Alaska Department of Fish and Game

Habitat Section Southeast Region

112-12-10340 Tributary 1

Waterbody name: Quad: Sitka C-3 Upper Reach Latitude: 57.707346 Longitude: -134.933477 Lower Reach Latitude: 57.707438 Longitude: -134.927219

Findings: We surveyed this uncataloged stream using a backpack electrofisher and GPS and captured juvenile coho salmon, cutthroat trout, and Dolly Varden (Figure 1). The stream channel is forested and low gradient with potential fish habitat upstream of the surveyed point (Table 1; Figures 2, 3).

Recommendations: Add this uncataloged stream to the anadromous waters catalog for rearing coho salmon (Figure 4).

Nomination: Pending

Table 1.–112-12-10340 tributary 1 survey data.

Waypoint	Latitude	Longitude	Notes	Stream Width ft	Stream Substrate	Habitat Features	Gradient %	Sample Effort	Sample Results
1372	57.709108	-134.930779	Culvert						
1494	57.709117	-134.930775	3ft CMP, logged log in the culvert. Stream is very deep and stagnant with little to no flow. Culvert looks plugged with mud and grass, potentially creating a barrier within the culvert. Stream ends	6-8	Fine Organic		1-2	EF	No Fish
			100ft after inlet						
1496	57.708301	-134.931578	3ft CMP, half full with water, behind inlet very deep stagnant channel. Signs of old beaver activity are present	8-10	Fine Organic Small Gravel		1-2	EF	No Fish
1498	57.708528	-134.931285	Ift CMP, almost completely plugged with mud and debris. and stagnant. This connects to a stream further down the road, stream has been affected by beaver activity	8-10	Fine Organic Small Gravel		1-2	EF	3 CT
1499	57.707386	-134.933497	5ft CMP, low gradient, no	6-8	Small Gravel		2-4	EF	2 CO
			sediment inside and rusted 1ft above water line		Sand				1 DV 1 CT
			III above water line						101

Survey date: 8/16/2022 Species & Lifestage: Survey crew: JL, RR

ADDITION





Figure 1.-Juvenile coho salmon, Dolly Varden, and cutthroat trout captured at waypoint 1499.



Figure 2.-Channel at waypoint 1499.



Figure 3.-Culvert outlet at waypoint 1499.

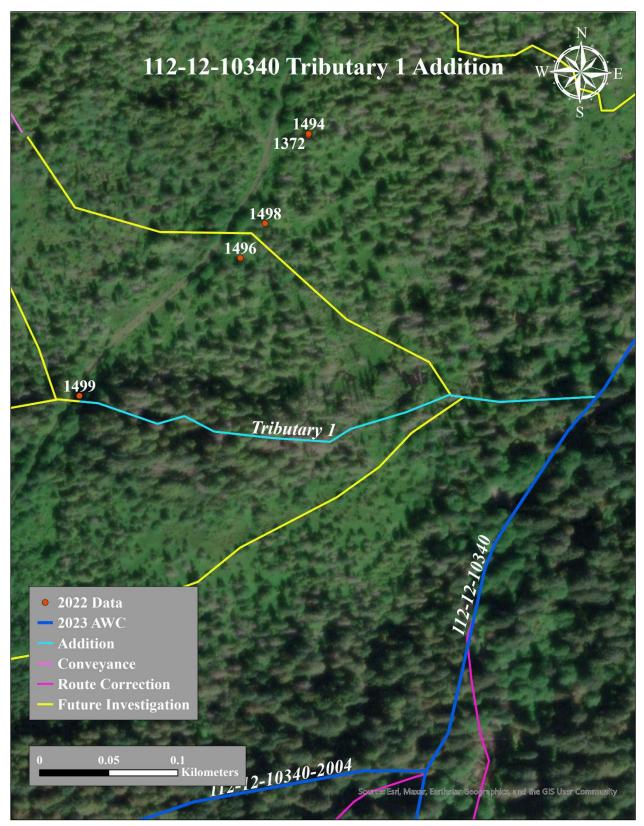


Figure 4.–112-12-10340 tributary 1 addition map.