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ROGUE NATIONAL WILD & SCENIC RIVER HELLGATE RECREATION SECTION HAZARDOUS FUEL REDUCTION PROJECT

ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENT

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The embedded Northern Spotted Owl Habit table is corrected to read:

Changes in Northern Spotted Owl Habitat - Alternatives 2, 3, and 4						
Land Designation	Current Habitat Acres			Post-Project Habitat Acres		
	Suitable Nesting	Foraging	Dispersal	Suitable Nesting	Foraging	Dispersal
Within CHU Only	0	415	0	0	415	0
Within CHU & LSR	136	0	0	136	0	
Within CHU or LSR	0	0	1,215	0	0	1,215
Outside CHU & LSR	0	639	0	0	0	639

(Explanation of correction: The post-project habitat acreage within the CHU was incorrectly stated to be 415 acres of dispersal habitat and 0 acres of foraging habitat. The post-project habitat acreage is 415 acres of foraging habitat and 0 acres of dispersal.)

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The paragraph regarding wildlife is clarified to read:

“This project would not result in any substantive additional adverse impacts to the overall function of the late-successional forest habitat within the watershed due to the relatively small changes that would occur in this habitat within the project area. Changes in habitats would occur from all projects in the watershed. None of the present project’s alternatives would have an additional adverse impact on overall species persistence or dispersal patterns in the watershed. A high level of vegetation and habitat diversity would continue. This project, with others in the watershed, would not adversely impact any listed species or cause any species to become listed. Changes within the designated NSO critical habitat would occur but are not expected to result in adverse modification to the critical habitat and the CHU would continue to function as intended.