

Lorenzan Creek

Alternatives Analysis and Design

UPDATE #7

January through May 2022

OVERVIEW

Skagit County operates a maintenance facility in Concrete, WA. This facility is located at 44510 Concrete Sauk Valley Road. Lorenzan Creek, a salmon bearing stream, flows within a culvert under the length of the property (WDFW ID: GR18). This culvert is a documented barrier to fish passage. All stormwater on site is directly discharged into this culvert. This includes runoff from the parking surfaces, roof structures, and discharged stormwater from WSDOT's system to the north of the property.

This phase of the project (County project WA402245) will complete an alternatives analysis for the site. Funding has been awarded from the Department of Ecology and PSE Article 505.

For more background or funding information see [Update #1](#).

UPDATE

- *Design* –
 - Continued progress on existing conditions memo
 - Completion of the hydrologic and hydraulic modeling
 - Completed preliminary draft design alternatives for the stakeholder workshop
 - Completed scoring matrix for proposed alternatives
- *Permitting and Environmental Compliance* – No update
- *Communication and Stakeholder Outreach* –
 - The [Lorenzan Creek Feasibility Study](#) website is up.
 - The virtual workshop was held:
 - **Wednesday, January 26th**
 - Presentation to the Skagit County Board of Commissioners:
 - **Tuesday March 1st**
 - Watch the presentation [here](#)
 - County sent out Frequently Asked Questions (FAQ) to stakeholder group

UPCOMING

- Presentation to the Board of Commissioners to share scoring matrix
- Begin looking for funding for preferred alternative, once selected