



# River Island Natural Area Restoration

<b>Limiting Factor</b>	Degraded Riparian Areas and Large Wood Recruitment
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<b>Project Stage</b>	Completed
<b>Duration</b>	2015 - 2017

## Degraded Channel and Riparian Areas > Degraded Riparian Areas and Large Wood Recruitment

Nestled on the Clackamas River just upstream from Barton Park, River Island provides 240 acres of habitat for plants and wildlife, including endangered salmon and steelhead, native turtles and migratory birds. Metro worked with community members and experts to design plans to restore fish and wildlife habitat and improve water quality at this voter-protected natural area.

Project partners include: Clackamas River Basin Council, Portland General Electric, Clackamas County, Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife. U.S. Forest Service.

More information can be found at [www.oregonmetro.gov/riverisland](http://www.oregonmetro.gov/riverisland)

### Key Accomplishments

- Large Wood Placement: **3,900.00 lf**
- Riparian / Floodplain Native Planting Area: **50.00 acres**
- Side Channel Habitat Increase: **1,150.00 lf**

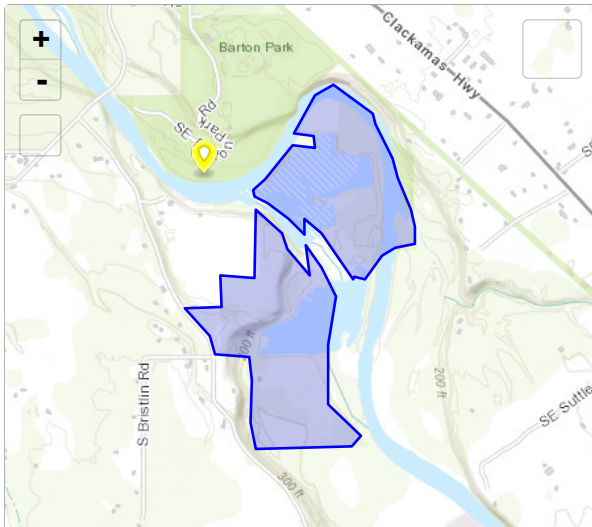
### Focal Species

- Coho
- Fall Chinook
- Pacific Lamprey
- Spring Chinook
- Steelhead

### Project Types

*No Project Types provided*

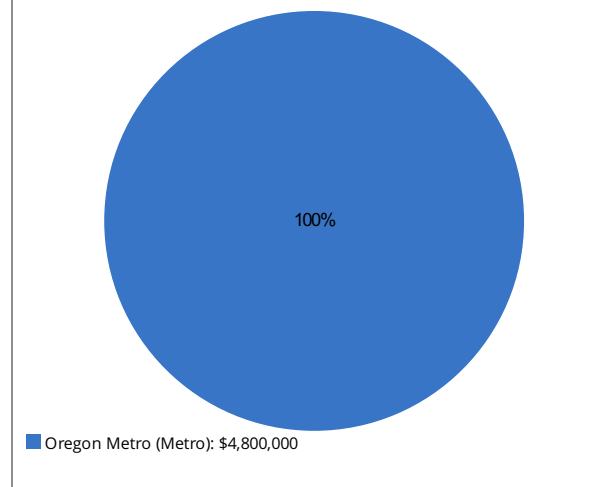
### Location



Metro's River Island Natural Area

### Expenditures

Expenditures by Funding Source to Date: **\$4,800,000.00**



## Photos

### Before



River Island - Goose Creek Before/After

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