

Siuslaw Watershed Council

2016

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Siuslaw Watershed Council Accomplishments in 2016 Include:

- 300 pieces of large wood were placed, to enhance in-stream, off-channel, and floodplain habitat for coho, trout, lamprey, and many other species far into the future
- More than 120 riparian or wetland acres were prepared, planted, or maintained, advancing the establishment of native riparian plants which will increase future stream shading, filtering of nutrients, and large wood recruitment
- Over 2 miles of stream channel were created and 30 acres of floodplain were regraded and connected
- Through the Siuslaw Watershed Camps, 55 local and visiting youth learned about watershed health



Monitoring Water Quality on the Siuslaw River



New channel creation, floodplain regrade and large wood placement at Five-Mile Bell

Throughout the watershed
 21 sites were monitored for

up to nine water quality parameters

•SWC projects **created local jobs and work**, including contracts and business with local tree fallers, heavy equipment operators, log truck drivers, surveyors, contractors, marinas, restaurants, nurseries, and more

2016 Funders Include: OWEB, USFS, Coast Range Stewardship Fund, BLM, USFWS, WLCF, SSD, OHA, EPA, Ecotrust/NOAA, and individual & business donors.

2016 SWC Leadership Board Representatives

Area Representatives

North Fork Siuslaw: Noland Huntington

Lower Siuslaw: Mark Tilton

Middle Siuslaw: Wesley Voth* Steve Elliot (Alt)

Upper Siuslaw (Incl. Wolf): Gary Lutman

Indian Creek: Barbara Beers

Wildcat Creek: Dave Eisler* Jason Gonzoles (Alt)
Deadwood Creek: Nancy Nichols, Bill Cirino (Alt)
Lake Creek: Stephen Sanders* Gary Hale, (Alt)
No. Coastal Lakes & Siuslaw Bay: Seth Mead

South Coastal Lakes: Steve Hager

At Large: Tom Burke* Greg Kennedy (Alt)

Interest Group Representatives

<u>Academic/Scientific</u>: Tom Steinberg <u>Commercial</u> <u>Fishing</u>: Terry Duman

Federal Land Management: Paul Burns, USFS

Public Education: Jim Grano, Debra Flemming (Alt)

Small Woodlot: David Rankin

SWCD: Ray Kinney*

<u>Ag/Ranching:</u> Billy Burruss, Johnny Sundstrom (Alt) <u>Industrial Timber:</u> Dave Cramsey* Steve Ziegler (Alt)

Rick Shepard (Alt)

Environmental: Kate Harnedy* Eron King (Alt) Justin

Workman (Alt)

State Gov't: David Waltz, DEQ Ecosystem Workforce: Nate Zeller Resource Recreation: Rick Barrows

Interest Group Representatives - Appointed

<u>Tribes</u>: Margaret Corvi* Jesse Beers (Alt)

Port: Nancy Rickard

Lane Co. Government: Jay Bozievich

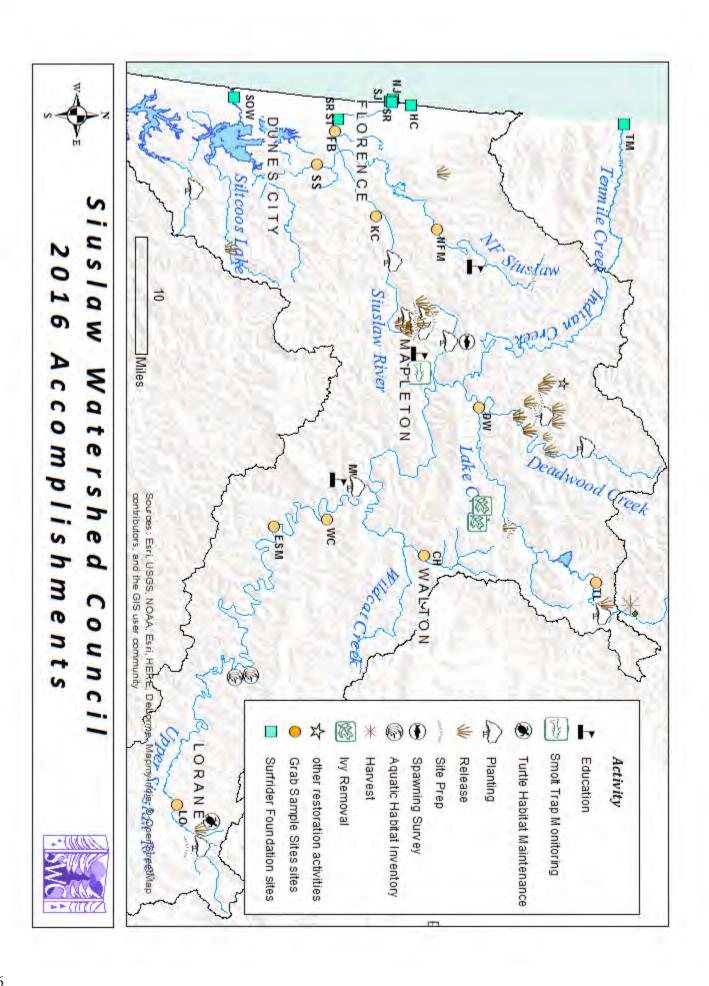
<u>City of Florence</u>: Wendy Farley-Campbell* Clarence

Lysdale (Alt)

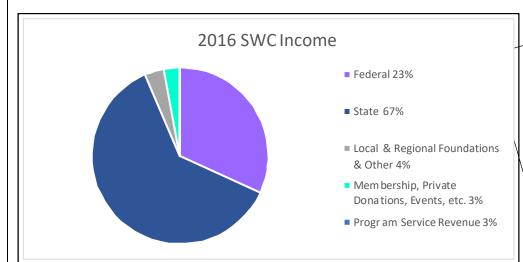
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Siuslaw Watershed Council Mission Statement

The Siuslaw Watershed Council supports sound economic, social and environmental uses of natural and human resources in the Siuslaw River Basin and Coastal Lakes. The Council encourages cooperation among public and private watershed entities to promote awareness and understanding of watershed functions by adopting and implementing a total watershed approach to natural resource management and production.



SWC Financial Summary



Annual Independent

Financial Review

Federal Reporting

State Reporting



Photograph: Lessons in forestry and natural resources at Intermediate Siuslaw Watershed Camp.

The SWC brings federal, state, and regional competitive grant funding to the Siuslaw and Coastal Lakes in Lane and Douglas Counties.

33 Active Funded Projects

