

# **Klickitat County**



Cliffside Estates Inter-Trust Exchange #2 DNR File #86-103135 Board of Natural Resources, 2/6/2024

## Land Bank

Established in 1977 to maintain and enhance the trust asset base.

- Provides for the sale of under-performing trust lands at public auction; and
- Purchase of productive "replacement" lands, to replace those underperforming trust assets proposed for sale.
- 2023 change to law permits DNR to directly transfer Land Bank property to tenants with homes.



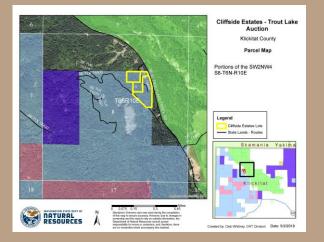
#### Purpose

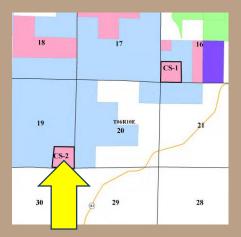
- Perform an equal-valued land exchange between state owned lands.
- Designate Land Bank properties as Trust properties for future management and trust revenue.
- Designate Trust properties as Land Bank property, making them eligible for public auction.



### **Vicinity Map**

- All in Klickitat County
- Near town of Trout Lake
- Only using the northern portion of the CS-2 parcel; none of CS-1





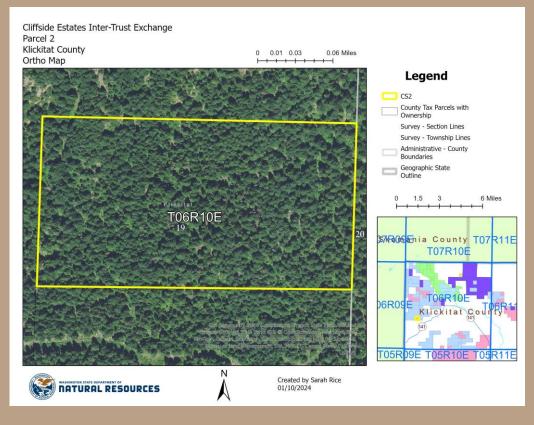
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#### **Cliffside Estates – Portion of Parcel CS-2**

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- 20.25 +/- Acres in the northern portion of CS-2 Parcel
- Became Land Bank in Cliffside Estates Inter-Trust Exchange #1
- Will become State
  Forest Land Trust (01)
  after exchange with
  Cliffside Estates Lots 1-3

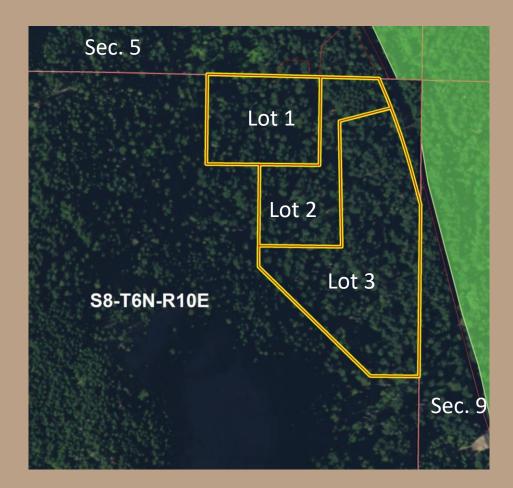




#### **Cliffside Estates Lots 1, 2, 3**

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- 18.96 +/- acres total currently in State Forest Land Transfer Trust (01)
- Will become Land Bank ownership after exchange
- Land Bank ownership facilitates direct transfer of Lots 1 and 2; public auction of Lot 3





#### Valuation

## Equal value exchange

**Trust** 

#### Land Bank

Trust	Acres	Value			Value
State Forest					
Land Transfer	18.96	\$214,000	Land Bank	20.25	\$214,000
Trust <b>Total:</b>		\$214,000	Total:		\$214,000



#### Valuation

Current State Ownership	Acres of Land Bank to become State Forest Land Transfer Trust (01)	Asset Class	Asset Value
Land Bank	20.25	Forest	\$214,000
Total:	20.25		\$214,000

State Forest Land Transfer Trust (01) gains due to consolidating SFL forest acreage and eliminating tenant owned improvements.



#### Valuation

Current State Ownership	Acres of State Forest Land Transfer Trust acres to become Land Bank	Asset Class	Asset Value
State Forest Land Transfer Trust	18.96	Rural Residential & Forest	\$214,000
Total:	18.96		\$214,000

Land Bank ownership permits the direct transfer and sale of the Cliffside Estates Lots 1, 2 and 3.

Revenue obtained from the two transfers and the one auction will permit the State to acquire replacement trust lands with higher trust revenue potential.



#### **Public Hearing and Testimony**

- Hearing held in Trout Lake, WA on 10/24/2023
- 8 attendees; one person testified
- Testimony summary:
- Support direct transfer of Lots 1 and 2 to homeowners
- Concern over the revenue balance for Exchanges #1 & #2; especially whether 301 acres of young trees are equal to 20 acres of older trees
- Concern regarding wildland urban interface near Lots 1-3



## **BNR Decision**

- Questions ?
- Resolution #1625



