



WHO WE ARE



North Pacific LCC

Stretching along the North Pacific coast from California to Alaska, The North Pacific

Landscape Conservation Cooperative promotes development, coordination, and dissemination of science to inform landscape level conservation and sustainable resource management in the face of a changing climate and related stressors.

How We're Funded

The NPLCC receives the majority of its funding from the U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service, with additional contributions from U.S. Geological Survey and other partners.



KEY PARTNERS



SCIENCE-DRIVEN RESULTS

PROJECT PROFILE: Integrating climate change into design & permitting of water crossing structures.



The Washington Department of Fish & Wildlife (WDFW) has regulatory authority over most culvert and bridge projects in Washington State. As of now, WDFW design standards do not incorporate climate-related changes and impacts. This year, a federal court injunction will direct Washington State to repair structures. This creates an urgent need for these passages to be designed in a climate-informed fashion.

- » This project will build on a previously funded project with USGS that developed a decision support framework for prioritizing restoration of passage.
- » Climate data will be integrated into existing procedures, advancing the ability for decision makers to design projects that withstand our changing environmental conditions.

This project will ensure continued habitat connectivity investments will be robust in light of a changing climate.

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