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My name is Clayton Holloway and I am 34 years old and grew up in Pleasant Hill Oregon. Growing up I loved fishing and was able to turn it into my career as a fishing guide spending 200 plus days a year on the water. Sadly many of the fisheries I used to fish growing up have either gone away or deteriorated to a point where there are no fishable numbers. Its unfortunate but I cant think of one fishery that has improved in my lifetime. Driving by my home river the Middle Fork of the Willamette is frustrating knowing that when I was a kid I used to be able to bike to the water and catch a steelhead, now that opportunity is completely gone. Our fish need help, we are losing a quintessential ingredient to what makes the Northwest so special.