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I am writing to urge you to carefully consider maximizing restoration of the ecological processes and functions of the project area, and areas, as you move forward. The rapid recovery of functions in the restored Niqually delta should serve as a lession in the ability of natural ecosystems to recover given the chance. I believe, in particular, there is more potential for connecting Percival Creek and the Deschutes River and creating additional estruarine habitats and function. Though these actions may be beyond the scope of the current action, I strongly encourage the potential for additional restoration potential be considered.