

Status of 2006 Forum Monitoring Recommendations in Governor's Budget Request

Forum recommendation in 2006 report to OFM	Budget status	Comments	Next steps
Improving monitoring			
Salmon abundance	WDFW \$1.76M (10.8 FTEs), includes \$671k for Puget Sound	Provides full funding of fish part of decision package developed by the Forum. Will fill data gaps statewide (achieving a minimum of 1 population per MPG)	Discuss/coordinate with regional recovery and local organizations
Habitat and water quality status and trend	Not included	No funding of habitat portion of Forum decision package. Will be unable to track habitat information for use in documents like SOS and salmon recovery monitoring reports.	
On-the-ground	Not included	Same as above	
Remote sensing	Not included	Same as above	
Improving data management			
Consolidated GIS river and stream layer	Not included	Forum's highest data management priority	
Enterprise architecture for natural resource agencies	Not included		
Consolidation of internal databases	Not included		
Improve Natural Resource Data Portal	Not included		