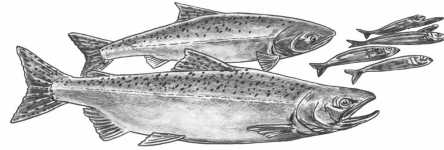


2008 Morse Creek Stormwater Pond



Why was restoration needed?

Highway 101 crosses over Morse Creek at this site. Rainwater runoff would previously have entered directly into the creek system, which would introduce heavy metals and other contaminants that reside on roadways. The stormwater pond will help to capture and filter these pollutants prior to entering Morse Creek.



During Construction



2010- Post Construction

Project Overview

Location: Morse Creek Cabin, off of Hwy. 101

Size of runoff area: 3 acres

The stormwater pond was constructed in the summer of 2008 to treat approximately 3 acres of highway runoff prior to it flowing into Morse Creek. The area was planted with over 1,400 native grass plugs and plants this last year following project site construction to improve surrounding habitat and further reduce runoff of pollutants.

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