



Public Engagement Event Planned for July 1, 2025

Topic: Lake Wenatchee Highway (SR 207) Habitat Restoration

Date & Time: Tuesday, July 1, 2025, from 5:00-8:00 pm Location: Lake Wenatchee Rec Club - 14400 Chiwawa Loop Rd, Leavenworth, WA 98826

Yakama Nation Fisheries recently drafted 30% engineered designs for realigning a segment of State Route 207 away from Nason Creek and restoring critical salmon habitat in the reconnected floodplain. Multiple Federal and State agencies are now committed to providing funding for the Project, including the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA Restoration Center), National Fish and Wildlife Foundation (NFWF), the Bonneville Power Administration (BPA), the U.S. Forest Service, the Federal Highway Administration (FHWA), the U.S. Bureau of Reclamation (US BOR), the Washington Department of Transportation (WSDOT), and the Washington Recreation and Conservation Office (RCO). Given its significant role as a Federal Funding Agency, the NOAA Restoration Center is now completing environmental compliance for the Project, including NEPA, ESA, and NHPA compliance.

In order to provide updates about the scope and schedule of the Project, provide information about how NEPA and other environmental compliance requirements will be completed for the Project, and solicit additional feedback from the public regarding any additional impacts that should be considered through the NOAA Restoration Center led NEPA process, Yakama Nation Fisheries and the NOAA Restoration Center are hosting this Public Engagement Event near Lake Wenatchee so that local landowners and community groups can attend.



Photos of a Chronic Environmental Deficiency site along Nason Creek where roadway stability and fish habitat need to be addressed.

For more information please visit this Yakama Nation Fisheries web page:



https://yakamafish-nsn.gov/restore/projects/yakama-nation-fisheries-state-route-207-project-chelan-county