

PRESENTATION TO THE
JOINT COMMITTEE ON WAYS & MEANS
SUBCOMMITTEE ON NATURAL RESOURCES

Private Forest Accord Implementation

April 15, 2025





Overview

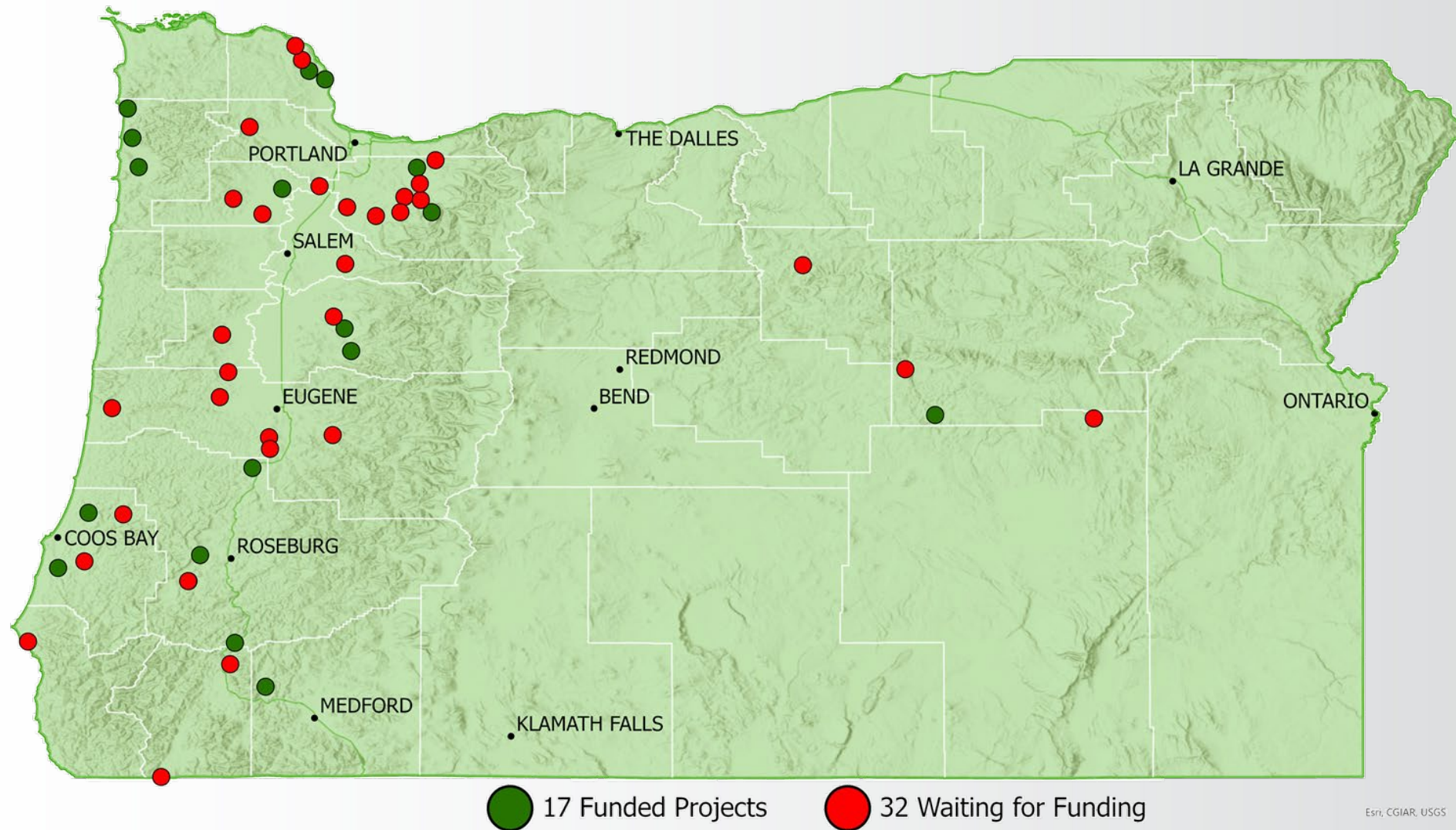
- Implementation Status
- Small Forestland Investment in Stream Habitat (SFISH) Grant Program
- Adaptive Management Program Committee (AMPC) & Independent Research and Science Team (IRST)



Implementation Status

SB 1501 (2022) Statutory Requirements	Deadline	Status
Board of Forestry (BOF)- Adopt PFA-based rules	11/30/2022	Complete
BOF - Appoint Adaptive Management Program Committee	11/30/2022	Complete
BOF - Submit a proposed draft HCP	12/31/2022	Complete
BOF - If needed, amend PFA-based rule package	7/1/2023	Complete
BOF - Appoint Independent Research and Science Team	Not Specified	Complete
BOF - Start tethered logging rulemaking	3/17/2025	Complete
BOF - Complete post-disturbance harvest rulemaking	11/30/2025	Started
ODF – Obtain Incidental Take Permits (ITPs)	12/31/2027	Ongoing

Small Forestland Investment in Stream Habitat Grant Program





Adaptive Management Program Committee & Independent Research and Science Team

Research Topic	Focus of Research Questions
Roads	<p>Base line status of hydrologic connectivity of roads including differences by land ownership and region and how site characteristics and road rules contribute to connectivity. Trends in the status of hydrologic connectivity over 5-year intervals and the effectiveness of road rules at removing hydrologic connectivity.</p> <p><i>Note: Hydrologic connectivity is direct routes of drainage or overland flow of road runoff to waters of the state.</i></p>
Eastern Oregon Steep Slopes	<p>Impacts of hillslope processes on species in the HCP and their habitats in Eastern Oregon and the extent to which forest practices impact those processes.</p> <p><i>Note: Hillslope processes are the movement of earth and soil down a slope. For example, rock falls, landslides and debris flows.</i></p>
Amphibians	<p>Distribution of each amphibian species in the HCP and what factors determine distribution at a smaller spatial scale. The population trend of the Columbia and Southern torrent salamanders over time on lands subject to forest practice rules.</p>



Questions?