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10-year Update

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WATERSHED SALMON RECOVERY COUNCIL

2017

Tonight's Presentation

Salmon recovery process

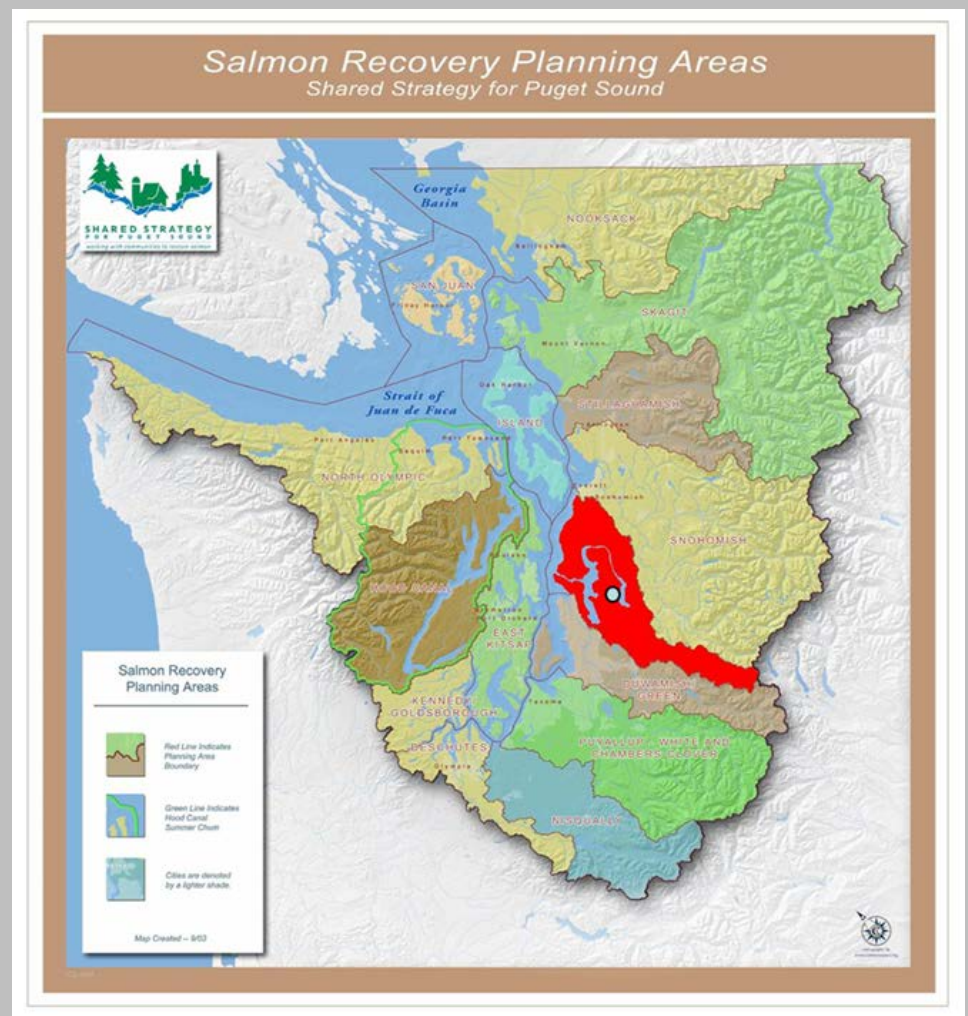
10 year update

Bellevue actions

Chinook status in WRIA 8



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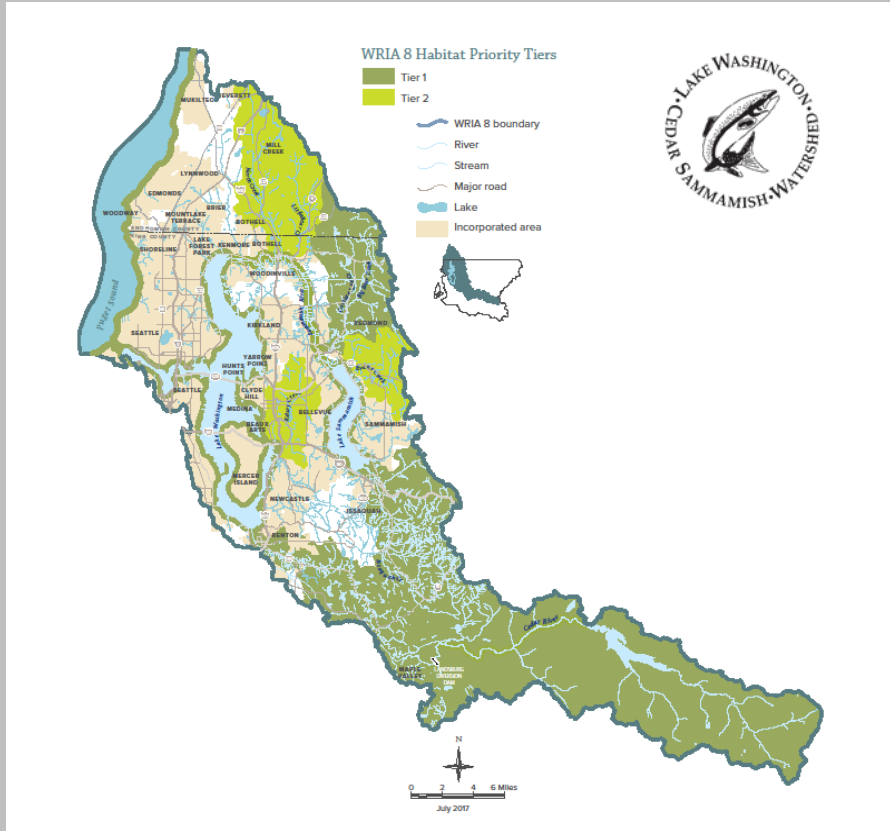


Timeline

1995	1999	2000	2005	2007	2015	2017	2018
Watershed Forums – Regional Approach to Water Quality, salmon, & Major river flooding	ESA listing Puget Sound Chinook Salmon	Merged Lk Wa & Sam Forums into WRIA 8 ILA – Lk Wash/ Sam. Cities & Counties	WRIA 8 Plan adopted Puget Sound Plan Submitted ILA renewed	Federal Gov . Adopts Puget Sound Plan	ILA renewed	10 year review and update of WRIA 8 Plan completed	Local government plan ratification



2005 Chinook Conservation Plan



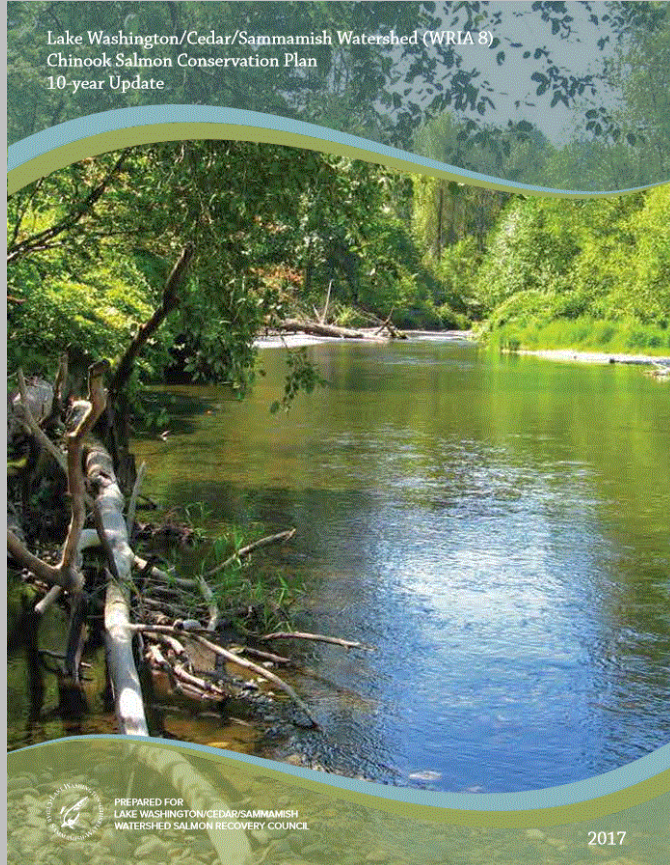
Technical information

On-the-ground projects

Land use guidance

Outreach, education, and
stewardship

10-Year Plan Update



Lessons learned

Voluntary approach

Clarifies strategies

Habitat restoration goals

Why Support the Plan?

Locally developed

Continues compliance with ESA

Voluntary actions, multiple approaches

Supports local quality of life



Bellevue Actions – last 10 years



Future Bellevue Actions

Parks shoreline softening

Fish passage projects

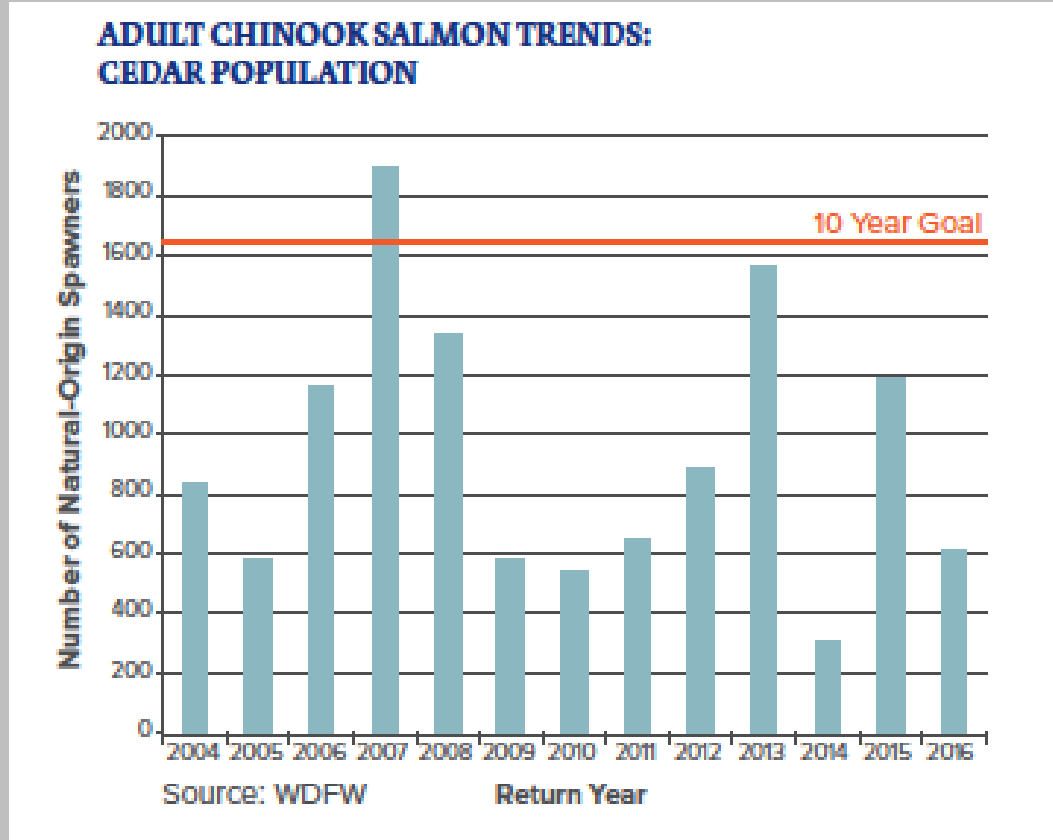
Stream habitat projects

Water quality retrofit

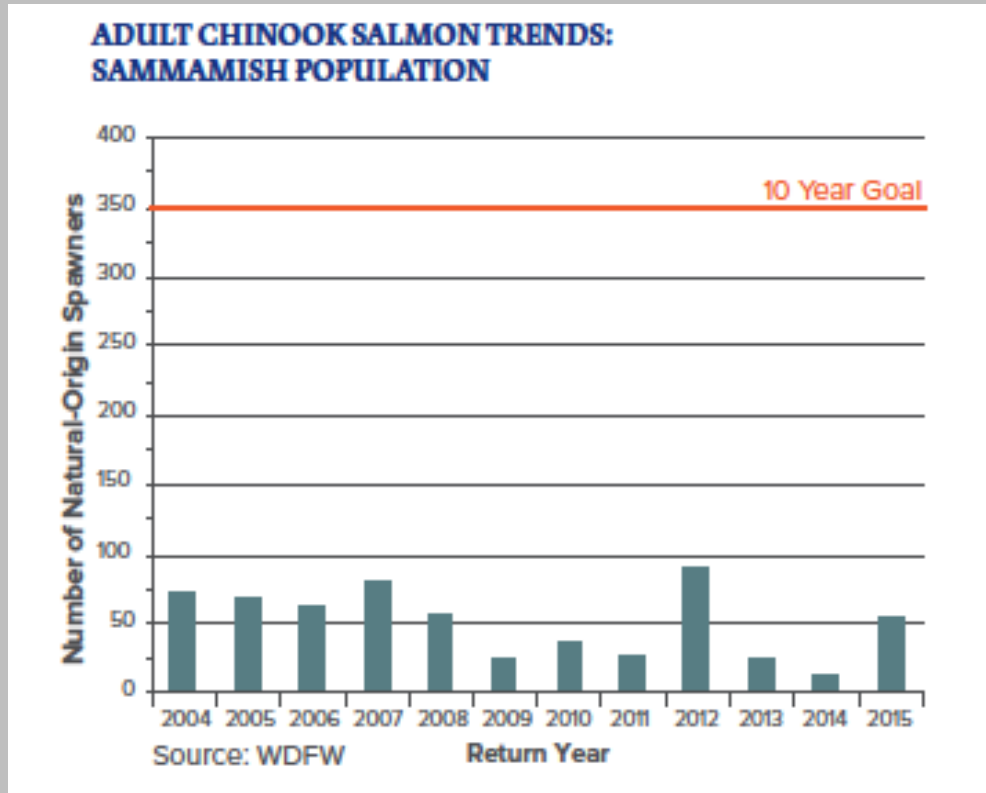
Tree Canopy goals



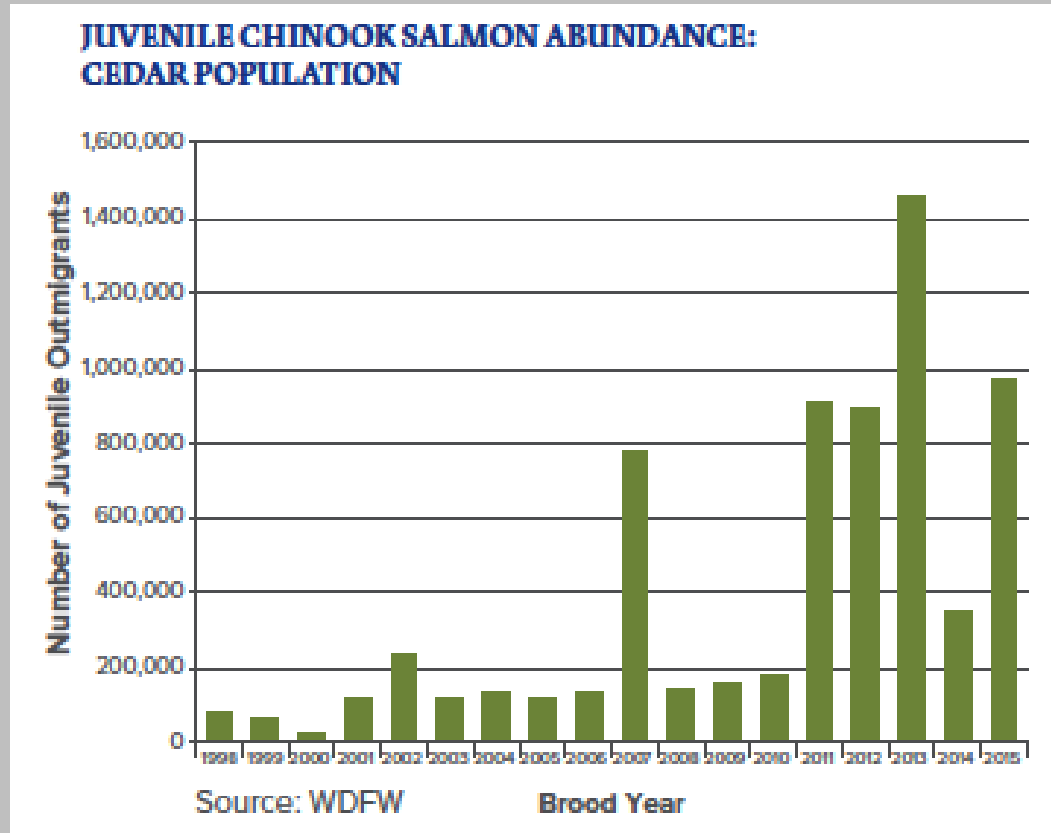
Cedar River Chinook Salmon



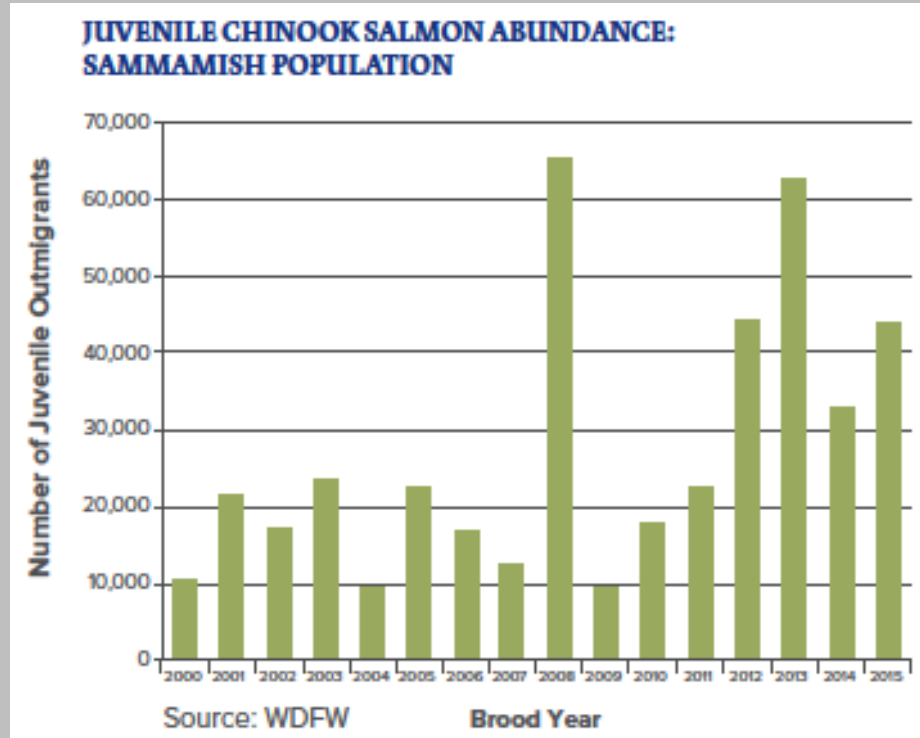
Sammamish Chinook Salmon



Cedar River Juvenile Chinook



Sammamish Juvenile Chinook



Next Steps



WRIA 8 request

Council feedback &
direction