

**SITE NUMBER:** H-L8-06

**LOCAL NAME:** Unnamed

**WRIA:**

\*This channel has not been assigned a WRIA number due to site is an overflow channel of the Hoh R. and summer egress of Elk Cr. (20.0447)

**NORTH COAST OFF CHANNEL SITE INVENTORY DATA**

**RIVER SYSTEM:** Hoh River    **DATE:** 8/25/87    **OBSERVER:** Young/Nettnin

**CHANNEL TYPE:** Overflow (currently serves as lower end of Elk ck.)

**TRIBUTARY TO:** Hoh R.

**SITE LOCATION:** LB @ River Mile - 18.5-18-8

**LEGAL DESCRIPTION:**

	<b>UPPER END</b>	<b>LOWER END</b>
<b><u>WATER TEMP.:</u></b>	53°	(Temp. taken at alluvial fan of Elk ck.)

**DISSOLVED OXYGEN:**

**AIR TEMP.:**            66°

**FLOWS (CFS):**                            3-5

**SUBSTRATE TYPE:** Rubble, gravel, sand.

**SITE SIZE:**    **Length-** 755 m  
                  **Width-** 20-40 ft  
                  **Depth-** 4-8"; Pools to 3 ft

**WATER SOURCE:** Elk Cr. Overflow from Hoh river in winter.

**DIRECTIONS TO SITE:** See map for H-L8 area.

**FISH ACCESS AND CURRENT USE:** Fish access is currently unrestricted. Excellent spawning and rearing areas. Juvenile coho were observed in large numbers.

**FLOODING POTENTIAL:** Moderate to high.

**LANDOWNER:** Rayonier.

**COMMENTS & RECOMMENDATIONS:** This channel currently serves as the lower end of Elk Cr. During the winter, it also serves as an overflow channel for the Hoh river. It also receives water from channels H-L8-07 and H-L8-08. Elk Cr. water is diverted away from this channel during spring and into H-L8-02 to accommodate smolt trapping.

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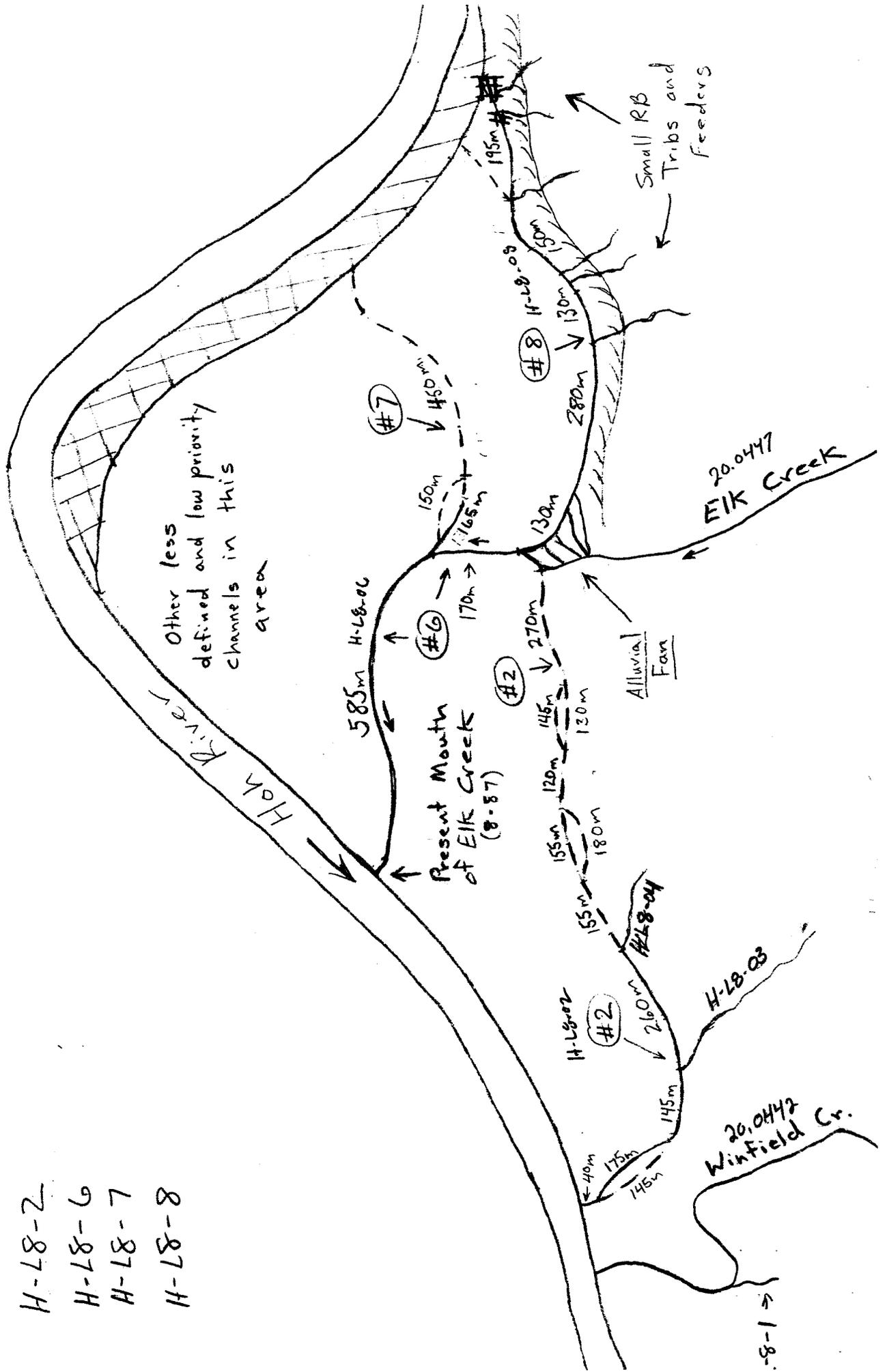
Map B

H-18-2

H-18-6

H-18-7

H-18-8



Site: H-18

# Overview Map

