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Re: Safety Plan

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A summary of sites to be potentially assessed is included as Table $\underline{1}$, details of fish species potentially encountered is presented in Table $\underline{2}$ and an overview map of displaying potential sample locations is included as Figure 1. A kml file of the sites is included as an attachment to the application and can also be downloaded from here at this link.

Work will include <u>fish passage assessments</u> and <u>habitat confirmations</u>. Presence/absence of fish, species composition/density and distribution limits can be useful for prioritizing which crossings are a best fit for fish passage restoration and help inform follow up monitoring so electrofishing and minnowtrapping may be conducted. Standard Fish and Fish Habitat Inventory Standard Field Form <u>site cards</u> are used to gather habitat data.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions or concerns.

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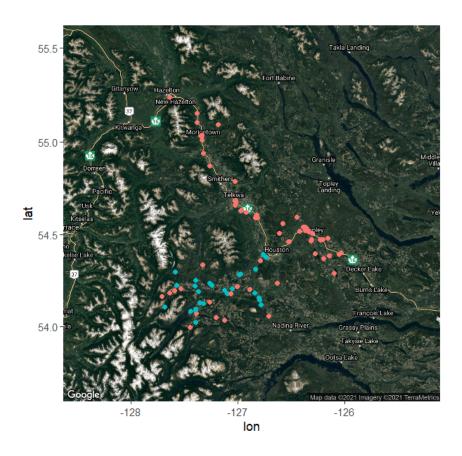


Figure 1. Map of potential sampling areas. High priority sites in red and moderate priority in green.



Table 1: Potential sample locations in the Bulkley River and Morice River watershed groups.

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agg_id	Stream	lat	long	source	my_text	sp_upstr
3042	Barren Creek	54.50932	-126.6142	2020	_	-
3054	-	54.59474	-126.4478	2020	-	{RB}
3139	_	54.56012	-126.5773	2020	-	-
57944	Toboggan Creek	54.93977	-127.3183	cwf	-	{CC,CH,CO,CT,DV,KO,L,LSU,MW,OS,PK,RB,SK,SST,ST}
58159	McDowell Creek	54.67521	-127.0204	2020	-	{CO,RB}
23445	Tyhee Creek	54.68440	-127.0263	2020	-	{BB,C,CAS,CC,CH,CM,CO,CT,GPW,LSU,MW,NSC,PCC,PK,PW,RB,F
23446	Tyhee Creek	54.68713	-127.0218	2020	_	{BB,C,CAS,CC,CH,CM,CO,CT,GPW,LSU,MW,NSC,PCC,PK,PW,RB,F
23770	John Brown Creek	55.01008	-127.3326	cwf	-	{BT,CH,CT,DV,RB}
23776	Corya Creek	55.03681	-127.3341	cwf	_	{DV,RB}
23794	-	55.09398	-127.1806	2020	-	{DV}
23795	_	55.09473	-127.1855	2020	_	{SA}
24420	Station Creek	55.24045	-127.6375	cwf	-	{BT,CO,CT,DV,PK,RB,SP}
24487	Porphyry Creek	55.15630	-127.3823	2020	_	{DV,RB}
24500	Helps Creek	54.65954	-127.0228	2020	-	{CT,DV,LNC,LSU,RB}
24501	_	54.63182	-126.9757	2020	_	{DV,RB}
24504	Coffin Creek	54.62079	-126.9195	2020	-	{CSU,CT,DV,LSU,MW,RB,RSC}
95288	Gibson Creek	54.59190	-126.8188	2020	-	{CT,RB}
95290	Gibson Creek	54.59318	-126.8328	2020	-	{CT,RB}
97360	Riddeck Creek	54.05795	-126.7093	2020	-	{LSU,RB}
97365	-	54.15719	-126.8005	morice	Smaller channel width.	-
97378	_	54.11705	-126.7802	morice	Large wetland complex upstream.	{DV,LNC,MW,RB}
97379	-	54.18203	-126.8400	morice	Less than 1km of potential habitat but very large channel width.	{CO,RB}
97640	_	54.23614	-126.6322	2020	_	{RB}
97658	Byman Creek	54.51881	-126.4222	cwf	-	{CO,CSU,LNC,LSU,RB,RSC,ST}
97662	Richfield Creek	54.51552	-126.3365	cwf	_	{CH,CO,LKC,LNC,LSU,RB,SST,ST}
97663	Johnny David Creek	54.52188	-126.3696	cwf	-	{RB}
97664	Barren Creek	54.46354	-126.5243	2020	_	{CH,CO,CT,L,RB,SST,ST}
97665	_	54.46280	-126.5217	2020	-	{BB,BMC,BT,CAS,CBA,CC,CH,CO,CSU,CT,DV,L,LKC,LNC,LSU,LT,LX

197667	-	54.63316	-126.9690	2020	_	{CT,DV,RB}
197668	Coffin Creek	54.62098	-126.9193	2020	-	{CSU,CT,DV,LSU,MW,RB,RSC}
001800048	Cesford Creek	54.50844	-126.3062	manual	_	-
001800050	Bulkley River	54.40228	-126.0352	cwf	-	{BMC,CSU,LKC,LNC,LSU,NSC,RB,RSC}
001800050	Bulkley River	54.40228	-126.0352	cwf	_	{BMC,CSU,LKC,LNC,LSU,NSC,RB,RSC}
001800355	Ailport Creek	54.47325	-126.2121	cwf	_	{CO,CT,RB}
001800356	Watson Creek	54.47603	-126.2159	manual	_	{CO,RB}
001800422	Ailport Creek	54.47269	-126.2294	cwf	-	{CO,CT,RB}
001800752	_	54.39789	-126.2769	cwf	_	{BB,CSU,LSU,LW,NSC,PCC,RB,RSC}
1001801122	Ailport Creek	54.47578	-126.2090	cwf	_	{CO,CT,RB}
1001801133	_	54.47401	-126.3094	cwf	_	{BB,CBA,CC,CSU,LKC,LSU,LW,MW,NSB,NSC,P
001801773	Boulder Creek	55.10651	-127.3787	cwf	_	{BT,DV}
1001801969	_	54.46801	-126.3181	cwf	-	{BB,CBA,CC,CSU,LKC,LSU,LW,MW,NSB,NSC,P
1001802044	Ailport Creek	54.48329	-126.1602	cwf	_	{CT,RB}
001802088	Robert Hatch Creek	54.54393	-126.3727	cwf	-	{LSU,RB}
001802089	Johnny David Creek	54.54204	-126.3894	cwf	-	{RB}
001802106	Robert Hatch Creek	54.53465	-126.3576	cwf	-	{LSU,RB}
001802760	Deep Creek	54.60713	-126.8238	cwf	_	{C,CT,DV,RB}
001802820	Deep Creek	54.60520	-126.8274	cwf	-	$\{C,CH,CM,CO,CT,DV,PK,RB,SA,SK,ST\}$
001803682	Crow Creek	54.37200	-126.1977	cwf	_	{CAS,LNC,RB,RSC}
1001804694	_	54.29223	-126.1020	cwf	-	{RB}
001805529	Bulkley River	54.39509	-126.0545	cwf	_	{BMC,CAS,CO,CSU,LKC,LNC,LSU,NSC,RB,RSC
001805529	Bulkley River	54.39509	-126.0545	cwf	_	{BMC,CAS,CO,CSU,LKC,LNC,LSU,NSC,RB,RSC
1001805532	Crow Creek	54.38684	-126.1460	cwf	_	{CAS,CO,LNC,PL,RB,RSC}
1001805553	Glass Creek	54.87356	-127.2593	cwf	-	$\{\texttt{CC},\texttt{CO},\texttt{CT},\texttt{DV},\texttt{KO},\texttt{LSU},\texttt{MW},\texttt{OS},\texttt{RB},\texttt{SK},\texttt{ST}\}$
1001805665	Canyon Creek	54.78797	-127.0237	cwf	-	{CO,DV,RB,TR}
014000009	-	54.38009	-126.7377	morice	In Houston with rail upstream. Maybe very modified.	{RB}
1014000255	Nado Creek	54.13167	-127.2638	morice	CBR - 2.2m culvert.	-
1014000271	_	54.39277	-126.7668	morice	Just below Klinger Lake. Good for coho?	{EB,RB}
1014000312	-	54.08456	-127.4368	morice	Smaller stream potentially	

suitable for upstream migrating						
juvenile salmon. DV upstream.	{DV}					
1014000379	-	54.25210	-127.3909	morice	Cascade noted adjacent to crossing but no FISS sample sites. Coho in mainstem Thautil nearby. Stream splits to two tribs just upstream.	_
1014000507	_	54.22661	-127.5698	morice	Low gradient with wetlands upstream and CO,CT and others downstream.	-
1014000509	-	54.12580	-127.3180	morice	Channel width 1.5 m downstream at FISS site.	-
1014000565	_	54.33777	-127.3300	morice	Stealhead and bulltrout nearby	_
1014000569	-	54.28134	-126.9841	morice	FISS site downstream does not mention intermittent as is FWA tag.	-
1014000571	_	54.28765	-126.9767	morice	Lots of low gradient habitat but split into many tribs.	{DV,RB}
1014000674	_	54.19924	-127.1256	morice	Coho downstream.	_
1014000683	_	54.20767	-127.0517	morice	Top end of lake.	_
1014000718	_	54.14672	-126.7971	morice	Models as over 2m wide and has fish obs upstream.	{DV,RB}
1014000777	_	54.09047	-127.3922	morice	Two small tribs upstream.	_
1014000788	_	54.09355	-127.3954	morice	Steeper system.	_
1014000796	Fenton Creek	54.20165	-126.8913	morice	Major culvert (5m wide).	{CC,CO,DV,RB,SP}
1014000798	Peacock Creek	54.36059	-126.7921	morice	Fish way noted as having issues in Smith 2018.	_
1014000801	-	54.31559	-126.8358	morice	Quite steep.	-
1014000908	_	54.22097	-127.3994	morice	Steelhead and coho points just downstream.	-
1014000912	-	54.16261	-127.7088	morice	Good sized lake upstream. Road not visible in aerial imagery. Follow up with foresters before headingout in field.	{DV,RB}
1014000931	_	53.99557	-127.4459	morice	Very close to Naninka.	{CT,DV}
1014000991	_	54.17901	-127.1012	morice	Steeper stream.	-
1014001002	-	54.19188	-127.3659	morice	Smaller stream with coho upstream of crossing.	{CO}

1014001029 –	54.17869 -127.0657 morice	Very close to Morice mainstem.	{CT,RB}
1014001080 –	54.02044 -127.3923 morice	Smaller potential high value habitat gain but Nanika in Nanika system so in high value watershed.	{CT}
1014001161 McBride Creek	54.07139 -127.3875 morice	CBR indicates "major culvert" at 4.5m width.	{BB,CAS,CO,CSU,CT,DV,LDC,LSU,LT,LW,MW,F
1014001195 –	54.12903 -127.3542 morice	Low gradient and close to mainstem but low elevation watershed.	_
1014001198 –	54.10794 -127.6851 morice	Models as a bit larger of a channel with 0.75km <5% and DV upstream.	{DV}
1014001222 Lamprey Creek	54.04738 -127.2029 morice	Large lake headed system.	{CT,DV,LKC,RB,RB/CT}
1014001245 –	54.18341 -127.6371 morice	Coho, steelhead and other species upstream.	{CO,CT,DV,LKC,SP}
1014001247 –	54.19550 -127.5928 morice	Multiple species (including CO) noted upstream with lots of modelled habitat.	{CO,CT,DV,LKC}
1014001427 –	54.23806 -127.2653 morice	Potentially fish bearing according to http://a100.gov.bc.ca/pub/acat/public/viewReport.do? reportId=50411.	-
1014001534 –	54.29848 -127.5862 morice	Channel models as small. Flows into lake.	_
1014001542 –	54.20825 -127.5335 morice	Many fish points upstream and downstream. Low grades.	{CT,DV}
1014001563 —	54.21925 -127.0061 morice	Lots of low gradient and lake upsteam.	{CCT,CT,LKC}
1014001769 –	54.22487 -127.2404 morice	Appears of highest value for rearing.	{CT}
1024704566 Corya Creek	55.03451 -127.3448 cwf	-	{DV,RB}
1024740003 -	54.03348 -127.1239 morice	Lots of lake upstream.	{CAL,LKC,RB,RSC}

Table 2: Fish species recorded in the Bulkley River and Morice River watershed groups.

Calantifia Name	Species Name	Species	DO LIST	Provincial	000514110	CARA	Dullsland	Morie-	
Scientific Name	Species Name	Code	BC List	FRPA	COSEWIC	SARA	Buikley	MOLICE	
Catostomus catostomus	Longnose Sucker	LSU	Yellow	_	_	-	Yes	Yes	
Catostomus commersonii	White Sucker	WSU	Yellow	-	-	_	Yes	Yes	
Catostomus macrocheilus	Largescale Sucker	CSU	Yellow	_	-	-	Yes	Yes	
Chrosomus eos	Northern Redbelly Dace	RDC	Yellow	_	_	-	Yes	_	
Coregonus clupeaformis	Lake Whitefish	LW	Yellow	_	-	-	Yes	Yes	
Cottus aleuticus	Coastrange Sculpin (formerly Aleutian Sculpin)	CAL	Yellow	_	_	_	Yes	Yes	
Cottus asper	Prickly Sculpin	CAS	Yellow	-	-	-	Yes	Yes	
Couesius plumbeus	Lake Chub	LKC	Yellow	_	DD	-	Yes	Yes	
Entosphenus tridentatus	Pacific Lamprey	PL	Yellow	_	-	-	Yes	Yes	
Hybognathus hankinsoni	Brassy Minnow	ВМС	No Status	_	-	_	Yes	-	
Lota lota	Burbot	ВВ	Yellow	_	_	-	Yes	Yes	
Mylocheilus caurinus	Peamouth Chub	PCC	Yellow	_	_	-	Yes	Yes	
Oncorhynchus clarkii	Cutthroat Trout	СТ	No Status	_	-	-	Yes	Yes	
Oncorhynchus clarkii	Cutthroat Trout (Anadromous)	ACT	No Status	-	-	_	Yes	_	
Oncorhynchus clarkii	Coastal Cutthroat Trout	ССТ	Blue	_	-	-	Yes	Yes	
Oncorhynchus gorbuscha	Pink Salmon	PK	Yellow	_	-	_	Yes	Yes	
Oncorhynchus keta	Chum Salmon	СМ	Yellow	_	-		Yes	Yes	
Oncorhynchus kisutch	Coho Salmon	СО	Yellow	_	_	-	Yes	Yes	
Oncorhynchus mykiss	Rainbow Trout	RB	Yellow	-	_	-	Yes	Yes	
Oncorhynchus mykiss	Steelhead	ST	Yellow	-	-	-	Yes	Yes	
Oncorhynchus mykiss	Steelhead (Summer-run)	SST	Yellow	-	_	-	Yes	Yes	
Oncorhynchus nerka	Kokanee	ко	Yellow	-	_	-	Yes	Yes	
Oncorhynchus nerka	Sockeye Salmon	SK	Yellow	-	-	-	Yes	Yes	
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tshawytscha	Chinook Salmon	СН	Yellow	-	_	_	Yes	Yes
Prosopium coulterii	Pygmy Whitefish	PW	Yellow	-	NAR (Nov 2016)	-	Yes	Yes
Prosopium coulterii pop. 3	Giant Pygmy Whitefish	GPW	Yellow	-	_	-	Yes	-
Prosopium williamsoni	Mountain Whitefish	MW	Yellow	-	_	-	Yes	Yes
Ptychocheilus oregonensis	Northern Pikeminnow	NSC	Yellow	-	_	-	Yes	Yes
Pungitius pungitius	Ninespine Stickleback	NSB	Unknown	-	_	-	Yes	_
Rhinichthys cataractae	Longnose Dace	LNC	Yellow	-	_	-	Yes	Yes
Rhinichthys falcatus	Leopard Dace	LDC	Yellow	-	NAR (May 1990)	-	-	Yes
Richardsonius balteatus	Redside Shiner	RSC	Yellow	-	_	-	Yes	Yes
Salvelinus confluentus pop. 26	Bull Trout	вт	Blue	-	_	-	Yes	Yes
Salvelinus fontinalis	Brook Trout	EB	Exotic	-	_	-	Yes	Yes
Salvelinus malma	Dolly Varden	DV	Yellow	-	_	-	Yes	Yes
Salvelinus namaycush	Lake Trout	LT	Yellow	-	_	-	Yes	Yes
_	Arctic Char	AC	_	-	_	_	-	Yes
_	Cutthroat/Rainbow cross	CRS	-	-	_	-	Yes	-
_	Dace (General)	DC	_	-	_	-	-	Yes
_	Lamprey (General)	L	-	-	_	-	Yes	Yes
_	Minnow (General)	С	_	-	_	-	Yes	Yes
_	Salmon (General)	SA	-	-	_	-	Yes	Yes
_	Sculpin (General)	СС	_	_	_	-	Yes	Yes
_	Sucker (General)	SU	-	-	_	-	Yes	Yes
_	Whitefish (General)	WF	_	-	_	_	Yes	Yes