

SITE NUMBER: C-R1-02
LOCAL NAME: Unnamed
WRIA: 20.0175L

NORTH COAST OFF CHANNEL SITE INVENTORY DATA

RIVER SYSTEM: Calawah R. **DATE:** 2/21/90 **OBSERVER:** Nettnin

CHANNEL TYPE: Overflow channel (abandoned river channel)

TRIBUTARY TO: Calawah R. (20.0175)

SITE LOCATION: R.B. @ River Mile: 2.9 (WDF)

LEGAL DESCRIPTION:

	UPPER END	LOWER END	RIVER TEMP
<u>WATER TEMP:</u>	45 F	45 F	43 F
<u>FLOW (CFS):</u>	0.25	< 0.25	

SUBSTRATE TYPE: Mostly sand and silt.

SITE SIZE: **Length-** 150 m
 Width- Water surface = 6 - 12 in
 Channel = 12 - 20 ft
 Depth- 2 - 6 in

WATER SOURCE: Perk water from river and springs

DIRECTIONS TO SITE: Head north from the town of Forks on Hwy 101. Turn left just north of m.p. 193 (1 mile north of Forks) onto the La Push Rd. Continue west about 1 mile then turn left (i.e. south) onto a gravel road. Park at the road barrier. Walk in on the road until coming to the upper edge of a high terrace which overlooks a large clearcut. C-R1-01 is at the toe of this terrace. Go around the upper end of C-R1-01 and follow the trail to the river. C-R1-02 is the old side channel just below a great looking fishing hole.

FISH ACCESS AND CURRENT USE: Fish appear to have unrestricted access to C-R1-02. Lower flows may well be a problem as egress channel probably goes dry. No fish were observed in the channel.

FLOODING POTENTIAL: High

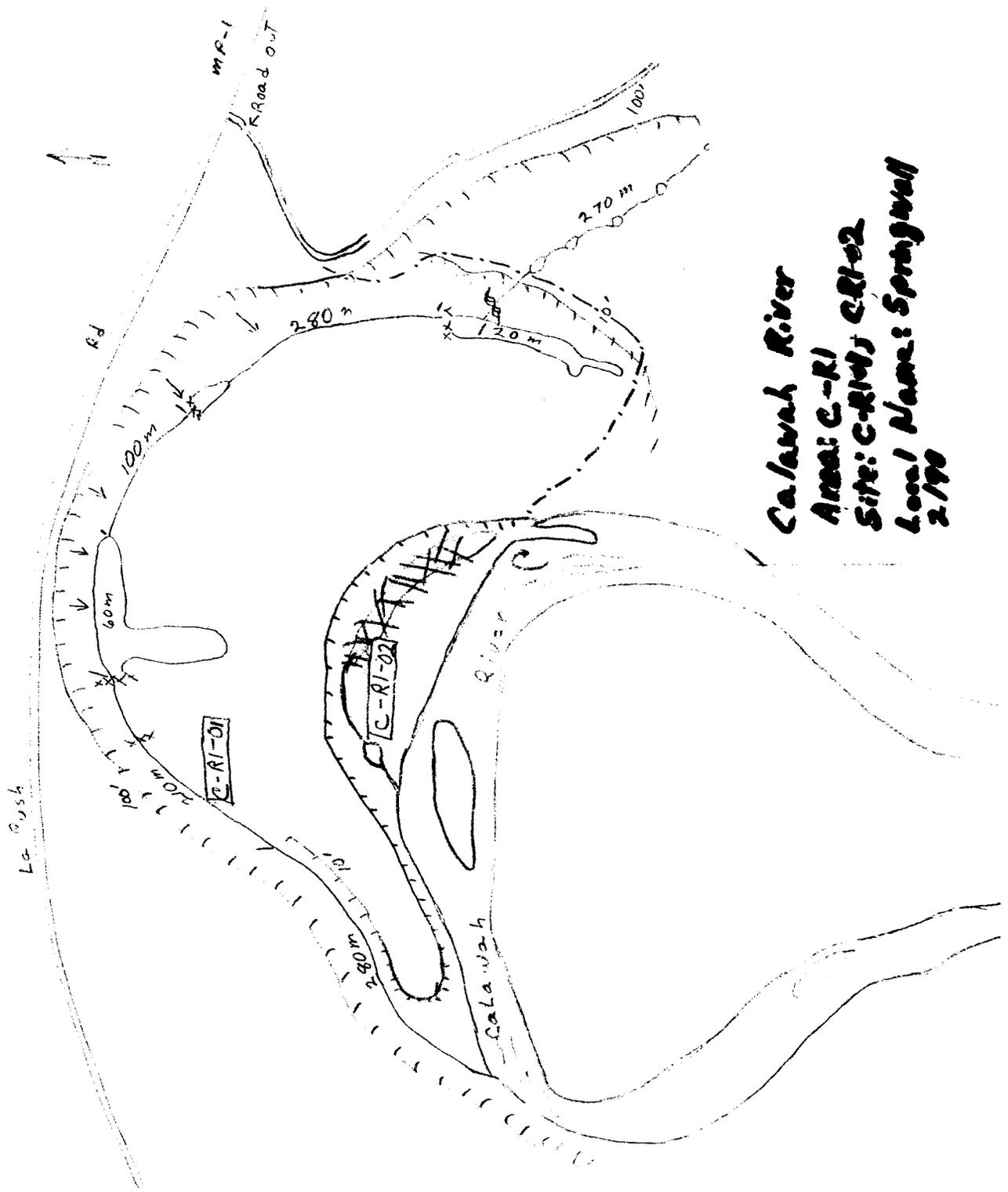
LANDOWNER: Unknown at this time.

COMMENTS & RECOMMENDATIONS: C-R1-02 is an overflow channel of the Calawah which runs along the base of a 10 ft terrace. Some spring action was seen along the channel. The upper reach of C-R1-02 contains a very large log jam. A large amount of water under the jam appears to provide excellent cover and may provide temporary winter refuge. Since C-R1-02 appears to receive overflow water from the river during moderately high flows, no enhancement efforts can be recommended.

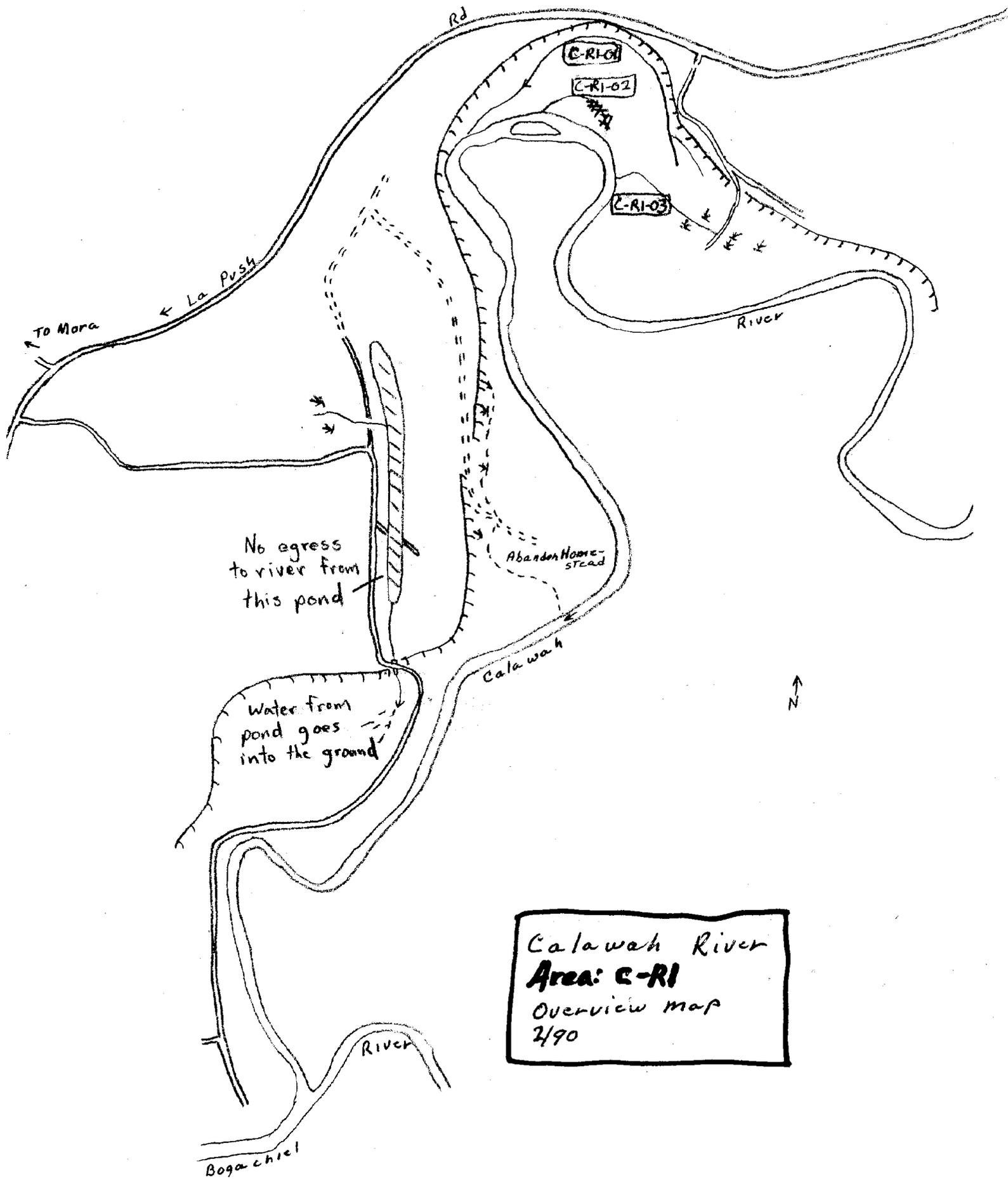
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OBSERVER: King

0.25 - 0.50 cfs at mouth. Saw no fish. Entrance much better at higher flows. Not much potential for enhancement. Has had river flow recently.



Calawah River
Area: C-RI
Site: C-RI-01 C-RI-02
Local Name: Springwell
2/90



Calawah River
Area: C-R1
 Overview map
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**Calawah River
Area: C-RI
Area Map
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