

EROSION MANAGEMENT

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THE PROBLEM

Erosion on stream and riverbanks harms property owners

Erosion on stream and riverbanks can harm aquatic species and their habitat

Emergency repairs with rock (hard armoring) are often detrimental for river and stream habitats





THE PROGRAM

Will probably include:

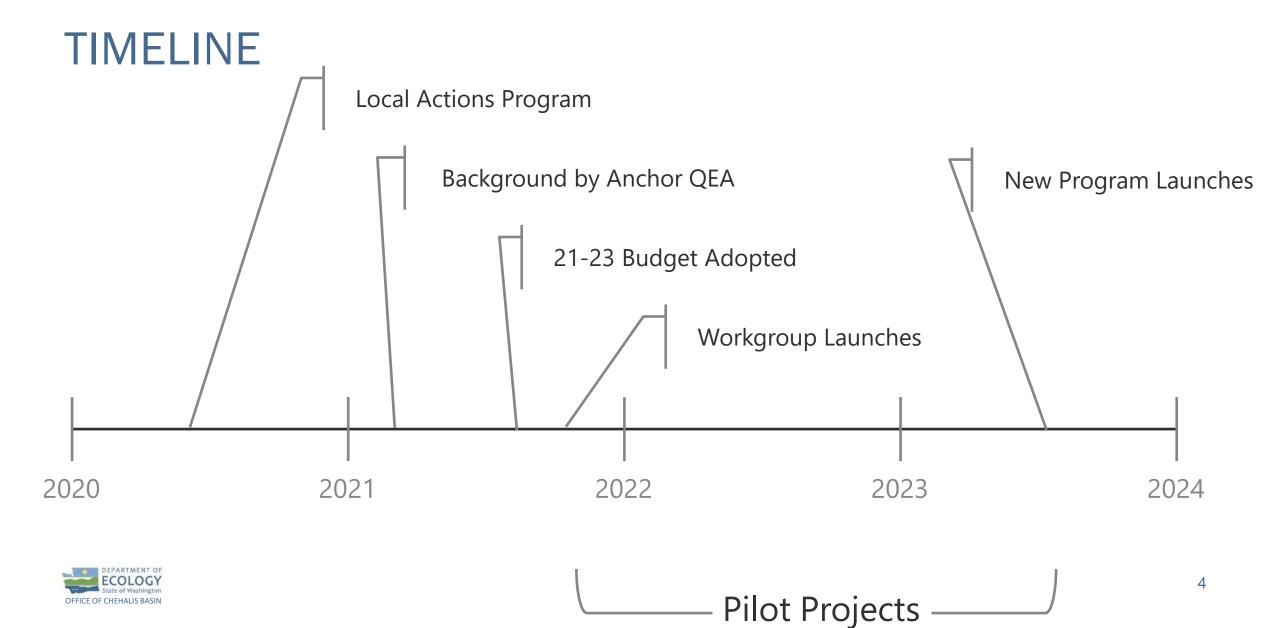
- Cost-share element
- Need to demonstrate balance of habitat and flood damage benefits

TBD:

- Emergency vs. non-emergency projects
- Public vs. private projects
- Additional non-project elements (education, mapping, etc.)

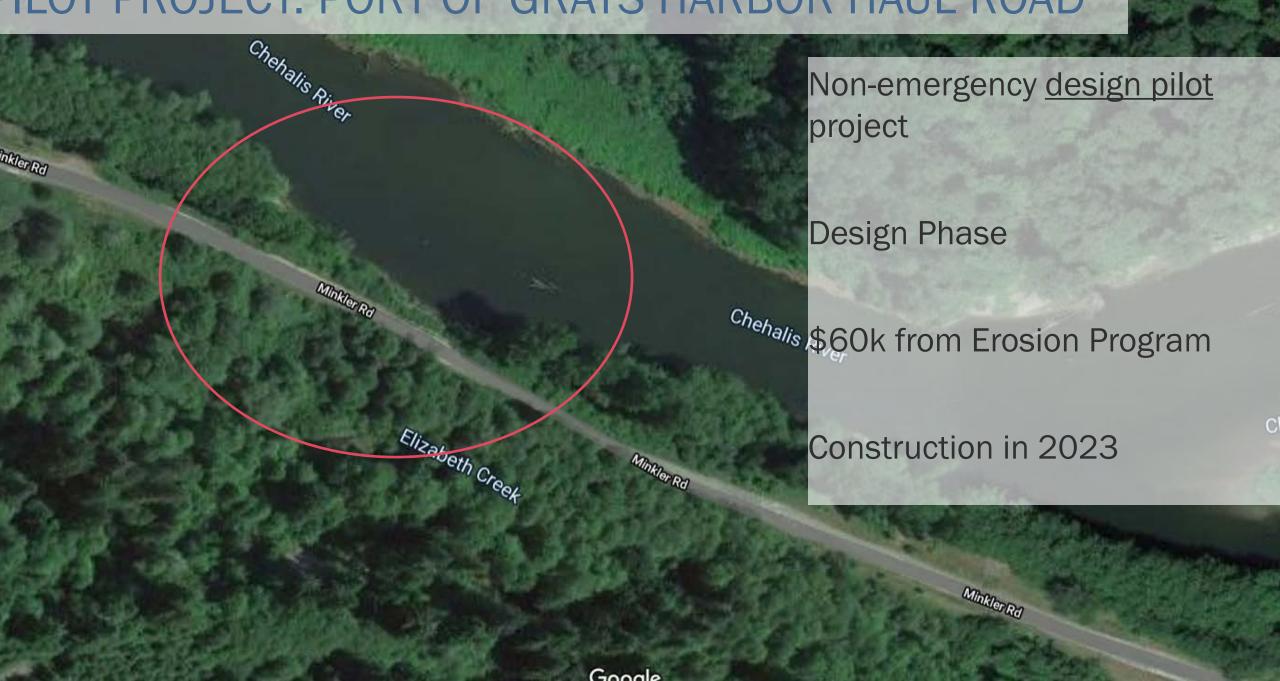








PILOT PROJECT: PORT OF GRAYS HARBOR HAUL ROAD



PILOT PROJECT: SATSOP 3.5 WILLOW PLANTING

Urgent, nonemergency <u>planting</u> <u>pilot</u> project

Just approved funding

\$15k from Erosion Program for construction

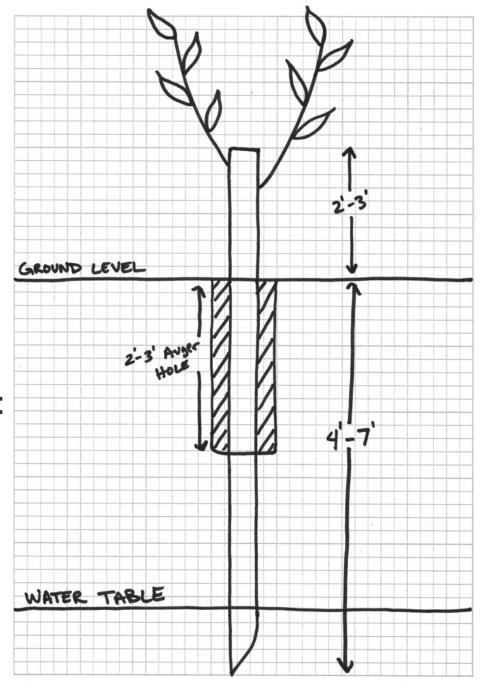




NEXT STEPS

- 1. Explore planning pilot with Flood Authority:
 - South Fork Chehalis River/Boistfort Valley CMZ
 (\$60k Flood Authority, possibly Erosion Program)
- 2. Compile <u>lessons learned</u> from pilot projects and other notable, recent erosion projects:
 - Lower Satsop Right Bank Conservation Project
 - Newaukum Riverbank Stabilization Project
- 3. Make <u>recommendations</u> to CBB early 2023:
 - Project funding criteria, including cost-share
 - Projects for funding 2023-25
 - Relationship to Flood Authority Local Projects
 - Additional Non-Project Elements





QUESTIONS?

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