



Nason Ridge Community Forest Quarterly Meeting August 11th, 2025

Topics:

Forest Health/Fuels Reduction

Near-term Projects

6910 Road Maintenance

Sno Park Update

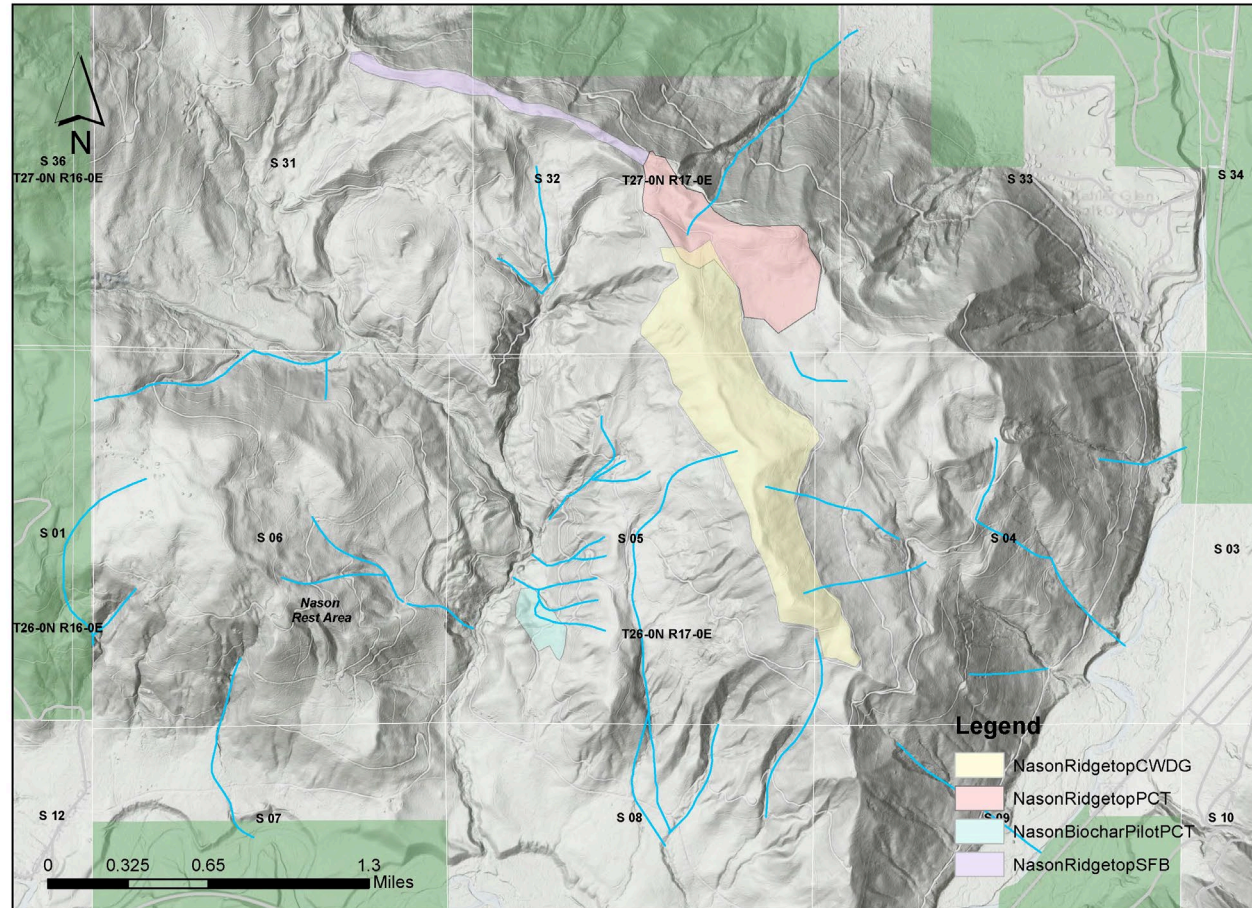
Fall Site Visit

Volunteer Efforts

Community Forest Fuels Reduction Projects

- Ridgetop PCT fuel break thinning planned for 2025/26 - ~212 acres
- NRCS and Community Wildfire Defense Grant Funding

Nason Ridgetop Fuel Break Project Location



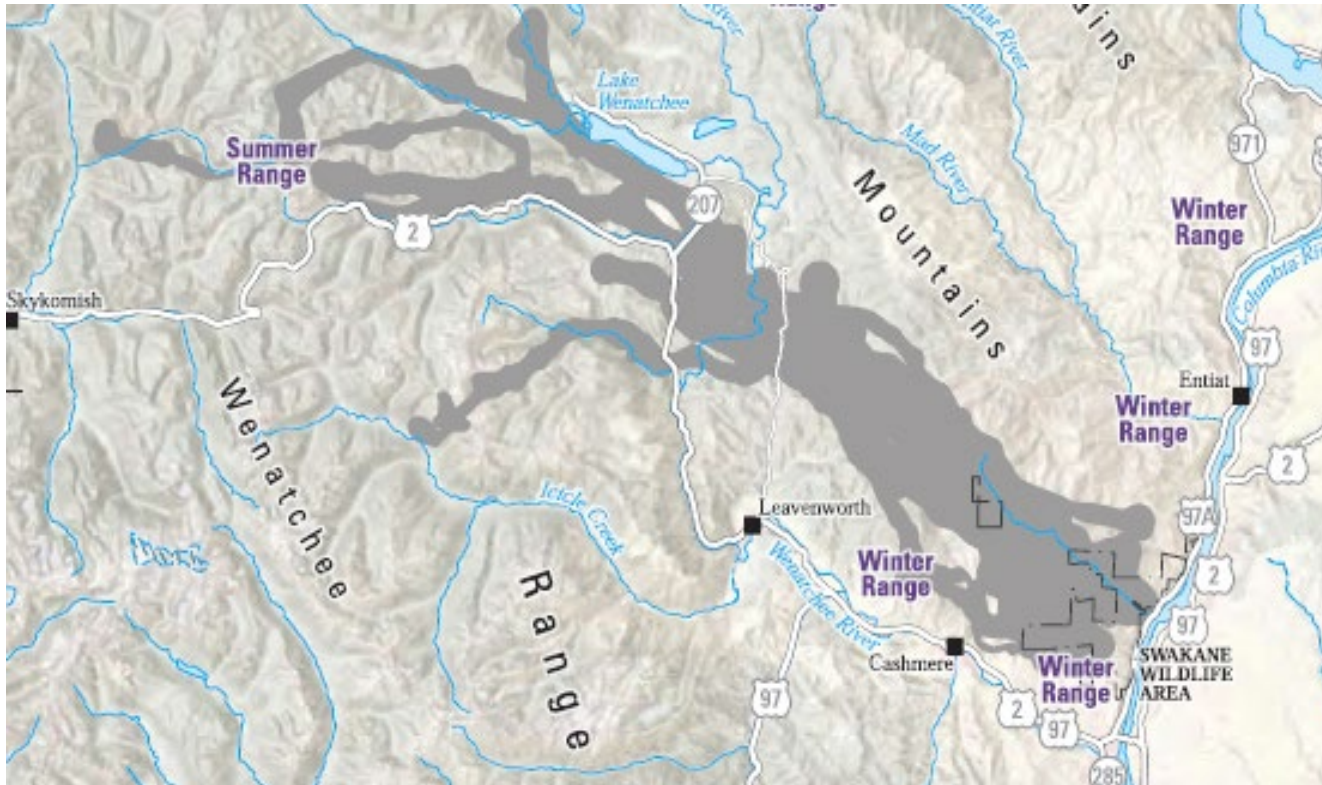
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Wildlife Corridor Thinning

- Rocky Mountain Elk Foundation grant secured, looking for match
- Reduce brush competition in migration and stopover corridors
- Promote forage species and resilient trees



Near-term Community Forest Projects

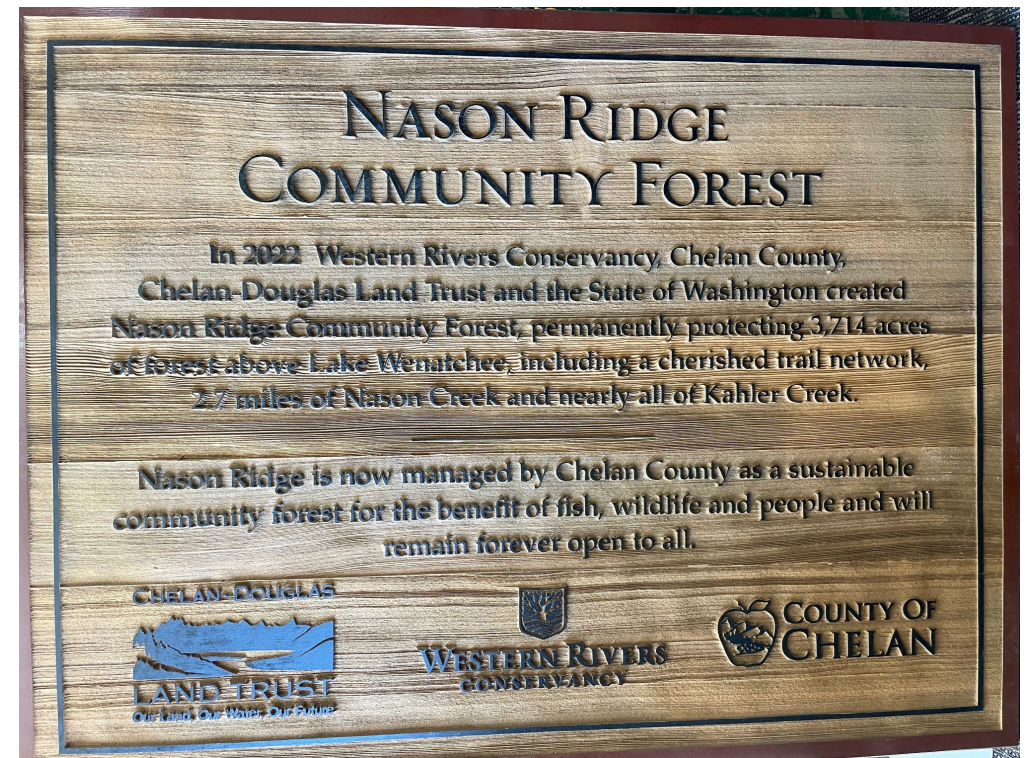
- Signage

- Sign kiosk at upper gate on 6910-112 with Western Rivers sign, map, and rules
- NRCF signage at Nason Ridge Trailhead
- Hunting signs on Kahler Gate during hunting season

- Gates

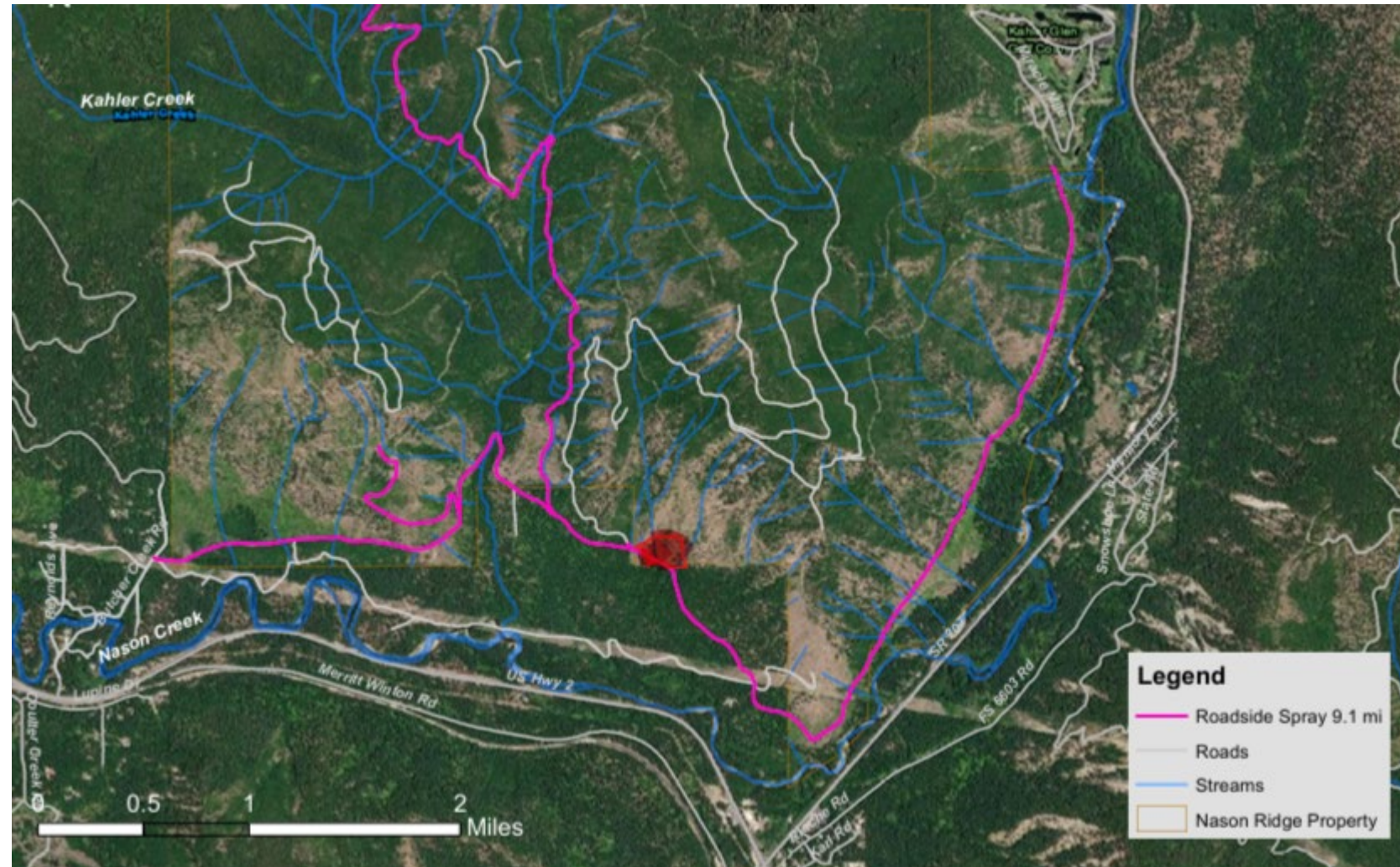
- Re-align/level Kahler gate
- Build v-entrances for bikes on sides of gates at Kahler and upper 6910-112 gate

- Kahler Creek Restoration Project



NRCF Road Maintenance

- \$30,000 in USFS Title II funding approved for maintenance on FS 6910, proposed improvements include grading and gravel in priority areas
- USFS expects to award agreement after Sept. 30th
- Knapweed spray on perimeter road completed May 21st, similar timeframe as BPA weed spray



Butcher Creek Snopark Update

- County and State Parks decided to delay application for 6910-112 Butcher Creek Snopark
- Focus for this year is on developing Master Agreement in the near term to facilitate future projects and coordination
- Subgroup to work on developing application for next year
- Work with WSDOT on potential turn lane



Fall Site Visit

- Visit Community Forest to discuss projects on-site
- Planned forest health/fuel break projects
- Look at gates and signage opportunities
- Knapweed management
- Other ideas?
- Possible dates in October: Oct. 14th, 14th, 21st, 23rd



Volunteer Efforts

- Trail maintenance/clearing
- Knapweed removal

