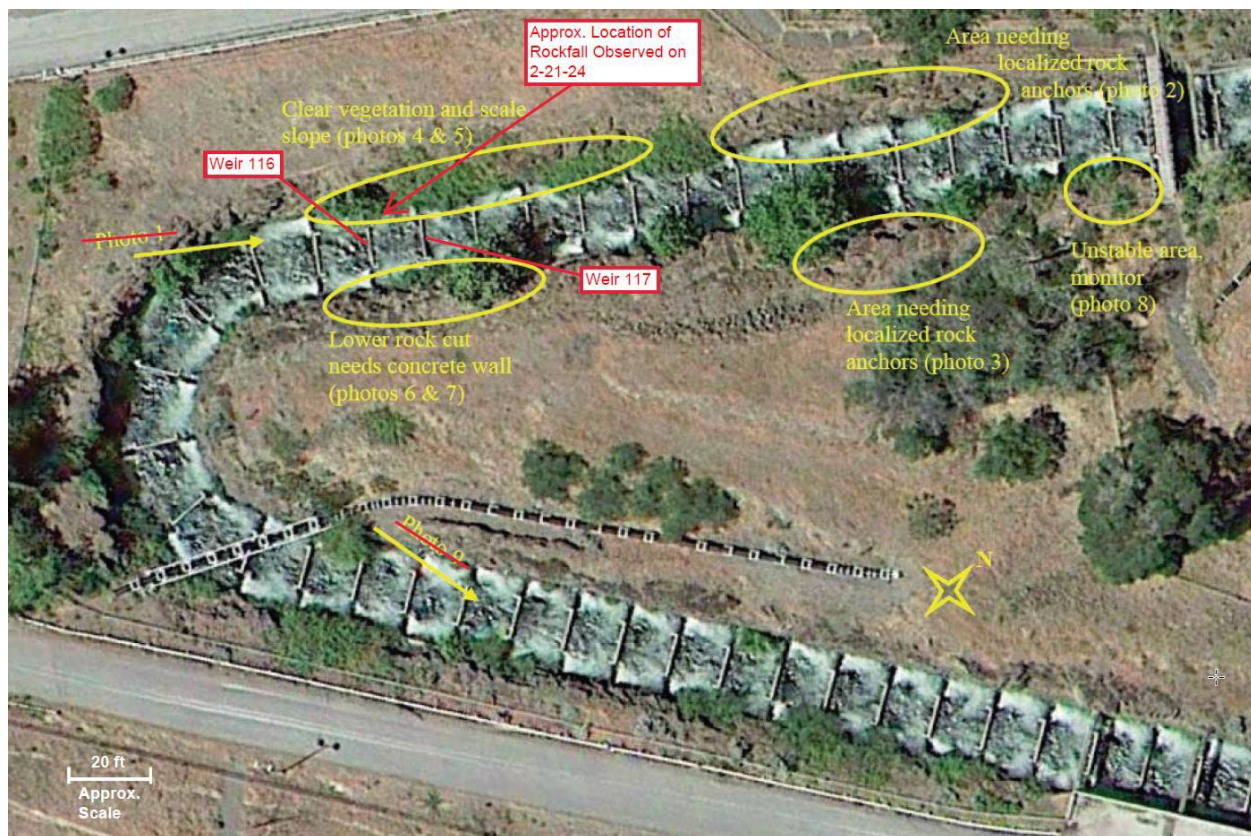


MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

SUBJECT: 24TDA02 North Fishladder Rockfall

The Dalles north fishladder was dewatered mid-February for annual maintenance. A section of rock from the basalt wall sloughed onto the fish ladder floor, blocking 1 of 2 weir orifices. Work in this area was discontinued due to safety concerns. Geotech staff was involved in evaluating this area and provided a report. In summary 'Further sloughing of rocks pose as a significant safety risk to personnel or cause further blockage to the weir opening'.

A study was completed ~ 2015 to identify areas that need stabilization efforts. Funding has not been sufficient to complete this work. Since then, efforts have been made to control vegetation growth via contractor and project staff.





Due to these safety concerns, future annual dewatering and maintenance will be impacted until stabilization and repair are completed.

Sincerely,
Project Fisheries