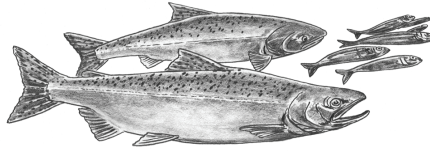


2011 Shaw Property Planting



Project Summary

Number of trees planted: 175
Number of Crew Members: 6
Length of stream planted: 900 ft.

In 2007, NOSC and an AmeriCorps crew planted this 900 ft section of the creek. Due to mortality from harsh winters and dry summers, a large portion of this planting site remained without tree cover. The sections that were not shaded had infestations of canary grass and Himalayan blackberry. In order to improve habitat along this section, NOSC and the WCC replanted this site with drought tolerant shrub species that will help to improve stream cover and decrease temperatures along this section of Chimacum Creek.

Shaw Property Planting January 12, 2011



The Washington Conservation Corps crew planted 175 trees and shrubs along a 900 ft. section of Chimacum Creek owned by a local farmer, Jim Shaw. This planting is a secondary planting that will fill in spaces left by dead trees from a 2007 planting. Site prep included removal of Himalayan Blackberry and Reed Canary Grass. The site will continue to be maintained by a NOSC maintenance crew to ensure ultimate survival of the shrubs planted. NOSC would like to thank the landowner, Jim Shaw, for kindly allowing NOSC to plant on his property.

