

Cedar Creek

King County - New Name

Township: 25N

Range: 6E

Section: 22, 27, 26, 35

USGS Quad: Redmond & Issaquah

Location Description: Stream, 2.3 miles long. Heads 1 mile SE of Inglewood at Allen Lake. Flows N to enter an unnamed wetlands, 1 mile N of Inglewood.

Proposal Summary: Cedar Creek: stream; 2.3 miles long; heads 1 mile SE of Inglewood at Allen Lake 47°36'56.579"N, 122°0'32.905"W, flows N to enter an unnamed wetlands, 1 mile N of Inglewood at 47°38'29.295"N, 122°1'48.477"W.; the creek runs through several miles of western red cedar trees, and also borders the proponent's ranch, Cedar Creek Ranch; King County, Washington; T25N, R6E, Sec 22, 27, 26, and 35, Willamette Meridian; 47°38'29.295"N, 122°1'48.477"W USGS map – Renton & Issaquah 1:24,000.

Proponent chose the name because the creek runs through several miles of western red cedar trees, and also borders the proponent's ranch, Cedar Creek Ranch.

Proponent:

Patrick Husting

24907 NE 18th Street

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Proposal Received: 10/28/2019

Initial Consideration: October 2021

Final Consideration:

WA Committee Decision:

WA Board Decision:

US Board Decision:

Opinions:

WASHINGTON STATE Geographic Name Application



WASHINGTON STATE DEPARTMENT OF
Natural Resources

Proposed Name: Cedar Creek

New Name

County: King County

Controversial Name

Township: Unincorp King County & City of Sammamish

Name Change

Range: Section(s): 35, 26, 27, 22

Location Clarification

Lat. 47.615652 N, Long. -122.008953 W (Begin)

Spelling Clarification

Lat. 47.642003 N, Long. -122.029964 W (End)

Description

Type of feature (lake, stream, etc.):

It is a stream that feeds off of Allen Lake that is located in Unincorporated King County. It flows to the north and connects with Evans Creek

Description of feature (location, length, depth, height, size and/or area covered):

Located in Unincorporated King County that feeds off of Allen Lake. This is a seasonal stream that flows about 10 months of the year all the way to Evan Creek. Dept ranges from just a few feet up to 5 or 6 feet deep. It also ranges from 5 feet to 10 feet across in many areas. There are already many documented studies done on the creek by the county on this because of flooding issues in the surrounding area.

If a stream, number of months it flows on a yearly basis:

It always has water in it, but there are areas that can dry out in July or August. I would say on average about 10 months of the year the creek is completely full of water.

Is this feature identified by other names or spellings? Please list variant names:

Not that I know of

Has it ever been signed, posted, or publicized? If so, when?

No

History

Please provide a brief history of the feature and its immediate surroundings, this might include information on the following: 1 Native American; 2 First settlers; 3 Historical background pertinent to feature; 4 History on how the land is/was used; 5 Natural disasters (floods, fires, etc.) 6 Any significant cultural events. If appropriate, geology, flora and fauna. Cite sources. Use additional pages if needed.

Origin of name:

I choose the name "Cedar Creek" as it is a very neutral name and denotes all the Western Red Cedar trees that line it for miles. It's also the name of my ranch, Cedar Creek Ranch, that the creek runs along next to.

Justification of Proposed Name

What is the usage of feature?

As mentioned above, I chose this name using the Western Red Cedars that line the creek from the source that is Allen Lake, until it lands with many other creeks into Evans Creek.

Please state why the proposed name will best serve the public interest:

As this area gets further develop by big home developers, they try to say that this is not a creek but a drainage ditch. Many studies have been completed by the county and the Indian's that this is a fish bearing creek.

BUT, because it is the creek with NO NAME. Every developer try's to challenge it so they can build closer to it.

We are trying to protect the creek and the critters that rely on it. We have of course seen fish in it, but also the beaver and river otters use it all the time. Along with the birds that like to grab a frog or two. Raccoons, deer, bobcat, bear and cougar all use this water source daily.

I believe by giving this creek an official name quickly, we can reduce the harm to it being caused by developers and protect this living system for future generations.

How long has the proposed name been in use? By whom?

Never been used, first time by me proposing it.

Please list all sources of information used for your research: (maps, books, articles, periodicals, etc. for background history relating to proposed name)

None, just using the environment that the creek is located in to name it. Not using a person

What type of support is there for the proposed name?

The residents that live in section 35 and 26 that live along the creek are fine with the name. They all agree that giving it a name will also help protect it in the long term.

Application submitted by:

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Date of Application: October 28, 2019

I am aware that all information submitted is considered to be public information.

Printed Name: Patrick Husting

Signature:



Date: 10/28/2019

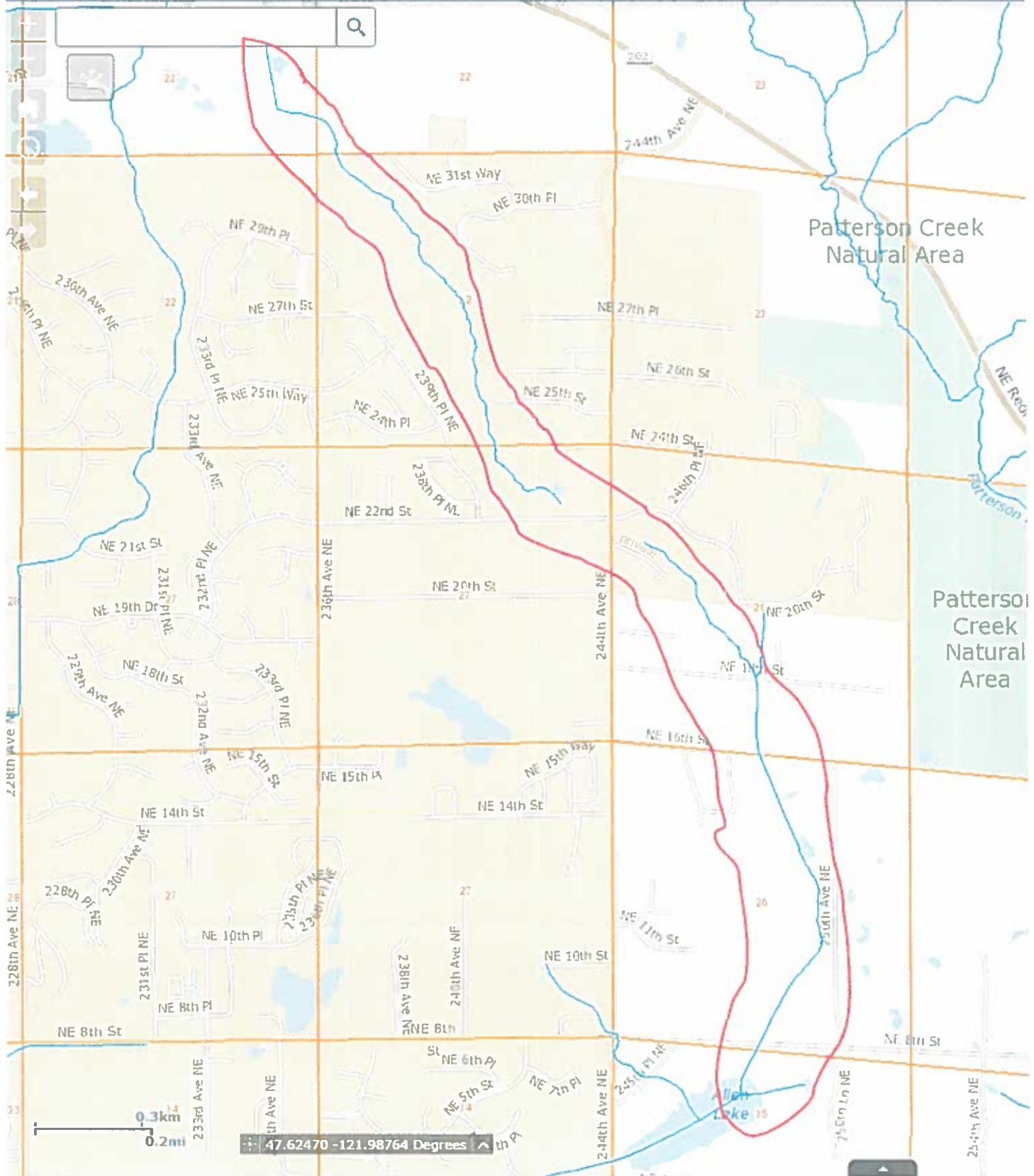
Please mail completed form along with copies of any additional materials to:

WA State Board on Geographic Names

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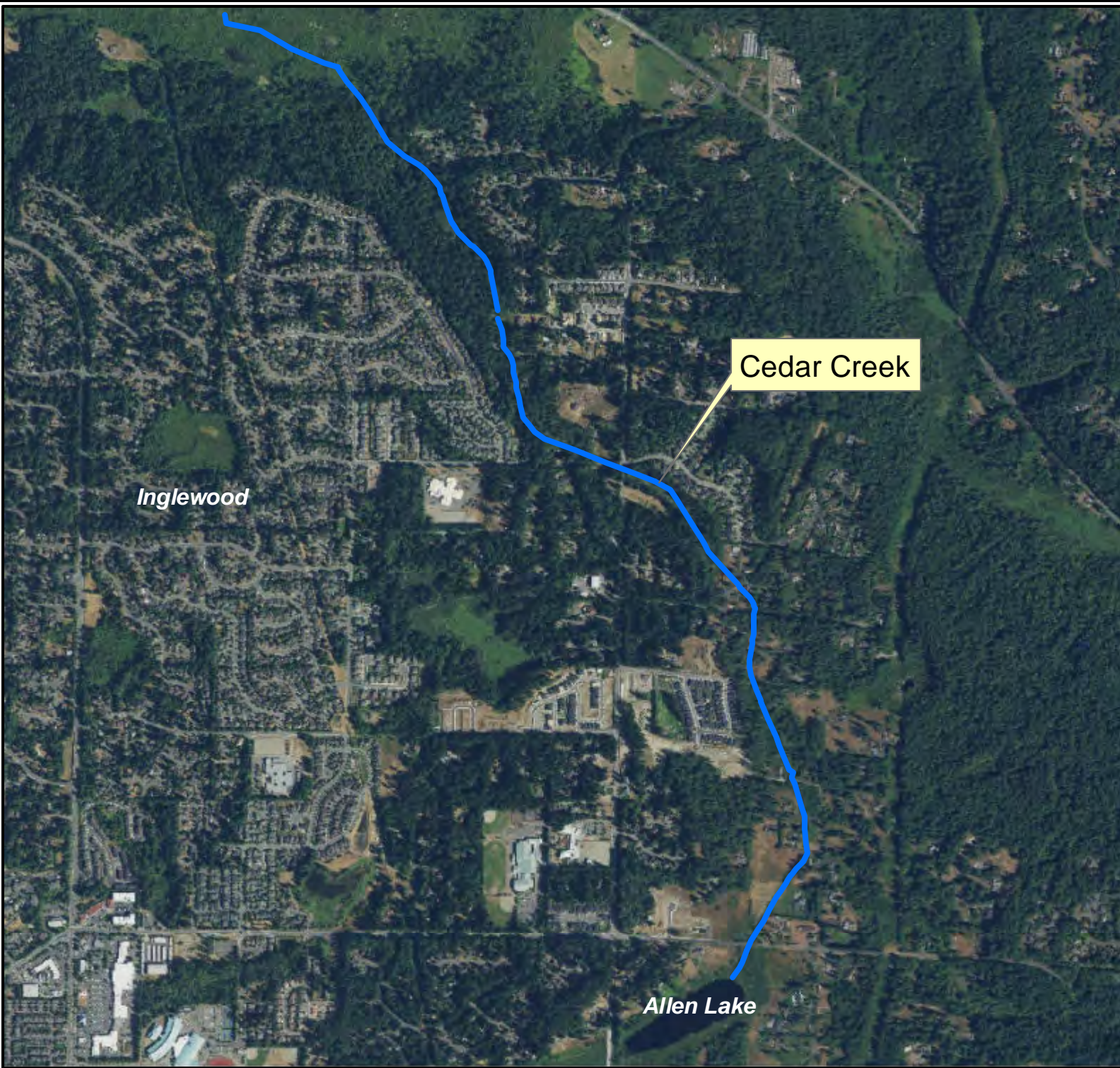
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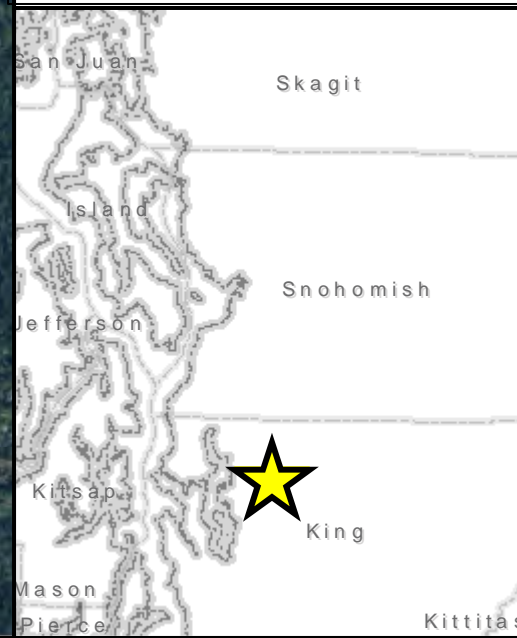
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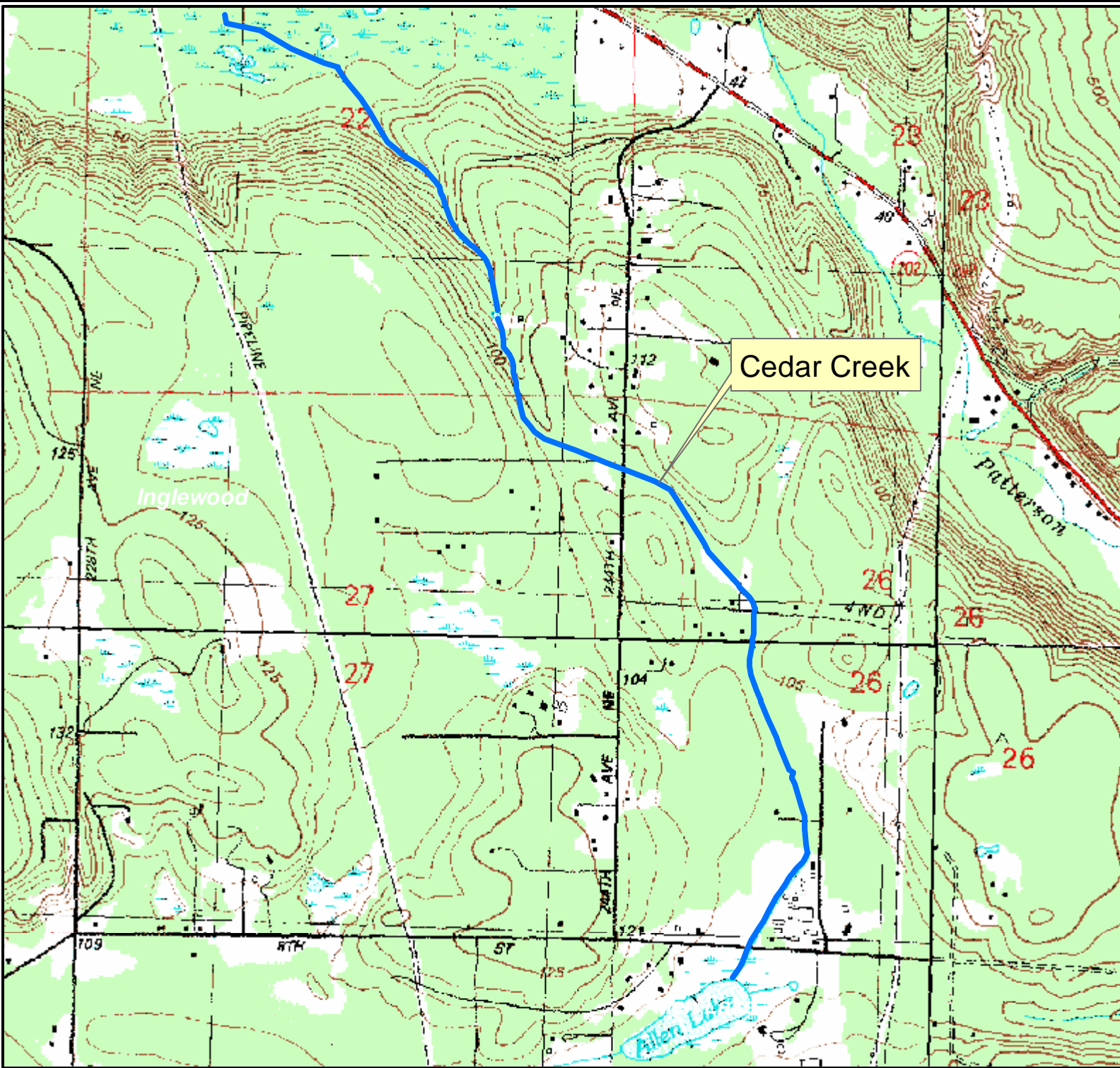


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