

Performance Report

Fiscal year 2023 (July 1 2022-Jun30, 2023)



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Top 5 Priorities

1. Maintain and Enhance a Sustainable District Infrastructure
2. Natural Resource Hazard Mitigation
3. Improve, Protect, and Enhance Stream Corridors and Fisheries Habitat
4. Community Education
5. Maintain, Restore, and Enhance Productive Capacity of Working Lands

Recent Projects

- Mission Creek Water Quality and Fish Habitat Improvement Project- Installed 4 livestock water developments and 105 instream wood structures.



Figure 1. Wood structure installation in progress.

FY 2023 Revenue

State	\$62,500
County	\$40,000
Donations	\$0
Grants/Contracts	\$139,445
Earned Income	\$94,778
Total	\$326,723

Recent Projects

- Lower Mission Creek Fish Habitat Improvement Project-Replaced a rock ford crossing with a free spanning bridge to protect a steelhead spawning area.



Figure 2. Bridge Installation

- Implemented steelhead habitat improvements as identified in the Lapwai Creek Ecological Restoration Plan. Includes livestock water developments, road improvements and riparian plantings. Projects funded by the Bonneville Power Administration.
- Completion of the National Water Quality Incentive (NWQI) program watershed assessments on Tammany, Ten-Mile, Hidden and Lindsay creeks.

District Mission-To be the primary entity leading non-regulatory efforts in the conservation, sustainment, improvement, and enhancement of Nez Perce County's natural resources.

District Vision-A County with a sustainable landscape.

Future Projects

- Implementation of Flood and Fire Mitigation measures identified in the Nez Perce County All Hazards Plan.
- Continued implementation of steelhead habitat restoration projects on Lapwai, Big Canyon, Cottonwood, Jacks, Hatwai, Pine, Bed Rock and Catholic Creeks.
- Installation of wood structures on Tom Beall, Sweetwater and Mission Creek.
- Completion of stream flow monitoring and participation in Hatwai, Lindsay and Tammany Creek TMDL efforts.
- Provide services for signed up landowners to participate in NWQI project in Hidden, Lindsay, Tammany, and Ten-Mile.

Conservation Outreach

Outreach activities completed during the year:

- Updating landowner mailing list
- Development of in-stream fish habitat video
- Watershed stakeholder meeting for Lapwai Creek.

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