

Year 2009 Inventory Unit Number/Name: 13-20, Oak Island and Rock

FORM 1

DOCUMENTATION OF BLM WILDERNESS INVENTORY FINDINGS ON RECORD:

1. Is there existing BLM wilderness inventory information on all or part of this area?

No_(Go to Form 2) Yes X (if more than one unit is within the area, list the names/numbers of those units.):

a) Inventory Source: Wilderness Inventory Oregon and Washington 1980

b) Inventory Unit Name(s)/Number(s): 13-20, Oak Island and Rock

c) Map Name(s)/Number(s): _ Navigational Chart 18421

d) BLM District(s)/Field Office(s): _Spokane, Wenatchee, San Juan Islands Field Station

2. BLM Inventory Findings on Record:

Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics (if more than one BLM inventory unit is associated with the area, list each unit and answer each question individually for each inventory unit):

Existing inventory information regarding wilderness characteristics¹:

Inventory Source: Wilderness Inventory Oregon and Washington 1980

| Unit#/Name | Size (historic acres) | Natural Condition? Y/N | Outstanding Solitude? Y/N | Outstanding Primitive & Unconfined Recreation? Y/N | Supplemental Values? Y/N |
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| 13-20, Oak Island and Rock | less than 1 1/2 acres | Y | N | N | N |
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FORM 2

Use additional pages as necessary

DOCUMENTATION OF CURRENT WILDERNESS INVENTORY
CONDITIONS

a. Unit Number/Name: 13-20, Oak Island and Rock

(1) Is the unit of sufficient size?

Yes No Island Rock Rocks

[State the BLM acreage of the unit. Describe the boundaries of the unit (roads, property lines, etc.) If the area meets one of the exceptions to the size criterion, check "Yes" and describe the exception. If more than one inventory unit is involved, list the acreage in each and evaluate each unit/subunit separately. Complete the analysis for (1), (2), (3),(4) and (5) for each unit or sub-unit. If you check "No" above, check "N/A" (Not Applicable) in the remaining boxes below, and you need not provide additional evaluation for the unit or subunit. Use additional space as necessary.]

DESCRIPTION OF CURRENT CONDITIONS: (Include land ownership, location, topography, vegetation features and summary of major human uses/activities).

Ownership: BLM ownership

Location: N48 36' 28.35", W122 57' 16.80", N48 36' 26.84", W122 57' 11.38"

Topography: Oak Island and Rock combined are less than 1 1/2 acres. Oak Island is approximately 10 feet above sea level and flat. Oak Rock is approximately 5' feet above sea level and flat. Oak Island offers limited access on the south side of the island during all tides.

Vegetation Features: Oak Island supports a variety of grasses, wildflowers, lichens, mosses and several trees; Pacifica Maritime Junipers and Douglas Firs. Oak Rock contains grasses and lichens.

Major human uses/ activities: Recreational boating both motorized and non-motorized does occur in the area. Wildlife viewing is excellent in this area for seabirds, marine mammals and other species. Photography is excellent in this area. Sea Kayaking is also excellent in this area.

Other items: Access is best using small non motorized human powered water craft due to numerous submerged rocks during higher tides near the graveled and rocky beaches of Oak Island.

(2) Is the unit in a natural condition?

Yes No N/A

Description: Oak Island and Rock appear natural and are in a natural condition.

(3) Does the unit (or the remainder of the unit if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for solitude?

Yes X (Oak Island) No X (Oak Rock) N/A

Description: Outstanding opportunities for solitude can be found on Oak Island due to the vegetative screening and distance from shoreline developments. Oak Rock does not offer outstanding opportunities for solitude due to the lack of vegetative screening and the nearby shoreline development of homes.

(4) Does the unit (or the remainder of the unit if a portion has been excluded due to unnaturalness and the remainder is of sufficient size) have outstanding opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation?

Yes X (Oak Island) No X (Oak Rock) N/A

Description: Recreational boating both motorized and non-motorized occurs in the area. Opportunities for primitive and unconfined recreation are excellent and outstanding for Oak Island regarding Sea kayaking, day-use and camping. Oak Rock does not offer outstanding opportunities for recreation. Wildlife viewing is excellent for seabirds, marine mammals and other species for both areas. Photography is excellent for both areas.

(5) Does the unit have supplemental values?

Yes X No N/A

Description: Supplemental values for Oak Island and Rock include a dynamic marine ecological system. The geology of the Island is part of a unique formation regarding Washington State. Other identified values for the island are scientific and scenic.

Summary of Findings and Conclusion

Unit Name and Number: 13-20, Oak Island and Rock

Summary

Results of Analysis:

1. Does the area meet any of the size requirements? Yes X No
2. Does the area appear to be natural? Yes X No

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**APPENDIX D – PHOTO LOG
(modify form as needed)**

Photographer(s): _ WA Department of Ecology, Bob Wick

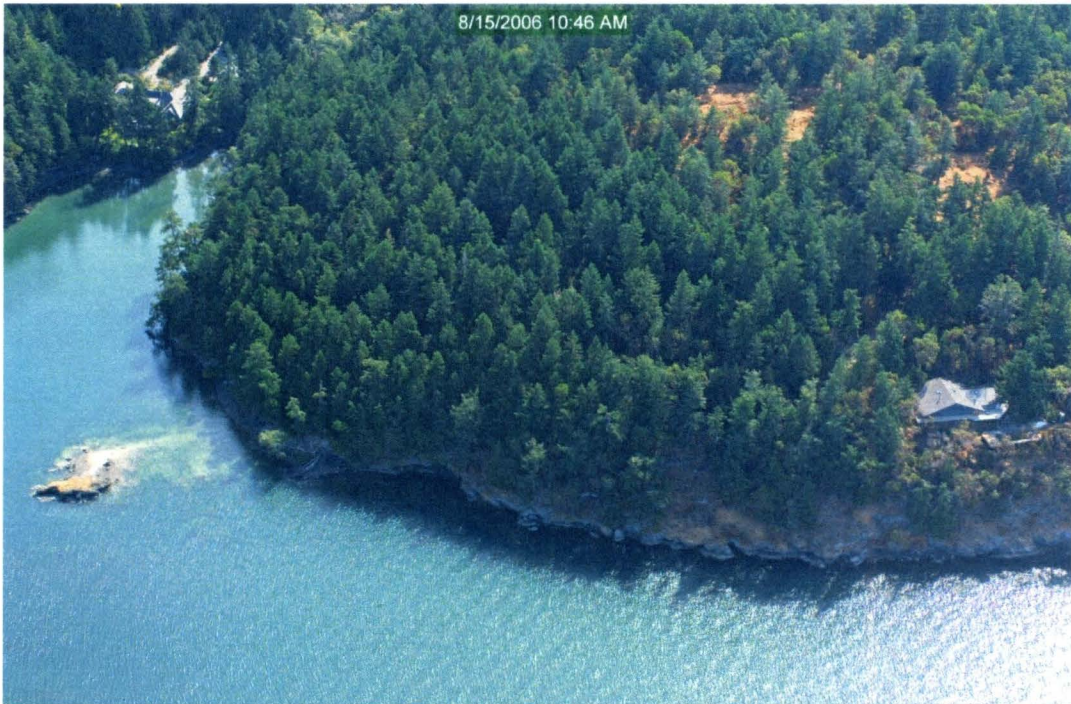
Inventory Area Name & No.: 13-20, Oak Island and Rock

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| 0815.2006 | 13995 | Oblique, ESE | Oak Rock, Orcas Island shoreline, West sound | N48 36' 28.35", W122 57' 16.80", N48 36' 26.84", W122 57' 11.38" | T36N | R2W | Sec.16 |
| 10.23.2009 | 2394 | NE | Oak Island, Orcas Island shoreline in distance, West sound | N48 36' 28.35", W122 57' 16.80", N48 36' 26.84", W122 57' 11.38" | T36N | R2W | Sec.16 |
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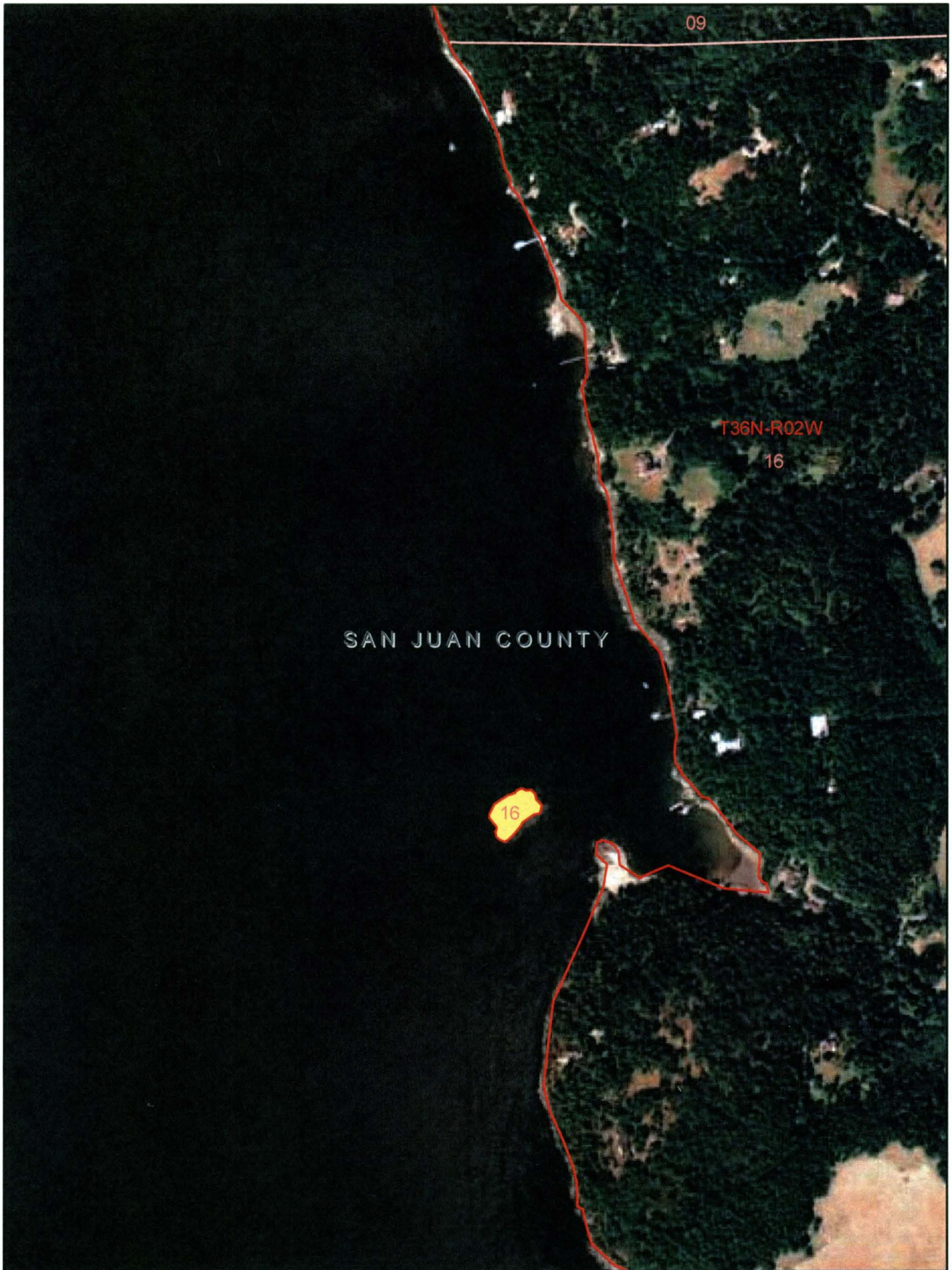
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13-20, Oak Island & Rock, N 48 36' 28.351", W 122 57' 16.804", & N48 36' 26.846", W 122 57' 11.387"