Recreation Pre-Operations Report

Project Name:	Catamount Trail Construction		
County:	Marion	**District:**	North Cascade
Legal Description:	T8S R2E Section 31	**Management Basin:**	Scattered

Project Type:	Construction
Project Objective:	Construction of non-motorized trail
Project Timeline:	FY27
Project Lead:	Non-Motorized Trails Coordinator

I. PROJECT SUMMARY:

Description of Project: This project consists of construction of approximately 850 ft. of mountain bike only trail to establish a connection linking Silver Falls State Park (OPRD) directly to the designated MTB trailhead at Shellburg Falls Recreation Area (ODF). Trail tread will be built 40" wide and of natural substrate surface. Culvert installation is required on a type-N seasonal stream. The culvert will be sized to meet state and federal standards and the 100 year peak flow requirement. The culvert location and approaches will be designed to ensure hydrologic disconnection from aquatic resources. This project requires in-water work and will adhere to the timing restrictions defined in the ODFW In-Water Work Period Guidelines. This project will be completed by volunteers under an MOU agreement with ODF and in coordination with OPRD partners.

II. PROJECT FUNDING

Table 1.

Funding Source	AOP	Future Costs	Total Cost
FDF Account			
Other	Volunteer labor		$0

III. RELATED OPERATIONS

1. Is this Recreation Project associated with, or in close proximity to any other Recreation Project, Harvest Operation (either planned or sold), or Road Project? ☒ No ☐ Yes, describe coordination needed.

IV. WILDLIFE AND T&E SPECIES CONSIDERATIONS:

1. A portion of the Recreation project is within (Check all that apply):

   ☐ TAS ☐ NSO Circle or Home Range, or Baseline or Elevated Baseline Thiessen

   ☐ MMMA ☒ None If yes, consult with the Area Wildlife Biologist and describe outcome here.

2. Will this Recreation project modify potential habitat (i.e. remove trees over six inches in diameter) that would require habitat review? ☒ No ☐ Yes, please describe:

   - If it is determined that modification of potential habitat is necessary during project implementation, the Area Wildlife Biologist will be consulted.

3. Are there any additional considerations (FPA Resource Sites, Species of Concern sites/Plant)? ☒ No ☐ Yes, please describe:

V. AQUATIC RESOURCES:

1. Do any streams require additional review for the following?
   - Fish presence ☒ No ☐ Yes
   - Perennial/Seasonal: ☒ No ☐ Yes
   - H.E.R./P.D.F.T: ☒ No ☐ Yes
2. Will this Recreation Project occur within the Riparian Conservation Area of any stream?

   ☐ Unknown ☐ No ☒ Yes, describe the # of crossings, stream classifications, planned crossing types:

Stream Crossings	Stream Classification	New Installation or Replacement	Planned Crossing Type
1	Type N	New	Culvert

SSBT = Salmon Steelhead and Bull Trout

3. Is a portion of the project within an Aquatic Anchor? ☒ No ☐ Yes, name:
4. Are any domestic points of diversion identified in the Oregon Water Resource Department's water rights information search GIS database located downstream within 3,000 feet of the harvest operation?

   ☒ No ☐ Yes, describe protection measures:
5. Are there any unregistered or unknown status domestic points of diversion that have been identified within the harvest operation? ☒ No ☐ Yes, please describe:

VI. SLOPE STABILITY ISSUES:

Table 2. Summary of Slope Stability Assessment

Project	Review Complete	Public Safety Review Complete
Catamount Trail Construction	Yes	Yes

Geotech Review: Initial geotechnical reviews have been completed. Additional consultation with Geotechnical Specialists will be done during construction as needed.

VII. HISTORIC AND CULTURAL RESOURCES:

1. Has the Recreation Project been reviewed by a qualified archaeologist for potential historic or cultural resource presence? ☐ No ☒ Yes

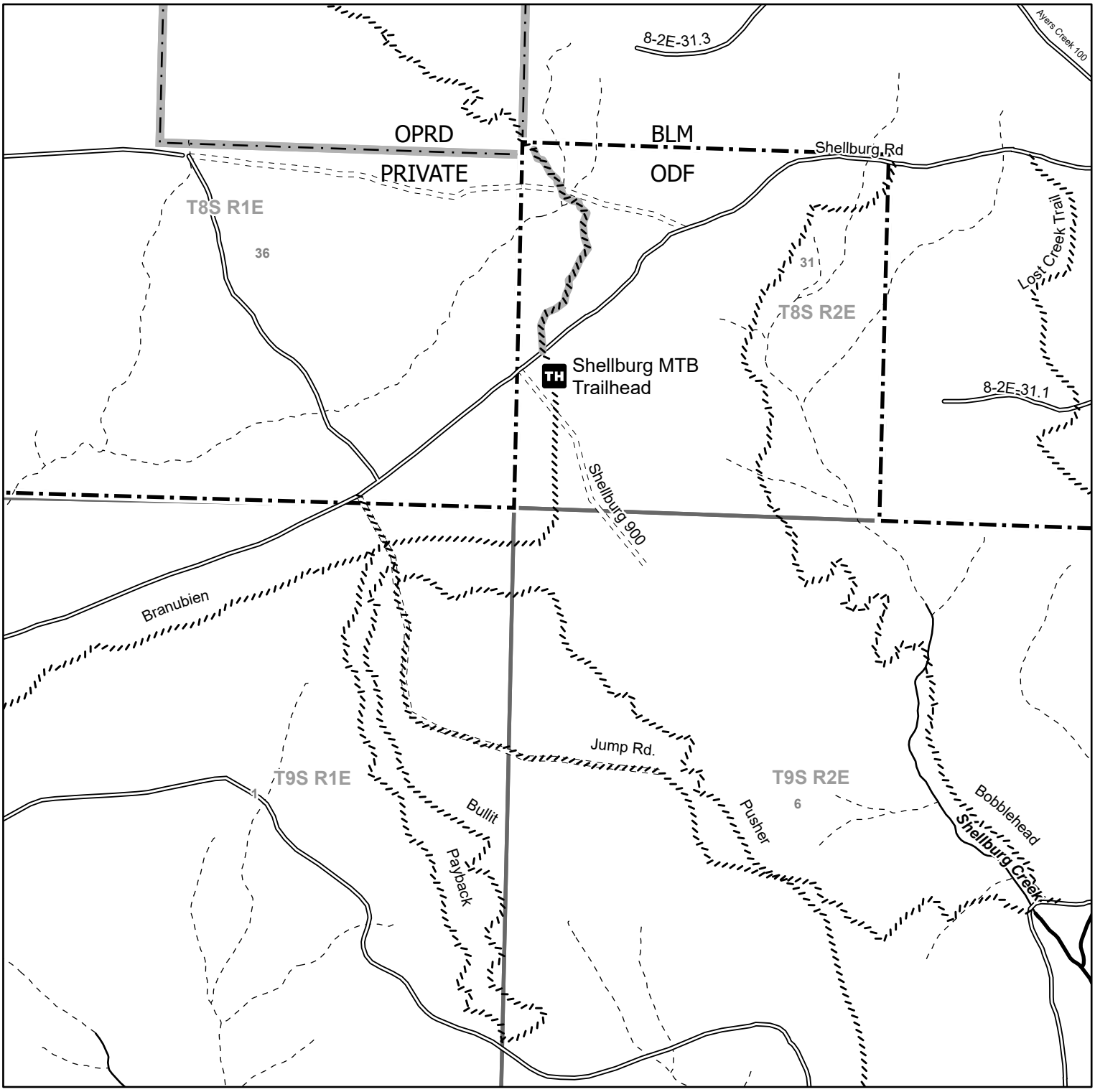
VIII. SCENIC RESOURCES:

1. Are there scenic resources in the vicinity of this operation that need additional consideration?

   ☒ No ☐ Yes, please describe:

IX. OTHER RESOURCE CONSIDERATIONS:

1. Is this Recreation Project within proximity of a property line? ☐ No ☒ Yes, please describe:
   - This project establishes a trail connection with Silver Falls State Park which is managed by OPRD and travels through OPRD and BLM property.
2. Has a review of the FLMCS layer determined that any resources not mentioned in the report above need additional planning? ☒ No ☐ Yes, describe below
3. Are there any other resources present that need additional consideration? ☒ No ☐ Yes, please describe:



Legend

- Planned FY27 REI Project
- Recreation Trails
- Trailhead
- Surfaced Roads
- Unsurfaced Roads
- Perennial Fish Streams
- Perennial Non-Fish Streams
- Seasonal Streams
- Ownership Boundary
- Other Ownership

FY 2027 - REI
Catamount Trail Construction
Portions of Section 31, T8S, R2E, W.M.
Marion County

State Forest Division
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