

**SITE INFORMATION**

**Site Identifier :** SU7LB4 **Landowner Type :** Federal  
**Site Name :** Yew Channel **Landowner Name :** USFS  
**WRIA :** 03.0710X **Address :**  
**Region :** NS **Address2 :**  
**Trib to :** Suiattle R **City :**  
**River Mile :** 25.00 **State :**  
**River System :** Suiattle R **Zipcode :**  
**Legal Description :** NE1\4S23T32NR12E **Phone :**  
**County :** Snohomish  
**Habitat Type :**

**Directions :**

See map. Take forest service #26 up the Suiattle river. Turn right on forest service # 25 and follow to the road washout. Site is located beyond the road washout 3/4 miles and down the hill.

**Area Overview :**

This is a very short, narrow channel along a bedrock toe. The bench is very flood prone and in danger of becoming the main river channel. A large log jam at the upstream end is protecting the bench.

**Field Survey Information**

**Date :** 08/02/1995 **Observer :** Barkdull **Survey Type :** initial

**HABITAT INFORMATION**

**Water Source:**  Spring  Groundwater  Surface runoff

**Flow:**  Intermittent  Year-round

**Estimated Flows (cfs):** Lower end: < 0.1  
Upper end: None

**Water Temperature(C):** Lower end:  
Upper end:

**Receiving Water Temperature (C):**

**Other Observations:**

**Site Area Measurements:**  Indirect  Direct  Combination

Widths: Channel: 0.5 Ponds: Wetlands:

Depths: Channel: 0.05 Ponds: Wetlands:

Total length (includes ponds and wetlands): 85

**Total existing habitat area (est. m2):** 62

Spawning area: Mainstem: 30 Tribs: Total:

Impounded area: Mainstem: Tribs: Total:

Other rearing area: Mainstem: 62 Tribs: Total:

Unaccessible habitat: Mainstem: Tribs: Total:

**Spawning habitat conditions:**  None  Poor  Fair  Good  Excellent

Describe spawning habitat: Small patches of gravel between boulders and sand deposits

Rearing habitat conditions:  None  Poor  Fair  Good  Excellent

Describe pond and other rearing habitat: Shallow riffles with pocket pools

Describe inaccessible habitat:

Wetland type:  Bog  Marsh  Scrub-shrub  Forested

Describe:

Flooding potential:  Low  Medium  High

Describe: A large log jam is all that is stopping the river from moving to this area.

#### FISH INFORMATION

Site entry condition:  Poor  Fair  Good

Describe: A small back eddy exists at the edge of a rapid

Coho access and use: Juvenile  Unknown  None  Poor  Fair  Good  
Adult  Unknown  None  Poor  Fair  Good

Describe: Coho juveniles observed on day of survey.

Other species access and use:  Chum  Pink  Sockeye  Res. Trout  Anad trout

Describe: Trout use is possible but unknown

#### ENHANCEMENT OPPORTUNITIES

Project type: No enhancement recommended

Equipment access:

#### ADDITIONAL COMMENTS

#### ATTACHMENTS AVAILABLE

Aerials  Sketch  Maps  Spawning Surveys  Juvenile Trapping  
 Other References

New channel

SW 7 LB4

8/2/95

B. Barkdull

Scale 1" = 50 meters

Legal: NE 23

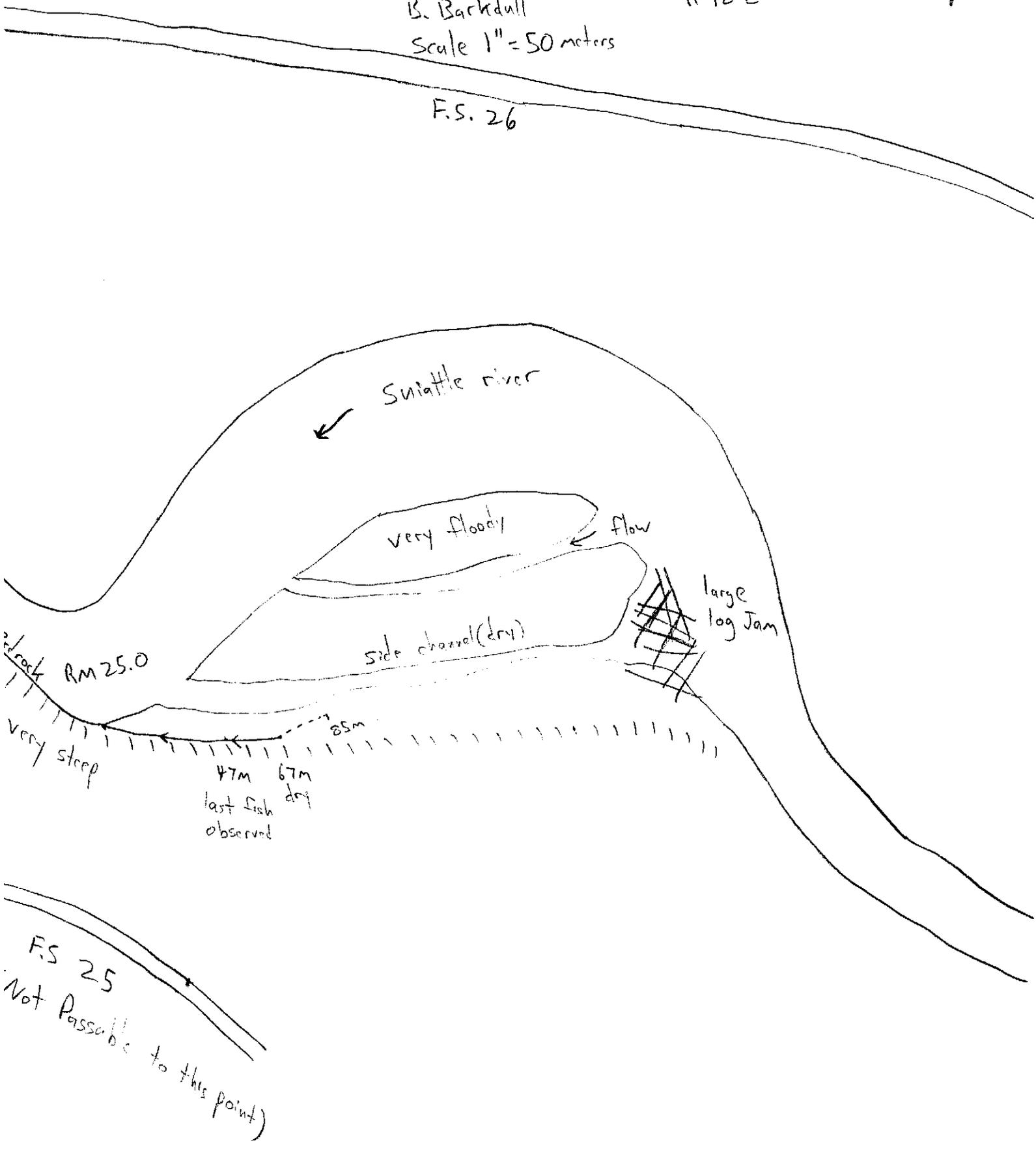
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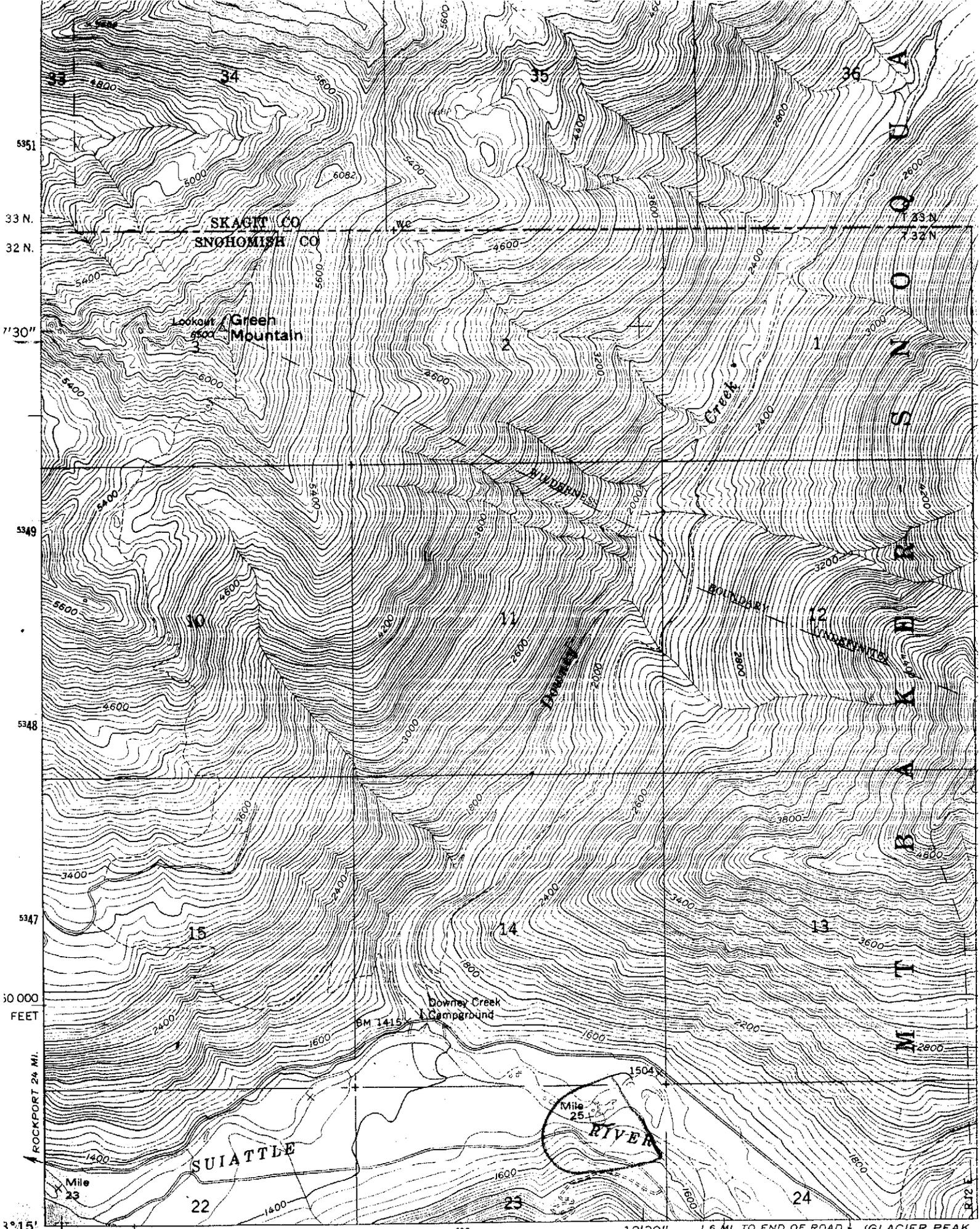
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SNOHOMISH CO

Lookout  
Green Mountain  
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Downey Creek  
Campground  
BM 1415

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1900 000 FEET 631 632 12'30" 1.6 MI. TO END OF ROAD (GLACIER PEAK

Yew channel

SU 7 LB 4

RM 25.0

NE 23 T 32 N R 12 E

8/19/95 You ch. zone LB - 200 ft  
0.0 ww 1' Behind LB, deep cut  
47.0 ww 1.5' ch 3' vertical cut  
67. ww 1.0 ch 3' end of flow  
85 ch 3.0 end of channel

