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I thought Washington was focused on protecting salmon runs in order to protect the last remaining Southern Resident Orcas and their food source. This would directly inhibit that goal. You may have had a big flood, but I am 38 years old and have been visiting Washington regularly for 18 years, am hoping to live there soon... I cannot recall another flood like this one in all that time. Do not dam another river and put in flow/flood controls. This would destroy one of the best resources and draws to the economy that Washington has - your orcas. If you won't value their lives simply for their natural beauty, then value the money they bring to your state by simply existing in it, at least. Do not destroy their food source. They will die. The businesses that revolve around them will die, too.