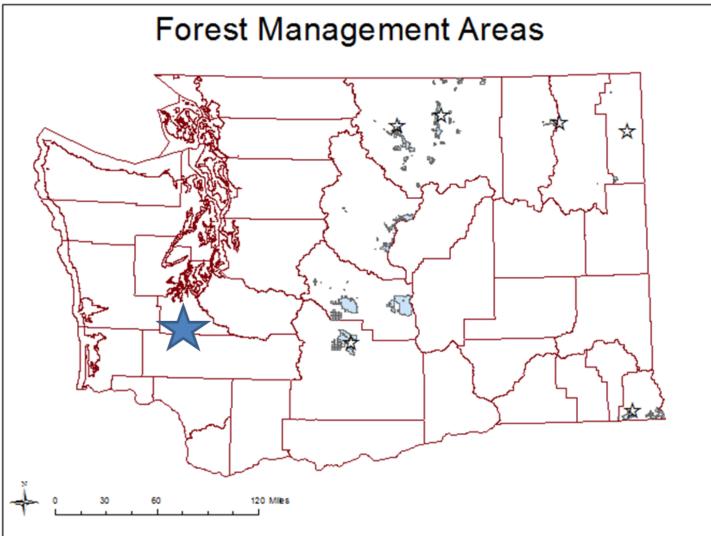
Scatter Creek Forest Restoration Project Approval Request

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Scatter Creek Phase 3 Location \star





Scatter Creek Phase 3

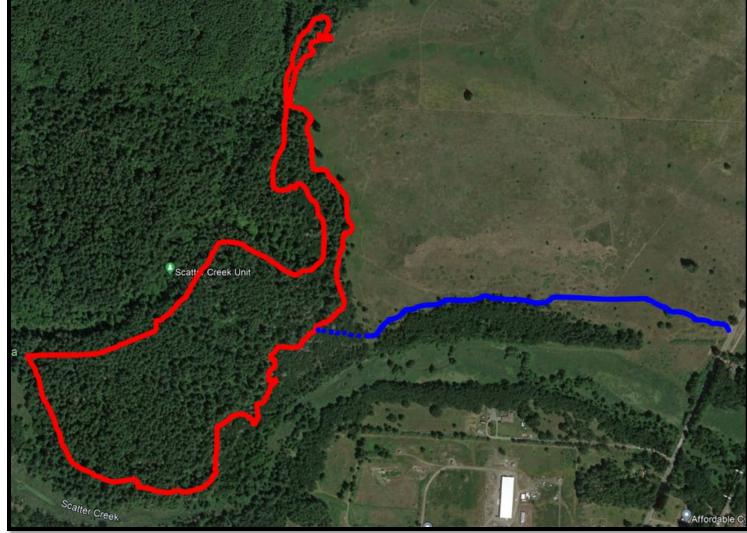
– 52 acres

- Restore 27 acres of oak woodland
- Restore 25 acres of prairie and conifer transition zones
- Remove more wood than usual
 - Estimate 1.2 million board feet
 - Approximately 4 to 5 truck loads per acre
- Timing: August October 2024 or 2025
- Burn slash piles in fall
- Wood helps pay for prairie restoration
- If possible, follow up with prescribed fire



Scatter Creek Phase 3

- Unit
- Access road

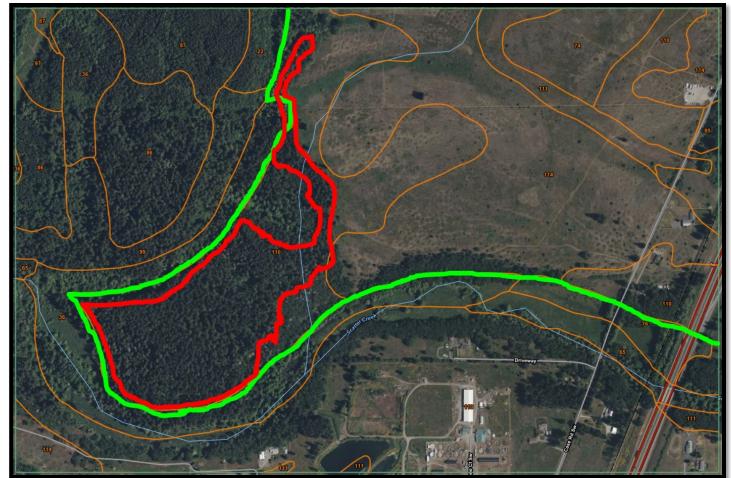




USGS Soils Map

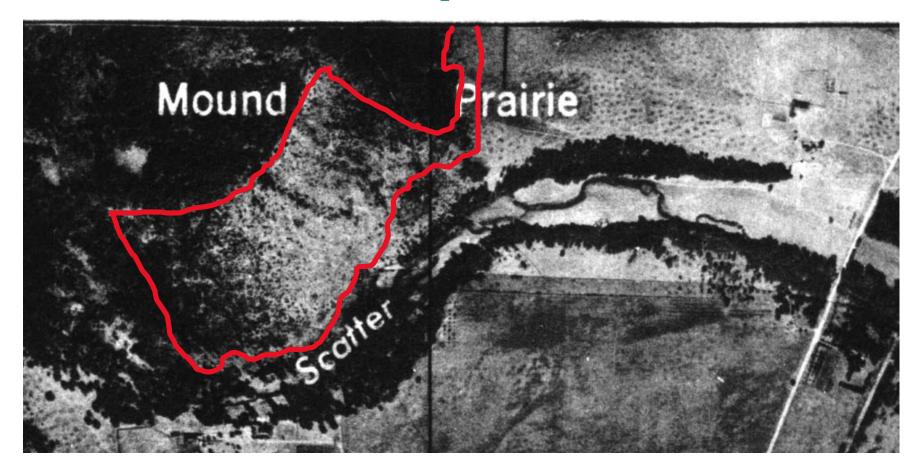
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Project





1944 - Still Mostly Prairie





Oaks Dying in Shade





Recent, Similar Projects

Scatter Creek Phases 1&2 in 2018West Rocky Prairie - 2023



Scatter Creek Phase 1 (Before/After)





Ugly Phase - few months





Scatter Creek Phase 1 (Before/After)





Scatter Creek Phase 2 (Before/After)





Mazama Pocket Gophers Quickly Moved In





Scatter Creek Wet Forest (Before/after)





West Rocky Prairie (Before/After)





We are seeking commission approval for this project.

Any Questions?



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