

Maximize Your Pastureland for Better Forage & Habitat

FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE NOW AVAILABLE THROUGH THE NATURAL RESOURCES CONSERVATION SERVICE

Applications accepted continuously at the St. Helens Service Center

Upper Nehalem Floodplain Recovery

Open to agricultural producers in the Upper Nehalem Floodplain in Columbia County. NRCS and partners will give you the technical knowledge and financial incentives you need to improve soil health on your pasture and enhance streamside habitat for Coastal Coho Salmon. Participation is entirely voluntary.

By participating in this project, you can perform several conservation activities on your land such as pasture and hay plantings, mulching, fencing, and planting trees and shrubs along streambanks.

These conservation practices will help increase soil organic matter on pasture and hayland to improve productivity and reduce erosion; and provide vegetation and shade along streams to reduce water temperatures for salmon habitat and improve water quality.

To sign up or for more information, contact:

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You may be eligible for financial assistance to perform the following conservation practices:

- Fencing
- Forage Harvest Management
- Pasture and Hay Planting
- Early Successional Habitat Development/Management
- Tree/Shrub Establishment
- Tree/Shrub Site Preparation
- Mulching
- Brush Management
- Obstruction Removal
- Prescribed Grazing
- Herbaceous Weed Control
- Critical Area Planting
- Grazing Management Plan
- Watering Facility
- Pipeline
- Pumping Plant
- Spring Development
- Riparian Forest Buffer

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