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Council Objective #1	Landowner Restoration Projects	<i>Objective: Partner with landowners by providing grant writing, project management, planning and design, volunteers and other resources as needed to complete priority restoration projects.</i>			Priority: High
<i>Project/Description</i>		<i>Outcomes</i>	<i>Location</i>	<i>Funding</i>	<i>Volunteer</i>
As new landowners inquire about restoration on their properties, a site visit is scheduled, restoration opportunities that meet priorities identified and proposals prepared for the Council to approve projects.		<p>July 2007 to June 2009</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ New project on Cold Creek in Lower North Santiam approved, grant will be submitted Spring 2010 for 2 culvert replacements. Project builds on existing WRP project underway. 	<p>Lower North Santiam Side Channel/Tributary- Cold Creek</p> <p><i>TSR- 9S, 2W, 25 & 36</i></p> <p>Various as requested.</p>	<p>In-Kind:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Marion SWCD ■ USFW ■ ODFW ■ Landowner 	<p>No.- 4</p> <p>Hrs- 18</p>
<p>Hatch Side Channel Restoration - Partnership with 5 landowners on a North Santiam River side channel to replace undersized culverts impeding water flow and fish passage to off-channel habitat, restore in-stream habitat complexity with large wood and restore native riparian buffer.</p>		<p>Summer 2007</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ 1 culvert replaced (Aug - Sept 2007) ■ Plantings around culvert completed (Nov 2007) <p>Summer 2008</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ 2 culverts replaced (Aug-Sept 2008) ■ 3 engineered large wood structures placed in addition to floodplain log placements (Aug-Sept 2008) <p>Fall 2008 to Spring 2009</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Weed control completed (Oct 2008 and May 2009) ■ Native riparian planting at 2 landowner locations completed (Nov 2008 and Feb 2009) <p>Spring 2009</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Project planning and permits submitted for crossing and additional large wood placement scheduled for 2009 in-water 	<p>Lower North Santiam Side Channel</p> <p><i>TSR- 9S, 1W, 19 & 30</i></p> <p>County- Marion</p>	<p>Restoration Funds:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ OWEB 205-178 ■ OWEB 208-3058 ■ WHIP ■ Salem ■ DEQ ■ CREP ■ Albany <p>In-Kind:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Landowners ■ Marion County ■ USFS ■ NRCS ■ ODFW ■ Marion SWCD ■ USFW ■ OPRD 	<p>No.- 17</p> <p>Hrs- 388</p>

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	<p>work period</p> <p>Other</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ 3 landowners enrolled in CREP to implement BMPs <p>Next Steps</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Project maintenance and monitoring. 			
<p>Snake Deford Stream Restoration</p> <p>- This project began as a partnership with a landowner to improve fish habitat and water quality by addressing flooding and erosion concerns. It is now extended to 5 more landowners and Mill City to integrate habitat and water quality improvements with land uses and stormwater management. Snake-Deford consistently has redds, therefore, has potential to supporting listed steelhead populations and possible Chinook.</p>	<p>Spring 2009</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Design completed and permits submitted for large wood placement <p>Next Steps</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Large wood placement completed at 24 locations (Aug 2009) ■ 3 crossings removed and 2 new crossing placed (Aug 2009) ■ Assess remaining tributaries and identify project opportunities (Fall 2009) 	<p>Middle North Santiam Tributary – Snake-Deford</p> <p>TSR- 9S, 3E, 31 & 32</p> <p>County- Linn</p>	<p>Restoration Funds:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ OWEB 208-3034 ■ CREP ■ Albany ■ Title 2 <p>Technical Assistance & Assessment:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ OWEB 208-3030 ■ OWEB 209-3001 <p>In-Kind</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Landowners ■ ODOT ■ NRCS/FSA ■ Mill City ■ ODFW 	<p>No.- 18</p> <p>Hrs- 201</p>
<p>Graves Side Channel and Wetland Improvement</p> <p>- This property on a North Santiam Side Channel has primarily intact habitat conditions and an upland wetland that drains into the mainstem and side channel, providing water quality benefits to the adjacent waterways.</p>	<p>Summer 2007</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Site visits completed with technical advisors to identify project and funding sources ■ Wetland restoration plan completed (Aug 2007) ■ Landowners began noxious weed control throughout their property and implementing wetland plan 	<p>Middle North Santiam Side Channel</p> <p>TSR- 9S, 1E, 21</p> <p>County- Linn</p>	<p>Assessment Funds:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ OR Governor’s Fund <p>In-Kind:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Landowner ■ ODFW ■ USFW ■ Linn SWCD ■ NRCS 	<p>No.- 9</p> <p>Hrs- 65</p>

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<p>BLM Fishermen’s Bend - An area with deposits of saw dust from past mill activities adjacent to a riparian area was restored to riparian/upland forests. The site was mostly bare with a few small Scotch Broom plants. If untreated the area would likely be inundated with Scotch Broom, further degrading quality of the riparian corridor.</p>	<p>Fall 2007 to Spring 2008</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Site preparation including soil amendment and weed control completed (Oct and Dec 2007, and Feb 2008) ■ Students restored native vegetation (Feb, March, April and May 2008) ■ Students are monitoring and maintaining native vegetation (with BLM assistance) 	<p>Middle North Santiam Mainstem</p> <p>TSR- 9S, 2E, 25</p> <p>County- Marion</p>	<p>Restoration Funds:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ OWEB 10-06-013 <p>In-Kind:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ BLM ■ OSU Extension 	<p>No.- 246</p> <p>Hrs- 1053</p>
<p>Heritage Seedling Jefferson Farm Oak Savannah and Rare Prairie Restoration- 5-8 federal and/or state listed plant species were reintroduced to 80 acres of restored prairie habitat with student volunteer assistance. One of the most endangered ecosystems in the United States is Willamette Valley prairie in Oregon. Less than 1% of this habitat remains.</p>	<p>Spring 2007 to Fall 2011</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ 3 years of ground preparation, including noxious weed control and burning, completed ■ Weed control (ongoing since 2004) ■ 15,500 plants of 5-8 species listed as endangered or threatened propagated and planted by students and staff (Nov 2007 and Nov 2009) to restore 30 acres of open oak savannah habitat and 2 acres of wet prairie habitat ■ 3 tours provided by landowner (Sept 2006, June 2008 and June 2009) <p>Next Steps</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Additional 5,460 plant propagations will be planted Fall 2009/Winter 2010 ■ Continued weed maintenance and monitoring by landowner 	<p>Lower North Santiam Upland</p> <p>TSR- 9S, 2E, 25</p> <p>County- Marion</p>	<p>Restoration Funds:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ OWEB 10-06-009 ■ NFWF ■ Landowner also secured LIP and BLM funds <p>In-Kind:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Landowner ■ ODFW ■ USFW ■ BLM ■ OSU Extension ■ Students & volunteers 	<p>No.- 55</p> <p>Hrs- 500</p>
<p>Stout Creek Stream Restoration - 9 landowners expressed interest in addressing concerns regarding</p>	<p>Fall 2008 to Fall 2009</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Assessment and restoration plan of lower 2.5 miles completed (June 2009) 	<p>Lower North Santiam Tributary- Stout Creek</p>	<p>Restoration Funds:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ OR 150 ■ ODA 	<p>No.- 9</p> <p>Hrs- 41</p>

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<p>stream health on this tributary, including noxious weeds, lack of riparian buffer, erosion, shade and lack of habitat complexity. Additional landowners are now interested in also working on tributary wide restoration. Stout Creek is essential salmonid habitat and is on the 303(d) list of water quality impaired waterbodies for exceeding summer temperature standards.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Community meeting provided to present assessment results and collect input from landowners (May 2009) ■ Weed removal completed on 3 landowner sites (April 2009) ■ Native riparian buffer planting event completed at one landowner site (March 2009) ■ Ivy removal volunteer event (May 2009) ■ Design completed, permits submitted and funding secured for first large wood project ■ Funding secured for sub-watershed wide weed inventory and treatment with focus on Japanese Knotweed and False Brome <p>Next Steps</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ First engineer large wood structures placed pending permits (2009 in-water work period) ■ Weed inventory (completed July and Aug 2009) ■ Japanese knotweed treatment (Sept 2009) 	<p>TSR- 9S, 1E, 13 & 14</p> <p>County- Marion</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ DEQ ■ TNC ■ Salem <p>Technical Assistance & Assessment Funds:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ OR Governor’s Fund ■ OWEB 209-3001 ■ OWEB 208-3030 ■ ODA <p>In-Kind:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Landowners ■ ODFW ■ USFS ■ ODF ■ Marion County ■ Volunteers 	
<p>Bear Branch- This creek was a target for the Landowner Recruitment for Restoration project, is essential salmonid habitat and is listed on the 303(d) of water quality impaired waterbodies. Three landowners responded to recruitment.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ 1 planting completed ■ Project planning underway with one landowner ■ 1 landowner is considering CREP 	<p>Lower North Santiam Tributary- Bear Branch</p> <p>TSR- 9S, 1W, 28 & 29</p>	<p>Restoration Funds:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ TNC ■ DEQ ■ NFWF ■ Salem <p>In-Kind:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Landowners ■ NRCS/FSA 	<p>No.- 4</p> <p>Hrs- 26</p>
<p>Stayton Riverfront Park- This park</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Revised management plan in collaboration 	<p>Lower North</p>	<p>Capacity Funds:</p>	<p>N/A</p>

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<p>acquired by City of Stayton with OWEB, Marion County and OPRD funds provides opportunity to integrate passive recreation with watershed restoration and education regarding watersheds, funding restoration and benefits of protecting natural resources.</p>	<p>with OWEB, Marion County and the City of Stayton. Draft under review by City. (Draft completed June 2009)</p>	<p>Santiam Mainstem <i>TSR</i>- 9S, 1W, 14 <i>County</i>- Marion</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ OWEB 208-030 ■ City of Stayton (pending) <p><i>In-Kind:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Marion County ■ OWEB ■ City of Stayton 		
<p>Dever-Conner Lower Santiam Restoration - The Dever-Conner Irrigation District requested the Council to look at an erosion concern and assist with potential solutions.</p>	<p>Fall 2007 to Spring 2008</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Community meeting with irrigation district and landowners (Oct 2007) ■ Site visit with technical support to look at erosion and discuss options (Feb 2008) ■ Project exploration completed, including search for grant sources and partners (March 2008) ■ Landowners put project on hold 	<p>Lower North Santiam Mainstem <i>TSR</i>- 9S, 3W, 32 <i>County</i>- Linn</p>	<p><i>In-Kind:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ ODFW ■ Cascade Pacific RCD ■ River Design Group 	<p>No. - 4 Hrs- 12</p>	
<p>Council Objective #2</p>	<p>Landowner Recruitment for Restoration</p>	<p>Objective: <i>Recruit landowners in partnership with Calapooia and South Santiam Watershed Councils to restore riparian areas.</i></p>		<p>Priority: <i>Medium</i></p>	
<p>Description</p>		<p>Outcomes</p>	<p>Location</p>	<p>Funding</p>	<p>Volunteer</p>
<p>Contractor recruited and worked with landowners and technical advisors to explore options for restoring riparian vegetation (e.g. CREP). When there is no other funding source available, funding was provided through grants acquired (especially to small acreage landowners) to plant buffers. TMDL plan and salmon habitat</p>	<p>July 2007 to June 2009</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Mailers (letters, postcards and brochures) sent: 1 on Bear Branch, 4 to Stout Creek, 1 to Marion Creek and 2 to Snake Deford. ■ Landowner response: 40 on Stout Creek for weed inventory and treatment, and 22 across all locations for restoration recruitment ■ Weed removal and plantings completed on 8 properties (see descriptions above under 	<p>Various:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Stout Creek ■ Bear Branch ■ Hatch Side Channel ■ Marion Creek ■ Snake-Deford 	<p>Restoration Funds:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ TNC ■ DEQ ■ NFWF ■ Salem <p>Educ/Outreach Funds:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ OWEB 206-213 <p>Technical Assistance Funds:</p>	<p>Accounted in projects above</p>	

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maps were used to target landowners.		landowner projects) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Funding secured for 2009-2011 ■ Other recruitment tasks implemented are described under “Your Watershed, Your Community” below including landowner workshops, newspaper columns, website updates and presentations 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ OWEB 208-3030 <p><i>In-Kind:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Landowners ■ Volunteers ■ Calapooia WSC ■ South Santiam WSC ■ ODFW ■ Linn SWCD ■ Marion SWCD 	
Council Objective #3	Respect the River	Objective: Partner with USFS to identify and implement projects through implementation of the “Respect the River” program.		Priority: High	
Description		Outcomes	Location	Funding	Volunteer
This restoration and education program balances preservation of riparian and flood-prone areas’ needs with public needs through the following goals: (1) Identifying and addressing water quality issues that have developed from use, (2) Educating the public about habitat, habitat needs and on-going restoration projects, (3) Creating community partnerships, and (4) Creating a program and materials easily adaptable to other forests and agencies. This program uses Contact Rangers, newspaper and radio ads, brochures and interpretive signs in		<p>Spring 2009</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Following projects planned and designed: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ 15 acres of riparian protection from damage by recreation ○ 2 acres of decompaction and revegetation in riparian area ○ 0.5 miles of road decompaction ○ 1000 feet of fencing ○ 140 boulders placed at 9 locations to prevent access to riparian area ○ 20 signs to protect riparian resources <p>Summer and Fall 2009</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Work underway and scheduled to be completed by Oct 2009 	<p>Little North Santiam</p> <p>County- Marion</p>	<p>Restoration Funding:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ OWEB 208-3033 ■ USFS Title 2 <p><i>In-Kind:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ USFS 	<p>No.- 1</p> <p>Hrs- 40</p>

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combination with restoration treatments. Education provides recreationists with opportunities to be stewards of public lands and protects investments of improving habitat.					
Council Objective #4	Spawning Gravel Enhancement	<i>Objective: Partner with Army Corps of Engineers to develop appropriate partnerships to design and implement a spawning gravel enhancement and habitat restoration project.</i>			Priority: Medium
Description		Outcomes	Location	Funding	Volunteer
This project considers moving gravel from above Big Cliff Dam to: (1) strategic locations around the watershed, (2) just below the dam to be distributed by water released by the dam or (3) a combination of 1 and 2. The goal is to enhance gravel beds for spawning, a limiting factor identified in several planning documents.		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Analysis and draft report completed (March 2009) ▪ Technical review completed (Spring 2009) ▪ Tour with technical advisors (May 2009) ▪ Grant report completed 	Middle North Santiam Mainstem	Assessment Funds: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ OR Governor’s Fund ▪ Army Corps Section 22 In-Kind: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ USACE ▪ ODFW ▪ USFW ▪ USFS ▪ NOAA Fisheries 	No.- 23 Hrs- 238
Council Objective #5	Santiam Basin Fish Passage Barrier Inventory and Restoration	<i>Objective: Partner with South Santiam Watershed Council and OSU to implement a fish passage barrier inventory and prioritization for the Santiam Basin.</i>			Priority: High
Description		Outcomes	Location	Funding	Volunteer
The North and South Santiam Watershed Councils are partnering with an OSU engineering professor		Fall 2007 to Fall 2009 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ 1 graduate student and 3 undergraduate students were hired 	Watershed-wide	Assessment Funds: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ BLM Title 2 ▪ OR Governor’s 	No.- 1 Hrs- 40

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<p>and graduate students to survey and prioritize fish passage barriers. Field surveys are performed according to BLM protocol. With resulting inventory and detailed maps, councils and partners can analyze relationships between barriers, hydrology, fish distributions and habitat to create a prioritized list of future fish passage barrier projects. Information will be used to begin dialogue with agency partners and landowners to strategically open up fish habitat by addressing barriers.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Graduate student completed research to design inventory and prioritization, field surveys, analysis and database. Poster on this work won an award at a conference. ▪ Assessments completed Summer 2008 and 2009 ▪ Projects identified on Mad Creek and Little North Fork Sub-watershed as high priority. Funding is partially secured for the Mad Creek site for construction Summer 2010 and/or 2011. 		<p>Fund (via South Santiam) Restoration Funds (Mad Creek):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ ODOT <p>In-Kind:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ South Santiam WSC ▪ OSU ▪ ODOT ▪ NOAA Fish ▪ Linn County 	
<p>Council Objective #6</p>	<p>North Fork Annual Clean-Up Events</p>	<p>Objective: <i>Continue working with partners to implement annual Fall Clean-ups along the Little North Santiam River.</i></p>	<p>Priority: <i>Medium</i></p>	
<p>Description</p>	<p>Outcomes</p>	<p>Location</p>	<p>Funding</p>	<p>Volunteer</p>
<p>Council works with local partners to coordinate annual clean-up events along the Little North Santiam River in response to increasing impacts of recreation in this area. Each Fall, approximately 15-30 volunteers walk 15 miles of the North Fork Rd adjacent to the tributary to pick up trash. Partners are also looking at options to increase awareness through signage and alternative recreation management applications.</p>	<p>Fall 2007 and Fall 2008</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ 2 clean-up events (Oct 2007 and Oct 2008) along 15 miles of road, including areas adjacent to Little North Santiam River when access allows ▪ Council provided support letters for other agencies submitting grant applications to address high road use concerns to reduce impacts to natural resources. <p>Next Steps</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Changing scope of event to add weed removal. New title will be a “Weed and 	<p>Little North Santiam Sub-Watershed</p> <p>TSR- 9S, 2E, 9-12 & 15-18 9S, 3E, 1-2, 7-11 & 18 8S, 4E, 31-33</p> <p>County- Marion</p>	<p>Event Funds:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ SOLV ▪ BLM ▪ North Santiam Economic Development Corp <p>Capacity Funds:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ OWEB 208-030 ▪ Salem ▪ Albany <p>In-Kind:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Volunteers 	<p>No.- 19</p> <p>Hrs- 86</p>

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		Clean.” This emphasis on weed removal will partner with Marion SWCD to utilize their noxious weed inventory to target weed removal.		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ BLM ▪ USFS ▪ Marion County ▪ Marion SWCD 	
Council Objective #7	North Santiam Watershed Action Plan	Objective: <i>Compile existing planning and assessment documents to create an action plan for watershed protection and restoration projects.</i>			Priority: <i>Medium</i>
Description		Outcomes	Location	Funding	Volunteer
Council coordinator contractor took priorities and limiting factors described in planning documents (e.g. Salmon and Steelhead Recovery Plan, DEQ TMDL Plan, USFS analysis, etc.) to produce an action plan that identifies limiting factors, management actions, target landowners and funding resources available.		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Participated in various planning processes including ESA Recovery Planning for Upper Willamette Salmon and Steelhead. This work was used to build action plan that aligns with agency priorities and integrates local knowledge. ▪ Draft completed (July 2008) and edits are underway. Editing process is integrating Meyer-Memorial Trust Model Watershed planning and assessment work. 	Watershed-wide	Capacity Funds: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ OWEB 208-030 ▪ Salem ▪ Albany In-Kind: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Council members ▪ ODFW ▪ USFS ▪ DEQ ▪ USFW ▪ Marion County ▪ BLM 	No.- 5 Hrs- 5
Council Objective #8	Water Quality Data	Objective: <i>Analyze existing water quality data for the North Santiam Watershed and use it to identify future needs and plan to meet those needs.</i>			Priority: <i>Low</i>
Description		Outcomes	Location	Funding	Volunteer
A member and Council coordinator contractor will compile Council’s water quality data to produce a report and make recommendations for future monitoring. This report is intended to stimulate continued monitoring by		Due to lack of funding support and low priority, progress was not made on this objective. It is expected that monitoring efforts will fold into the Meyer Memorial Trust Willamette Model Watershed	N/A	N/A	N/A

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identifying needs and providing a plan that integrates ongoing water quality and effectiveness monitoring needs.		program and focus on restoration effectiveness monitoring.			
Council Objective #9	“Your Watershed, Your Community” Education and Outreach	<i>Objective: Implement ongoing education activities to raise awareness, recruit volunteers and maintain relationship with watershed residents.</i>			Priority: Medium
<i>Description</i>		<i>Outcomes</i>	<i>Location</i>	<i>Funding</i>	<i>Volunteer</i>
“Your Watershed, Your Community” Education and Outreach Program provides interactive education to increase knowledge of council members, citizens, landowners and students about watershed principles; providing these audiences information about what they can do to protect and restore their watershed resources along with tools and opportunities to apply that knowlegde in direct action.		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ 2 restoration site tours Sept 2007 and Sept 2008 ▪ 13 presentations to other organizations about the watershed council and projects ▪ 2 presentations to local students were provided ▪ New website at www.nisantiamwatershed.org. ▪ 19 electronic updates distributed ▪ Students completed a planting at the Heritage Seedling, Inc. project site Fall 2007, one planting at Hatch side channel Winter 2009 and native vegetation restoration at Fishermen’s Bend (volunteer and hours recorded in descriptions above). ▪ 3 volunteer events to remove weeds or plant riparian areas occurred on Bear Branch and Stout (volunteer and hours recorded in descriptions above). ▪ 2 North Fork volunteer clean-up events (volunteer and hours recorded in descriptions above) 	Watershed-wide	Education Funds: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ OWEB 206-213 Capacity Funds: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ OWEB 208-030 ▪ Salem ▪ Albany In-Kind: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Volunteers ▪ Marion SWCD ▪ USACE ▪ Cascade Pacific RCD ▪ BLM ▪ DEQ ▪ USFS ▪ NSCEDC ▪ OSU 	No.- 22 Hrs- 192

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		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Partnered with OSU Extension to deliver 3 landowner workshops series Spring 2007, Spring 2008 and Fall 2008. ▪ 8 mailers sent to riparian landowners on Stout, Bear Branch, Marion and Snake-Deford Creeks ▪ 12 presentations provided at Council meetings ▪ 5 press releases ▪ 10 Learn The River Trips offered by North Santiam River Guides ▪ Served partner role on 2 reservoir related invasive species workshops with USFS (May 2008 and 2009) ▪ Projects Report created for outreach at tours and presentations (Sept 2008) 			
Council Objective #10	Council Member Meetings, Recruitment and Training	<i>Objective: Recruit new membership, provide training to new and continuing members to help them acquire skills to be an effective participant and continued participation of members in meetings to maintain progress on projects and activities.</i>			Priority: Low
Description		Outcomes	Location	Funding	Volunteer
Council coordinator contractor builds members’ skills through trainings integrated into 3 meetings each biennium. This is in response to a need assessed during the Fall 2006 self-evaluation. Training provides information on the following: grants and obligations, staffing (contracting versus employees), watershed council		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Members meet 20 times each biennium for joint steering and general membership meetings ▪ Operations Committee meets 24 times each biennium ▪ Following outreach message developed: Who: We are local volunteers that share an interest in improving the health of the watershed in partnership with interested landowners. How: We facilitate projects based on scientific analysis that improve water health by developing partnerships 	N/A	Capacity Funds: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ OWEB 208-030 ▪ Salem ▪ Albany In-Kind:	No.- 27 Hrs- 801

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<p>history, watershed priorities, bylaws, decision making and member roles and responsibilities. These efforts are intended to recruit and retain members. Council coordinator contractor also worked with members to recruit additional participation.</p>	<p>and resources to plan, fund and implement projects. Why: At the end of the day we all use water and, therefore, want it to stay healthy to support our uses. The North Santiam Watershed Council provides a place to work together in a non-regulatory setting to achieve this goal of healthy water and healthy natural resources.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Membership manuals updated ▪ Council members trained on basics of watershed councils and serving on a council (Winter 2008 and 2009) ▪ Non-profit research completed and discussed with Council to determine if want to change or stay with fiscal sponsor (Winter 2008-2009) ▪ 1 self evaluation completed (June 2008) ▪ By-laws reviewed 				
<p>Council Objective #11</p>	<p>Build Partnerships</p>	<p><i>Objective: Develop partnerships that lead to priority watershed projects, and resources to implement those projects.</i></p>	<p>Priority: Medium</p>		
<p><i>Description</i></p>		<p><i>Outcomes</i></p>	<p><i>Location</i></p>	<p><i>Funding</i></p>	<p><i>Volunteer</i></p>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Cascade Pacific RC&D (CPRCD) – CPRCD is fiscal sponsor for the watershed council. This relationship opens opportunities for further partnerships and provides access to technical assistance. ▪ Marion County Weed Control District- Council has formed partnership with the County by participating in the Weed Control District and partnering on weed inventory and eradication projects. ▪ Meyer-Memorial Trust Willamette Model 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Coordinator Contractor served on CPRCD to pursue partnerships and improve fiscal sponsorship relationship ▪ Council partnered with Weed Control District on False Brome project, helping with grant writing, survey work, landowner education and eradication in riparian areas. Resulted in 20 acres treated. ▪ North Santiam Weed Control grant secured in partnership with Weed 	<p>N/A</p>	<p>Capacity Funds:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ OWEB 208-030 ▪ Meyer Memorial Trust ▪ Salem ▪ Albany <p>In-Kind:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Calapooia WSC ▪ South Santiam WSC ▪ Cascade Pacific 	<p>Interviews No.- 45 Hrs- 45</p> <p>Staff on Weed Grants No.- 4 Hrs- 8</p>	

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<p>Watershed- The Council in partnership with Calapooia and South Santiam Watershed Councils was accepted into the Willamette Model Watershed program. This partnership with MMT will increase capacity for strategic restoration planning, landowner relationship building and effectiveness monitoring.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ City of Salem- The Council partnered with City of Salem to start two projects in the watershed. The first is a water supply planning pilot project for engaging stakeholders in developing a water supply strategy on a watershed scale. The second is to update boat ramps at Upper and Lower Bennett Dams. ▪ United States Forest Service- The Council received funding from USFS to interview summer homeowners on Breitenbush River to determine homeowner interest in conservation and restoration projects. ▪ Other Opportunities- The Council typically has potential partners approaching the Council on North Santiam Watershed Projects. Each opportunity is reviewed by the Council to determine its priority and whether it is feasible to commit to assisting with the project. 	<p>Control District to target weeds identified in Marion SWCD inventory.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Council provided public meeting for Marion SWCD on their Little North Fork Weed Inventory (which covered 25 river miles and 300 acres) ▪ Partnered with Calapooia and South Santiam Watershed Councils to secure funding and implement Landowner Recruitment for Restoration. ▪ Partnered with Calapooia and South Santiam Watershed Council to secure long-term funding through Meyer Memorial Trust to support landowner outreach, strategic restoration planning and effectiveness monitoring ▪ Oregon Consensus completed stakeholder interviews for determining synergy for developing a water strategy in the North Santiam (draft report completed July 2009) ▪ 25 interviews completed of Breitenbush summer homeowners and final report completed (June 2008) 		<p>RC&D</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Marion County ▪ City of Salem ▪ Marion SWCD 		
Council Objective #12	Coordination Services	Objective: Contractor will provide coordination services.		Priority: <i>Low</i>	
Description		Outcomes	Location	Funding	Volunteer
Ongoing coordination of the Council provided by contractor includes:		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Ongoing Council operations as written in description 	N/A	<p>Capacity Funds:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ OWEB 208-030 	No.- 1

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Coordinating Steering and Operation Committee meetings, and other committee meetings as they arise. ▪ Maintaining project, grant and meeting files. ▪ Serving as point of contact for phone calls and e-mails. ▪ Other tasks as they arise and are prioritized. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Completed Consultant of Record process to streamline project planning and implementation 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Salem ▪ Albany <i>In-Kind:</i> ▪ Council member ▪ Calapooia WSC ▪ South Santiam WSC 	<p><i>Hrs- 8</i></p>
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Appendix – Acronyms

BLM- Bureau of Land Management
BMP- Best Management Practices
CREP- Conservation Reserve Enhancement Program
DEQ- Department of Environmental Quality
ESA- Endangered Species Act
FSA- Farm Service Agency
LIP- Landowner Incentive Program
NFWF- National Fish and Wildlife Foundation
NOAA- National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration
NRCS- Natural Resource Conservation Service
NSCEDC- North Santiam Canyon Economic Development Corporation
ODA- Oregon Department of Agriculture
ODF- Oregon Department of Forestry
ODFW- Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife
ODOT- Oregon Department of Transportation
OPRD- Oregon Parks and Recreation Department
OSU- Oregon State University
RCD- Resource Conservation and Development
SWCD- Soil and Water Conservation District
TNC- The Nature Conservancy
USACE- Unites States Army Corps of Engineers
USFW- Unites States Fish and Wildlife Service
USFS- Unites States Forest Service
WHIP- Wildlife Habitat Incentive Program
WRP- Wetland Reserve Program
WSC- Watershed Council