Boating, non-motor
- Camping, tent
- Camping, trailer
- Fishing, boat
- Fishing, shore
- Hiking
- Horseback riding
- Hunting, big game
- Hunting, upland game
- Hunting, waterfowl
- * Nature study
- Picnicking
- ** Sightseeing
- Skin and scuba diving
- Swimming
- Water skiing
- * Bird watching
- ** Jumping fish at dam

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
		X	X	
	X	X	X	
	X	X	X	X
	X	X	X	X
		X	X	
			X	X
			X	
*	X		X	
		X	X	
**	X	X	X	
		X	X	



OTHER

Safety Problems: Swift water in places

Group Facilities:

REMARKS The potential for this area from Medford recreationists is very high. With the newly opened winter steelhead fishery and the attraction of fish jumping at the ladder this area can be expected to receive maximum use in the near future. The BLM parcel has potential for a picnic area and development of about 10 camping sites. The boat ramp site would provide a valuable float fishery for 2.5 miles downstream to the proposed Gold Nugget take-out ramp.

ROGUE RIVER

AREA V

Area V covers the Rogue River from Gold Ray Dam to the upper end of the proposed Lost Creek impoundment (river mile 168). The proposed Elk Creek impoundment is also included in this section.

Gold Ray Reservoir at the lower end of this area is about one mile long and is utilized as a hydroelectric facility. The dam has been laddered to pass migrating fish and the reservoir contains a warm-water fishery. Angling access has been severely limited in the past as private land surrounds the reservoir and owners have resisted efforts to provide public access into the backwaters. Two potential sites have been examined for boat access on the reservoir. While either of these sites would provide the needed access, Site No. 2 is recommended as the better location.

The 42 miles of river in Area V pass through timbered hills and bottom lands. The gradient is moderate with enough white water rapids to require experience of those who boat the area. Angler access is adequate in some sections with six public boat ramps provided at varying intervals. Four additional ramps have been recommended at prospective park sites, and where long sections of river would be better served with intermediate access. Four sites have been recommended for acquisition to provide or assure popular bank angling access.

The river fishery is heaviest during the spring chinook salmon migration which peaks in June. Boat and bank anglers crowd the river for these large fish. Trout angling opens with heavy early pressure but levels off to moderate bank angling at a few popular sites. This fishery is sustained by the stocking of 25,000 legal trout through the area. Summer

steelhead provide a light fishery during the late summer months.

Lost Creek and Elk Creek impoundments are nearing the construction phase of their respective projects and both will be large multipurpose structures without fish passage facilities. A large hatchery is planned just downstream from Lost Creek dam to mitigate the loss of fish rearing resources blocked by these high dams.

Water access and recreation are a part of the overall development program on these impoundments and will be outlined only briefly in the evaluation section of this report.

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Rogue River System Site No. 1
V Area Priority A
Name Gold Ray Dam

Location 3 miles due east of Gold Hill, North Bank
T 36 S, R 2 W, Sec. 18 River Mile 126 County Jackson
Ownership: Public

Private X Tax Lot No. 100, 300
Number of owners 2

DESCRIPTION

Land type Sloping - rocky soil
Cover type Brush and grass
Road access Private road, Condition Fair - dirt
Flows Gold Ray backwater Water quality Good to fair in summer
Present stage of development Road near reservoir

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: 1 Acres, _____ of frontage
Type of conveyance Purchase for ramp development

Development:

Boat ramp: Type Concrete Number of lanes 1
Toilets X Trails _____ Roads _____
Parking area X; For _____ cars or 10 car-trailer units

This site is presently closed to the public because a power transformer
yard exists near the site and no launching site has been developed.

SITE # 1

FISHERY: A light boat fishery exists in the reservoir for warm-water game fish
at present. Salmon and steelhead are available in the river above the
reservoir.

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Heavy				
Medium				
Light	Ww	Ww	Ww	

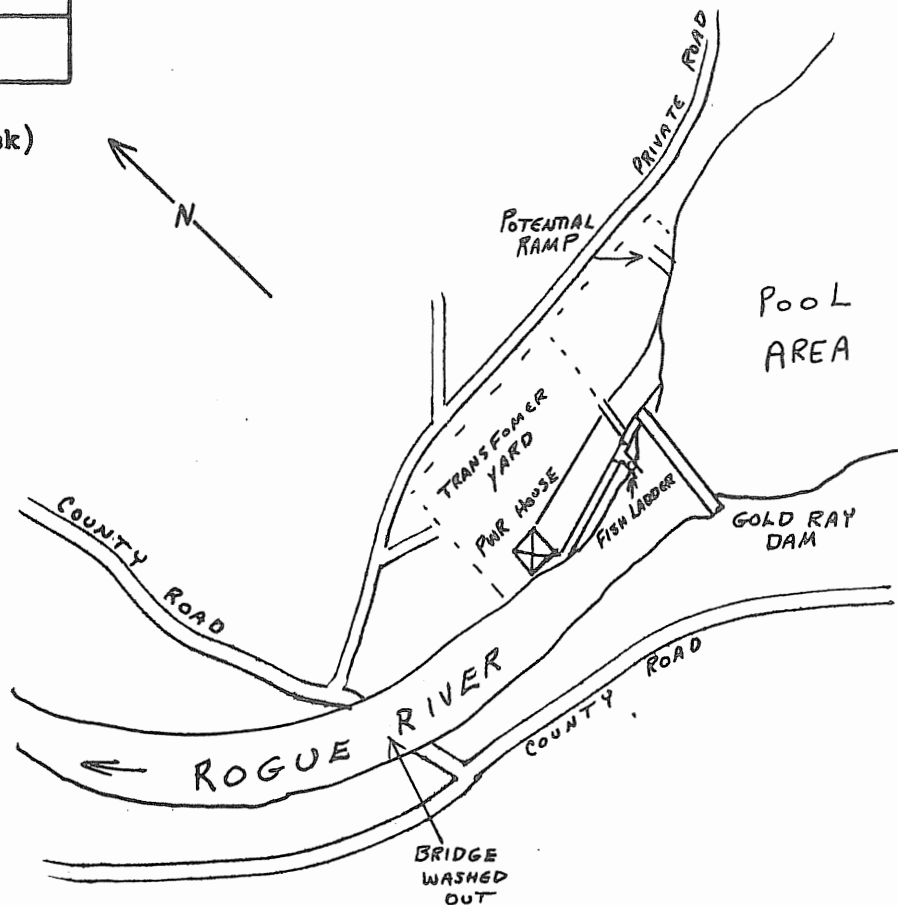
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Sg - Sturgeon, Ww - Warm Water Fishes)

SKETCH

Seasons (Check)

RECREATION
(Check)

<u>RECREATION</u> (Check)		Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Boating, motor		X	X	X	
Boating, non-motor			X		
Camping, tent					
Camping, trailer					
Fishing, boat		X	X	X	
Fishing, shore					
Hiking					
Horseback riding					
Hunting, big game					
Hunting, upland game					
Hunting, waterfowl					
Nature study					
Picnicking					
Sightseeing					
Skin and scuba diving					
Swimming					
Water skiing			X	X	



OTHER

Safety Problems: 20-foot falls over dam

REMARKS The power company owning this site has indicated a willingness to cooperate on boat access at this point in the past. Past efforts by the Game Commission to gain access in this area were restricted by private ownership of the road to the highway, which now belongs to the county.

A boat landing in this area would provide access to the warm-water fishery on the reservoir and provide a take-out point for drift boaters utilizing the 3.5 miles of river below Bybee bridge.

The washed out bridge below Gold Ray dam will be replaced in the future providing access from the south bank roads.

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Rogue River System Site No. 2
V Area Priority A
Name Gold Ray Pool

Location 1 mile east of Gold Ray dam, South Bank
T 36 S, R 2 W, Sec. 17 River Mile 127 County Jackson
Ownership: Public Oregon Game Commission
Private X Tax Lot No. #100 (Road access)
Number of owners 1

DESCRIPTION

Land type Flat
Cover type Mixed trees and brush
Road access None, Condition _____
Flows Gold Ray backwater Water quality Good to fair in summer
Present stage of development None

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: _____ Acres, _____ of frontage
Type of conveyance Easement for road to state property

Development:

Boat ramp: Type Concrete Number of lanes 1
Toilets X Trails X Roads X
Parking area X; For _____ cars or 10 car-trailer units

This site is not accessible to the public at present. It is the better of
two potential sites that could provide much needed access into the Gold
Ray backwater.

AREA V

SITE # 2

FISHERY: A light boat fishery exists in the reservoir for warm-water game fish.

Drift boat anglers from upstream would use the site as a boat landing.

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Heavy				
Medium				
Light		Ww	Ww	

(Sa - Salmon, St - Steelhead, Tr - Trout,
Sg - Sturgeon, Ww - Warm Water Fishes)

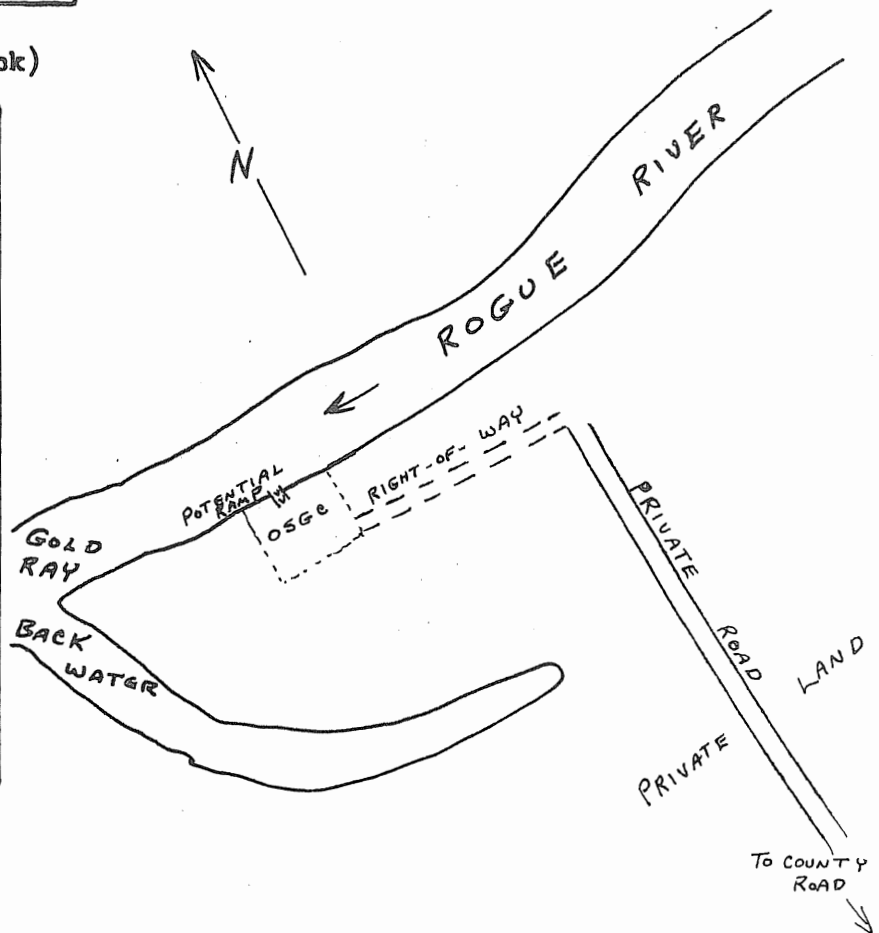
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Seasons (Check)

RECREATION
(Check)

- Boating, motor
- Boating, non-motor
- Camping, tent
- Camping, trailer
- Fishing, boat
- Fishing, shore
- Hiking
- Horseback riding
- Hunting, big game
- Hunting, upland game
- Hunting, waterfowl
- * Nature study
- Picnicking
- Sightseeing
- Skin and scuba diving
- Swimming
- Water skiing
- * Bird watching

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Boating, motor	X	X	X	
Boating, non-motor	X	X	X	
Camping, tent				
Camping, trailer				
Fishing, boat	X	X	X	
Fishing, shore	X	X	X	
Hiking				
Horseback riding				
Hunting, big game				
Hunting, upland game				
Hunting, waterfowl			X	X
* Nature study	X	X	X	
Picnicking				
Sightseeing				
Skin and scuba diving				
Swimming				
Water skiing	X	X		
* Bird watching				



OTHER

Safety Problems:

Group Facilities:

REMARKS

An acre of land and a right-of-way to a private road was donated to the Oregon Game Commission several years ago. Efforts to date have failed to gain easement over this private road to the site, as land-owners in the area have had difficulty with public trespass and prefer to keep the public out of the area.

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Rogue River System Site No. 3
V Area Priority A *
Name State Gravel Quarry

Location 2 miles upstream from Gold Ray dam, South Bank
T 36 S, R 2 W, Sec. 16 River Mile 128 County Jackson
Ownership: Public State Highway # 2200
Private X Tax Lot No. #500 (Road easement)
Number of owners 1

DESCRIPTION

Land type Sloping - rocky soil
Cover type Deciduous trees and scattered brush
Road access Private, Condition Fair - gravel
High - winter
Flows Low - summer Water quality Good to fair in summer
Present stage of development Gravel road to the river

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: _____ Acres, _____ of frontage
Type of conveyance Road easement to state land for public use

Development:

Boat ramp: Type Concrete Number of lanes 1
Toilets X Trails _____ Roads _____
Parking area X; For _____ cars or 15 car-trailer units

This site could provide bank angling and open up 3.5 miles of the river to
drift boat anglers if access is gained and a ramp developed.

SITE # 3

FISHERY: Light steelhead and salmon fishery for the few anglers that have access
into the area.

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Heavy				
Medium				
Light	Sa Tr	Sa Tr St	St	

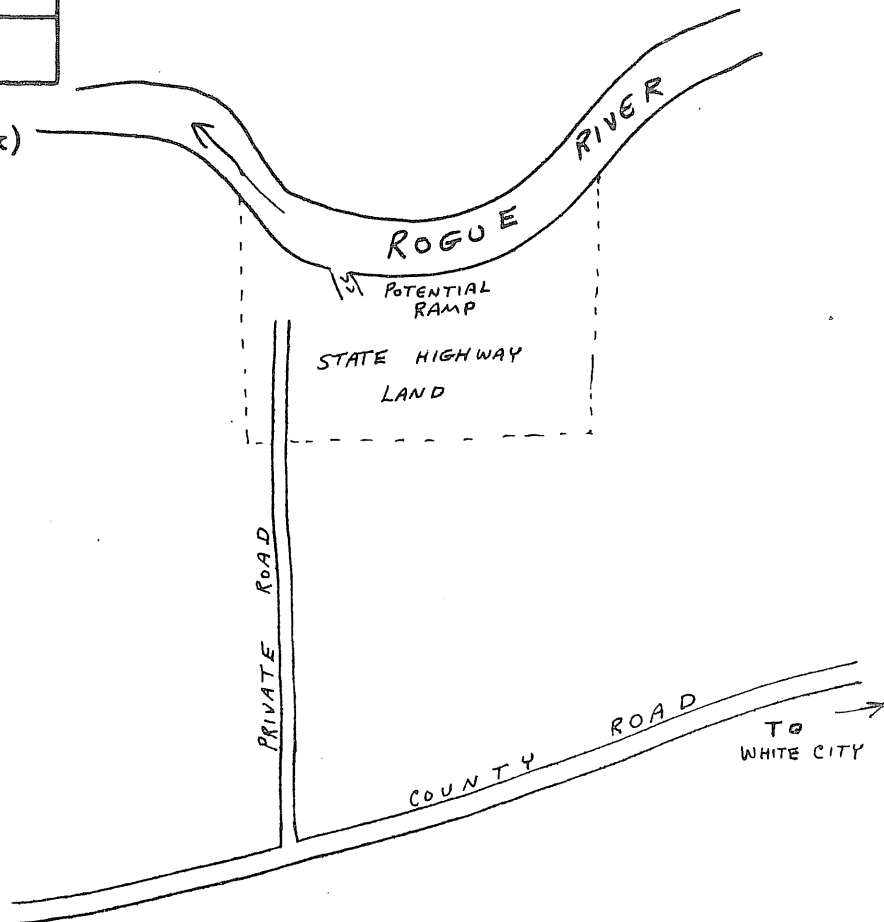
(Sa - Salmon, St - Steelhead, Tr - Trout,
Sg - Sturgeon, Ww - Warm Water Fishes)

SKETCH

Seasons (Check)

RECREATION
(Check)

- Boating, motor
- Boating, non-motor
- Camping, tent
- Camping, trailer
- Fishing, boat
- Fishing, shore
- Hiking
- Horseback riding
- Hunting, big game
- Hunting, upland game
- Hunting, waterfowl
- Nature study
- Picnicking
- Sightseeing
- Skin and scuba diving
- Swimming
- Water skiing

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OTHER

Safety Problems:

Group Facilities:

REMARKS The state owns about 40 acres, (1300 feet of frontage), which is used for gravel removal. The existing road across private land precludes public use. An easement clause stipulates that a gate be locked when the state is not using the road.

* THIS PRIORITY would be reduced if a boat ramp is developed on Gold Ray reservoir.

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Rogue River System Site No. 4
V Area Priority B
Name High Banks

Location 2.5 miles upstream from Gold Ray Dam, South Bank
T 36S, R 2W, Sec. 15-16 River Mile 129 County Jackson
Ownership: Public _____
Private X Tax Lot No. 1000, 700
Number of owners 1

DESCRIPTION

Land type Rolling pasture land - high sloping river bank
Cover type Groves of deciduous trees and brush - grass
Road access Private, Condition Fair - gravel
High - winter
Flows Low - summer Water quality Good to fair in summer
Present stage of development Gravel road to river bank

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: _____ Acres, 6,000 feet of frontage
Type of conveyance Easement for bank angling

Development:

Boat ramp: Type _____ Number of lanes _____
Toilets _____ Trails _____ Roads _____
Parking area _____; For _____ cars or _____ car-trailer units
This site has over a mile of river frontage. A few anglers gain access
by permission.

SITE # 4

FISHERY: Bank angling for trout and steelhead is preferred in this area.

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Heavy				
Medium	Sa	Sa Tr		
Light	Tr	St	St	

(Sa - Salmon, St - Steelhead, Tr - Trout,
Sg - Sturgeon, Ww - Warm Water Fishes)

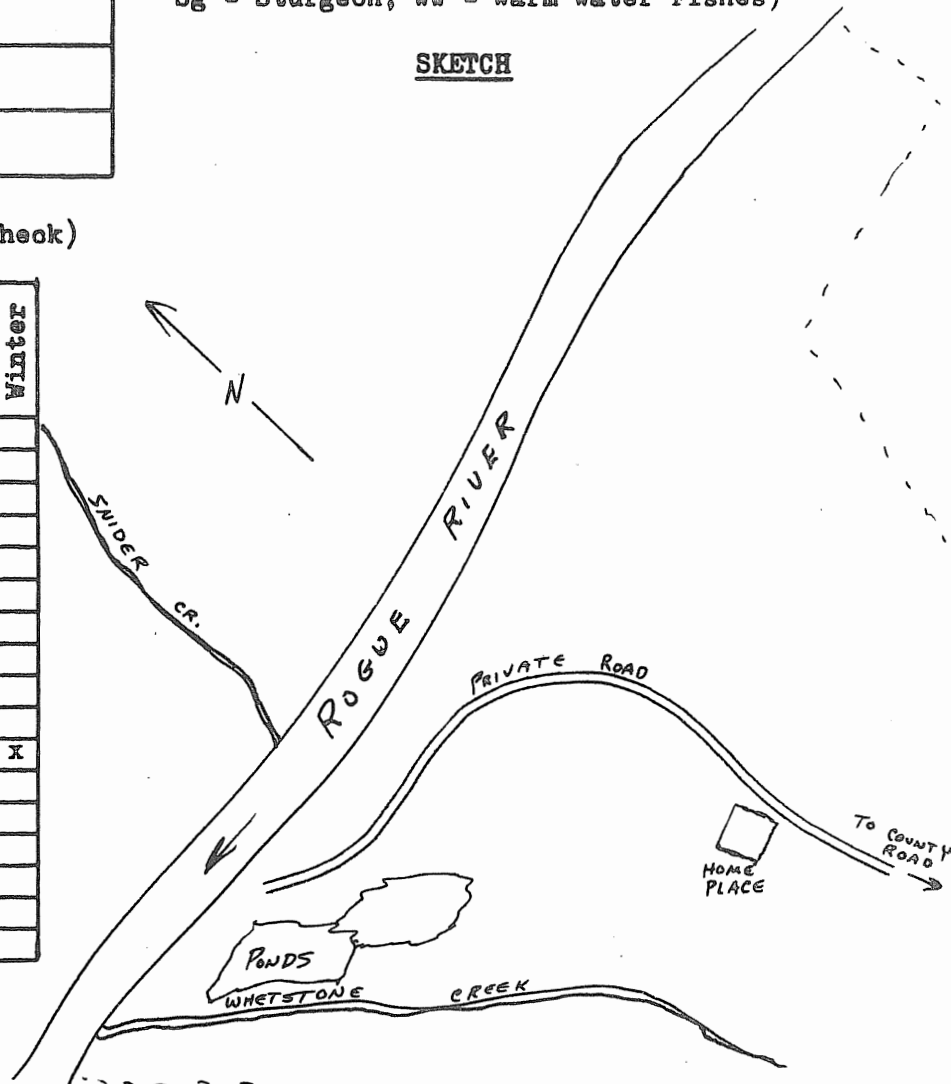
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Seasons (Check)

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RECREATION
(Check)

- Boating, motor
- Boating, non-motor
- Camping, tent
- Camping, trailer
- Fishing, boat
- Fishing, shore
- Hiking
- Horseback riding
- Hunting, big game
- Hunting, upland game
- Hunting, waterfowl
- Nature study
- Picnicking
- Sightseeing
- Skin and scuba diving
- Swimming
- Water skiing



OTHER

Safety Problems:

Group Facilities:

REMARKS A Medford company is buying and removing gravel from this area.

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Rogue River System Site No. 5
V Area Priority B
Name Medford Sewage Plant

Location One-half mile west of Bybee bridge, South Bank
T 36S, R 2W, Sec. 14 River Mile 130.5 County Jackson
Ownership: Public City of Medford
Private _____ Tax Lot No. 800
Number of owners 1

DESCRIPTION

Land type Rolling pasture land
Cover type Grass with stream side deciduous trees
Road access County road, Condition Fair - gravel
High - winter
Flows Low - summer Water quality Good to fair in summer
Present stage of development Gravel road to river bank at one point

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: _____ Acres, 5,000 feet _____ of frontage
Type of conveyance Agreement for bank access


Development:

Boat ramp: Type _____ Number of lanes _____
Toilets _____ Trails _____ Roads _____
Parking area _____; For _____ cars or _____ car-trailer units
This site provides bank angling access to portions of the property at
present.

SITE # 5

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Heavy				
Medium	Sa	Tr	St	
Light	Tr	Sa		

(Sa - Salmon, St - Steelhead, Tr - Trout, Sg - Sturgeon, Ww - Warm Water Fishes)

SKETCH 

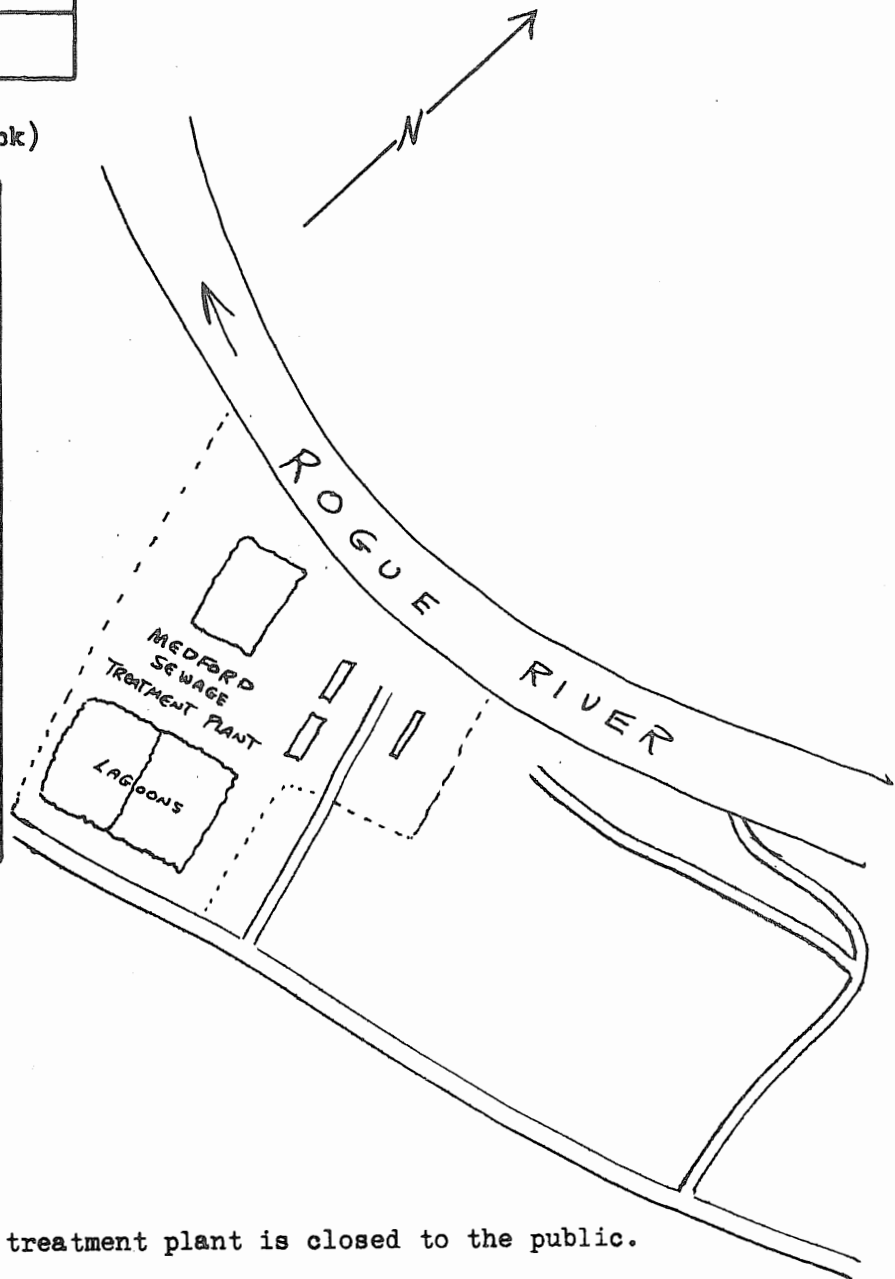
Seasons (Check)

Boating, motor
Boating, non-motor
Camping, tent
Camping, trailer
Fishing, boat
Fishing, shore
Hiking
Horseback riding
Hunting, big game
Hunting, upland game
Hunting, waterfowl
Nature study
Picnicking
Sightseeing
Skin and scuba diving
Swimming
Water skiing

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Group Facilities:

REMARKS The area close to the treatment plant is closed to the public.



WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Rogue River System Site No. 6
V Area Priority Complete
Name Tou Vell State Park

Location 2 miles west of White City, North and South Bank
T 36S, R 2W, Sec. 13 River Mile 131.5 County Jackson
Ownership: Public State parks

Private _____ Tax Lot No. _____
Number of owners 1

DESCRIPTION

Land type Flat
Cover type Mixed deciduous trees and grass
Road access County road, Condition Good - paved
High - winter
Flows Low - summer Water quality Good to fair in summer
Present stage of development Complete day-use park

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: _____ Acres, _____ of frontage
Type of conveyance _____

Development:

Boat ramp: Type _____ Number of lanes _____
Toilets _____ Trails _____ Roads _____
Parking area _____; For _____ cars or _____ car-trailer units
This site provides access to .5 mile of frontage and boat launching.

AREA V

SITE # 6

FISHERY: Boat and bank angling for salmon and steelhead. A heavy bank angling pressure from the park for trout stocked in this area.

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Heavy	Sa Tr	Tr		
Medium		St Sa		
Light			St Tr	

(Sa - Salmon, St - Steelhead, Tr - Trout, Sg - Sturgeon, Ww - Warm Water Fishes)

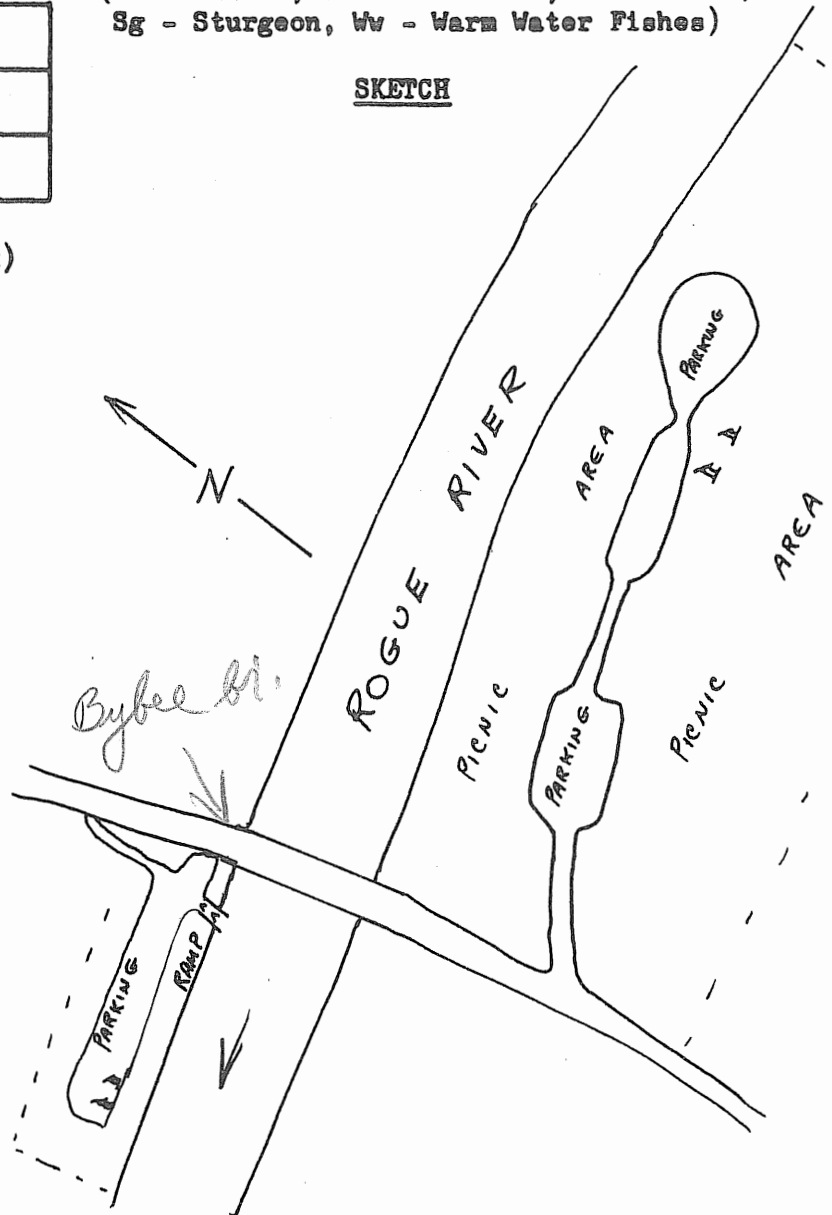
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Seasons (Check)

RECREATION
(Check)

Boating, motor
Boating, non-motor
Camping, tent
Camping, trailer
Fishing, boat
Fishing, shore
Hiking
Horseback riding
Hunting, big game
Hunting, upland game
Hunting, waterfowl
Nature study
Picnicking
Sightseeing
Skin and scuba diving
Swimming
Water skiing

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
	X	X	X	
	X	X	X	
	X	X	X	
	X	X	X	
	X	X	X	
		X	X	



OTHER

Safety Problems:

Group Facilities: Picnicking, parking of buses.

REMARKS This is a well developed public park. No overnight camping is permitted at the park. An asphalt ramp has been provided below the bridge on the opposite bank. The ramp is a popular swimming area during the summer.

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Rogue River System Site No. 7
V Area Priority Complete
Name Ken Denman Management Area

Location 2 miles northwest of White City, North and south banks
T 36 S, R 2 W, Sec. 12 & 13 River Mile 132 County Jackson
Ownership: Public Oregon Game Commission
Private _____ Tax Lot No. _____
Number of owners 1

DESCRIPTION

Land type Rolling to flat - sandy loam
Cover type Deciduous wood lot and grass lands
Road access State road, Condition Good - graveled
High - winter
Flows Low - summer Water quality Good to fair in summer
Present stage of development Complete for angler day use

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: _____ Acres, _____ of frontage
Type of conveyance _____

Development:

Boat ramp: Type _____ Number of lanes _____
Toilets _____ Trails _____ Roads _____
Parking area _____; For _____ cars or _____ car-trailer units
This site provides bank angling on the river and Little Butte Creek in the
management area.

AREA V

SITE # 7

FISHERY: Bank angling for salmon steelhead and trout is popular on the river.

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Heavy	Tr	Tr		
Medium	Sa	St Sa	St	
Light			Tr	

(Sa - Salmon, St - Steelhead, Tr - Trout,
Sg - Sturgeon, Ww - Warm Water Fishes)

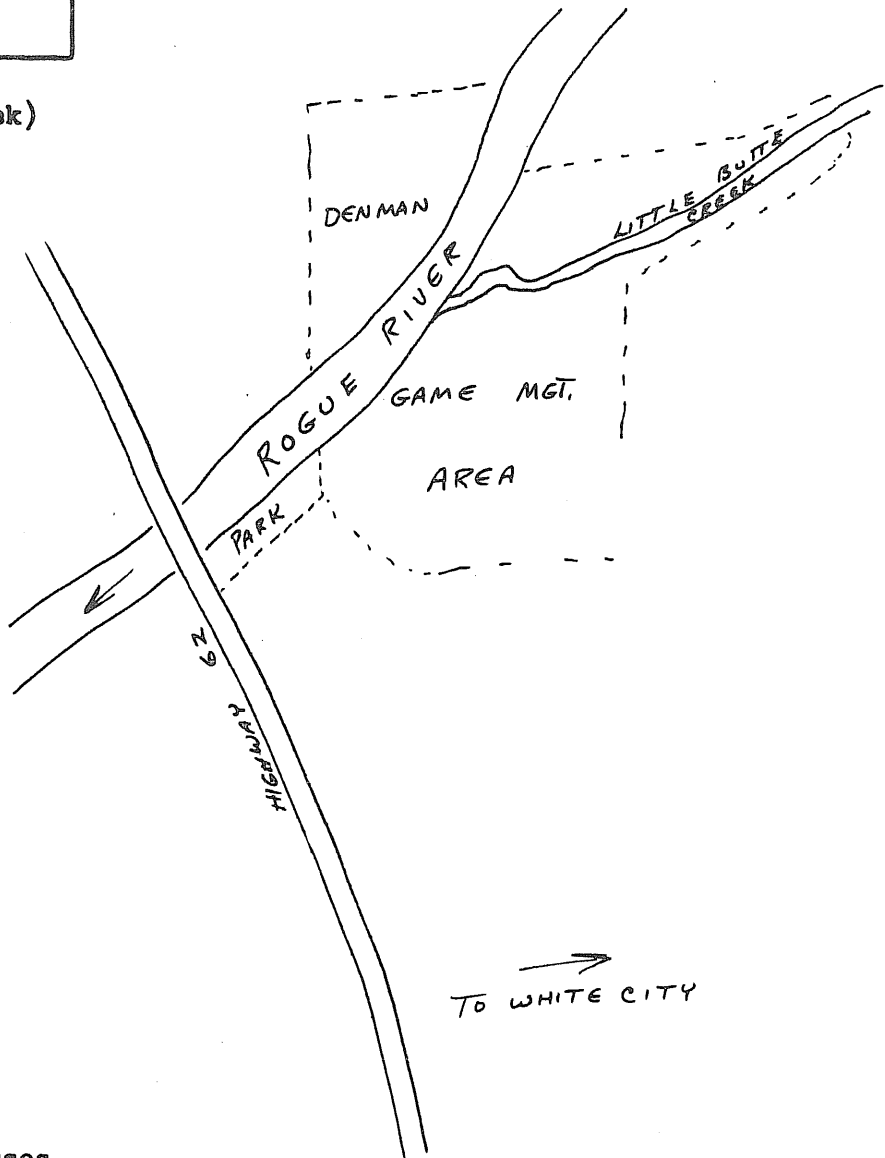
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Seasons (Check)

RECREATION
(Check)

- Boating, motor
- Boating, non-motor
- Camping, tent
- Camping, trailer
- Fishing, boat
- Fishing, shore
- Hiking
- Horseback riding
- Hunting, big game
- Hunting, upland game
- Hunting, waterfowl
- * Nature study
- Picnicking
- ** Sightseeing
- Skin and scuba diving
- Swimming
- Water skiing
- * Biology - school groups
- ** Rock hounding

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
		X		
	X	X	X	
	X	X	X	X
		X	X	
	X	X	X	
			X	
			X	
	X	X	X	X
		X	X	
		X	X	



OTHER

Safety Problems:

Group Facilities: Parking for buses.

REMARKS The area is used extensively for upland bird hunting, dog training and trials, deer hunting, and angling.

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Rogue River System Site No. 8
V Area Priority B
Name Dodge Bridge Landing

Location 4 miles northwest of Eagle Point, North Bank
T 35 S, R 1 W, Sec. 17 River Mile 139 County Jackson

Ownership: Public Oregon Game Commission
Private _____ Tax Lot No. _____
Number of owners _____

DESCRIPTION

Land type Flat
Cover type Deciduous brush and trees
Road access Jackson County, Condition Good
High - winter
Flows Low - summer Water quality Good
Present stage of development Complete for angler day use at present.

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: _____ Acres, _____ of frontage
Type of conveyance _____

Development:

Boat ramp: Type _____ Number of lanes _____
Toilets _____ Trails _____ Roads _____
Parking area X; For _____ cars or 20 car-trailer units

This site provides limited picnicking and parking at present. A concrete
ramp is heavily used by drift boaters in the area.

AREA V

SITE # 8

FISHERY: This site provides boat access for a heavy spring chinook fishery.

Bank access provides for a fishery on stocked rainbow trout.

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Heavy	Sa	Tr Sa		
Medium				
Light		St	St	

(Sa - Salmon, St - Steelhead, Tr - Trout,
Sg - Sturgeon, Ww - Warm Water Fishes)

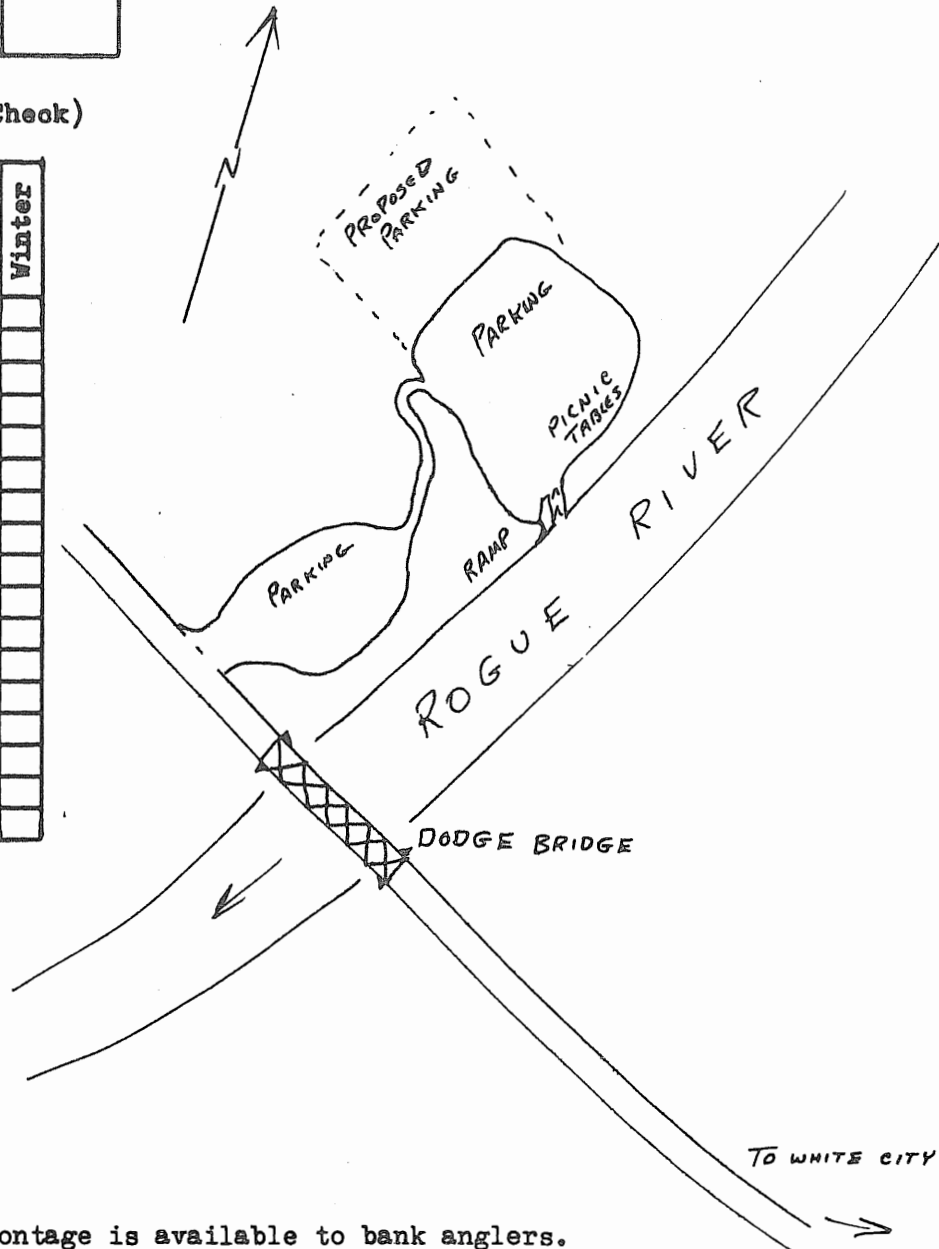
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Seasons (Check)

RECREATION
(Check)

Boating, motor
Boating, non-motor
Camping, tent
Camping, trailer
Fishing, boat
Fishing, shore
Hiking
Horseback riding
Hunting, big game
Hunting, upland game
Hunting, waterfowl
Nature study
Picnicking
Sightseeing
Skin and scuba diving
Swimming
Water skiing

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
		x		
		x		
	x	x		
	x	x	x	
	x	x		
		x		



OTHER

Safety Problems:

Group Facilities:

REMARKS

About 600 feet of frontage is available to bank anglers.
The county plans to acquire another acre for parking back
from the river.

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Rogue River System Site No. 9
V Area Priority A
Name Takelma Park

Location 4 miles south of Shady Cove, North Bank
T 34 S, R 1 W, Sec. 32 & 33 River Mile 142 County Jackson
Ownership: Public Jackson County
Private X Tax Lot No. 100
Number of owners 2

DESCRIPTION

Land type Sloping to flat at the river
Cover type Mixed coniferous and deciduous trees - tangled brush
Road access County Rogue River Drive, Condition Good - paved
High - winter
Flows Low - summer Water quality Good
Present stage of development Rough road into river

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: 5 Acres, _____ of frontage
Type of conveyance Purchase remaining frontage to go with park

Development:

Boat ramp: Type Concrete Number of lanes 1
Toilets X Trails X Roads X
Parking area X; For _____ cars or 15 car-trailer units
This site provides about 900 feet of river frontage for bank angling at
present.

AREA V

SITE # 9

FISHERY: Drift boats use the river through this area and some spring chinook bank angling is enjoyed here.

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Heavy	Sa	Sa		
Medium				
Light	Tr	St	St	

(Sa - Salmon, St - Steelhead, Tr - Trout, Sg - Sturgeon, Ww - Warm Water Fishes)

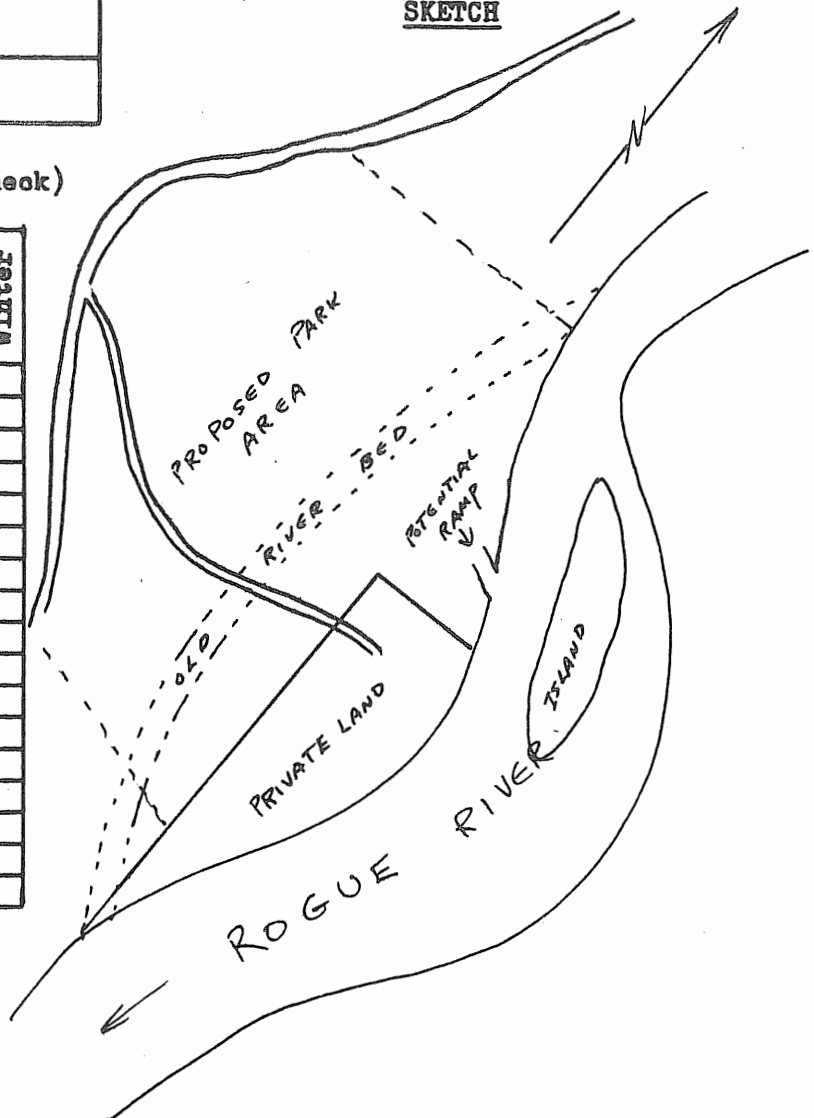
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Seasons (Check)

RECREATION
(Check)

- Boating, motor
- Boating, non-motor
- Camping, tent
- Camping, trailer
- Fishing, boat
- Fishing, shore
- Hiking
- Horseback riding
- Hunting, big game
- Hunting, upland game
- Hunting, waterfowl
- * Nature study
- Picnicking
- Sightseeing
- Skin and scuba diving
- Swimming
- Water skiing
- * Bird watching

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
	X	X	X	
	X	X		
	X	X	X	
		X	X	
	X	X	X	
	X	X	X	
		X	X	



OTHER

Safety Problems:

Group Facilities: Bus parking, group camping and picnicking.

REMARKS The county plans to develop about 30 acres of this area into a camping park with boat ramp and picnic facilities. Flood waters have left piles of debris in part of this area. The private parcel contains about 1,000 feet of frontage.

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Rogue River System Site No. 10
V Area Priority B
Name Long Creek Area

Location 1.5 mile south of Shady Cove, South Bank
T 34 S, R 1 W, Sec. 21 River Mile 144.5 County Jackson
Ownership: Public State highway
Private Tax Lot No.
Number of owners

DESCRIPTION

Land type Flat - sandy loam with gravel banks
Cover type Deciduous trees with willow thickets and grass
Road access Off Highway 62, Condition Good - paved
High - winter
Flows Low - summer Water quality Good
Present stage of development Dirt road through area to river bank

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: 20 Acres, of frontage
Type of conveyance Agreement for park development

Development:

Boat ramp: Type Concrete Number of lanes 1
Toilets X Trails Roads X
Parking area X; For cars or 10 car-trailer units
This site provides 2,200 feet of river frontage for bank angling at present.

AREA V

SITE # 10

FISHERY: Boat and bank anglers prefer the "Betts Hole" area for spring chinook angling. Shallow wading riffles are available for trout and summer steelhead angling.

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Heavy	Sa	Sa		
Medium		St	St	
Light	Tr	Tr	Tr	

(Sa - Salmon, St - Steelhead, Tr - Trout, Sg - Sturgeon, Ww - Warm Water Fishes)

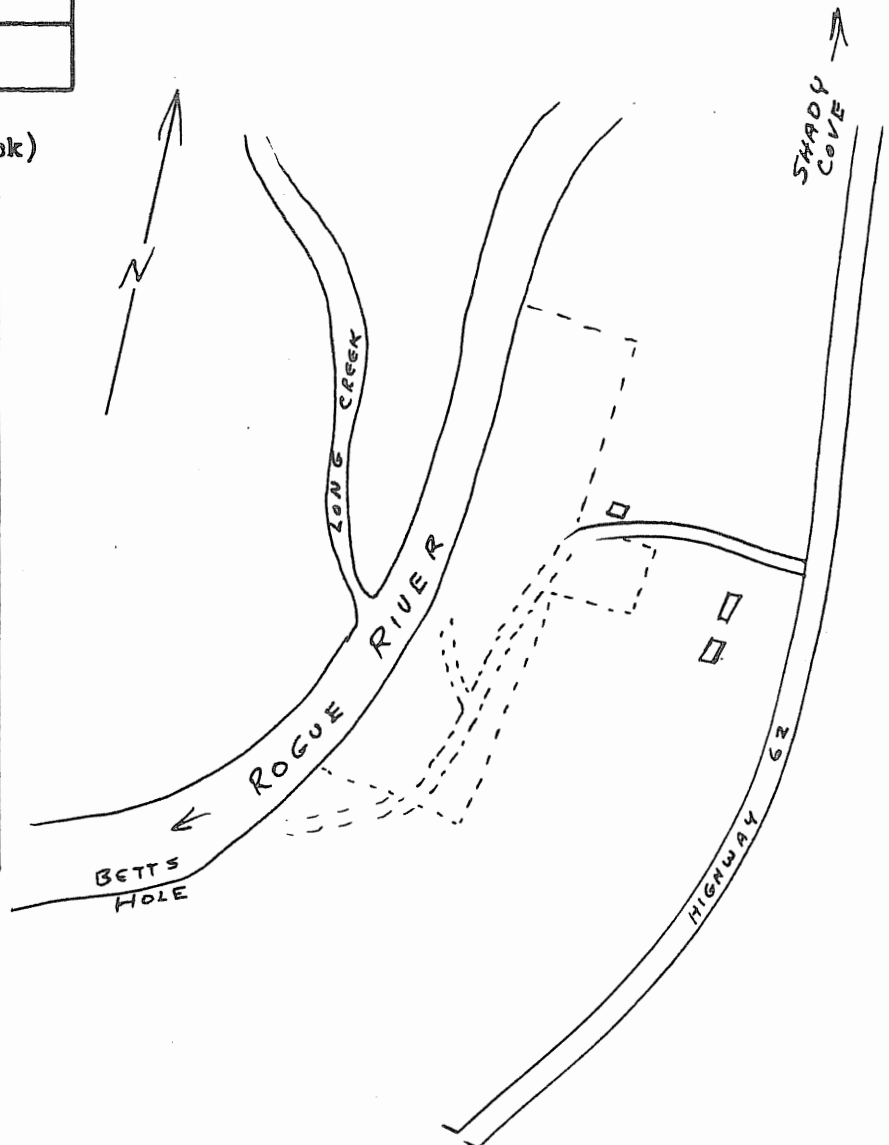
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Seasons (Check)

RECREATION
(Check)

Boating, motor
Boating, non-motor
Camping, tent
Camping, trailer
Fishing, boat
Fishing, shore
Hiking
Horseback riding
Hunting, big game
Hunting, upland game
Hunting, waterfowl
Nature study
Picnicking
Sightseeing
Skin and scuba diving
Swimming
Water skiing

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
	X	X	X	
	X	X	X	
	X	X	X	
	X	X	X	
		X		
	X	X	X	
		X		



OTHER

Safety Problems:

Group Facilities: Bus parking, group picnicking and camping when developed.

REMARKS The county has marked this area as a potential park complete with camping and boat ramp. The area is just upstream from the very popular "Betts Hole" angling area.

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Rogue River System Site No. 11
V Area Priority C
Name Shady Cove Ramp

Location A quarter mile west of Shady Cove, Northwest Bank
T 34S, R 1W, Sec. 16 River Mile 146 County Jackson
Ownership: Public Jackson County
Private _____ Tax Lot No. _____
Number of owners _____

DESCRIPTION

Land type Flat - rocky soil
Cover type Deciduous brush and trees
Road access County road, Condition Good - paved
High - winter
Flows Low - summer Water quality Good
Present stage of development Gravel parking - temporary ramp

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: _____ Acres, _____ of frontage
Type of conveyance _____

Development:

Boat ramp: Type Concrete Number of lanes 1
Toilets _____ Trails _____ Roads _____
Parking area _____; For _____ cars or _____ car-trailer units
This site provides 450 feet of frontage and has a steel mat ramp at the
present. Toilets are available.

SITE # 11

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Heavy	Tr Sa	Sa		
Medium		Tr		
Light		St	St	

(Sa - Salmon, St - Steelhead, Tr - Trout,
Sg - Sturgeon, Ww - Warm Water Fishes)

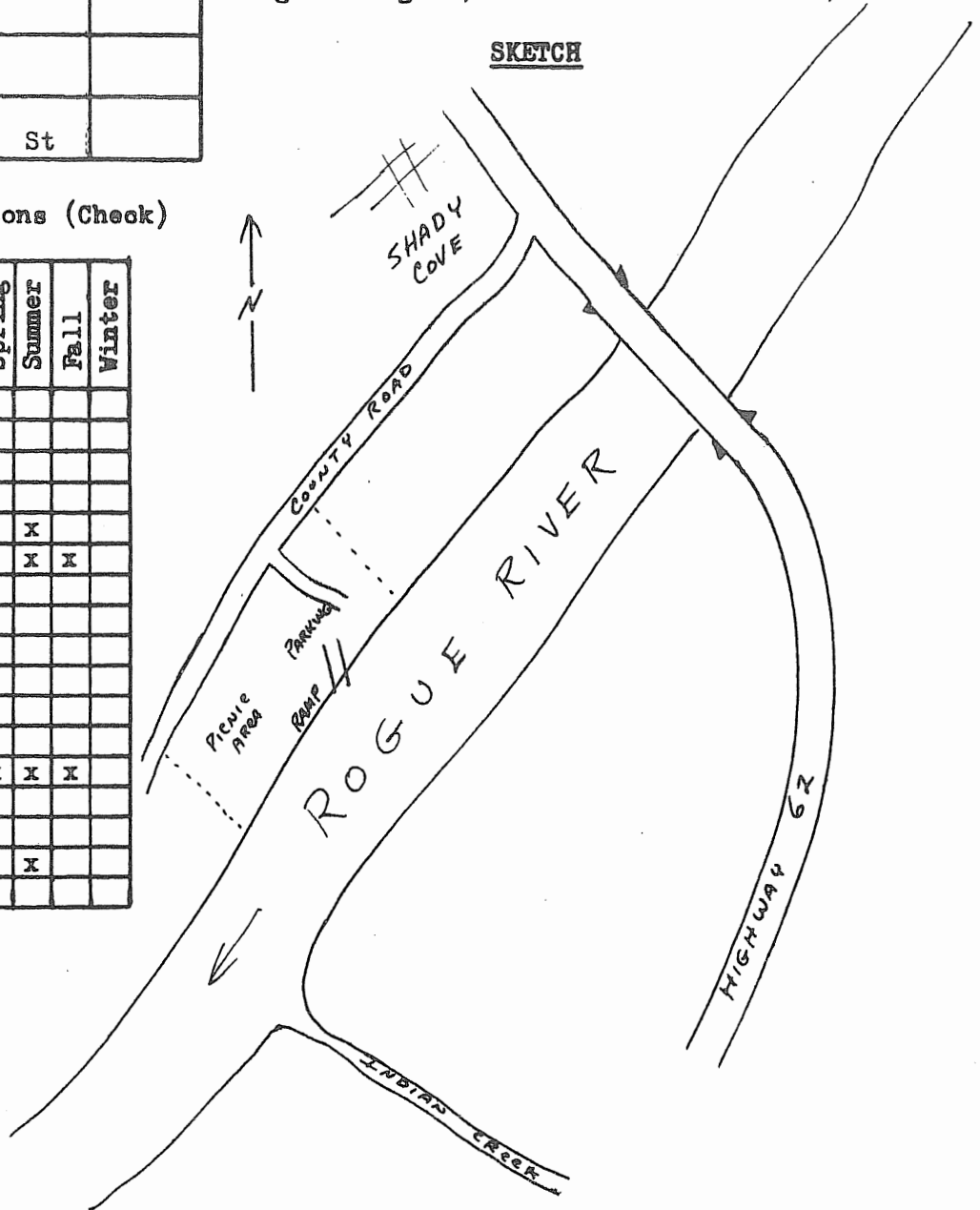
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Seasons (Check)

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RECREATION
(Check)

- Boating, motor
- Boating, non-motor
- Camping, tent
- Camping, trailer
- Fishing, boat
- Fishing, shore
- Hiking
- Horseback riding
- Hunting, big game
- Hunting, upland game
- Hunting, waterfowl
- Nature study
- Picnicking
- Sightseeing
- Skin and scuba diving
- Swimming
- Water skiing



OTHER

Safety Problems:

Group Facilities:

REMARKS This is a well located area for boat access and a permanent ramp is planned by the county parks.

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Rogue River System Site No. 12
V Area Priority C
Name Shady Cove Access

Location At Shady Cove, Southeast Bank
T 34S, R 1W, Sec. 15 and 16 River Mile 146 County Jackson
Ownership: Public Oregon Game Commission

Private _____ Tax Lot No. _____
Number of owners _____

DESCRIPTION

Land type Flat
Cover type Mixed trees and brush
Road access Off highway #62, Condition Good
High - winter
Flows Low - summer Water quality Good
Present stage of development Silted over gravel road to river bank

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: _____ Acres, _____ of frontage
Type of conveyance _____

Development:

Boat ramp: Type _____ Number of lanes _____
Toilets _____ Trails _____ Roads _____
Parking area X; For 10 cars or _____ car-trailer units
This site provides bank angling access on about 150 feet of frontage.

SITE # 12

FISHERY: This is primarily a spring chinook and trout fishery.

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Heavy	Tr Sa	Sa		
Medium		Tr		
Light		St	St	

(Sa - Salmon, St - Steelhead, Tr - Trout,
Sg - Sturgeon, Ww - Warm Water Fishes)

SKETCH

Seasons (Check)

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RECREATION
(Check)

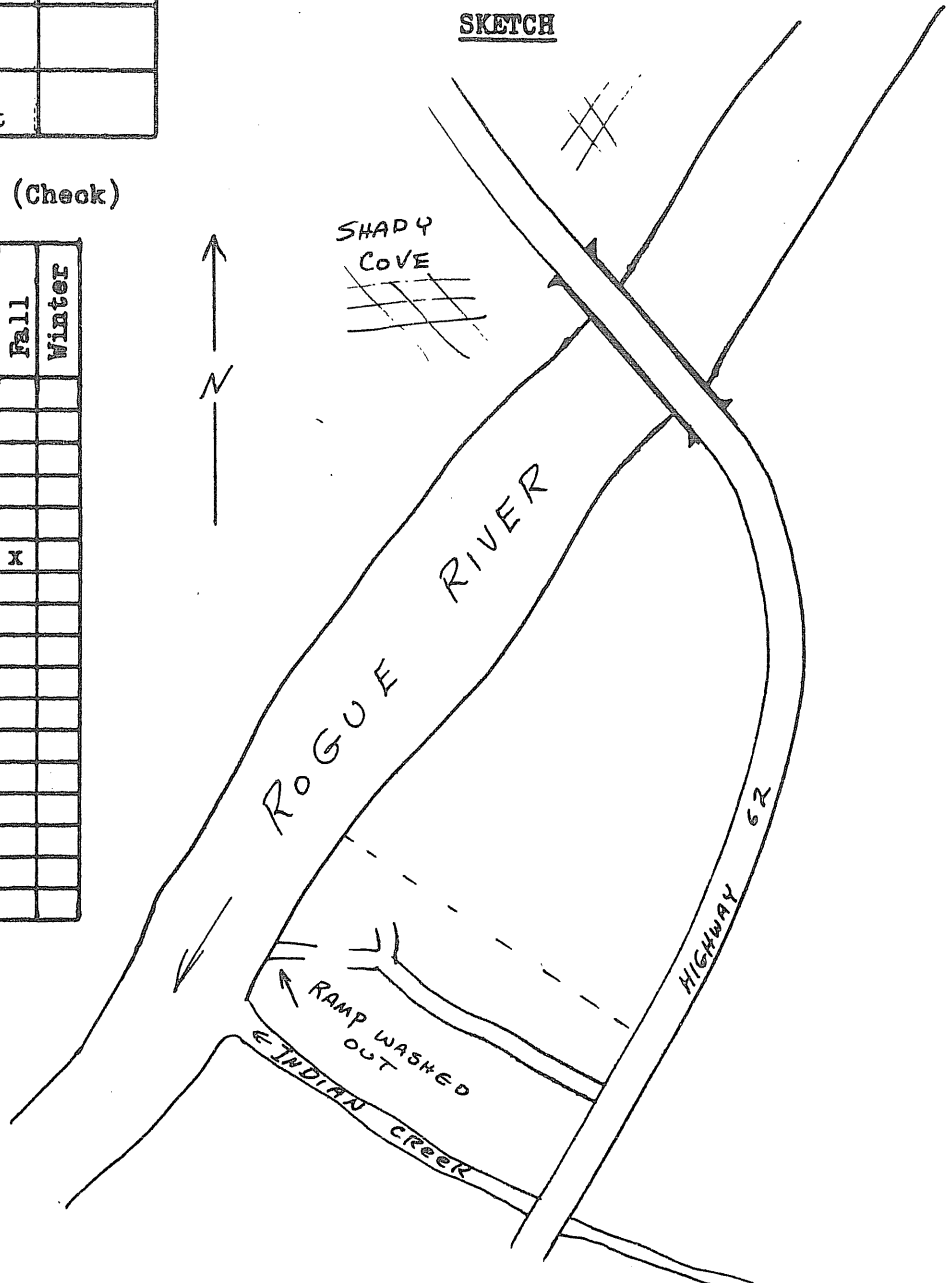
Boating, motor
Boating, non-motor
Camping, tent
Camping, trailer
Fishing, boat
Fishing, shore
Hiking
Horseback riding
Hunting, big game
Hunting, upland game
Hunting, waterfowl
Nature study
Picnicking
Sightseeing
Skin and scuba diving
Swimming
Water skiing

OTHER

Safety Problems:

Group Facilities:

REMARKS This site provides limited bank fishing access. This area was purchased to provide a much needed ramp in the local area. The 1964 flood destroyed a new concrete ramp on the site. The county has provided a new ramp across the river. (See Shady Cove Ramp).



WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Rogue River System Site No. 13
V Area Priority B
Name BLM land

Location 1 mile south of Trail, South Bank
T 34 S, R 1 W, Sec. 10 River Mile 147.5 County Jackson
Ownership: Public BLM
Private _____ Tax Lot No. _____
Number of owners 1

DESCRIPTION

Land type Sloping - Rocky soil
Cover type Mixed trees and brush
Road access County, Condition Poor - gravel
High - winter
Flows Low - summer Water quality Good
Present stage of development Road into riverside tract

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: _____ Acres, _____ of frontage
Type of conveyance Agreement for development

Development:

Boat ramp: Type _____ Number of lanes _____
Toilets X Trails _____ Roads _____
Parking area X; For 10 cars or _____ car-trailer units
This site provides angler access to the river at present. A rough parking
area is used.

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Rogue River System Site No. 14
V Area Priority A
Name Trail Creek

Location At Trail, Oregon, North Bank
T 34 S, R 1 W, Sec. 3 River Mile 148.5 County Jackson

Ownership: Public _____
Private X Tax Lot No. 100
Number of owners _____

DESCRIPTION

Land type Flat with broken bedrock banks into river
Cover type Scattered brush and grass
Road access State Highway 62, Condition Good
High - winter
Flows Low - summer Water quality Good
Present stage of development Parking area

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: _____ Acres, 400 feet of frontage
Type of conveyance Purchase for ramp development

Development:

Boat ramp: Type Concrete Number of lanes 1
Toilets X Trails _____ Roads _____
Parking area X; For _____ cars or 10 car-trailer units

This site provides some bank angling and adequate parking at present.

AREA V

SITE # 14

FISHERY: Primarily a drift boat area for spring chinook anglers. Legal size trout are released at the site during the season.

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Heavy	Sa	Sa		
Medium	Tr	Tr		
Light		St	St	

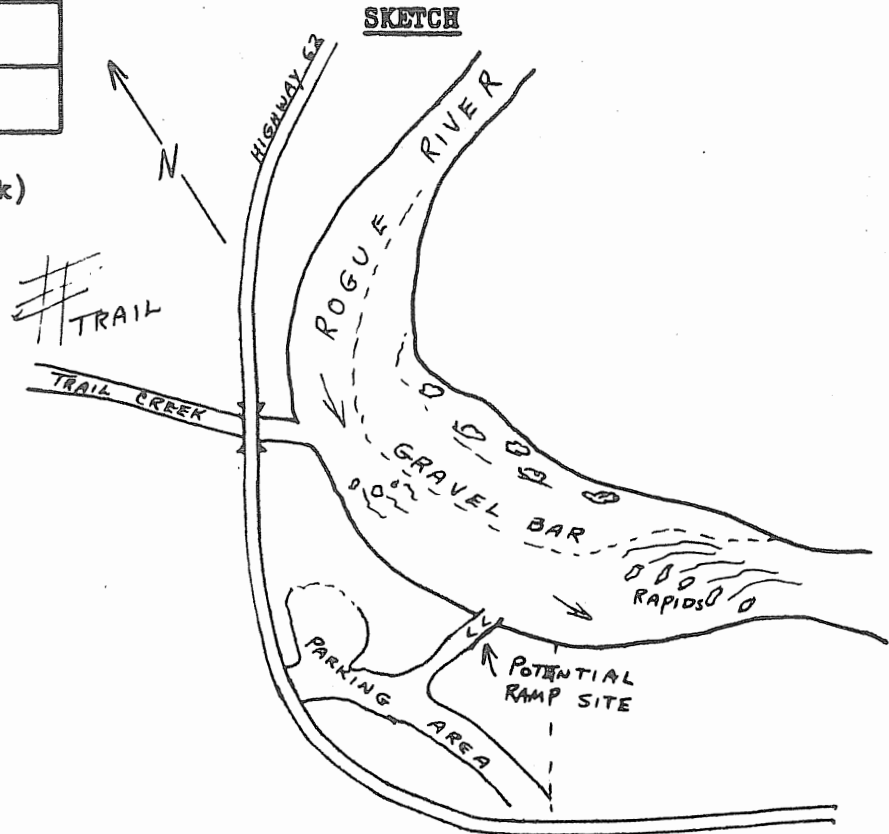
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Seasons (Check)

RECREATION
(Check)

Boating, motor
Boating, non-motor
Camping, tent
Camping, trailer
Fishing, boat
Fishing, shore
Hiking
Horseback riding
Hunting, big game
Hunting, upland game
Hunting, waterfowl
Nature study
Picnicking
Sightseeing
Skin and scuba diving
Swimming
Water skiing

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
	X	X	X	
	X	X	X	
	X	X		
		X		



OTHER

Safety Problems:

Group Facilities:

REMARKS This site is about halfway between the six-mile drift boat trip from Rogue Elk Park to Shady Cove Access. A difficult rapids area exists 200 yards below this site. A small picnic area could be developed at the site.

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Rogue River System Site No. 15
V Area Priority B
Name Cable Crossing Hole

Location 1 mile east of Trail, North Bank
T 33S, R 1W, Sec. 35 River Mile 149.5 County Jackson
Ownership: Public _____
Private X Tax Lot No. 800, 1500
Number of owners 2

DESCRIPTION

Land type Fairly steep bank off highway, rocky at river
Cover type Deciduous brush
Road access State Highway 62, Condition Good
High - winter
Flows Low - summer Water quality Good
Present stage of development Rough angler trail along bank

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: _____ Acres, 2,000 feet of frontage
Type of conveyance Purchase for bank access

Development:

Boat ramp: Type _____ Number of lanes _____
Toilets X Trails 10 Roads _____
Parking area X; For 10 cars or _____ car-trailer units
This site provides 2,000 feet of bank angling through trespass, with very
limited parking along the narrow shoulder of the highway.

SITE # 15

FISHERY: A very popular bank area for spring chinook anglers. Trout anglers use
the area to some extent during the summer.

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Heavy	Sa	Sa		
Medium		Tr		
Light		St	St	

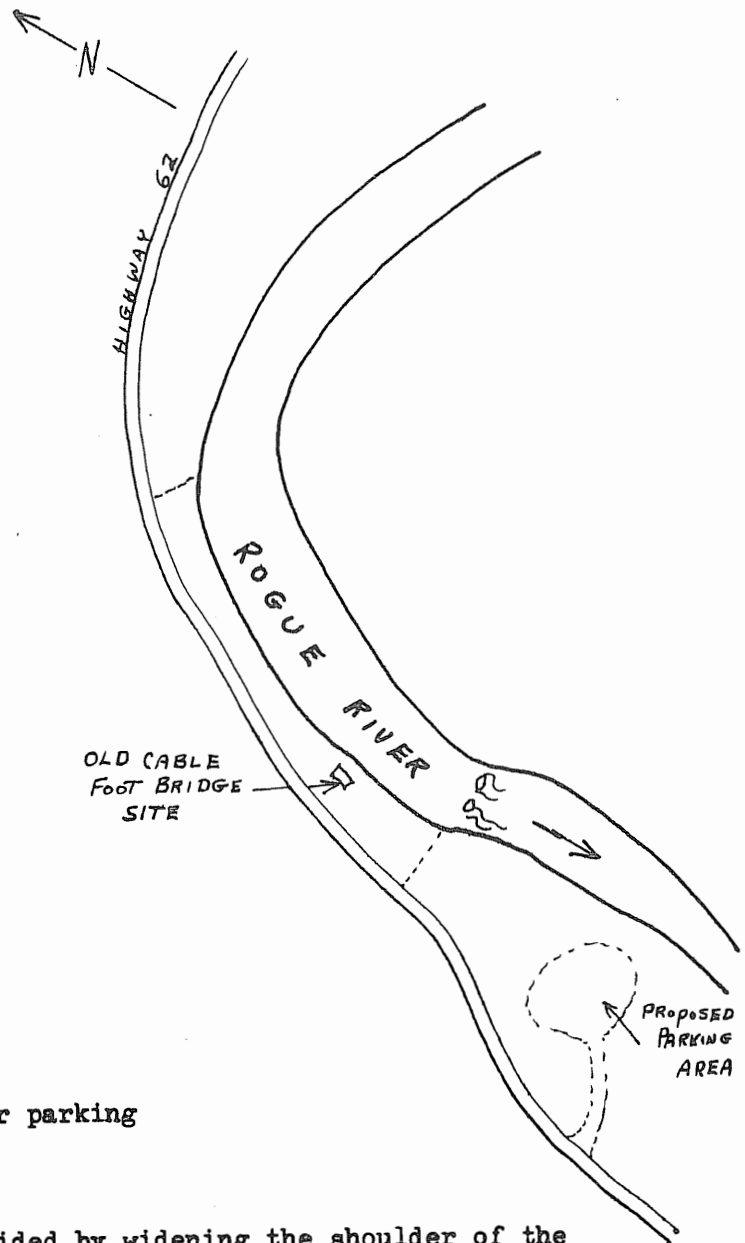
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Sg - Sturgeon, Ww - Warm Water Fishes)

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Seasons (Check)

RECREATION
(Check)

- Boating, motor
- Boating, non-motor
- Camping, tent
- Camping, trailer
- Fishing, boat
- Fishing, shore
- Hiking
- Horseback riding
- Hunting, big game
- Hunting, upland game
- Hunting, waterfowl
- Nature study
- Picnicking
- Sightseeing
- Skin and scuba diving
- Swimming
- Water skiing

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OTHER

Safety Problems: Narrow road shoulder parking

Group Facilities:

REMARKS Better parking could be provided by widening the shoulder of the highway or through easement on private land downstream.

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Rogue System Site No. 16
V Area Priority B
Name Brush Creek Site

Location 2 miles east of Trail, South Bank
T 33S, R 1W, Sec. 35 River Mile 150 County Jackson
Ownership: Public BLM
Private _____ Tax Lot No. _____
Number of owners _____

DESCRIPTION

Land type Gentle slope
Cover type Thick canopy of second growth fir timber
Road access None, Condition _____
High - winter _____
Flows Low - summer Water quality Good
Present stage of development None

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: 20 Acres, _____ of frontage
Type of conveyance Agreement for park development

Development:

Boat ramp: Type _____ Number of lanes _____
Toilets X Trails X Roads X
Parking area X; For 20 cars or _____ car-trailer units
This site unused at present as no road exists at the site.

AREA V

SITE # 16

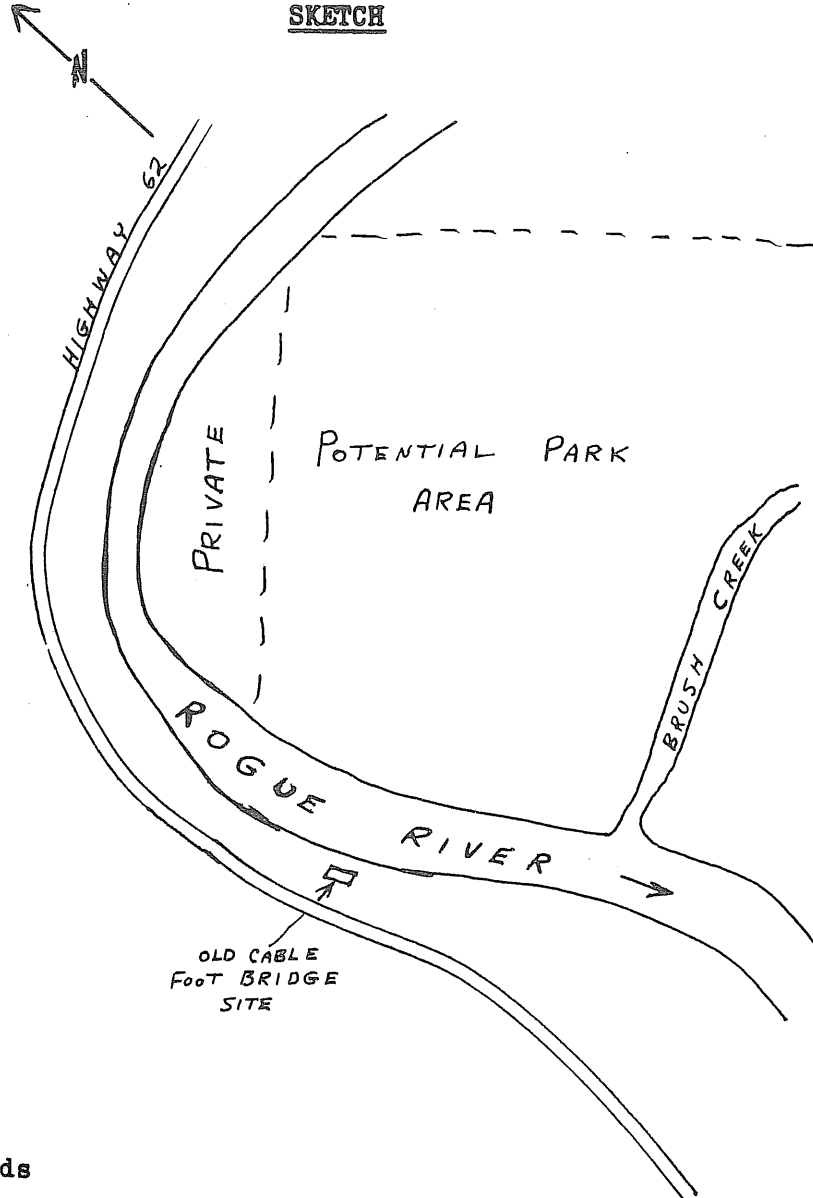
FISHERY: The fishery is necessarily by boat as no road exists in the area.

Spring chinook and trout are the fish angled for.

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Heavy	Sa	Sa		
Medium		Tr		
Light		St	St	

(Sa - Salmon, St - Steelhead, Tr - Trout,
Sg - Sturgeon, Wv - Warm Water Fishes)

SKETCH



Seasons (Check)

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
	X	X	X	
	X	X	X	
	X	X		
	X	X	X	
		X	X	
			X	X
	X	X	X	
	X	X	X	
		X		

RECREATION
(Check)

- Boating, motor
- Boating, non-motor
- Camping, tent
- Camping, trailer
- Fishing, boat
- Fishing, shore
- Hiking
- Horseback riding
- Hunting, big game
- Hunting, upland game
- Hunting, waterfowl
- * Nature study
- Picnicking
- Sightseeing
- Skin and scuba diving
- Swimming
- Water skiing
- * Bird watching

OTHER

Safety Problems: Swift water at rapids

Group Facilities: Bus parking; group picnicking and camping

REMARKS BLM has mapped this area as a potential park site. About 40 acres can be developed for camping and picnicking. No road exists into the area at present.

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Rogue River System Site No. 17
V Area Priority Complete
Name Moore property

Location 3 miles east of Trail, North Bank
T 33 S, R 1 W, Sec. 36 River Mile 151 County Jackson
Ownership: Public _____
Private X Tax Lot No. 100
Number of owners 1

DESCRIPTION

Land type Steep river bank from road to river bed
Cover type Large deciduous trees, thick brush
Road access State Highway 62, Condition Good, paved
High - winter
Flows Low - summer Water quality Good
Present stage of development Complete

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: _____ Acres, _____ of frontage
Type of conveyance _____

Development:

Boat ramp: Type _____ Number of lanes _____
Toilets _____ Trails _____ Roads _____
Parking area _____; For _____ cars or _____ car-trailer units

This site provides 400 feet of frontage for bank anglers and will be donated
to the Game Commission for public access in the future.

SITE # 17

FISHERY: Some bank angling for salmon and steelhead from the bank in this area.

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Heavy				
Medium	Sa	Sa		
Light		Tr St	St	

(Sa - Salmon, St - Steelhead, Tr - Trout,
Sg - Sturgeon, Ww - Warm Water Fishes)

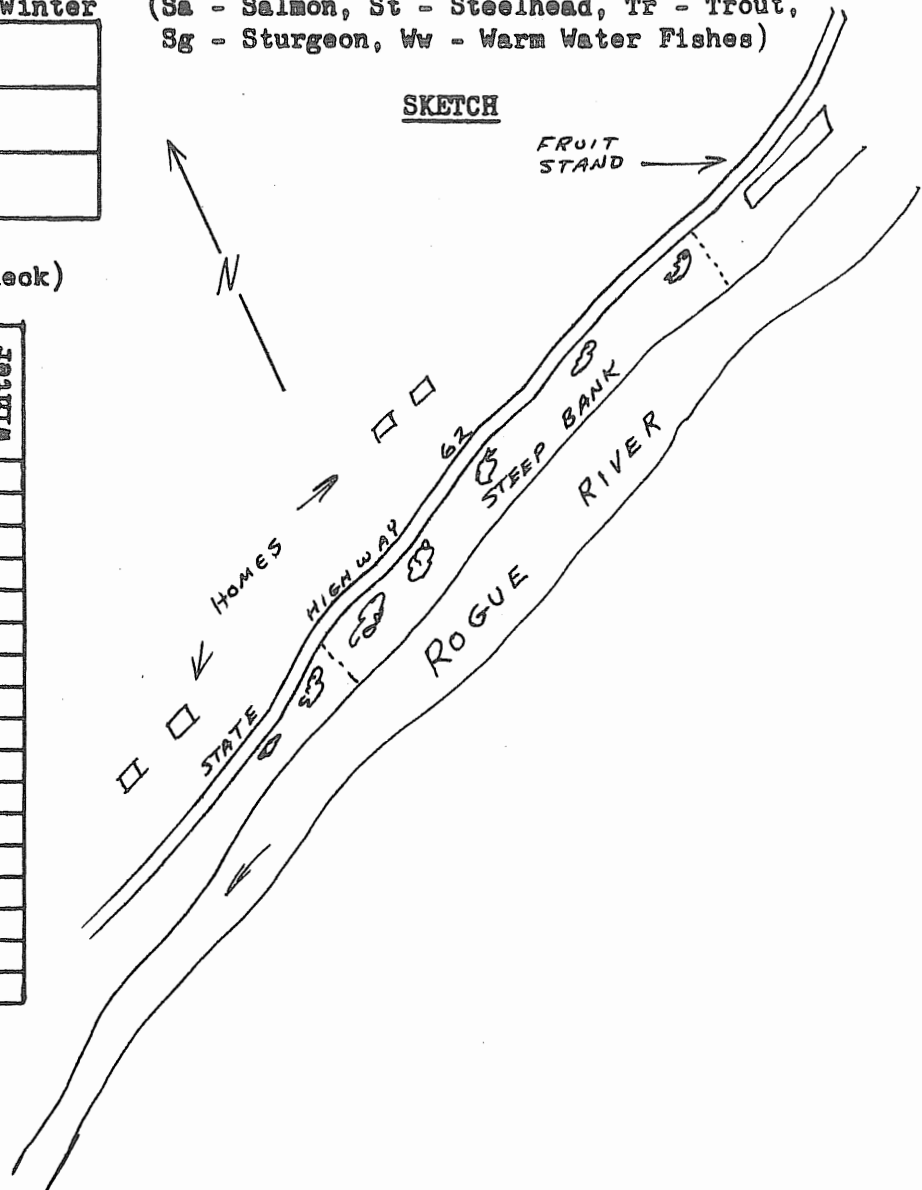
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FRUIT
STAND

Seasons (Check)

RECREATION
(Check)

- Boating, motor
- Boating, non-motor
- Camping, tent
- Camping, trailer
- Fishing, boat
- Fishing, shore
- Hiking
- Horseback riding
- Hunting, big game
- Hunting, upland game
- Hunting, waterfowl
- * Nature study
- Picnicking
- Sightseeing
- Skin and scuba diving
- Swimming
- Water skiing
- * Salmon spawning

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OTHER

Safety Problems:

Group Facilities:

REMARKS This strip of steep brushy river bank provides bank access to the river, but will not facilitate any development except possible trail building. Parking exists along the road shoulder.

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Rogue River System Site No. 18
V Area Priority Complete
Name Rogue-Elk Park

Location 4 miles northeast of Trail, North Bank
T 33 S, R 1 E, Sec. 31 River Mile 152 County Jackson
Ownership: Public O. S. G. C. - County maintenance
Private _____ Tax Lot No. _____
Number of owners _____

DESCRIPTION

Land type Flat
Cover type Deciduous brush and trees
Road access State Highway 62, Condition Good
High - winter
Flows Low - summer Water quality Good
Present stage of development Developed camping, picnicking & angling access

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: _____ Acres, _____ of frontage
Type of conveyance _____

Development:

Boat ramp: Type _____ Number of lanes _____
Toilets _____ Trails _____ Roads _____
Parking area _____; For _____ cars or _____ car-trailer units
This site provides a park with 23 camping spots, picnicking, a concrete boat
ramp and bank angling.

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Rogue River System Site No. 19
V Area Priority Complete
Name Casey State Park

Location 6 miles northeast of Trail, North Bank

T 33 S, R 1 E, Sec. 33 River Mile 154.5 County Jackson

Ownership: Public State parks

Private _____ Tax Lot No. _____

Number of owners 1

DESCRIPTION

Land type Flat bench

Cover type Deciduous shade trees and grass

Road access Highway 62, Condition Good

High - winter
Flows Low - summer Water quality Good

Present stage of development Complete day use

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: _____ Acres, _____ of frontage

Type of conveyance _____

Development:

Boat ramp: Type _____ Number of lanes _____

Toilets _____ Trails _____ Roads _____

Parking area _____; For _____ cars or _____ car-trailer units

This site provides a concrete boat ramp and a picnic area.

AREA V

SITE # 19

FISHERY: This area is used heavily by boat anglers for spring chinook
until the first week of July.

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Heavy	Tr			
Medium		Tr Sa		
Light			St	

(Sa - Salmon, St - Steelhead, Tr - Trout,
Sg - Sturgeon, Ww - Warm Water Fishes)

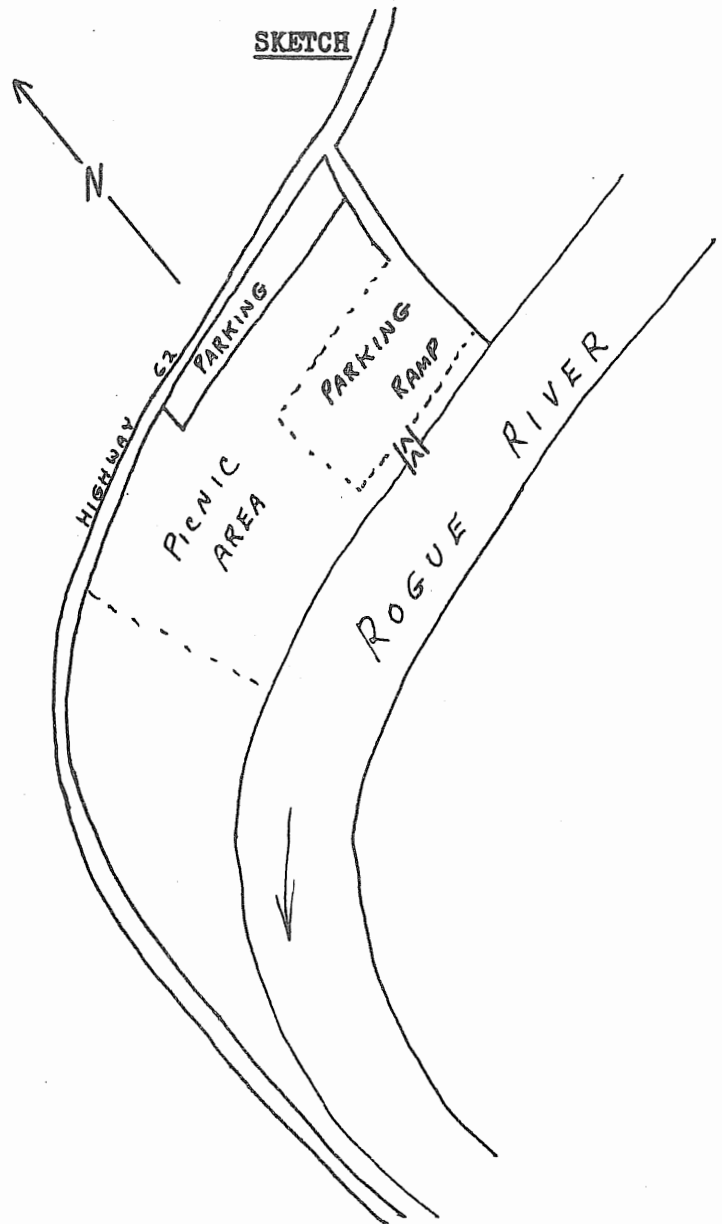
Seasons (Check)

RECREATION
(Check)

Boating, motor
Boating, non-motor
Camping, tent
Camping, trailer
Fishing, boat
Fishing, shore
Hiking
Horseback riding
Hunting, big game
Hunting, upland game
Hunting, waterfowl
Nature study
Picnicking
Sightseeing
Skin and scuba diving
Swimming
Water skiing

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
	X	X	X	
	X	X	X	
	X	X	X	

SKETCH



OTHER

Safety Problems: Swift water

Group Facilities: Picnicking and ample bus parking.

REMARKS

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Rogue River System Site No. 20
V Area Priority Complete
Name McLeod State Park

Location 9 miles northeast of Trail, North Bank
T 33 S, R 1 E, Sec. 26 River Mile 157 County Jackson
Ownership: Public State Parks
Private _____ Tax Lot No. _____
Number of owners _____

DESCRIPTION

Land type Sloping - hillside
Cover type Deciduous shade trees and grass
Road access Highway 62, Condition Good
High - winter
Flows Low - summer Water quality Good
Present stage of development Complete day use

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: _____ Acres, _____ of frontage
Type of conveyance _____

Development:

Boat ramp: Type _____ Number of lanes _____
Toilets _____ Trails _____ Roads _____
Parking area _____; For _____ cars or _____ car-trailer units
This site provides a concrete boat ramp and a parking area.

SITE # 20

FISHERY: This area is used heavily by drift boat anglers for spring chinook
during the month of June.

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Heavy	Tr			
Medium		Tr Sa		
Light			St	

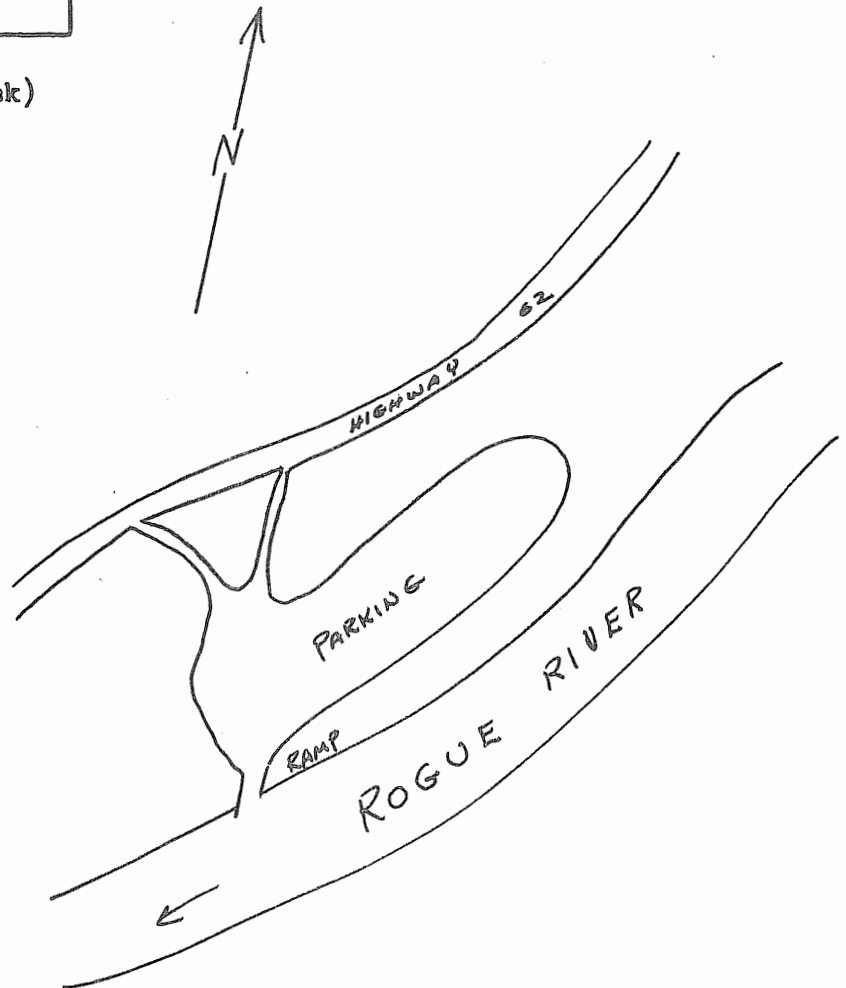
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Sg - Sturgeon, Ww - Warm Water Fishes)

SKETCH

Seasons (Check)

RECREATION
(Check)

- Boating, motor
- Boating, non-motor
- Camping, tent
- Camping, trailer
- Fishing, boat
- Fishing, shore
- Hiking
- Horseback riding
- Hunting, big game
- Hunting, upland game
- Hunting, waterfowl
- Nature study
- Picnicking
- Sightseeing
- Skin and scuba diving
- Swimming
- Water skiing

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OTHER

Safety Problems: Swift water

Group Facilities:

REMARKS

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Rogue River System Site No. 21
V Area Priority A
Name Lost Creek Reservoir

Location 8 miles east of Trail, North and south Bank
1 E 26 157.5-168
T 33 S, R 2 E, Sec. 12 River Mile 157.5-168 County Jackson
Ownership: Public U. S. A.
Private Tax Lot No.
Number of owners

DESCRIPTION

Land type Steep mountain sides with some flat benches
Cover type Mixed stands of timber - brush
Road access State Highway 62, Condition Good, paved
Flows Impoundment area Water quality Good
Present stage of development Final planning stage

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: Acres, of frontage
Type of conveyance

Development:

Boat ramp: Type Concrete Number of lanes 4
Toilets X Trails X Roads X
Parking area X; For cars or 400 car-trailer units
This site will provide over 3,000 surface acres of water with roughly 30
 miles of shore line.

AREA VI

SITE # 21

FISHERY: Once established, a heavy trout fishery from boats and bank can be expected.

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Heavy	Tr	Tr	Tr	
Medium				
Light				

(Sa - Salmon, St - Steelhead, Tr - Trout, Sg - Sturgeon, Ww - Warm Water Fishes)

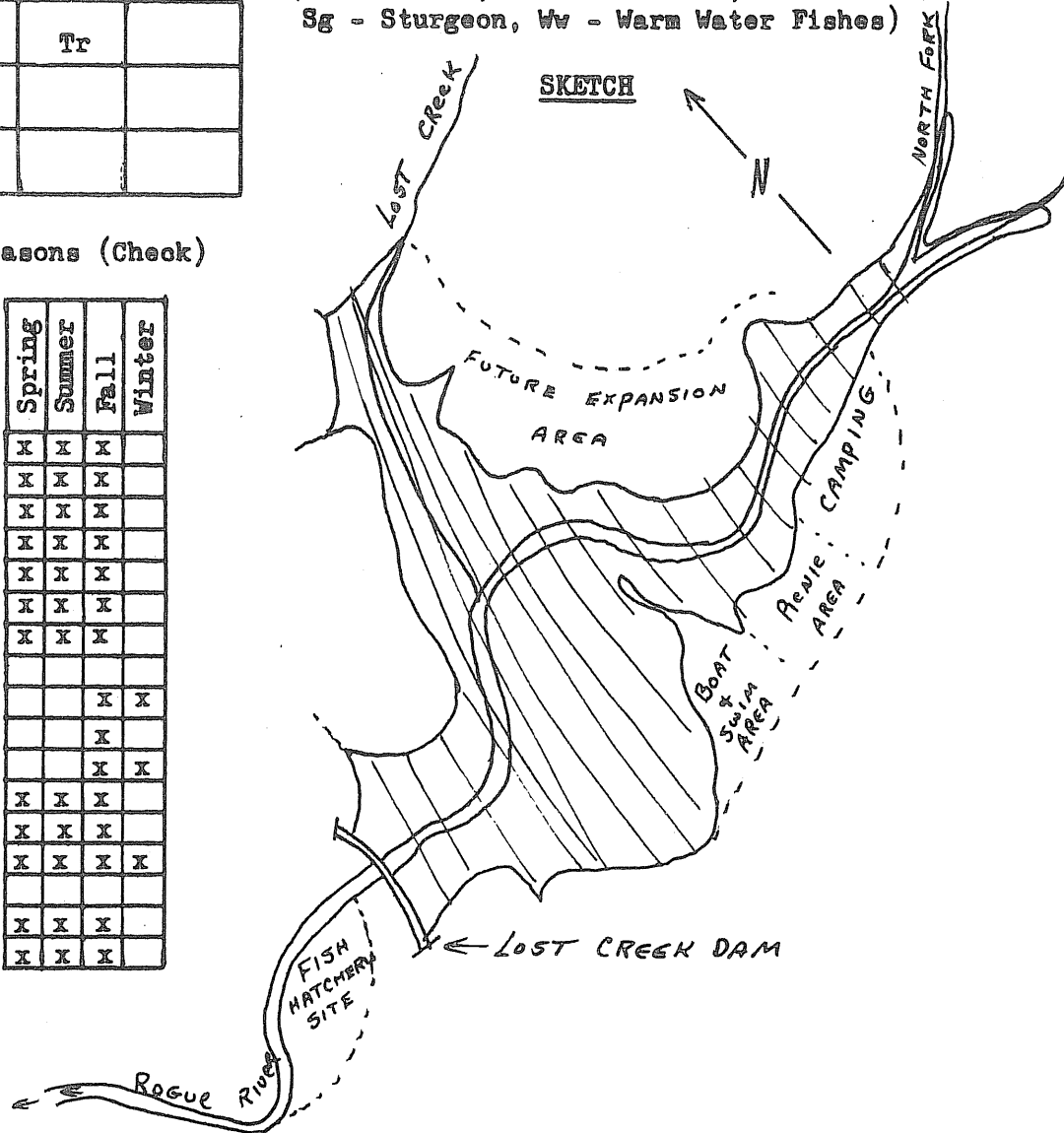
Seasons (Check)

RECREATION
(Check)

- Boating, motor
- Boating, non-motor
- Camping, tent
- Camping, trailer
- Fishing, boat
- Fishing, shore
- Hiking
- Horseback riding
- * Hunting, big game
- * Hunting, upland game
- Hunting, waterfowl
- ** Nature study
- Picnicking
- *** Sightseeing
- Skin and scuba diving
- Swimming
- Water skiing
- * Grouse, deer
- ** Bird watching
- *** Fish hatchery

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Boating, motor	X	X	X	
Boating, non-motor	X	X	X	
Camping, tent	X	X	X	
Camping, trailer	X	X	X	
Fishing, boat	X	X	X	
Fishing, shore	X	X	X	
Hiking	X	X	X	
Horseback riding				
* Hunting, big game			X	X
* Hunting, upland game			X	
Hunting, waterfowl			X	X
** Nature study	X	X	X	
Picnicking	X	X	X	
*** Sightseeing	X	X	X	X
Skin and scuba diving				
Swimming	X	X	X	
Water skiing	X	X	X	

SKETCH



OTHER

Safety Problems:

Group Facilities: Picnicking, camping, parking for buses

REMARKS Lost Creek Reservoir is in the final planning stage before construction. This multipurpose reservoir will contain over 3,000 surface acres. The pool will be subject to annual drawdown of roughly 50 to 60 feet. A large area for high potential recreation has been designated on the south shore of the lake.

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Rogue River System Site No. 22
V Area Priority A
Name Elk Creek Reservoir

Location 4 miles northeast of Trail, North & south banks
33 S 20
T 32 S, R 1 E, Sec. 33 River Mile 3 - 7 County Jackson

Ownership: Public U. S. A.
Private _____ Tax Lot No. _____
Number of owners _____

DESCRIPTION

Land type Fairly steep hillsides, loam soil
Cover type Mixed stands of timber - brush
Road access Public road, Condition Good - gravel
Flows Impoundment area Water quality Good
Present stage of development Intermediate planning stage

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: _____ Acres, _____ of frontage
Type of conveyance _____

Development:

Boat ramp: Type Concrete Number of lanes 2
Toilets X Trails X Roads X
Parking area X; For _____ cars or 150 car-trailer units
This site will provide a lake of up to 1,200 surface acres and about 350
_____ acres on shore for recreation development.

AREA V

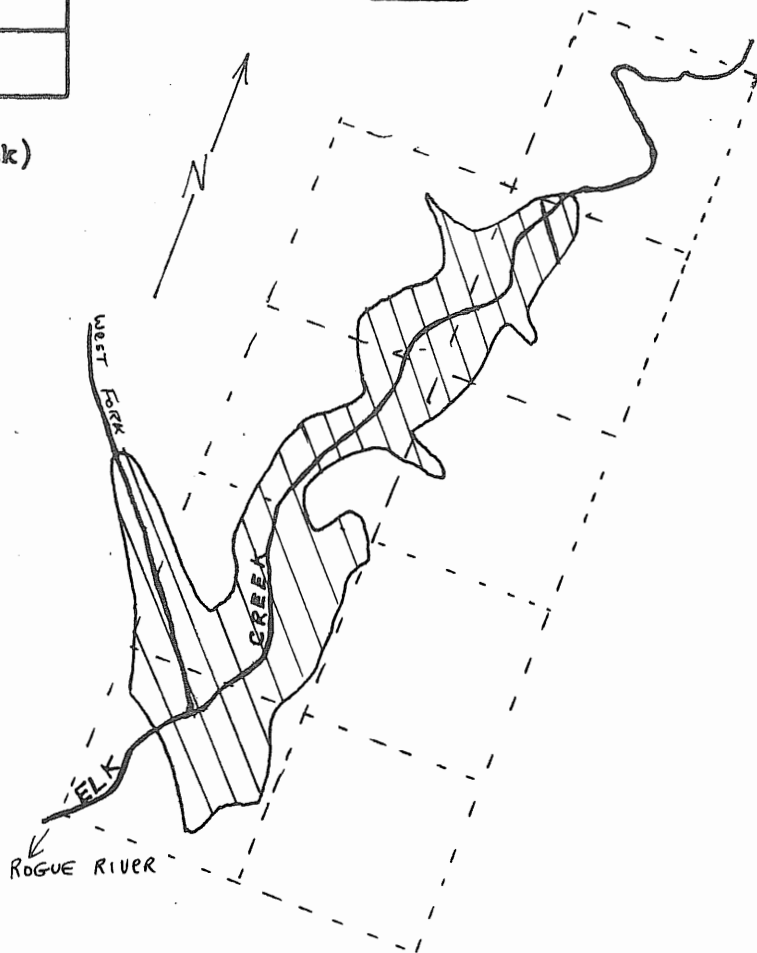
SITE # 22

FISHERY: Once established, a good trout fishery from boats and bank can be expected.

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Heavy	Tr	Tr	Tr	
Medium				
Light				

(Sa - Salmon, St - Steelhead, Tr - Trout, Sg - Sturgeon, Ww - Warm Water Fishes)

SKETCH



Seasons (Check)

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Boating, motor	X	X	X	
Boating, non-motor	X	X	X	
Camping, tent	X	X	X	
Camping, trailer	X	X	X	
Fishing, boat	X	X	X	
Fishing, shore	X	X	X	
Hiking	X	X	X	
Horseback riding				
* Hunting, big game			X	X
* Hunting, upland game			X	
Hunting, waterfowl			X	
Nature study				
Picnicking	X	X	X	
Sightseeing				
Skin and scuba diving				
Swimming		X	X	
Water skiing	X	X	X	

RECREATION
(Check)

- Boating, motor
- Boating, non-motor
- Camping, tent
- Camping, trailer
- Fishing, boat
- Fishing, shore
- Hiking
- Horseback riding
- * Hunting, big game
- * Hunting, upland game
- Hunting, waterfowl
- Nature study
- Picnicking
- Sightseeing
- Skin and scuba diving
- Swimming
- Water skiing
- * Grouse, deer

OTHER

Safety Problems:

Group Facilities: Picnicking, camping, parking for buses at some time in the future.

REMARKS

Elk Creek Reservoir is still in the planning stage of development. This multipurpose reservoir may cover up to 1,200 surface acres and be subject to drawdowns of roughly 60 to 90 feet annually. Two sites with recreation potential have been tentatively designated with further plans due during the 1967 season.

ROGUE RIVER

AREA VI

Area VI includes four major tributaries of the upper Rogue River and all of the watershed above the proposed Lost Creek impoundment. A map of these streams and the developed access facilities is located in the back of this report. The following is a brief summary of each stream or area and its access status.

Evans Creek joins the Rogue near the town of Rogue River. The stream is lightly used by trout anglers with most pressure found in the East and West Forks. Each season 1,500 legal trout are stocked in this upper area to sustain the fishery. Bureau of Land Management ownership and camp sites are adequate to provide angler access on this stream.

Bear Creek joins the Rogue River in the backwaters of Gold Ray Dam. This stream flows through a broad valley where a heavy population and extensive agriculture utilize most of the water from the system. Plans have been formulated by the county for a "Green Strip Park" with various activities programed along the stream. However, the stream does not support a fishery at present and the need for angler access is not anticipated in the future.

Little Butte Creek enters the Rogue River about five and one-half miles above Gold Ray Dam. This stream flows through mountains and rolling hills with only light populations and scattered agriculture utilizing water from the system. An early season trout fishery is maintained by stocking 1,500 legal trout in the lower half of the system. As most of the anglers are local residents and a portion of the upper system is in government timber lands, the present angler access is considered to be adequate.

Big Butte Creek flows into the Rogue River one-half mile upstream from Casey State Park. This stream is similar to Little Butte Creek in that it is situated in mountains and rolling hills with little consumptive demand on its water. A trout fishery is maintained in the upper section by stocking 1,500 legal trout each season. This system is also considered to have adequate angler access.

The watershed above the proposed Lost Creek impoundment includes the North, Middle and South Forks of the Rogue River. These streams and their tributaries drain a mountainous area roughly 35 miles long and 15 miles wide. This heavily timbered area is almost entirely contained in the Rogue River National Forest and is an attractive recreation area for hundreds of campers and anglers. The waters of this area have a basic supply of wild trout which is supplemented each season by planting 20,000 legal-sized trout at the more popular angling areas.

A network of timber access roads and numerous forest campgrounds provide anglers and campers with adequate access for enjoying recreation in this area.

ILLINOIS RIVER

The Illinois valley makes up 20 percent of the total Rogue basin. The river is roughly 70 miles long with its drainage covering western and southern Josephine County and a small portion of eastern Curry County. Two forks of the Illinois join at Cave Junction and flow northwesterly through a short valley, between sparsely timbered mountains and into a wild remote region of government timberland. In this Illinois canyon area both the river and the terrain are extremely rugged. A foot-trail serves as the only access in the canyon. Flowing out of the canyon near Agness, the river is accessible by boat and road for a distance of four miles before it joins the Rogue River.

Winter steelhead angling is the most important fishery on the system, with portions of a 25-mile section below the forks and the lower four miles at the mouth providing the current access. A few fall salmon are taken by anglers, but remain incidental to the steelhead fishery.

Trout angling in the upper tributary system is somewhat popular and natural fish are supplemented by an annual stocking of 6,500 legal-sized rainbow. The Oregon Game Commission places these fish in popular areas during the angling season.

The majority of the Illinois River frontage is in government ownership and only three sites have been recommended for easement or purchase from private landowners. Boat access is the most critical angler need, and seven sites have been recommended for potential ramp development.

The system has been divided into three areas according to access needs and information about these areas and the access sites is given in the following pages.

ILLINOIS RIVER

AREA I

Area I includes the lower Illinois from the mouth upstream to river mile 32 near Briggs Creek. Only the lower four miles of this entire area is currently accessible to the angler. Twenty-eight miles of the river pass through a remote and wild canyon of extremely rugged terrain. A foot trail from Briggs Creek to the mouth of the river at Agness occasionally borders the river as it winds through this remote section of government timber land.

In the four-mile section at the mouth, winter steelhead and a light catch of fall salmon provide a lively fishery for boat and bank anglers that come to the area.

A bridge will soon be completed across the mouth of the Illinois River which will provide improved road access into the area from Gold Beach.

With the developing public access on the nearby Rogue River, it is felt that the development of one site with a boat ramp would provide adequate public access to the lower Illinois at this time.

Information about this site is included in the following evaluation sheet.

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Illinois System Site No. 1
I Area Priority A
Name Oak Flat

Location 3 miles south of Agness, Northeast Bank
T 35 S, R 11 W, Sec. 29 River Mile 2.5 County Curry

Ownership: Public _____
Private X Tax Lot No. 1500
Number of owners _____ U. S. Plywood _____

DESCRIPTION

Land type Flat bench and gravel bar
Cover type Mixed myrtle and coniferous trees on bench
Road access County, Condition Fair gravel
High - winter
Flows Low - summer Water quality Good
Present stage of development Road to river on gravel bar

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: 2 Acres, _____ of frontage
Type of conveyance Purchase for ramp development

Development:

Boat ramp: Type Steel mat Number of lanes 1
Toilets X Trails _____ Roads _____
Parking area X; For _____ cars or 20 car-trailer units
This site provides 1500 feet of frontage for bank angling and a natural bar
for launching light boats.

ILLINOIS RIVER

AREA II

Area II includes a 25-mile section of the Illinois River from Briggs Creek to Pomeroy Diversion Dam near Cave Junction. This dam is the upstream limit for salmon and steelhead angling.

The upper six miles of Area II has a fairly moderate gradient with timbered hillsides interspersed with level farm lands. The gradient increases in the lower section with steeper mountainsides and includes two minor waterfalls. The lower falls (Illinois Falls) has been laddered to facilitate fish passage.

Streamside roads are intermittent with about one-third of the river accessible from the road. A gravel ramp at Kerby, the only ramp on the river, serves for a take-out point for anglers who usually slide boats into the river below Pomeroy Dam and drift fish the 2.5 miles of accessible water to the Kerby ramp.

Winter steelhead angling is considered excellent in this section of the Illinois and the fishery has potential for considerable expansion if additional boat angling access is provided. Of eight access points recommended for this area, five include the development of ramp sites that would eventually provide boat angling on most of this 25-mile section of the river. Likely, the most critical need at present is an adequate entry point for boaters below Pomeroy Dam (Site #7) and a take-out point near Josephine Creek (Site #5). This would provide seven miles of highly desirable boat angling. The three ramp sites suggested for the lower portion of this area will be needed in the near future.

Information about the sites within this area is included in the following evaluation sheets.

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Illinois River System Site No. I
II Area Priority C
Name Briggs Creek Area

Location 18 miles northwest of Selma, North Bank
T 37 S, R 9 W, Sec. 6, 7, 8 River Mile 32 - 35 County Josephine
Ownership: Public U. S. Forest Service
Private _____ Tax Lot No. _____
Number of owners _____

DESCRIPTION

Land type Steep, rough terrain with rocky river banks
Cover type Mixed coniferous and oak trees
Road access U. S. Forest Service, Condition Fair - gravel
High - winter
Flows Low - summer Water quality Good
Present stage of development Road to the mouth of Briggs Creek

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: _____ Acres, _____ of frontage
Type of conveyance _____

Development:

Boat ramp: Type _____ Number of lanes _____
Toilets X Trails _____ Roads _____
Parking area X; For 15 cars or _____ car-trailer units
This site provides road access to about 3 miles of river frontage for bank
anglers. Parking and sanitation are needed at road's end near the
mouth of Briggs Creek.

AREA II

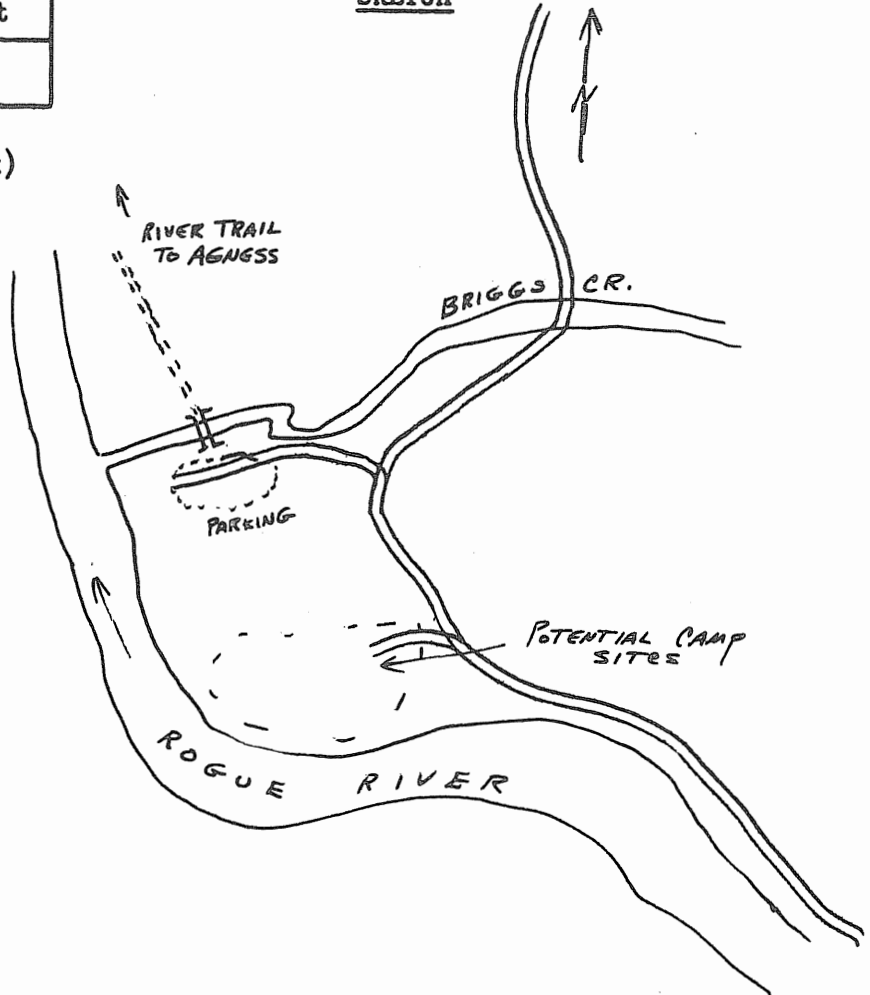
SITE # 1

FISHERY: A preferred winter steelhead bank angling area.

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Heavy				
Medium				St
Light	St		Sa	

(Sa - Salmon, St - Steelhead, Tr - Trout,
Sg - Sturgeon, Ww - Warm Water Fishes)

SKETCH



Seasons (Check)

RECREATION
(Check)

Boating, motor
Boating, non-motor
Camping, tent
Camping, trailer *
Fishing, boat
Fishing, shore
Hiking
Horseback riding
Hunting, big game
Hunting, upland game
Hunting, waterfowl
Nature study
Picnicking
Sightseeing **
Skin and scuba diving
Swimming
Water skiing

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
	X	X	X	X
	X	X	X	X
	X			X
		X	X	
			X	X
		X	X	
		X	X	

- * No toilets available
** Old mine sites

OTHER

Safety Problems: White water rapids

Group Facilities: Group camping and picnicking in the future.

REMARKS Several mining claims with homes exist in a large oak flat in this area. The Forest Service has indicated long-range plans that include developing a large pay campground in this area. At such time in the future, the development of a boat ramp for taking out would open up an additional 4.5 miles of river below Illinois Falls for experienced drift boat anglers.

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Illinois River System Site No. 2
II Area Priority B
Name Illinois Falls

Location 8 miles west of Selma, North & South Bank
T 37 S, R 9 W, Sec. 33 River Mile 39 County Josephine
Ownership: Public U. S. Forest Service
Private _____ Tax Lot No. _____
Number of owners _____

DESCRIPTION

Land type Rough and rolling - rock and gravel bars
Cover type Mixed coniferous and oak trees with brush
Road access Forest Service road, Condition Fair - gravel
High - winter
Flows Low - summer Water quality Good
Present stage of development Partial

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: _____ Acres, _____ of frontage
Type of conveyance _____

Development:

Boat ramp: Type Concrete Plank Number of lanes 1
Toilets _____ Trails _____ Roads _____
Parking area X; For _____ cars or 10 car-trailer units

This site provides road access to the river and as much river frontage for
bank angling as an angler cares to walk.

AREA II

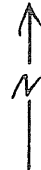
SITE # 2

FISHERY: A very popular winter steelhead bank angling area.

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Heavy	St			St
Medium				
Light			Sa	

(Sa - Salmon, St - Steelhead, Tr - Trout,
Sg - Sturgeon, Ww - Warm Water Fishes)

SKETCH

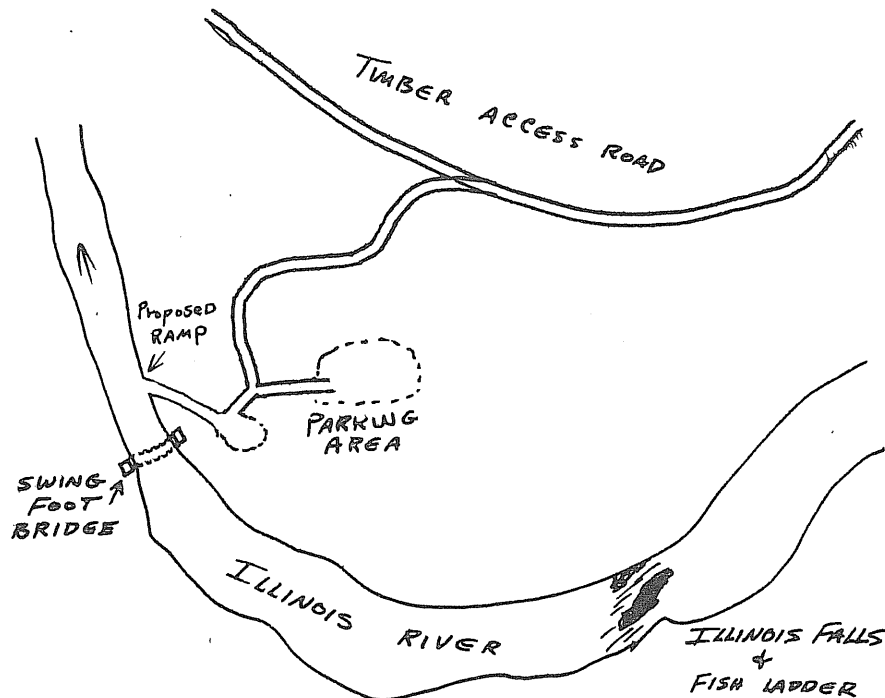


Seasons (Check)

RECREATION
(Check)

- Boating, motor
- Boating, non-motor
- Camping, tent
- Camping, trailer
- Fishing, boat
- Fishing, shore
- Hiking
- Horseback riding
- Hunting, big game
- Hunting, upland game
- Hunting, waterfowl
- * Nature study
- Picnicking
- ** Sightseeing
- Skin and scuba diving
- Swimming
- Water skiing
- * Rock formations
- Old mine sites
- ** Swing foot bridge

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
	X	X	X	X
	X	X	X	X
			X	X
			X	
	X	X	X	X
	X	X	X	
		X	X	



OTHER

Safety Problems: Swift water, experienced boatmen only.

Group Facilities:

REMARKS A swinging footbridge crosses the river at this point.

A 20 - foot falls is laddered for fish passage about .5 mile above the swing bridge. Boats could be launched here and drifted through if a take-out point is developed downstream.

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Illinois River System Site No. 3
II Area Priority A
Name Store Gulch

Location 8 miles west of Selma, North Bank

T 38 S, R 9 W, Sec. 1, 2, 3 River Mile 40-43 County Josephine

Ownership: Public U. S. Forest Service

Private _____ Tax Lot No. _____

Number of owners _____

DESCRIPTION

Land type Steep and broken - rocky gravel

Cover type Mixed coniferous and oak trees

Road access Forest Service road, Condition Fair - gravel

High - winter

Flows Low - summer Water quality Good

Present stage of development Small camping area

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: 1 Acres, _____ of frontage

Type of conveyance Agreement for development

Development:

Boat ramp: Type Concrete Number of lanes 1

Toilets X Trails _____ Roads _____

Parking area X; For _____ cars or 15 car-trailer units

This site provides three camping units with pit toilets and road access to
the river for about two miles.

AREA II

SITE # 3

FISHERY: Bank angling for winter steelhead

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Heavy				
Medium	St			St
Light		Tr	Tr	

(Sa - Salmon, St - Steelhead, Tr - Trout,
Sg - Sturgeon, Ww - Warm Water Fishes)

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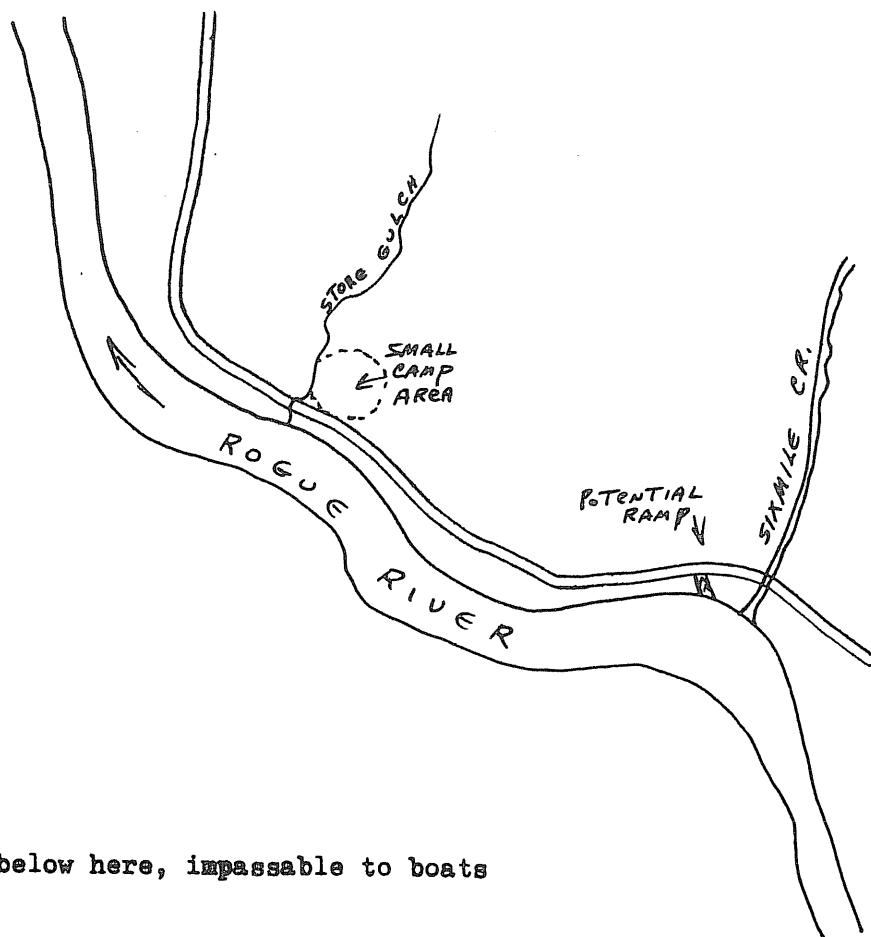
Seasons (Check)

RECREATION
(Check)

Boating, motor
Boating, non-motor
Camping, tent
Camping, trailer
Fishing, boat
Fishing, shore
Hiking
Horseback riding
Hunting, big game *
Hunting, upland game
Hunting, waterfowl
Nature study
Picnicking
Sightseeing
Skin and scuba diving
Swimming
Water skiing

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
	X	X	X	X
	X	X	X	X
	X	X	X	X
	X	X	X	
			X	X
	X	X	X	X
		X	X	

* Deer & bear



OTHER

Safety Problems: Illinois Falls below here, impassable to boats

Group Facilities:

REMARKS There is no angler access to the river between Deer Creek and Sixmile Creek as the road swings up on the mountain side.

The development of a take-out ramp facility near Sixmile Creek would provide 4 miles of additional drift boating below the proposed ramp at Deer Creek.

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Illinois River System Site No. 4
II Area Priority A
Name Deer Creek mouth

Location 4 miles west of Selma, Northeast Bank
T 38 S, R 8 W, Sec. 7 - 18 River Mile 46 County Josephine
Ownership: Public USA
Private _____ Tax Lot No. _____
Number of owners _____

DESCRIPTION

Land type Steep hillsides down to river bank - rocky soil
Cover type Oak trees and scattered brush
Road access Forest Service road, Condition Poor - dirt
High - winter
Flows Low - summer Water quality Good
Present stage of development Roads to the river

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: 1 Acres, _____ of frontage
Type of conveyance Agreement with Forest Service

Development:

Boat ramp: Type Concrete Number of lanes 1
Toilets X Trails _____ Roads X
Parking area X; For _____ cars or 10 car-trailer units
This site provides road access to the river for bank angling at the mouth of
Deer Creek. A road along the river upstream from Deer Creek pro-
vides bank access for a mile or so.

AREA II

SITE # 4

FISHERY: This is a popular winter steelhead area with angling limited to the bank by lack of boat access.

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Heavy				St
Medium	St			
Light			Sa	

(Sa - Salmon, St - Steelhead, Tr - Trout, Sg - Sturgeon, Ww - Warm Water Fishes)

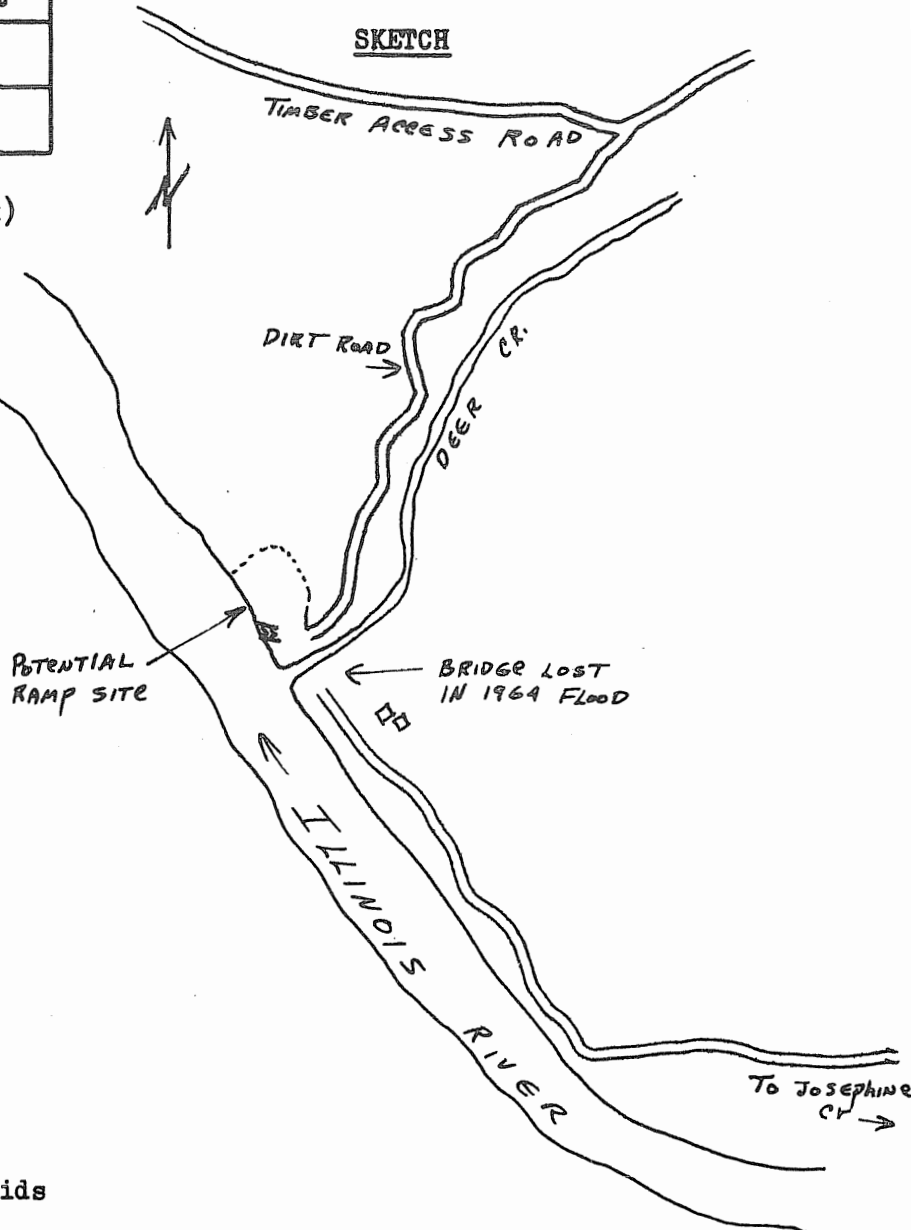
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Seasons (Check)

RECREATION
(Check)

Boating, motor
Boating, non-motor
Camping, tent
Camping, trailer
Fishing, boat
Fishing, shore
Hiking
Horseback riding
Hunting, big game
Hunting, upland game
Hunting, waterfowl
Nature study
Picnicking
Sightseeing
Skin and scuba diving
Swimming
Water skiing

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
	X			X
	X			X
		X	X	
			X	X
	X	X		



OTHER

Safety Problems: White water rapids

Group Facilities:

REMARKS With improvement of the dirt road shown above and construction of a ramp, 3 miles of river to the Illinois Bridge, or 8 miles to Kerby ramp would be opened up to drift-boat anglers. There is no established take-out point below this for boats.

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Illinois River System Site No. 5
II Area Priority A

Name Illinois Bridge at Josephine Creek

Location 4 miles northwest of Kerby, North & South Bank

T 38 S, R 8 W, Sec. 19, 30 River Mile 48 County Josephine

Ownership: Public U S A

Private _____ Tax Lot No. _____

Number of owners _____

DESCRIPTION

Land type Sloping - gravel and bedrock

Cover type Scattered pine trees

Road access Forest Service, Condition Good - gravel

High - winter

Flows Low - summer Water quality Good

Present stage of development Bridge across the Illinois

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: 1 Acres, _____ of frontage

Type of conveyance Purchase or long term lease for ramp site and parking

Development:

Boat ramp: Type Concrete Number of lanes 1

Toilets X Trails _____ Roads _____

Parking area X; For _____ cars or 10 car-trailer units

This site is used only by bank anglers at the present.

SITE # 5

FISHERY: This is a popular winter steelhead area with angling limited to the bank for lack of a ramp site. Some fall salmon angling is available.

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Heavy				St
Medium	St			
Light			Sa	

(Sa - Salmon, St - Steelhead, Tr - Trout,
Sg - Sturgeon, Ww - Warm Water Fishes)

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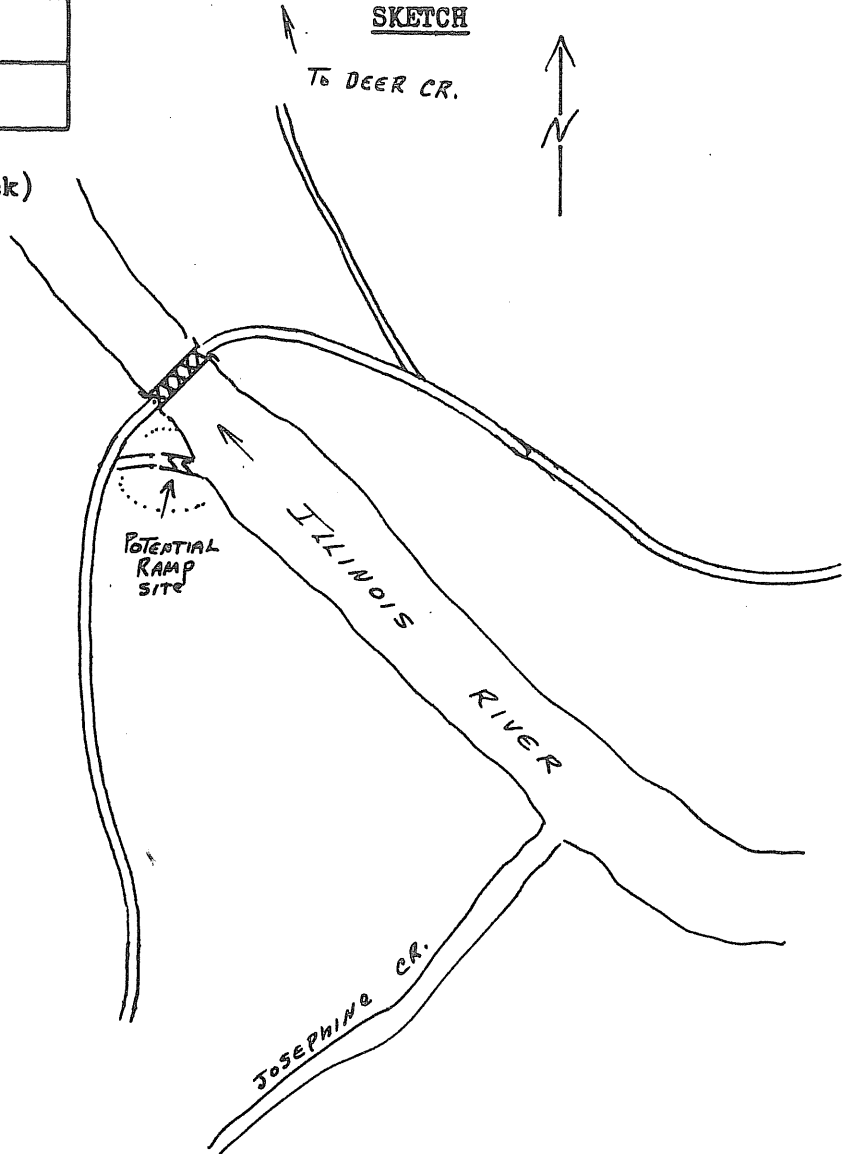
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Seasons (Check)

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RECREATION
(Check)

- Boating, motor
- Boating, non-motor
- Camping, tent
- Camping, trailer
- Fishing, boat
- Fishing, shore
- Hiking
- Horseback riding
- Hunting, big game
- Hunting, upland game
- Hunting, waterfowl
- Nature study
- Picnicking
- Sightseeing
- Skin and scuba diving
- Swimming
- Water skiing



OTHER

Safety Problems:

Group Facilities:

REMARKS

A small, but rough falls exists .75 mile above this site over which boats would have to pass to take out at this point. This would open up 5 miles of river to boats drifting down from the Kerby ramp. With the development of a ramp at Deer Creek, this would be a launch site for the 3-mile drift downstream.

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Illinois River System Site No. 6
II Area Priority B
Name Kerby Access

Location At Kerby, Northeast Bank
T 39 S, R 8 W, Sec. 4 River Mile 53 County Josephine
Ownership: Public County and state highway
Private _____ Tax Lot No. _____
Number of owners _____

DESCRIPTION

Land type Flat - sandy gravel
Cover type Scattered pine trees
Road access Off Highway 199, Condition Good
High - winter
Flows Low - summer Water quality Good
Present stage of development Gravel road and ramp in area

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: _____ Acres, _____ of frontage
Type of conveyance _____

Development:

Boat ramp: Type Concrete Number of lanes 1
Toilets X Trails _____ Roads _____
Parking area _____; For _____ cars or _____ car-trailer units
This site includes 40 acres and provides about .5 mile of river frontage
for a ramp site and bank angling.

AREA II

SITE # 6

FISHERY: Primarily a winter steelhead fishery from boats.

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Heavy				St
Medium			St	
Light			Sa	

(Sa - Salmon, St - Steelhead, Tr - Trout,
Sg - Sturgeon, Ww - Warm Water Fishes)

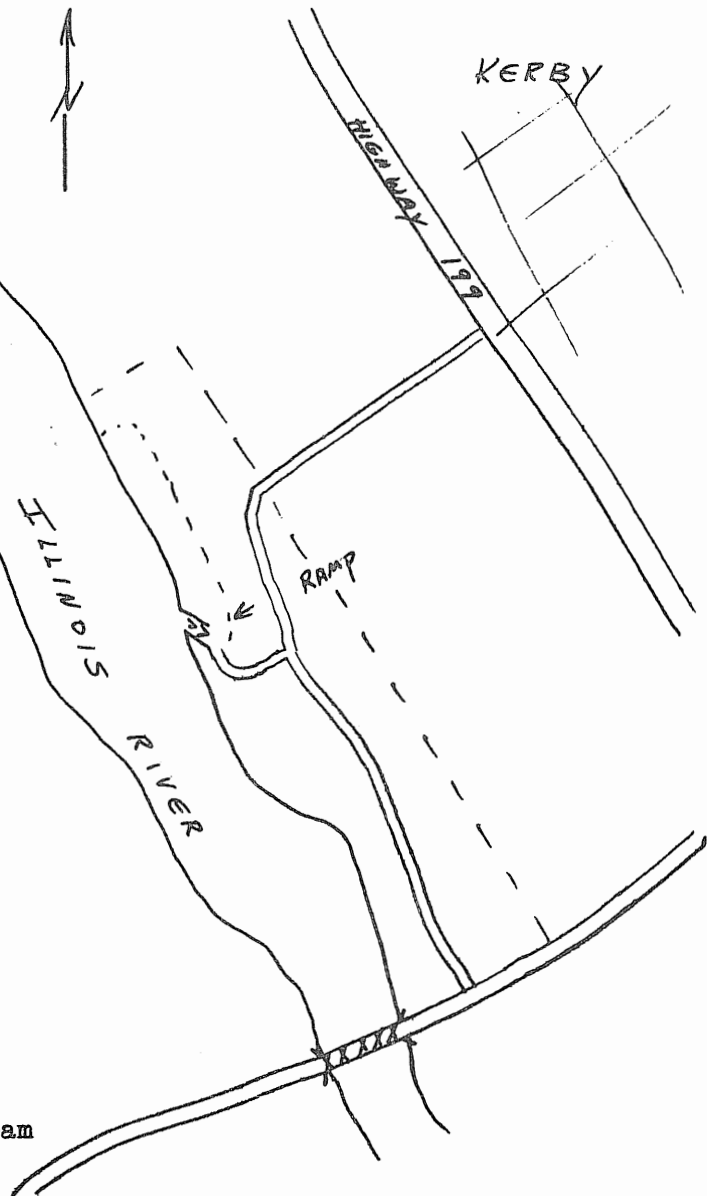
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Seasons (Check)

RECREATION
(Check)

Boating, motor
Boating, non-motor
Camping, tent
Camping, trailer
Fishing, boat
Fishing, shore
Hiking
Horseback riding
Hunting, big game
Hunting, upland game
Hunting, waterfowl
Nature study
Picnicking
Sightseeing
Skin and scuba diving
Swimming
Water skiing

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
	X		X	X
	X		X	X
			X	X
		X	X	
		X		



OTHER

Safety Problems: Rough falls 4 miles downstream

Group Facilities:

REMARKS A gravel ramp at this point is the only established ramp on the Illinois River. Most boaters put in at Pomeroy Dam through an irrigation canal or drag their boats to the river at other points above here. Only shallow draft power boats venture below this point as there is no take-out point at present.

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Illinois River System Site No. 7
II Area Priority A
Name Below Pomeroy Dam

Location 2 miles south of Kerby, West Bank
T 39 S, R 8 W, Sec. 17 River Mile 55.5 County Josephine

Ownership: Public _____
Private X Tax Lot No. 100, 300 (ramp site)
Number of owners 2

DESCRIPTION

Land type Flat - sandy gravel
Cover type Scattered brush
Road access Off county road, Condition Good - gravel
High - winter
Flows Low - summer Water quality Good
Present stage of development None

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: 1 Acres, 2,500 feet of frontage
Purchase one acre for ramp site; easement
Type of conveyance for bank angling

Development:

Boat ramp: Type Concrete Number of lanes 1
Toilets X Trails _____ Roads X
Parking area X; For _____ cars or 20 car-trailer units

This site provides about .5 mile of bank angling through trespass.

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Illinois River System Site No. 8
II Area Priority A
Name Pomeroy Dam

Location 3 miles southwest of Kerby, Southwest Bank
T 39 S, R 8 W, Sec. 20 River Mile 56 County Josephine

Ownership: Public _____
Private X Tax Lot No. 200
Number of owners 1

DESCRIPTION

Land type Sloping - clay gravel
Cover type Mixed trees and scattered brush
Road access County road, Condition Good - gravel
High - winter
Flows Low - summer Water quality Good
Present stage of development Dirt road to river

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: 1 Acres, _____ of frontage
Type of conveyance Easement for launching and parking

Development:

Boat ramp: Type _____ Number of lanes _____
Toilets _____ Trails _____ Roads _____
Parking area X; For _____ cars or 7 car-trailer units

This site is used to launch boats at the upper limit of the steelhead angling
area. This area is on private land and parking is limited to the
shoulder of the county road.

SITE # 8

FISHERY: Primarily boat and bank angling for winter steelhead. Some fall
salmon angling at points through this area.

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Heavy				St
Medium	St			
Light			Sa	

(Sa - Salmon, St - Steelhead, Tr - Trout,
Sg - Sturgeon, Ww - Warm Water Fishes)

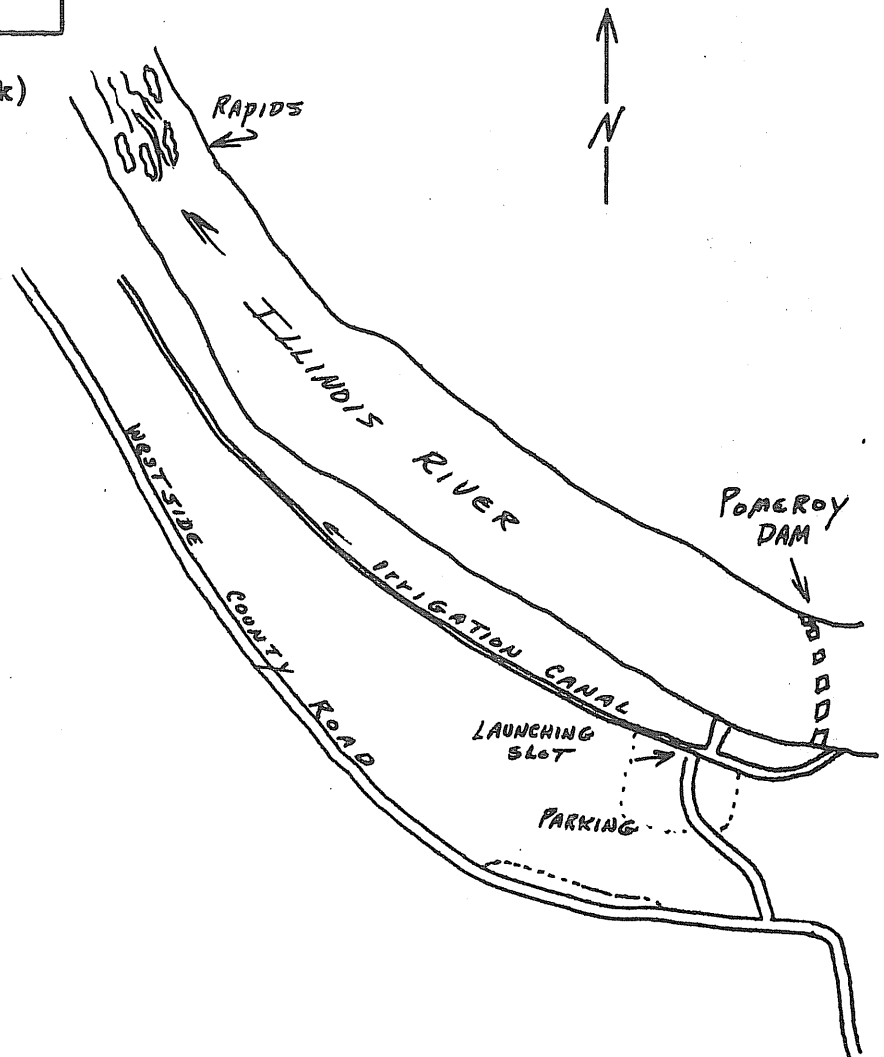
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Seasons (Check)

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RECREATION
(Check)

Boating, motor
Boating, non-motor
Camping, tent
Camping, trailer
Fishing, boat
Fishing, shore
Hiking
Horseback riding
Hunting, big game
Hunting, upland game
Hunting, waterfowl
Nature study
Picnicking
Sightseeing
Skin and scuba diving
Swimming
Water skiing



OTHER

Safety Problems: A rough rapids exists just below this launch site.

Group Facilities:

REMARKS Drift boats are launched into the irrigation ditch with difficulty and then lined over rocks through a side spill in the ditch. A rough rapids exists .25 mile below this point. This is the only launch site above Kerby and anglers must park on the road shoulder as parking is limited.

ILLINOIS RIVER

AREA III

This area includes Deer Creek and that portion of the Illinois headwaters above the Pomeroy Diversion Dam near Cave Junction.

Steelhead and salmon spawning stocks are protected in this area, therefore, trout provide the available angling during the regular season. The important trout water is found in the upper portions of Deer Creek, Sucker Creek and the two forks of the Illinois River. These waters are mostly inside government timberland and timber access roads follow most of the streams. A Bureau of Land Management recreation site on Deer Creek and Grayback Forest Camp on Sucker Creek provide camping, picnicking and sanitation facilities.

These sites, plus a state park and two county parks located closer to the forks area are considered to provide adequate access to this upper area at the present time.

Natural trout are supplemented by the Oregon Game Commission with 6,500 legal-sized rainbow each season at popular angling sites.

Information about the sites near Cave Junction is included in the following evaluation sheets.

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Illinois River System Site No. 1
III Area Priority Complete
Name Illinois State Park

Location 1 mile southwest of Cave Junction, Southeast Bank
T 39 S, R 8 W, Sec. 21 River Mile 57 County Josephine

Ownership: Public State Highway
Private _____ Tax Lot No. _____
Number of owners _____

DESCRIPTION

Land type Rolling - sandy loam
Cover type Mixed trees and scattered brush
Road access Off highway, Condition Good
High - winter
Flows Low - summer Water quality Good
Present stage of development Picnic and sanitation facilities

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: _____ Acres, _____ of frontage
Type of conveyance _____

Development:

Boat ramp: Type _____ Number of lanes _____
Toilets _____ Trails _____ Roads _____
Parking area _____; For _____ cars or _____ car-trailer units

This site provides one mile of frontage for bank angling on the West and East
Fork Illinois River.

AREA III

SITE # 1

FISHERY: Trout angling from the bank. Rainbow are stocked at this park during the early part of trout season.

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Heavy				
Medium	Tr			
Light		Tr		

(Sa - Salmon, St - Steelhead, Tr - Trout, Sg - Sturgeon, Ww - Warm Water Fishes)

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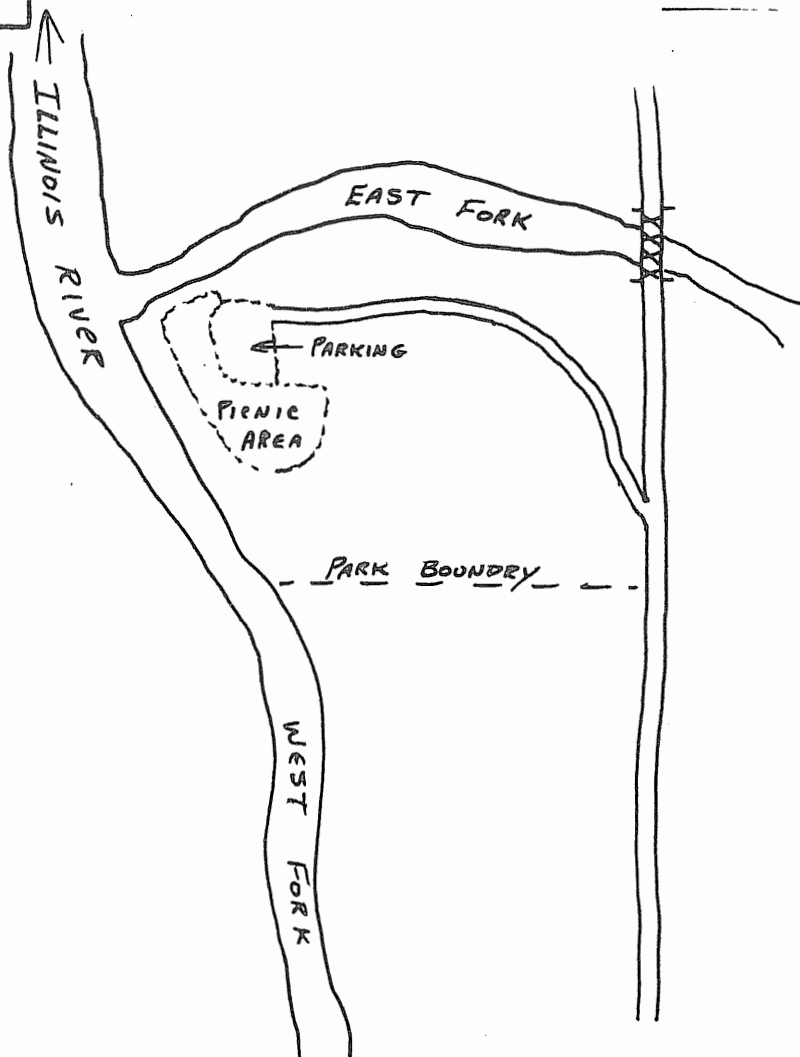
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Seasons (Check)

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
	X	X		
	X	X	X	
		X	X	

RECREATION
(Check)

- Boating, motor
- Boating, non-motor
- Camping, tent
- Camping, trailer
- Fishing, boat
- Fishing, shore
- Hiking
- Horseback riding
- Hunting, big game
- Hunting, upland game
- Hunting, waterfowl
- * Nature study
- Picnicking
- Sightseeing
- Skin and scuba diving
- Swimming
- Water skiing
- * Bird watching



OTHER

Safety Problems:

Group Facilities: Bus parking and group picnicking.

REMARKS

The park has adequate room for a camping development.

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

East Fork Illinois River System Site No. 2
III Area Priority Complete
Name Illinois Valley Park

Location 1 mile southeast of Cave Junction, North & South Bank
T 39 S, R 8 W, Sec. 27 River Mile 1.5 County Josephine

Ownership: Public County
Private _____ Tax Lot No. _____
Number of owners _____

DESCRIPTION

Land type Flat - sandy loam
Cover type Second growth fir timber - scattered brush
Road access County, Condition Good - gravel
High - winter
Flows Low - summer Water quality Good
Present stage of development Complete

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: _____ Acres, _____ of frontage
Type of conveyance _____

Development:

Boat ramp: Type _____ Number of lanes _____
Toilets _____ Trails _____ Roads _____
Parking area _____; For _____ cars or _____ car-trailer units
This site provides a shaded picnic area and toilets. Bank anglers have
access to about 1300 feet of river frontage.

AREA III

SITE # 2

FISHERY: Some trout angling from the bank.

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Heavy				
Medium				
Light	Tr	Tr		

(Sa - Salmon, St - Steelhead, Tr - Trout, Sg - Sturgeon, Ww - Warm Water Fishes)

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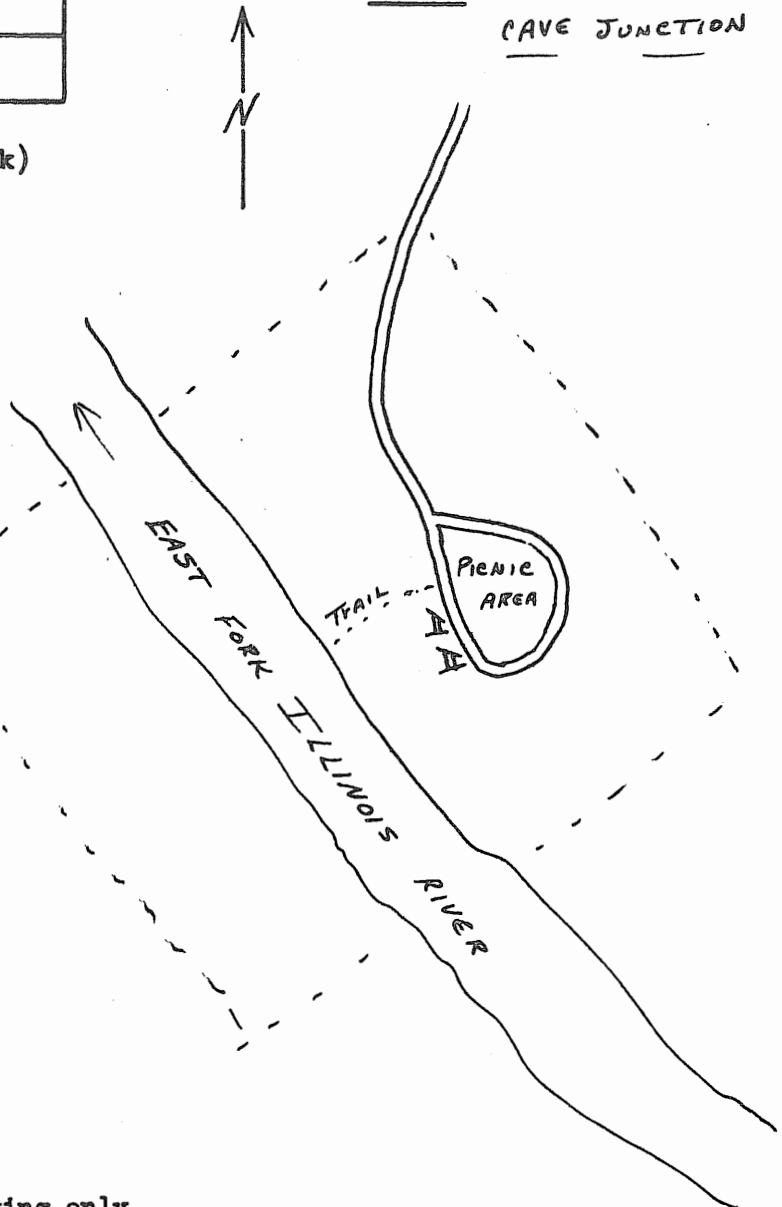
CAVE JUNCTION

Seasons (Check)

RECREATION
(Check)

Boating, motor
Boating, non-motor
Camping, tent
Camping, trailer
Fishing, boat
Fishing, shore
Hiking
Horseback riding
Hunting, big game
Hunting, upland game
Hunting, waterfowl
Nature study
Picnicking
Sightseeing
Skin and scuba diving
Swimming
Water skiing

Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
X	X		
X	X	X	
	X	X	



OTHER

Safety Problems:

Group Facilities: Group picnicking only.

REMARKS

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Illinois River System Site No. 3
III Area Priority C
Name West Fork Area

Location 3 miles southwest of Cave Junction, East Bank
T 40 S R 8 W, Sec. 5 River Mile 3 County Josephine
Ownership: Public County
Private Tax Lot No.
Number of owners

DESCRIPTION

Land type Flat - Sandy loam
Cover type Cedar and pine grove - scattered brush
Road access Off Highway 199, Condition Good
High-winter
Flows Low-summer Water quality Good
Present stage of development None

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: Acres, of frontage
Type of conveyance

Development:

Boat ramp: Type Number of lanes
Toilets X Trails Roads
Parking area X; For 10 cars or car-trailer units
This site provides about 600 feet of river frontage for potential trout
angling.

SITE # 3

FISHERY: No angling at this site at present.

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Heavy				
Medium				
Light	Tr	Tr		

(Sa - Salmon, St - Steelhead, Tr - Trout,
Sg - Sturgeon, Ww - Warm Water Fishes)

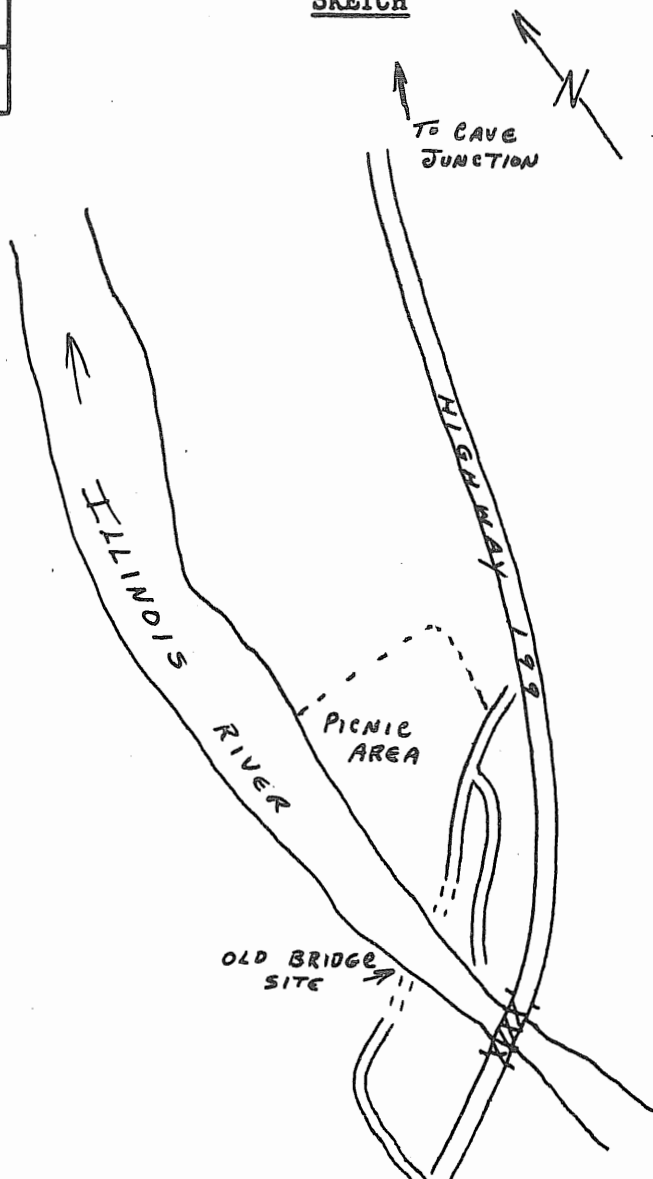
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TO CAVE
JUNCTION

Seasons (Check)

RECREATION
(Check)

- Boating, motor
- Boating, non-motor
- Camping, tent
- Camping, trailer
- Fishing, boat
- Fishing, shore
- Hiking
- Horseback riding
- Hunting, big game
- Hunting, upland game
- Hunting, waterfowl
- Nature study
- Picnicking
- Sightseeing
- Skin and scuba diving
- Swimming
- Water skiing

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OTHER

Safety Problems:

Group Facilities: Bus parking and group picnicking in the future.

REMARKS

This 3-acre site is covered with nice trees and the county plans to develop the area for picnicking.

APPLEGATE RIVER

The Applegate valley makes up 15 percent of the total Rogue Basin. The main stem is 51 miles long and the tributary system drains the south central portion of the Rogue Basin. After heading in the mountains along the California-Oregon border, the Applegate flows generally northwest to join the Rogue River six miles west of Grants Pass. While the upper watershed is generally steep, the lower 40 miles of the Applegate has a relatively moderate gradient with gentle rapids.

Road access in the basin is good with paved roads following most of the main stem and timber access roads branching into the tributary system. Private ownership dominates the stream frontage in the lower 40-mile section, while the Rogue River National Forest is situated in the upper watershed.

The fishery in this system is primarily a late winter steelhead fishery from the bank. The stream was closed to boat angling 14 years ago and will likely remain so for at least the immediate future. Steelhead anglers from the Grants Pass and Medford area exert heavy pressure on the 34 miles of the stream open to this fishery. Trout angling in the upper watershed opens strongly, but slows to a camper-tourist fishery later in the season. Hatchery trout are planted to supplement the wild fish stock.

APPLEGATE RIVER

AREA I

Area I includes the lower 34 miles of the main stem Applegate River. The stream is characteristically gravel-bottomed and flows alternately through small valleys and timbered hills. Irrigation diversions reduce the summer flow to an extremely low level.

The important fishery in this section is winter steelhead with heavy pressure occurring during the late winter months. Anglers from the Medford and Grants Pass areas currently utilize most of the river frontage that provides access. A good portion of this access is on private land with implied or expressed consent. As boat angling is prohibited, it is very important that the more popular bank angling sites be acquired to assure future public access. Six such sites are recommended for acquisition along with development of frontage that is now in public ownership.

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Applegate River System Site No. 1
I Area Priority B
Name Applegate River mouth

Location 6 miles west of Grants Pass, East Bank
T 36S, R 6 W, Sec. 20 River Mile 1 County Josephine
Ownership: Public State Highway
Private X Tax Lot No. 2,600
Number of owners 1

DESCRIPTION

Land type Flat - sandy gravel soil
Cover type Scattered trees and brush
Road access Private, Condition Good - dirt
High - winter
Flows Low - summer Water quality Good
Present stage of development Road into area for gravel removal.

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: _____ Acres, 1,700 feet of frontage
Type of conveyance Purchase for bank angling

Development:

Boat ramp: Type _____ Number of lanes _____
Toilets _____ Trails _____ Roads _____
Parking area X; For _____ cars or 10 car-trailer units

This site is used by bank anglers on private land for about a mile up the
bank from the mouth. Purchase of tax lot No. 2,600 would
provide 1,700 feet of bank angling.

AREA I

SITE # 1

FISHERY: This is a popular bank angling area for winter steelhead.

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Heavy				St
Medium	St			
Light	Tr			

(Sa - Salmon, St - Steelhead, Tr - Trout, Sg - Sturgeon, Ww - Warm Water Fishes)

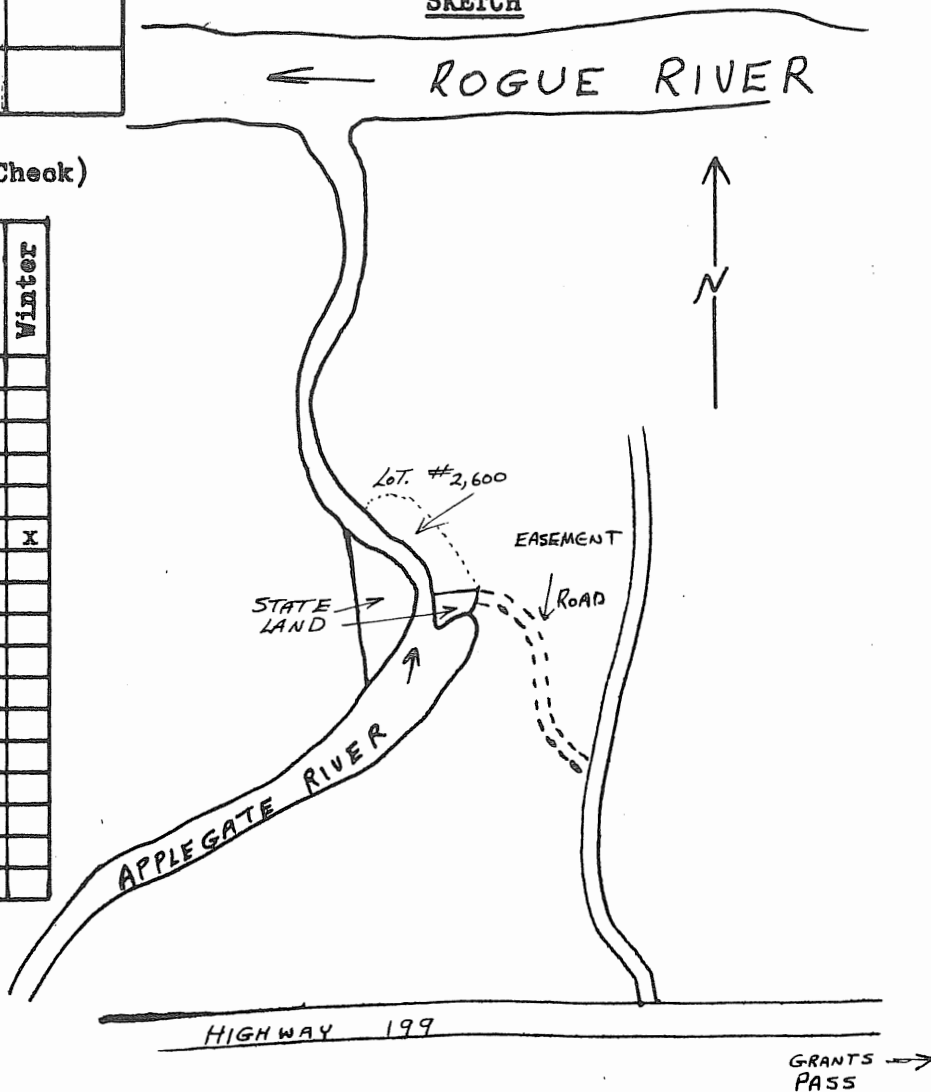
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Seasons (Check)

RECREATION
(Check)

- Boating, motor
- Boating, non-motor
- Camping, tent
- Camping, trailer
- Fishing, boat
- Fishing, shore
- Hiking
- Horseback riding
- Hunting, big game
- Hunting, upland game
- Hunting, waterfowl
- * Nature study
- Picnicking
- Sightseeing
- Skin and scuba diving
- Swimming
- Water skiing
- * Rock hounding

Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
X			X
X	X	X	



OTHER

Safety Problems:

Group Facilities:

REMARKS The state owns about 40 acres of land which lies mostly on the west bank, but reaches across to the east bank providing 400 feet of frontage. An easement road into this property provides for gravel removal.

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Applegate _____ System _____ Site No. 2
I _____ Area _____ Priority Complete
Name Redwood Highway Bridge

Location 1 mile northeast of Wilderville, Both Banks
T 36 S, R 6 W, Sec. 19 River Mile 3 County Josephine
Ownership: Public _____ State Highway _____
Private _____ Tax Lot No. _____
Number of owners _____

DESCRIPTION

Land type Mostly flat - sandy gravel soil
Cover type Scattered deciduous trees and scattered brush
Road access Off Highway 199, Condition Good
High - winter
Flows Low - summer Water quality Good
Present stage of development Gravel road into gravel removal site

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: _____ Acres, _____ of frontage
Type of conveyance _____

Development:

Boat ramp: Type _____ Number of lanes _____
Toilets X Trails _____ Roads _____
Parking area _____; For _____ cars or _____ car-trailer units
This site provides 4,800 feet on the west bank and 2,400 feet on the east
bank for angler access.

AREA I

SITE # 2

FISHERY: Popular bank angling area for steelhead.

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Heavy				St
Medium	St			
Light	Tr			

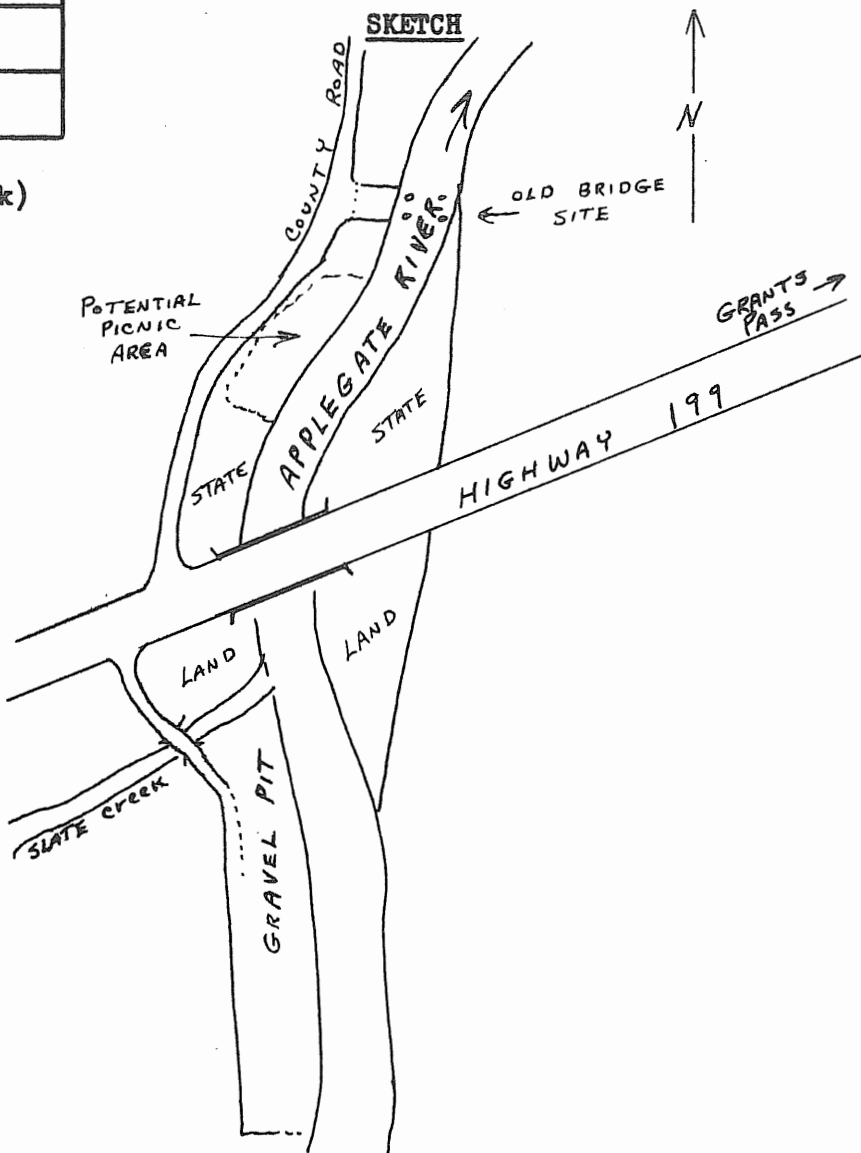
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Seasons (Check)

RECREATION
(Check)

Boating, motor
Boating, non-motor
Camping, tent
Camping, trailer
Fishing, boat
Fishing, shore
Hiking
Horseback riding
Hunting, big game
Hunting, upland game
Hunting, waterfowl
Nature study
Picnicking
Sightseeing
Skin and scuba diving
Swimming
Water skiing

Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
X			X
	X	X	
	X	X	



OTHER

Safety Problems:

Group Facilities:

REMARKS The State Highway owns 52 acres in this area. The best area for picnic development is noted in the sketch. A steep bank limits parking to the road shoulder at this point.

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Applegate River System Site No. 3

I Area Priority Complete

Name Fish Hatchery Recreation Area

Location 4 miles southeast of Wilderville, North & south Bank

T 37S, R 6 W, Sec. 16 River Mile 7 County Josephine

Ownership: Public County

Private County Tax Lot No. County

Number of owners County

DESCRIPTION

Land type Mostly flat - gravel loam soil

Cover type Mixed coniferous and deciduous trees - scattered brush

Road access Off county roads, Condition Good to fair in summer
High - winter

Flows Low - summer Water quality Good

Present stage of development Dirt roads and pit toilets

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: County Acres, County of frontage

Type of conveyance County

Development:

Boat ramp: Type County Number of lanes County

Toilets County Trails County Roads County

Parking area County; For County cars or County car-trailer units

This site provides angler access to both banks for a distance of one mile.

AREA I

SITE # 3

FISHERY: Primarily winter steelhead angling from the bank.

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Heavy				
Medium				St
Light	St Tr			

(Sa - Salmon, St - Steelhead, Tr - Trout,
Sg - Sturgeon, Ww - Warm Water Fishes)

SKETCH

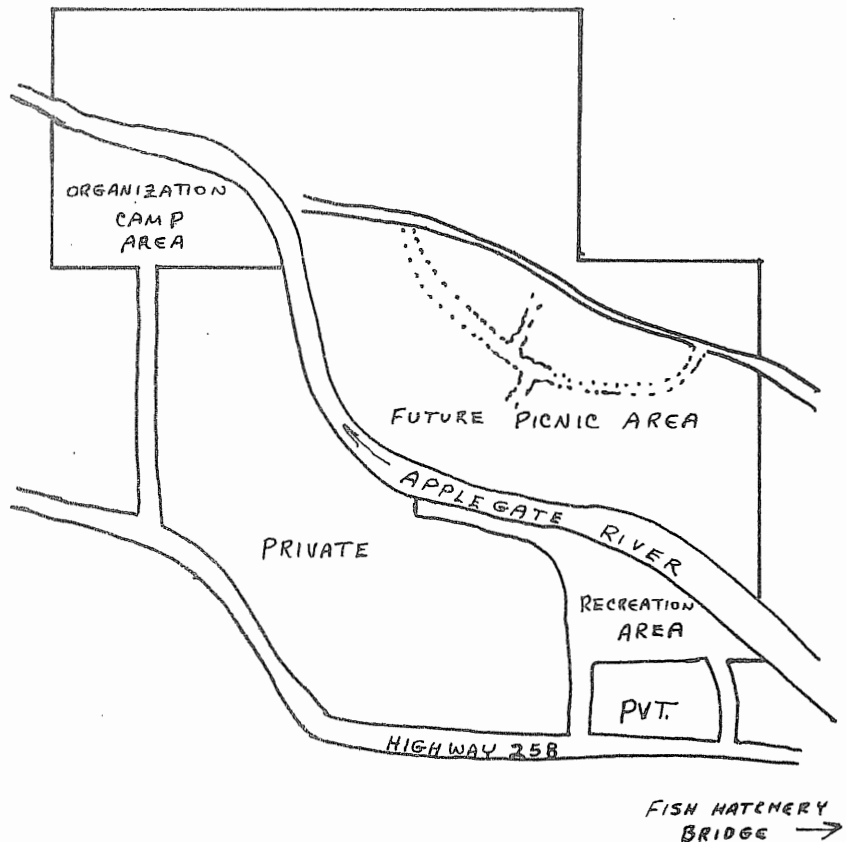
Seasons (Check)

RECREATION
(Check)

Boating, motor
Boating, non-motor
Camping, tent
Camping, trailer
Fishing, boat
Fishing, shore
Hiking
Horseback riding
Hunting, big game
Hunting, upland game
Hunting, waterfowl
* Nature study
Picnicking
Sightseeing
Skin and scuba diving
Swimming
Water skiing

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
	X			X
	X	X	X	
	X	X	X	
	X	X	X	
	X	X	X	
		X	X	

* Rock hounding



OTHER

Safety Problems:

Group Facilities: Bus parking; group picnicking in the future.

REMARKS The site contains 179 acres for development as pictured on the above sketch. The recreation area is partially completed at present.

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Applegate System Site No. 4
I Area Priority C
Name Murphy Gravel Pit

Location 1 mile east of Murphy, North & south Bank
6 W 24
T 37 S, R 5 W, Sec. 19 River Mile 12 County Josephine

Ownership: Public County
Private Tax Lot No.
Number of owners

DESCRIPTION

Land type Flat - sandy gravel soil
Cover type Deciduous trees and heavy brush
Road access Off county road, Condition Good
High - winter
Flows Low - summer Water quality Good to fair in summer
Present stage of development Gravel road into area

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: Acres, of frontage
Type of conveyance

Development:

Boat ramp: Type Number of lanes
Toilets X Trails Roads
Parking area ; For cars or car-trailer units
This site provides 3,200 feet of frontage on both banks for anglers.

AREA I

SITE # 4

FISHERY: This is a popular area for winter steelhead bank anglers.

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Heavy				St
Medium	St			
Light	Tr			

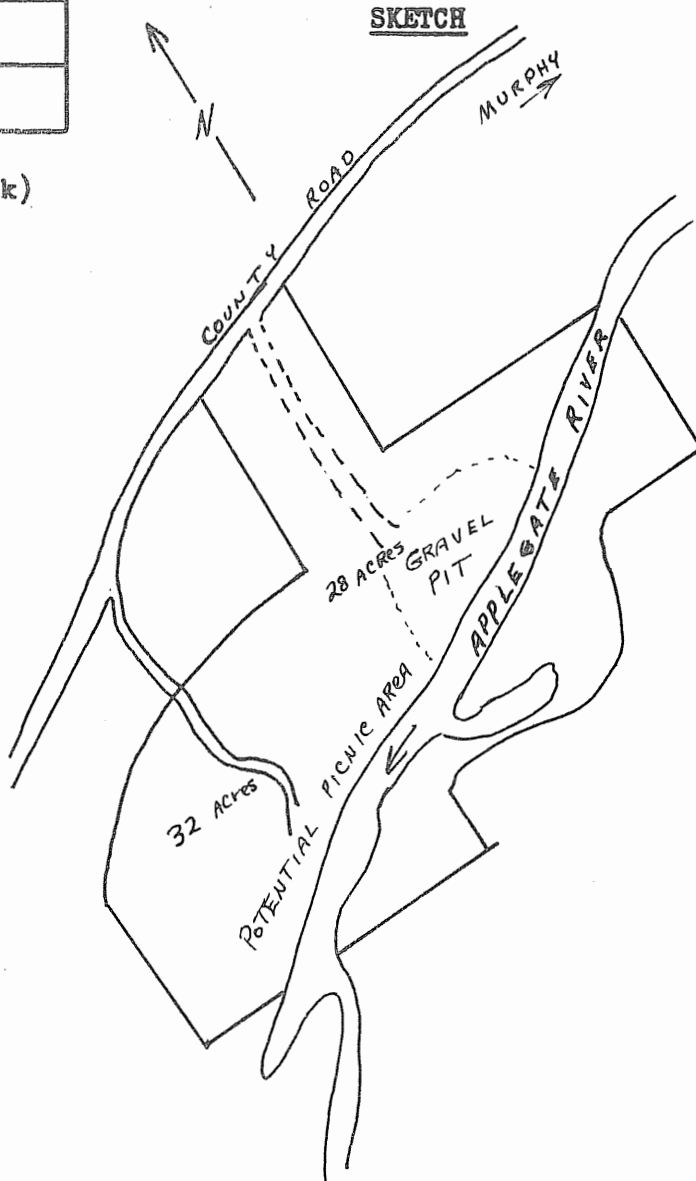
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Seasons (Check)

RECREATION
(Check)

- Boating, motor
- Boating, non-motor
- Camping, tent
- Camping, trailer
- Fishing, boat
- Fishing, shore
- Hiking
- Horseback riding
- Hunting, big game
- * Hunting, upland game
- Hunting, waterfowl
- ** Nature study
- Picnicking
- Sightseeing
- Skin and scuba diving
- Swimming
- Water skiing
- * Quail
- ** Rock Hounding and biology

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
	X			X
			X	
			X	
	X	X	X	
	X	X	X	
		X	X	



OTHER

Safety Problems:

Group Facilities: Bus parking; picnicking if developed

REMARKS Potential for picnic area development. Parts of the area are subject to flooding.

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Applegate River System Site No. 5
I Area Priority B
Name Murphy Bridge Area

Location At Murphy, North & south Bank
T 37S, R 5 W, Sec. 19 River Mile 13 County Josephine

Ownership: Public _____
Private X Tax Lot No. 100, 500, 1,800
Number of owners 3

DESCRIPTION

Land type Flat - sandy loam soil
Cover type Groves of mixed trees - tangled brush patches
Road access Off county road, Condition Good
High - winter
Flows Low - summer Water quality Good
Present stage of development None

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: _____ Acres, 3,000 feet of frontage
Type of conveyance Purchase access points for bank angling.

Development:

Boat ramp: Type _____ Number of lanes _____
Toilets _____ Trails _____ Roads _____
Parking area _____; For _____ cars or _____ car-trailer units
This site is presently used by bank anglers on private land.

SITE # 5

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Heavy				St

(Sa - Salmon, St - Steelhead, Tr - Trout,
Sg - Sturgeon, Ww - Warm Water Fishes)

Light

Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
			St
St			
Tr			

Seasons (Cheek)

RECREATION
(Check)

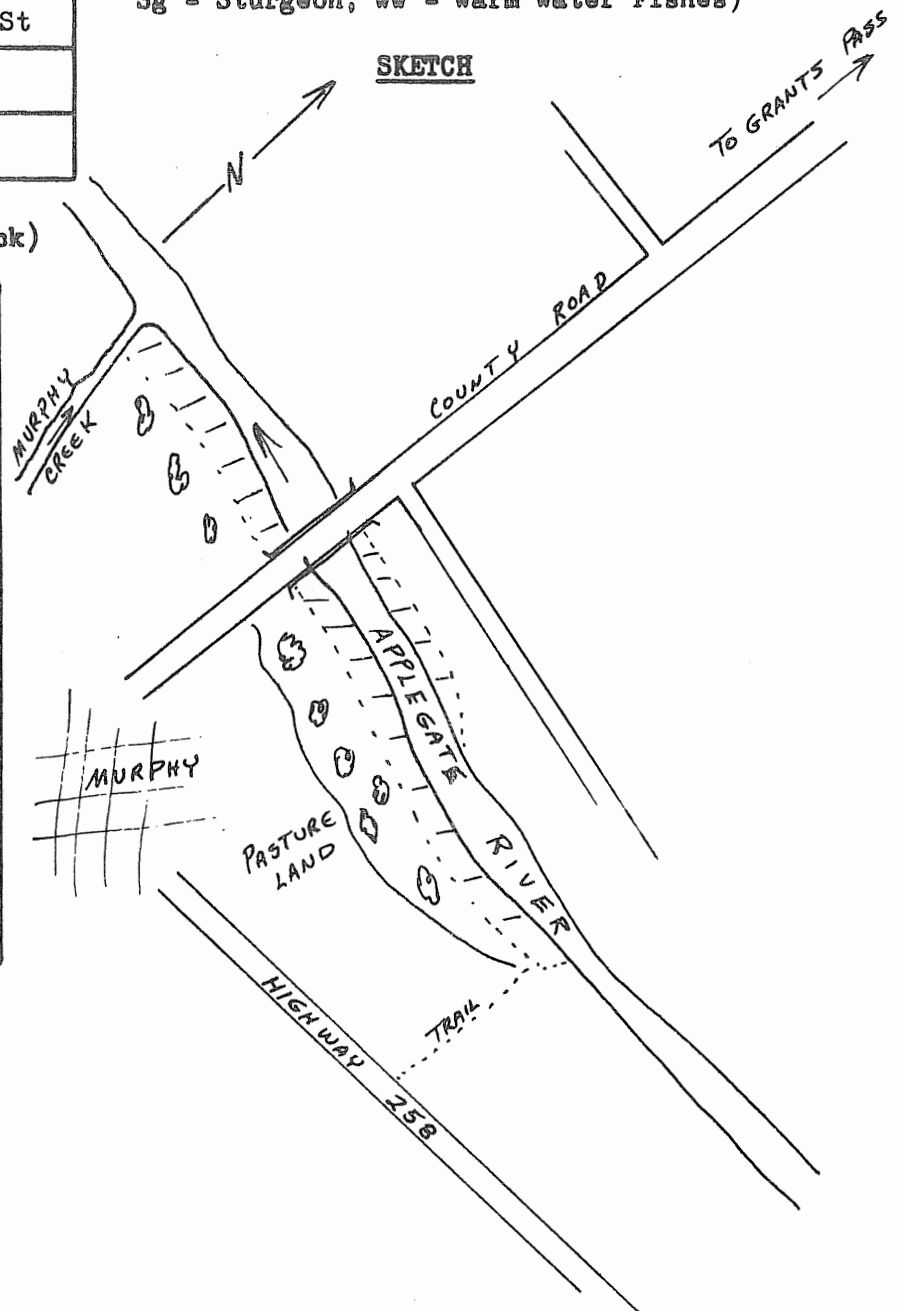
<u>RECREATION</u> (Check)	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Boating, motor				
Boating, non-motor				
Camping, tent				
Camping, trailer				
Fishing, boat				
Fishing, shore	X			X
Hiking				
Horseback riding				
Hunting, big game				
Hunting, upland game				
Hunting, waterfowl				
Nature study				
Picnicking				
Sightseeing				
Skin and scuba diving				
Swimming		X	X	
Water skiing				

OTHER

Safety Problems:

Group Facilities:

REMARKS Parking along the road shoulders could be improved by widening.



WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Applegate River System Site No. 6
I Area Priority Complete
Name Applegate Park

Location 1 mile east of Murphy, North & south Bank
T 37 S, R 5 W, Sec. 20 River Mile 14 County Josephine
Ownership: Public State and county
Private Tax Lot No.
Number of owners

DESCRIPTION

Land type Flat along river - sandy loam soil
Cover type Mixed coniferous and deciduous trees - scattered brush
Road access Off highway, Condition Good
High - winter
Flows Low - summer Water quality Good to fair in summer
Present stage of development Parking area and pit toilet on the county parcel.

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: Acres, of frontage
Type of conveyance

Development:

Boat ramp: Type Number of lanes
Toilets Trails Roads
Parking area ; For cars or car-trailer units
This site provides 2,200 feet of frontage on the south bank for angling.

AREA I

SITE # 6

FISHERY: Primarily winter steelhead angling from the bank.

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Heavy				St
Medium	St			
Light	Tr			

(Sa - Salmon, St - Steelhead, Tr - Trout,
Sg - Sturgeon, Ww - Warm Water Fishes)

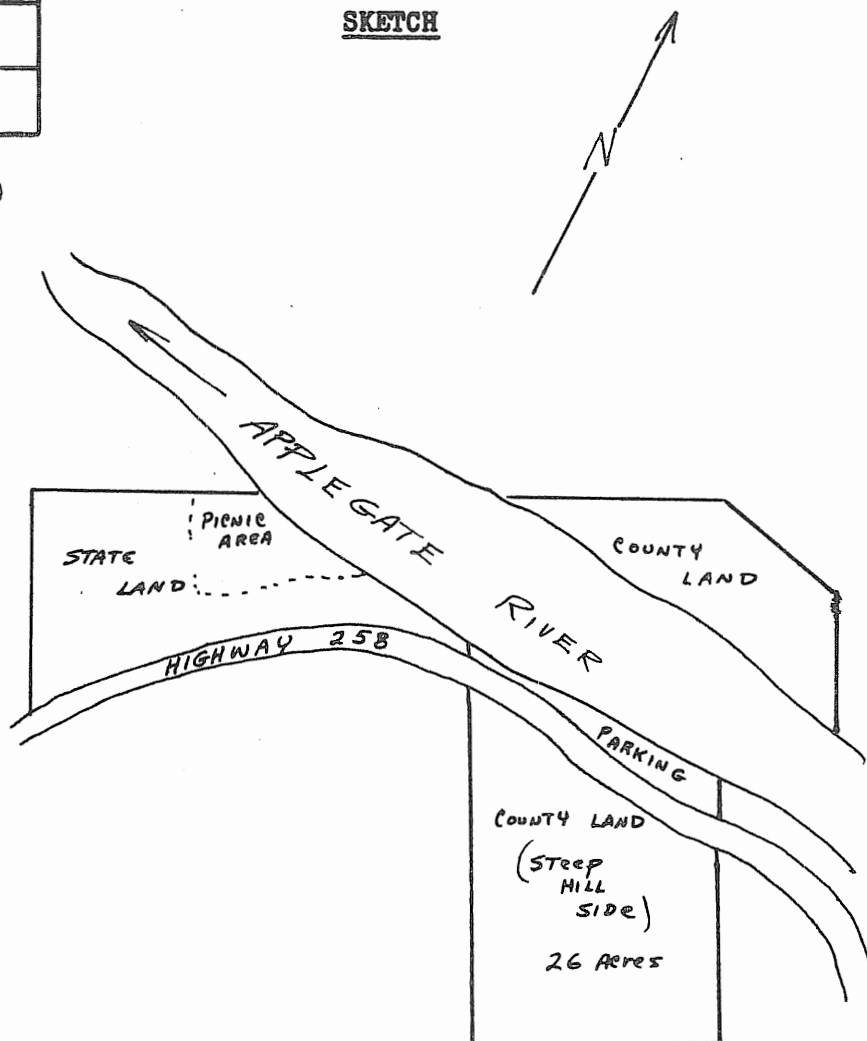
SKETCH

Seasons (Check)

RECREATION
(Check)

Boating, motor
Boating, non-motor
Camping, tent
Camping, trailer
Fishing, boat
Fishing, shore
Hiking
Horseback riding
Hunting, big game
Hunting, upland game
Hunting, waterfowl
Nature study
Picnicking
Sightseeing
Skin and scuba diving
Swimming
Water skiing

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
	X			X
	X	X	X	
			X	X
	X	X	X	
		X	X	



OTHER

Safety Problems:

Group Facilities: Bus parking

REMARKS

A small picnic area could be developed on the highway parcel. The county land on the south side of the river is too steep for development, but is suitable for hunting and hiking. The three pieces shown in the sketch cover about 43 acres. The parcel on the north bank is quite brushy and has no road access over private land.

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Applegate River System Site No. 7
I Area Priority B
Name Car Body Hole

Location 3 miles southeast of Murphy, North Bank
T 37 S, R 5 W, Sec. 27 River Mile 16 County Josephine

Ownership: Public _____
Private X Tax Lot No. 300,400
Number of owners 2

DESCRIPTION

Land type Wood lot and pasture land - sandy loam soil
Cover type Scattered trees and brush patches
Road access Off County road, Condition Good
High - winter
Flows Low - summer Water quality Good
Private road to river on lower part.
Present stage of development Trail to river at upper end.

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: _____ Acres, 3,000 feet of frontage
Type of conveyance Easement for bank angling

Development:

Boat ramp: Type _____ Number of lanes _____
Toilets X Trails _____ Roads _____
Parking area _____; For _____ cars or _____ car-trailer units
This site is presently used by bank anglers on private land.

SITE # 7

FISHERY: Preferred bank angling area for winter steelhead.

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Heavy				St
Medium	St			
Light	Tr			

(Sa - Salmon, St - Steelhead, Tr - Trout,
Sg - Sturgeon, Ww - Warm Water Fishes)

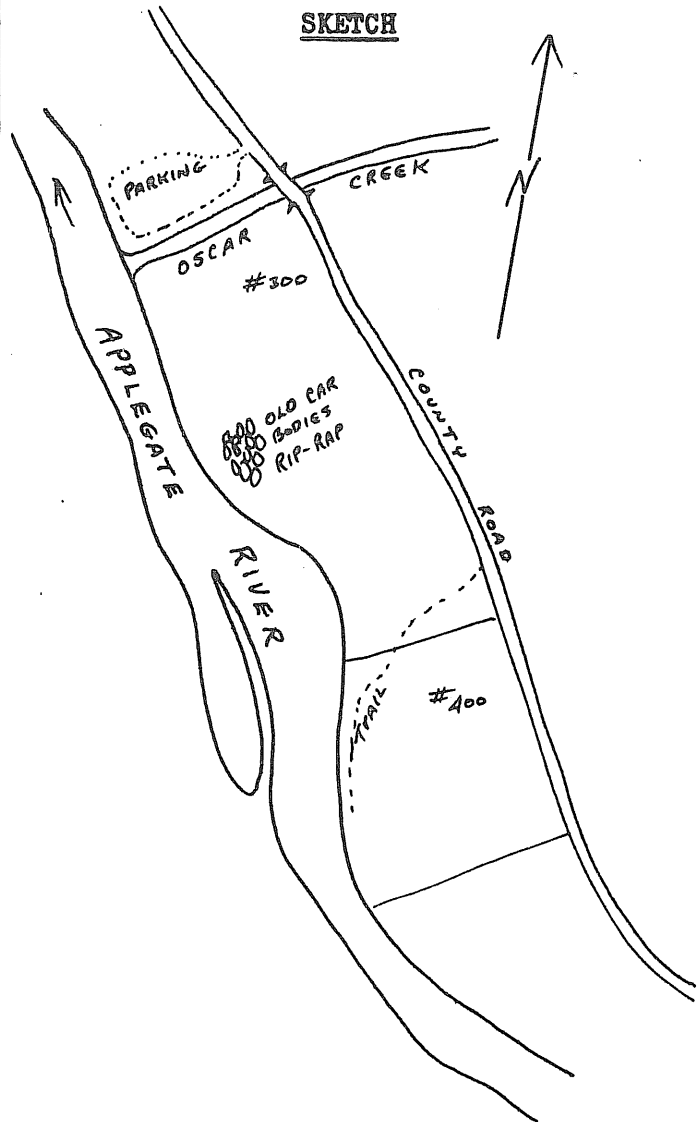
Seasons (Check)

RECREATION
(Check)

Boating, motor
Boating, non-motor
Camping, tent
Camping, trailer
Fishing, boat
Fishing, shore
Hiking
Horseback riding
Hunting, big game
Hunting, upland game
Hunting, waterfowl
Nature study
Picnicking
Sightseeing
Skin and scuba diving
Swimming
Water skiing

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SKETCH



OTHER

Safety Problems:

Group Facilities:

REMARKS Parking could be made available as denoted through easement.
Anglers currently park on the road shoulder.

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Applegate River System Site No. 8
I Area Priority B
Name Dike area

Location 4.5 miles southeast of Murphy, North Bank
T 37S, R 5W, Sec. 27 River Mile 17 County Josephine

Ownership: Public _____
Private X Tax Lot No. 500
Number of owners 1

DESCRIPTION

Land type Flat pastures - Sandy gravel along stream
Cover type Scattered thickets of deciduous brush
Road access Off county road, Condition Good
High - winter
Flows Low - summer Water quality Good
Present stage of development Gravel road along river on dike

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: _____ Acres, 1,500 feet of frontage
Type of conveyance Easement for bank angling and parking.

Development:

Boat ramp: Type _____ Number of lanes _____
Toilets _____ Trails _____ Roads _____
Parking area _____; For _____ cars or _____ car-trailer units
This site is presently used by bank anglers on private land.

SITE # 8

FISHERY: This is another popular bank angling area for winter steelhead.

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Heavy				
Medium				St
Light	St			

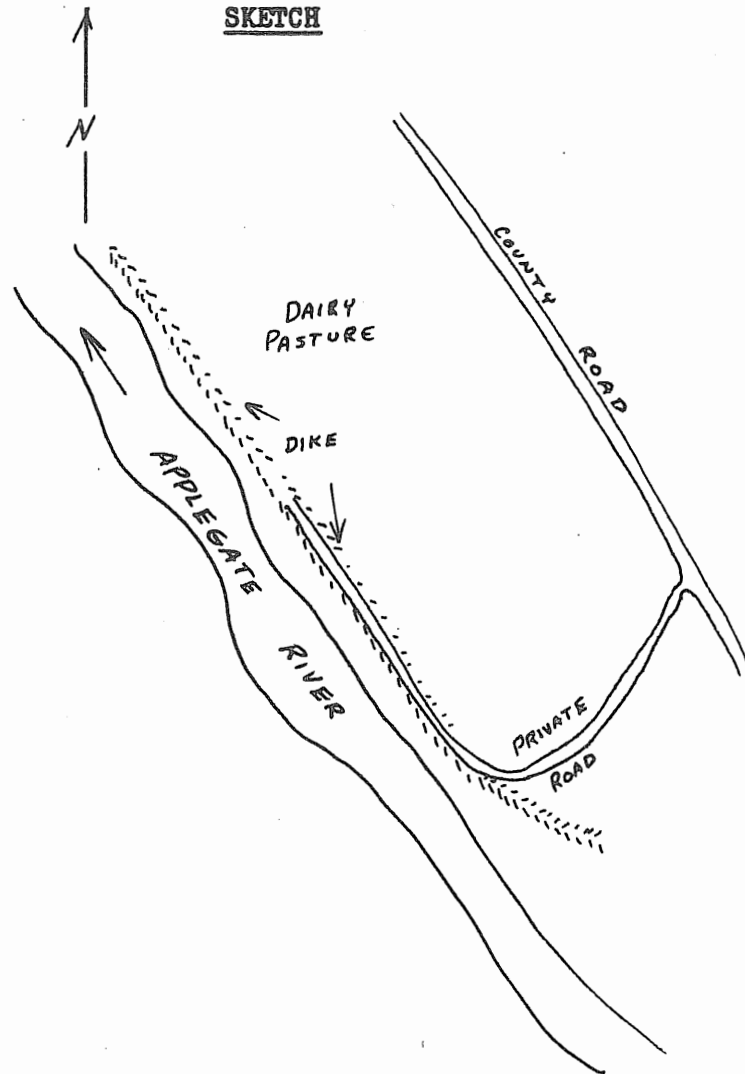
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Sg - Sturgeon, Ww - Warm Water Fishes)

SKETCH

Seasons (Check)

RECREATION
(Check)

- Boating, motor
- Boating, non-motor
- Camping, tent
- Camping, trailer
- Fishing, boat
- Fishing, shore
- Hiking
- Horseback riding
- Hunting, big game
- Hunting, upland game
- Hunting, waterfowl
- Nature study
- Picnicking
- Sightseeing
- Skin and scuba diving
- Swimming
- Water skiing

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OTHER

Safety Problems:

Group Facilities:

REMARKS Some parking is available on the gravel dike.

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Applegate System Site No. 9
I Area Priority B
Name Williams Creek Area

Location 1 mile northwest of Provolt, Both Banks
36 S 5 W 1
T 37 S, R 5 W, Sec. 35 River Mile 19 County Josephine

Ownership: Public _____
Private X Tax Lot No. 300,400, 501
Number of owners 2

DESCRIPTION

Land type Flat - sandy loam soil
Cover type Fields bordered with brush thickets
Road access Off Highway 258, Condition Good
High - winter
Flows Low - summer Water quality Good
Present stage of development None

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: _____ Acres, 3,400 feet of frontage
Type of conveyance Easement for bank angling

Development:

Boat ramp: Type _____ Number of lanes _____
Toilets _____ Trails _____ Roads _____
Parking area _____; For _____ cars or _____ car-trailer units
This site presently used by bank anglers on private land.

SITE # 9

FISHERY: This is a preferred bank angling area for winter steelhead.

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Heavy				St
Medium	St			
Light	Tr			

(Sa - Salmon, St - Steelhead, Tr - Trout,
Sg - Sturgeon, Ww - Warm Water Fishes)

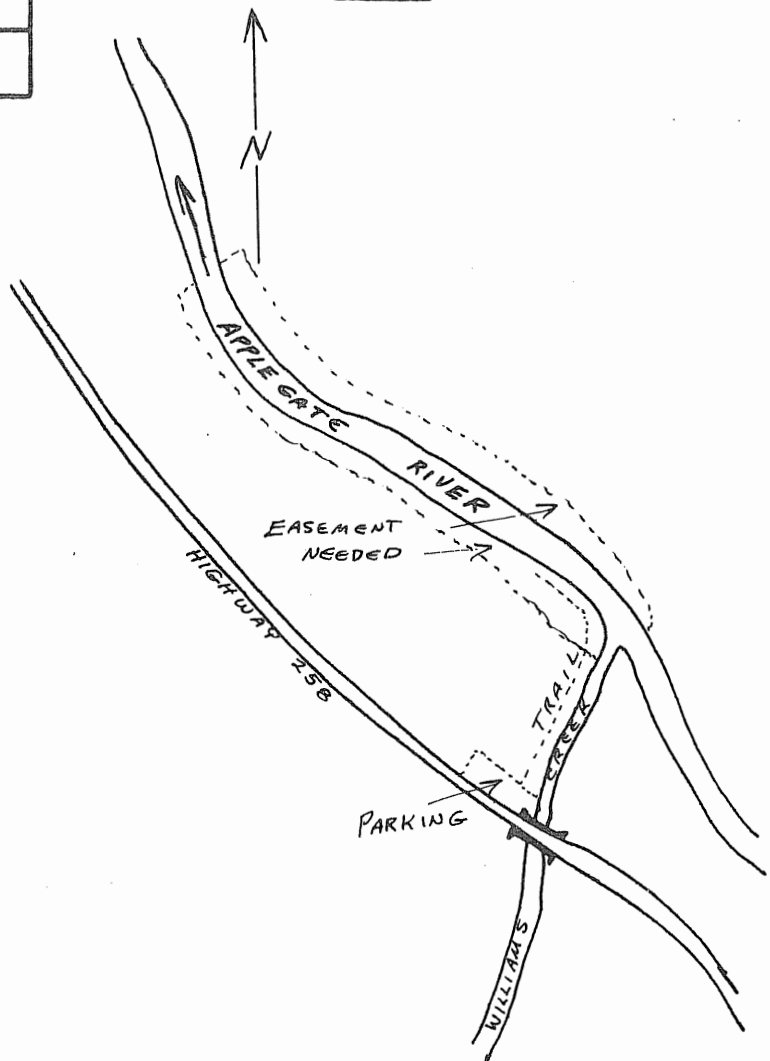
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Seasons (Check)

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RECREATION
(Check)

- Boating, motor
- Boating, non-motor
- Camping, tent
- Camping, trailer
- Fishing, boat
- Fishing, shore
- Hiking
- Horseback riding
- Hunting, big game
- Hunting, upland game
- Hunting, waterfowl
- Nature study
- Picnicking
- Sightseeing
- Skin and scuba diving
- Swimming
- Water skiing



OTHER

Safety Problems:

Group Facilities:

REMARKS The parking denoted is private but used by anglers.

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Applegate River System Site No. 10
I Area Priority B
Name Carney Nursery Area

Location One half mile west of Applegate, North & south Bank
T 38 S, R 4 W, Sec. 21 River Mile 24 County Jackson

Ownership: Public
Private X Tax Lot No. 100, 500, 600
Number of owners 3

DESCRIPTION

Land type Sloping - rocky loam soil
Cover type Mixed trees and scattered brush
Road access State and private, Condition Good
High - winter
Flows Low - summer Water quality Good
Present stage of development Dirt road into river on north bank

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: _____ Acres, 2,000 feet of frontage
Purchase for angling on both banks.
Type of conveyance Easement over private road on north bank.

Development:

Boat ramp: Type _____ Number of lanes _____
Toilets _____ Trails _____ Roads _____
Parking area _____; For _____ cars or _____ car-trailer units
This site is presently used by bank anglers on private land.

SITE # 10

FISHERY: Popular bank angling area for winter steelhead.

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Heavy				St
Medium	St			
Light	Tr			

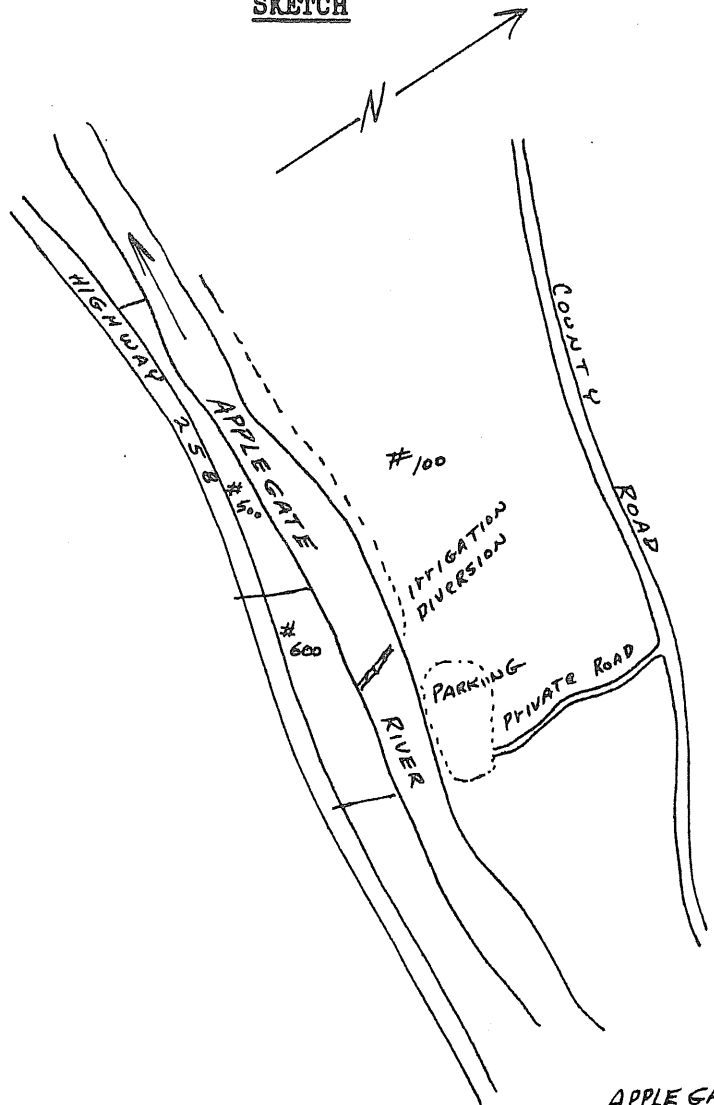
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Sg - Sturgeon, Ww - Warm Water Fishes)

SKETCH

Seasons (Check)

RECREATION
(Check)

Boating, motor
Boating, non-motor
Camping, tent
Camping, trailer
Fishing, boat
Fishing, shore
Hiking
Horseback riding
Hunting, big game
Hunting, upland game
Hunting, waterfowl
Nature study
Picnicking
Sightseeing
Skin and scuba diving
Swimming
Water skiing

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OTHER

Safety Problems:

Group Facilities:

REMARKS Parking could be available as denoted through easement.

APPLE GATE

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Applegate River _____ System _____ Site No. 11
_____ I _____ Area _____ Priority Complete
Name Applegate Bridge Wayside

Location At Applegate Oregon, North and south Bank
T 38 S, R 4 W, Sec. 22 River Mile 25 County Jackson
Ownership: Public _____ County _____
Private _____ Tax Lot No. _____
Number of owners _____

DESCRIPTION

Land type Rolling hills - broken bedrock out-croppings
Cover type Scattered trees and some grass
Road access Off Highway 258, Condition Good
High - winter
Flows Low - summer Water quality Good
Present stage of development Parking and picnic area

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: _____ Acres, _____ of frontage
Type of conveyance _____

Development:

Boat ramp: Type _____ Number of lanes _____
Toilets _____ Trails _____ Roads _____
Parking area _____; For _____ cars or _____ car-trailer units
This site provides about 800 feet of frontage on both banks for steelhead
anglers.

AREA I

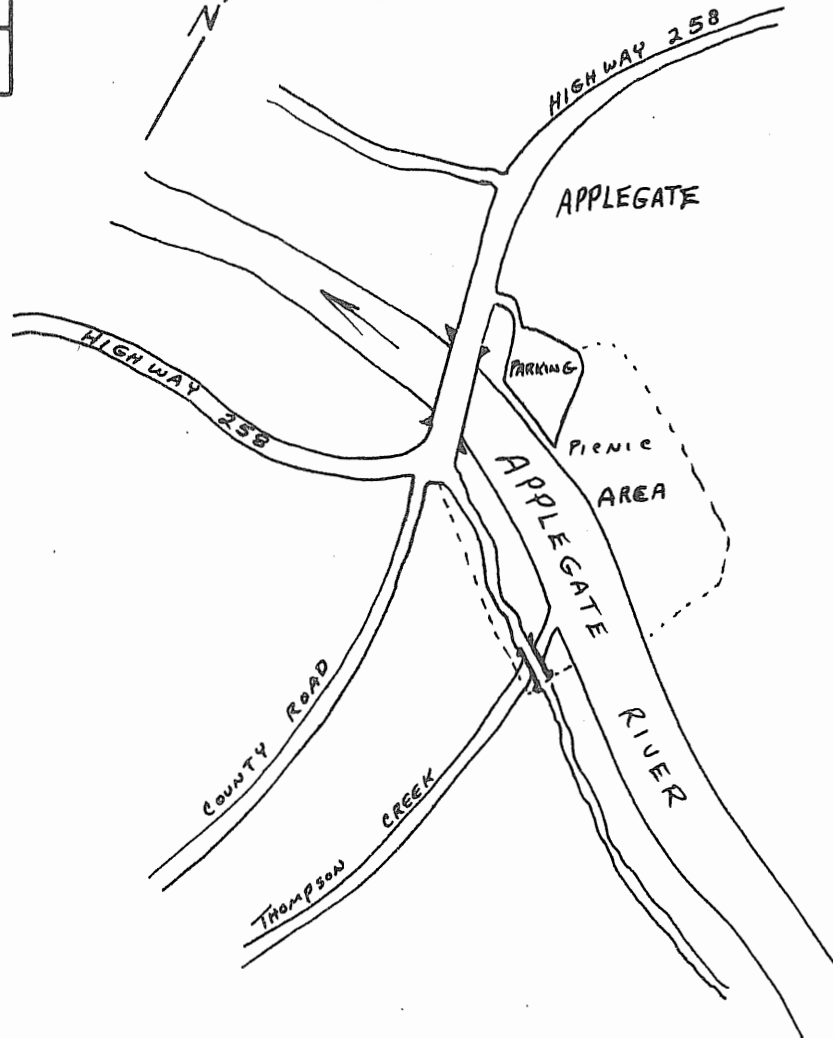
SITE # 11

FISHERY: This is a popular bank angling area for winter steelhead.

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Heavy				St
Medium	St			
Light	Tr			

(Sa - Salmon, St - Steelhead, Tr - Trout,
Sg - Sturgeon, Ww - Warm Water Fishes)

SKETCH



Seasons (Check)

RECREATION
(Check)

Boating, motor
Boating, non-motor
Camping, tent
Camping, trailer
Fishing, boat
Fishing, shore
Hiking
Horseback riding
Hunting, big game
Hunting, upland game
Hunting, waterfowl
Nature study
Picnicking
Sightseeing
Skin and scuba diving
Swimming
Water skiing

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
	X			X
		X	X	
		X	X	

OTHER

Safety Problems:

Group Facilities: Limited bus parking and group picnicking

REMARKS This park is jammed during the summer months with swimmers who enjoy the exceptional quality of the water in this area.

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Applegate River System Site No. 12
I Area Priority Complete
Name Cantrell-Buckley Area

Location 1.5 miles west of Ruch, Northeast Bank
T 38 S, R 3 W, Sec. 28
33 River Mile 32 County Jackson

Ownership: Public U. S. A. and county
Private _____ Tax Lot No. _____
Number of owners _____

DESCRIPTION

Land type Sloping to flat - sandy loam soil
Cover type Deciduous trees and thick brush patches
Road access County and state, Condition Good
Low - summer
Flows High - winter Water quality Good
Present stage of development Park developing at upper end of area.

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: _____ Acres, _____ of frontage
Type of conveyance _____

Development:

Boat ramp: Type _____ Number of lanes _____
Toilets _____ Trails _____ Roads _____
Parking area _____; For _____ cars or _____ car-trailer units
This site is presently used by bank anglers and swimmers.

AREA I

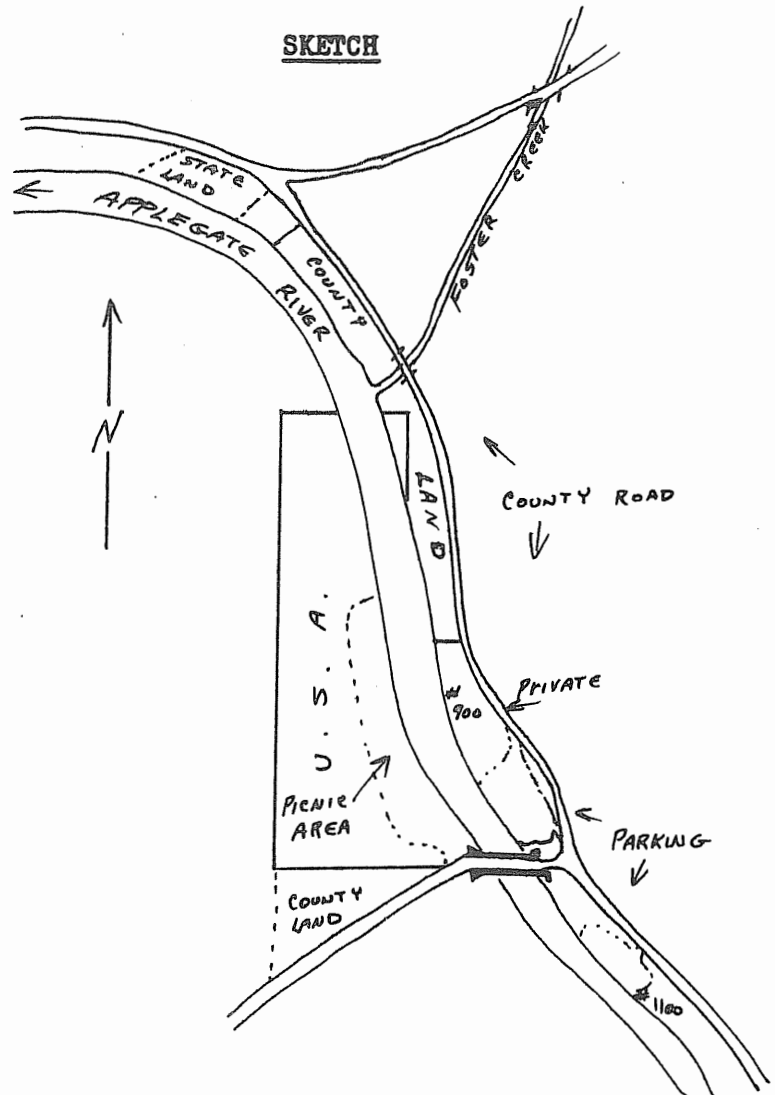
SITE # 12

FISHERY: This is a popular area for bank angling for winter steelhead and stocked trout.

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Heavy				St
Medium	St Tr	Tr		
Light				

(Sa - Salmon, St - Steelhead, Tr - Trout, Sg - Sturgeon, Ww - Warm Water Fishes)

SKETCH



Seasons (Check)

RECREATION
(Check)

Boating, motor
Boating, non-motor
Camping, tent
Camping, trailer
Fishing, boat
Fishing, shore
Hiking
Horseback riding
Hunting, big game
Hunting, upland game
Hunting, waterfowl
Nature study
Picnicking
Sightseeing
Skin and scuba diving
Swimming
Water skiing

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
	X	X		X
		X	X	
		X	X	

OTHER

Safety Problems:

Group Facilities: Picnicking and parking for buses

REMARKS The Bureau of Land Management is building a picnic area as the sketch above denotes. Private landowners downstream from Foster Creek now have about .5 mile posted to trespass.

This point is presently the lower end of the Applegate trout stocking area.

APPLEGATE RIVER

AREA II

This area includes the river and its tributaries above river mile 34. Most of this upper watershed is in government timber land and consists of steep mountains and rolling hills.

Carberry Creek, Steve Fork, Little Applegate River and the main stem Applegate all provide a lively trout fishery. A supplement of 10,000 legal-size hatchery trout are stocked each season at popular locations in these streams.

A multipurpose reservoir of some 900 surface acres has been planned for the area above mile 46. Development of recreation on the reservoir is part of the overall impoundment program. Fishery enhancement features are being considered and benefits are expected to increase potential fish stocks above and below the project area.

The proximity of public lands and timber access roads to the major streams of this area is considered to provide adequate access for anglers. Forest camps are indicated on the area map.

WATER ACCESS SITE EVALUATION

Applegate River System Site No. 1
II Area Priority A
Name Applegate Reservoir

Location 13 miles south of Ruch, North and south Bank
40 S 3 W
T 41 S, R 4 W, Sec. 30 to 11 River Mile 45.7 County Jackson

Ownership: Public U. S. A.

Private _____ Tax Lot No. _____

Number of owners _____

DESCRIPTION

Land type Steep hillsides and rocky soil

Cover type Mixed young timber and heavy brush

Road access County, Condition Good, paved

Flows Impoundment area Water quality Good

Present stage of development Final planning stage

ANGLER NEEDS

Acquisition: _____ Acres, _____ of frontage

Type of conveyance _____

Development:

Boat ramp: Type Concrete Number of lanes 2

Toilets X Trails X Roads X

Parking area X; For _____ cars or 200 car-trailer units

This site will provide a lake of about 900 surface acres with recreation sites developed on small plots due to the rough terrain in the area.

AREA II

SITE # 1

FISHERY: Once established, a heavy trout fishery from boats and bank can be expected.

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Heavy	Tr	Tr	Tr	
Medium				
Light				

(Sa - Salmon, St - Steelhead, Tr - Trout, Sg - Sturgeon, Ww - Warm Water Fishes)

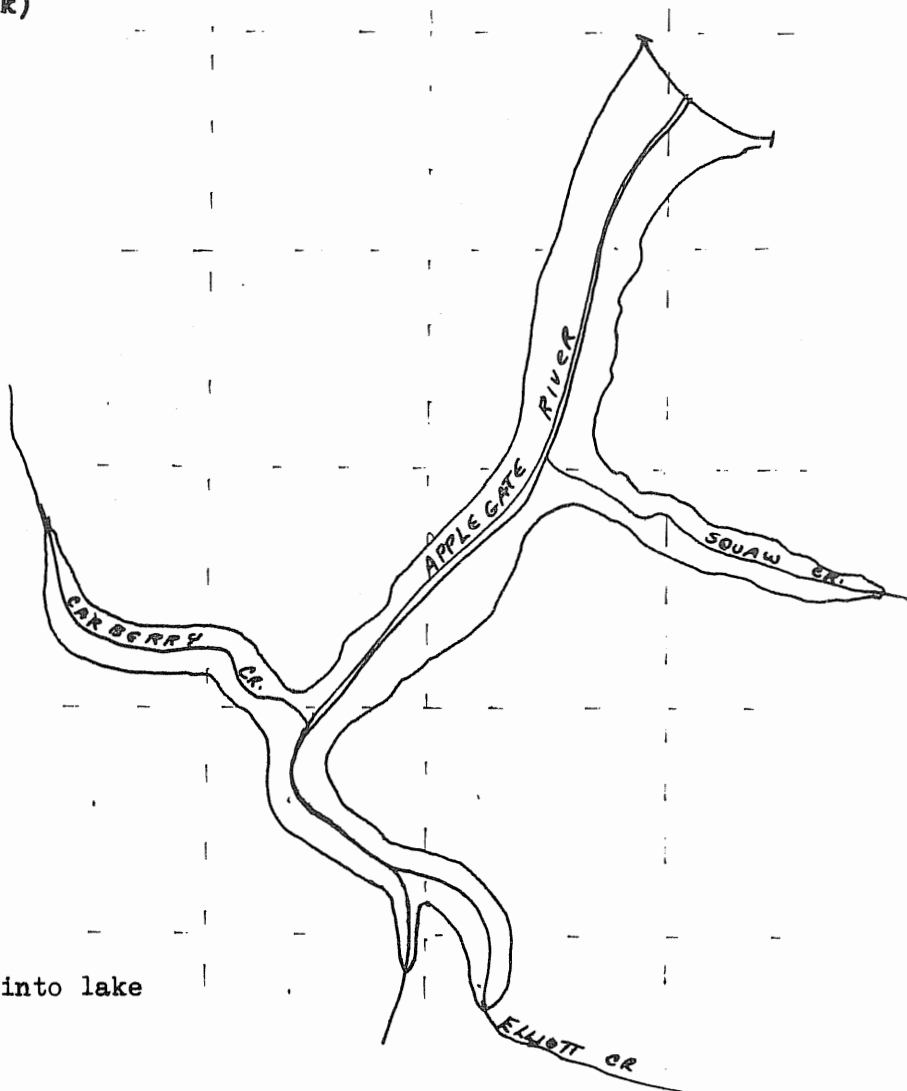
SKETCH

Seasons (Check)

RECREATION
(Check)

- Boating, motor
- Boating, non-motor
- Camping, tent
- Camping, trailer
- Fishing, boat
- Fishing, shore
- Hiking
- Horseback riding
- * Hunting, big game
- * Hunting, upland game
- Hunting, waterfowl
- Nature study
- Picnicking
- Sightseeing
- Skin and scuba diving
- Swimming
- Water skiing
- * Grouse, deer

	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter
Boating, motor	X	X	X	
Boating, non-motor	X	X	X	
Camping, tent	X	X	X	
Camping, trailer	X	X	X	
Fishing, boat	X	X	X	
Fishing, shore	X	X	X	
Hiking	X	X	X	
Horseback riding				
* Hunting, big game			X	X
* Hunting, upland game			X	
Hunting, waterfowl				
Nature study				
Picnicking	X	X	X	
Sightseeing				
Skin and scuba diving				
Swimming	X	X	X	
Water skiing	X	X	X	



OTHER

Safety Problems: Steep banks into lake

Group Facilities:

REMARKS The Applegate Reservoir is in the intermediate planning stage. This multipurpose reservoir will be subject to an annual drawdown of 60-90 feet. Detailed recreation plans will likely be available some time in 1967.

