

Willamette Wildlife Mitigation Program – Fiscal Year 2016 Annual Report Summary

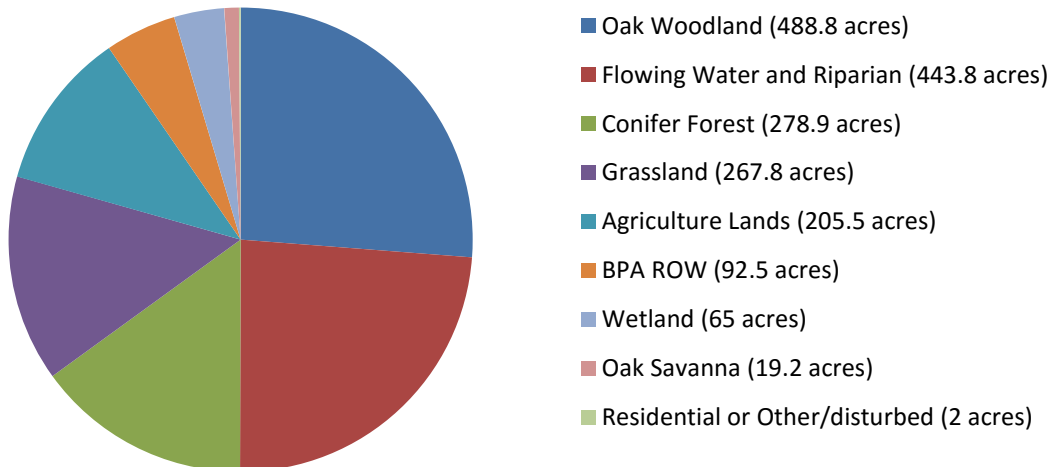
FY2016 Highlights

Total Acquisition Funding in federal fiscal year 2016 (2011-003-00).....	\$10,959,567
Total Program Implementation Funding (7/1/16 – 6/30/17) (2011-004-00).....	\$ tbd (contracted amount = \$1,378,962)
Total acres protected in federal fiscal year 2016.....	1,877.3
Number of projects that provide significant habitat benefits to both wildlife and ESA-listed anadromous fish species, dual benefit projects.....	2

FY 2016 Acquisition Projects and Cost to the Program

Project	Sponsor	Fee Title Acres	Conservation Easement Acres	Cost to the WWMP
Andrew Reasoner	McKenzie River Trust		290.2	\$263,792
Yamhela Oak C.O.	Trust for Public Lands/Yamhill SWCD	169.8		\$1,819,510
Hayden Island	Trust for Public Land/ODFW	171.4		\$1,670,000
North Santiam Conservation Area (Chankawan)	Western Rivers Conservancy/Confederated Tribes of Grand Ronde	425.7		\$2,046,546
The Cornerstone Project	Polk SWCD	86.7		\$512,827
Muddy Valley Habitat Preserve	Yamhill SWCD	540.0		\$3,591,650
Noble Oaks Preserve Additions	The Nature Conservancy	191.0		\$1,037,552
Atfalati Prairie-Lozo/Smith	Columbia Land Trust	2.5		\$17,690
	Total:	1,587.1	290.2	\$10,959,567

Habitat Types Acquired in FY2016



Accomplishments in 2016

- Expanded staff to include Restoration and Monitoring Biologist
- Completed draft Monitoring Plan, initiated pilot study to test methods, initiated ISRP review
- Refined Project Selection Criteria based on TRT/WAG Habitat Subgroup recommendations
- Implemented first year of online application system
- Two new project sponsor submitted projects for consideration (Clackamas SWCD and CNLM) - the Clackamas SWCD project will be completed with FY17 funding
- The Management Plan for ODFW's Coyote Creek South property was completed and accepted as final by BPA

Goals for 2017

- Plan and conduct an overall Program Review
- Continue focus on management plan development and improve review process
- Implement a second year of the WWMP Monitoring Program pilot study and refine Monitoring Plan based on ISRP and Year 1 pilot study results
- Develop data management system to tie together project database, project application, GIS data, and monitoring data
- Improve tracking of projects in progress to avoid carryover to subsequent fiscal years
- Develop crediting system for dual benefit projects

Acquisition Funding Spent to Date (through FY2016)

