

SITE NUMBER: CW-L11-01

LOCAL NAME: Unnamed

WRIA:

NORTH COAST OFF CHANNEL SITE INVENTORY DATA

RIVER SYSTEM: Clearwater **DATE:** 7/6/88 **OBSERVER:** Young

CHANNEL TYPE: A small terrace trib (wall-based) that also appears to serve as a river overflow channel.

TRIBUTARY TO: Clearwater River (21.0024)

SITE LOCATION: River mile - 31.0 L.B.

LEGAL DESCRIPTION:

	UPPER END	LOWER END
WATER TEMP.:	51 F	53 F (River = 55 F)
AIR TEMP.:	63 F	63 F
FLOW (CFS):	Dry	0.1

SUBSTRATE TYPE: Silt over gravel.

SITE SIZE: Length- 200 m wetted channel. Continues upstream another 70-100 m as a damp, wall based depression.

Width- 2 - 5 ft (Pools to 12 ft)

Depth - 2 - 4 inches (Pools to 2 ft)

WATER SOURCE: Small seep-like springs from the base of the valley wall and possibly some perk water from the river. Overflow from the river during high winter flows is likely.

DIRECTIONS TO SITE: Head north on Hwy 101. Turn right 0.9 mi. beyond mile post 146 onto the Clearwater Rd. Proceed north 4.5 miles until coming to mile post 25.5 (the first in a series of descending half mile markers). Stay on the mainline. Turn right between MP 11.5 and 12.0 (C-2000) just before coming to the Clearwater Correction Center. Proceed east 11.0 to 11.5 miles until coming to Susie Cr. CW-L11-01 is located on the left bank about 0.2 to 0.3 miles downstream of Susie Cr. See site direction and overview maps. *Note - eight to nine miles up the C-2000 (junction with the C-2040), there is a gate and a key will need to be procured through the Department of Natural Resources office in Forks.

FISH ACCESS AND CURRENT USE: Good access. 0+ coho were very abundant in the lower channel. May provide limited winter rearing area.

FLOODING POTENTIAL: Moderate to high.

LANDOWNER: Unknown at this time.

COMMENTS & RECOMMENDATIONS: CW-L11-01 is thought to be the "possible" spawning channel indicated on past survey maps. Development of a spawning channel here may be feasible, but appears risky. While showing little evidence of heavy flows, CW-L11-01 does appear quite susceptible to flooding. If a blockage were to develop in the river, CW-L11-01 could quite easily become a major side channel or possibly even the main river channel.

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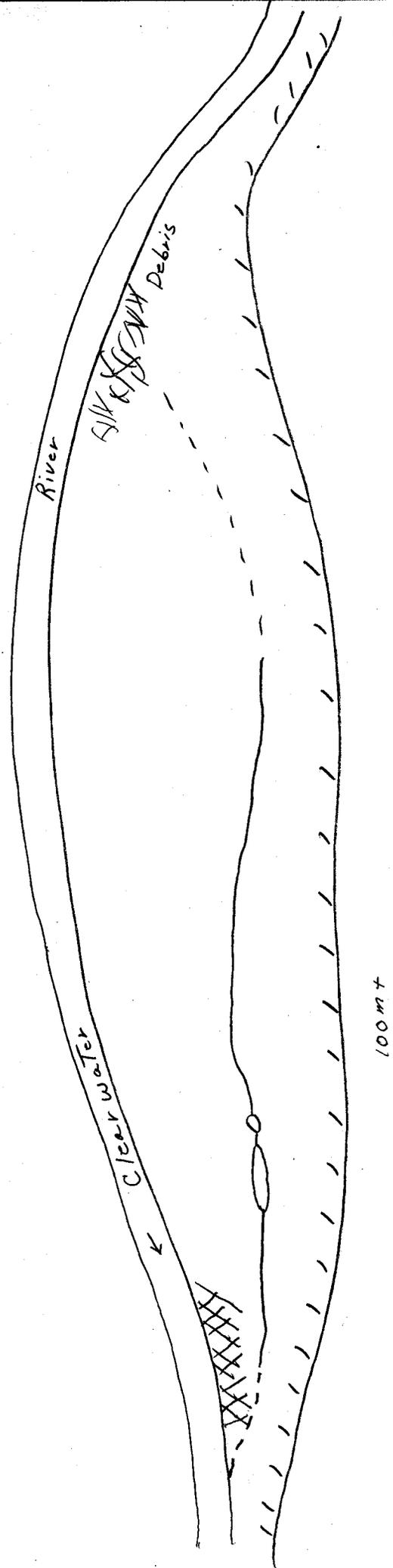
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Since the 1990 mass wasting event on Susie Creek and subsequent river channel changes, the mouth of this channel has been blocked by cobble/gravel. Since the flows generated by this tributary are not sufficient enough to clear the blockage, the 200 meters of potential winter rearing is lost until the river shifts and clears the debris. This blockage could be blasted clear and there is the potential of blasting beads in the channel also.

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AREA: CW-L11,
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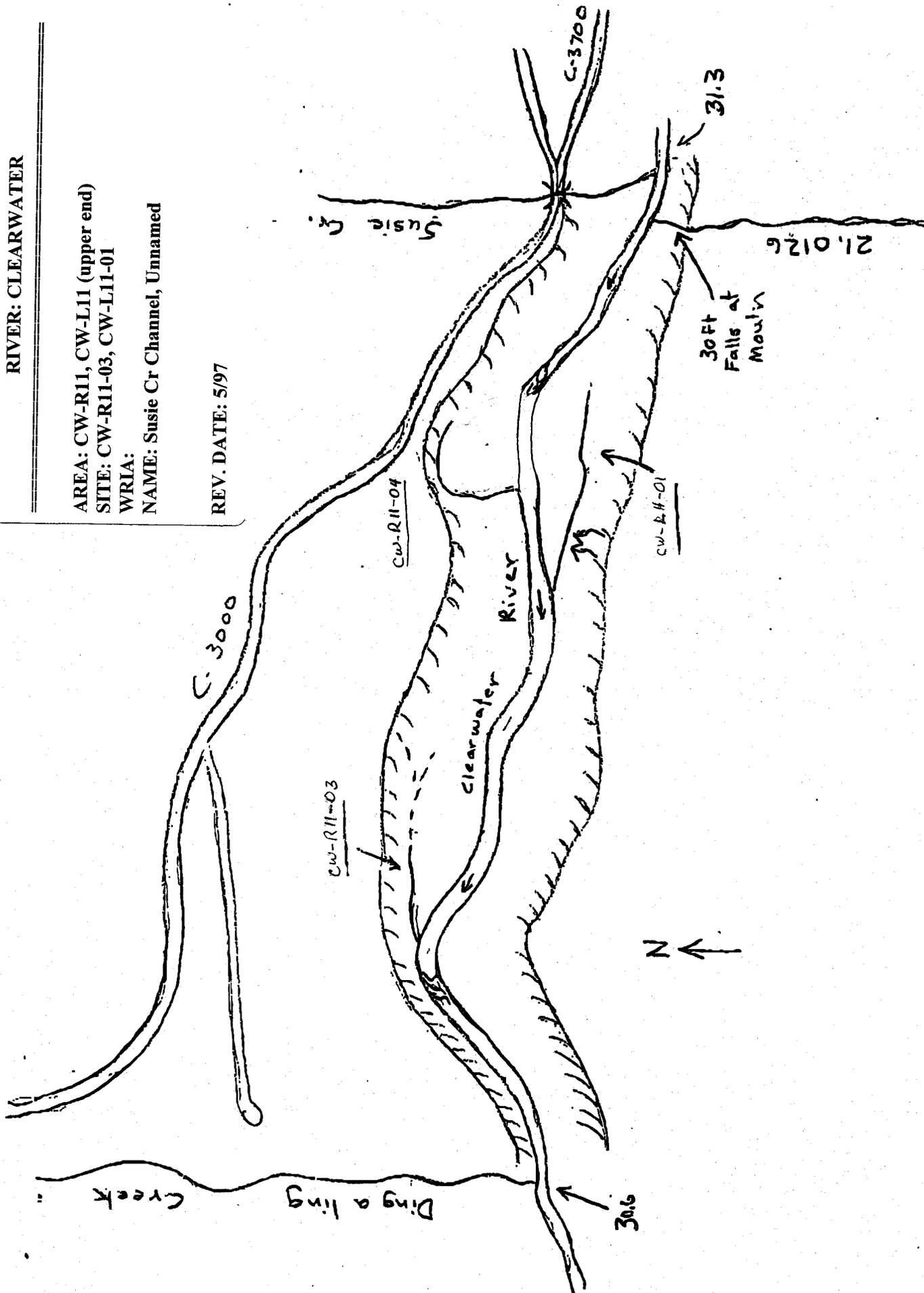
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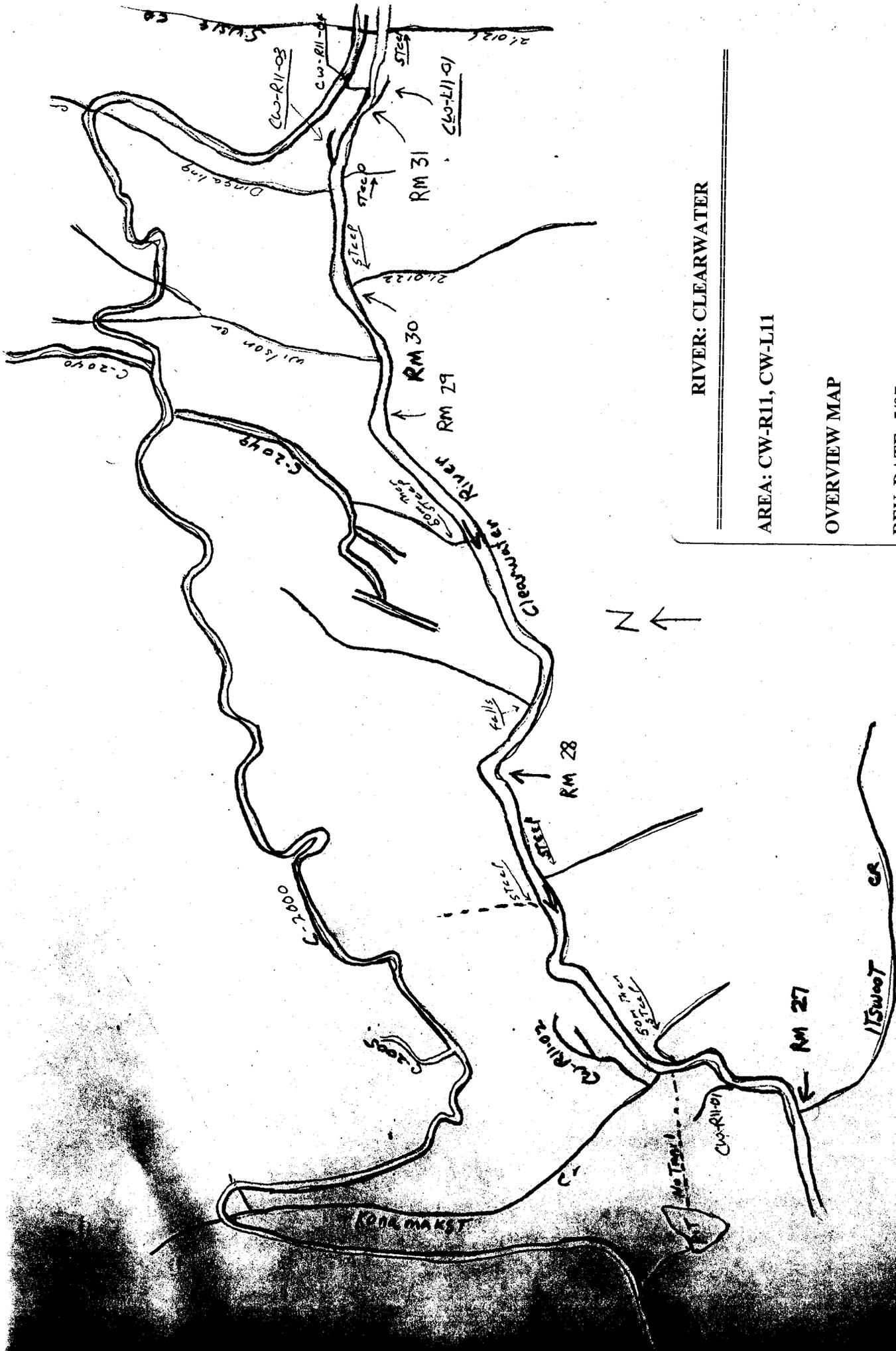


RIVER: CLEARWATER

AREA: CW-R11, CW-L11 (upper end)
SITE: CW-R11-03, CW-L11-01
WRIA:
NAME: Susie Cr Channel, Unnamed

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RIVER: CLEARWATER

AREA: CW-R11, CW-L11

OVERVIEW MAP

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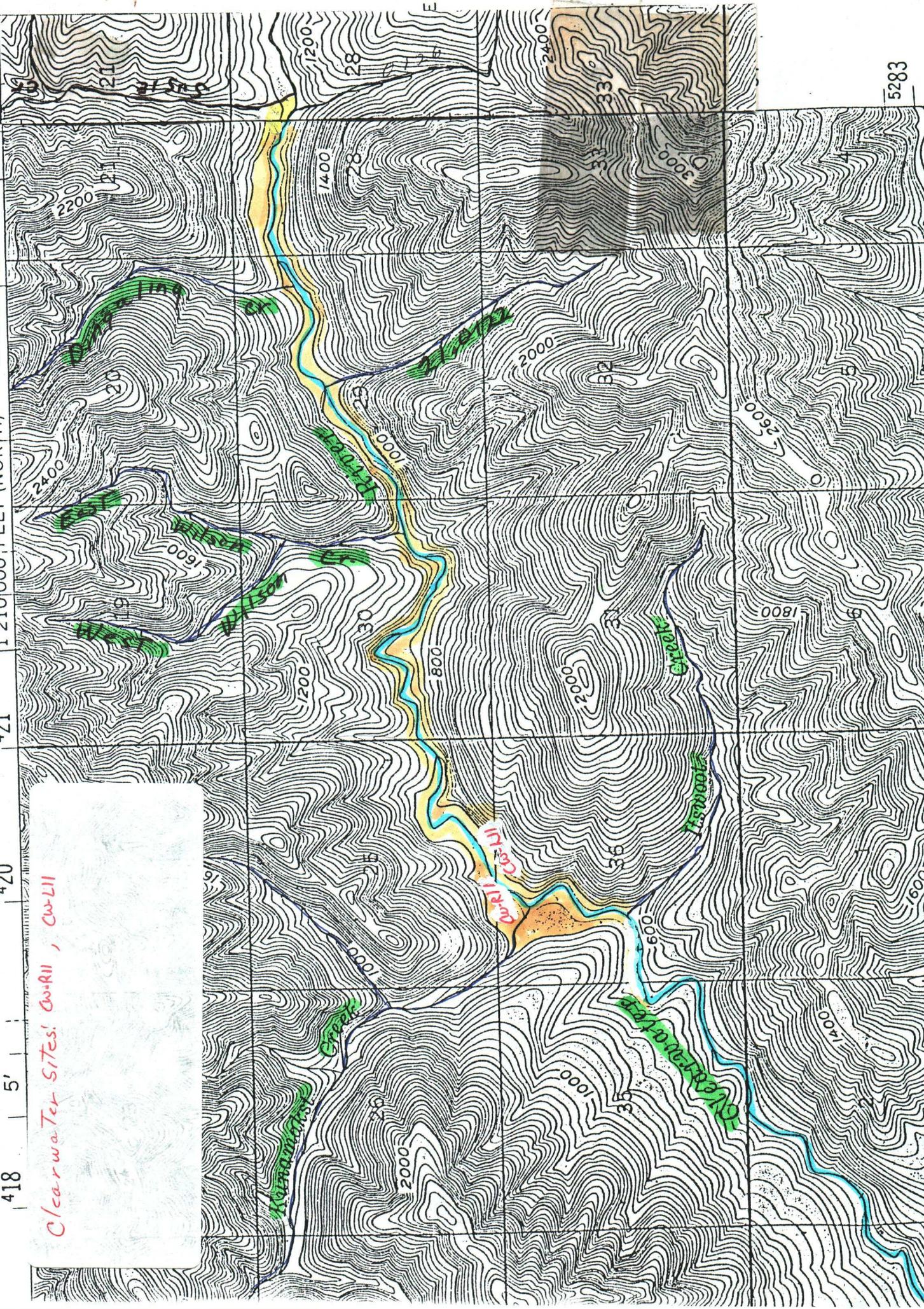
Note: The eastern third of the map has been compressed. Note river mileages.

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15 MINUTE SERIES (TOPOGRAPHIC)

418 | 5' | 420 | 421 | 1 210000 FEET (NORTH) | R. 10 W. | 424 | 124° 00'

Clearwater Sites: Cur III, Cur LII



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