



## United States Department of the Interior

Redwood National Park  
1111 Second Street  
Crescent City, California 95531

L7617 (Strawberry Creek)

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Dear Friend of the Park:

The National Park Service has prepared an environmental assessment on a proposal to restore habitat for anadromous salmonids, including threatened coho salmon and steelhead trout, in Strawberry Creek in Redwood National Park near Orick in northwestern Humboldt County.

We propose to restore about 1600 linear feet of stream channel on park lands in partnership with others engaged in similar restoration activities on Strawberry Creek downstream of the park, including private land and County-owned property. Proposed restoration activities in the park include removing invasive plants and excavating a new free-flowing channel, installing structures in the new channel to control streambed elevation and provide fish habitat features, re-establishing a riparian canopy along the new channel, replacing an undersized culvert, and removing sediment sources on adjacent hillslopes. About three acres of park land would be affected by restoration actions.

The environmental assessment is available for review at local libraries and park offices. You may also view the environmental assessment on the project home page at <http://parkplanning.nps.gov/StrawberryCreek>. The home page also provides information on how to comment on the proposal. We are accepting comments on the environmental assessment through March 30, 2014.

If you would like to receive a copy of the environmental assessment, or would like more information, please contact Aida Parkinson at 707-465-7703 or via e-mail at [aida\\_parkinson@nps.gov](mailto:aida_parkinson@nps.gov).

Thank you for your interest in Redwood National Park.

Sincerely,

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Superintendent