

# Introduction to TMDLs

TMDLs in Progress in this Subbasin

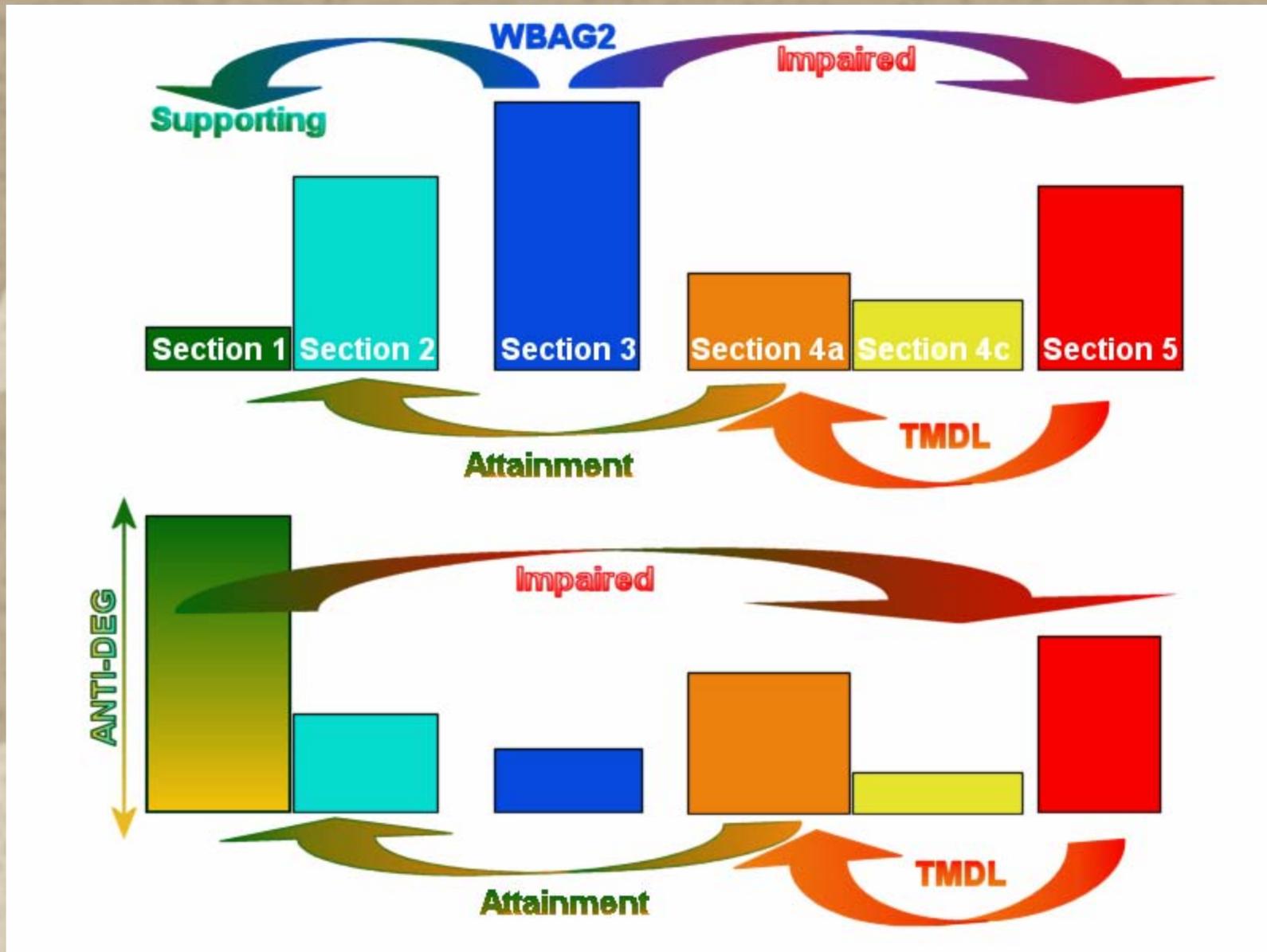


presented to North Fork  
Coeur d'Alene River  
Watershed Advisory Group  
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# TMDLs

- Clean Water Act
- Water Quality Standards
- Integrated Report
- WAG participation
- TMDL Development
- Schedule



# Integrated Report Categories

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Category	DEQ	Description
1	FS	Attaining WQ Standards
2	FS	Attaining some designated uses
3	NA	Insufficient data
4a	NFS	TMDL complete
4c	NFS	Not impaired by pollutant
5	NFS	TMDL needed

4b Other pollution control requirements are reasonably expected to result in the attainment of the water quality standard in the near future.

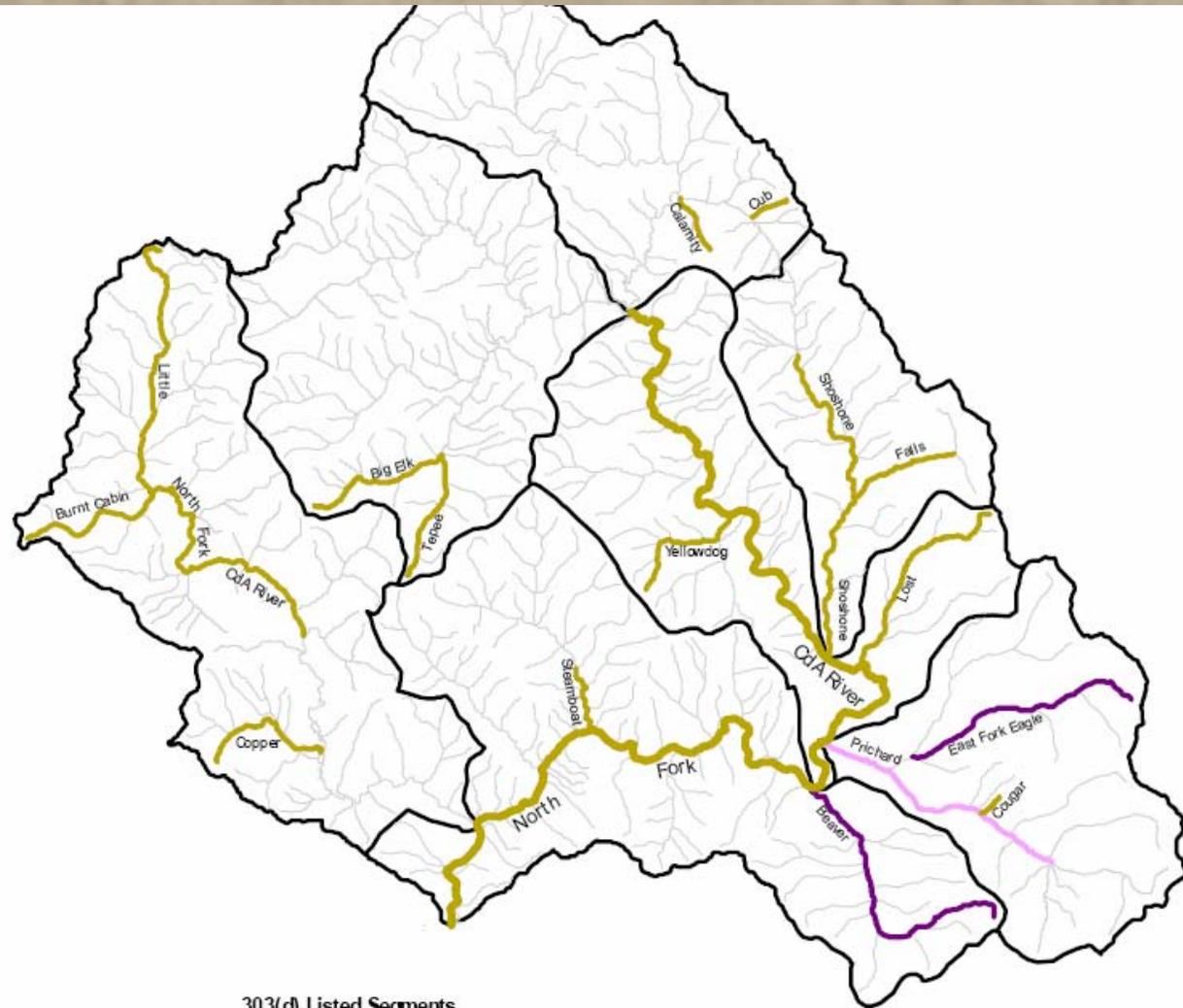
# Panhandle TMDLs Due Dec. 07

## AU/Pollutants

- Kootenai/Moyie Subbasin: 27
- Lower Clark Fork Subbasin: 47
- Hangman Creek Subbasin: 5
- Pend Oreille Subbasin: 58
- Upper Spokane Subbasin: 8
- North Fork Coeur d'Alene River Subbasin: 16
- South Fork Coeur d'Alene River Subbasin: 17
- Coeur d'Alene Lake Subbasin: 16
- St. Joe/St. Maries River Subbasin: 12

### 3.3. North Fork Coeur d'Alene River Subbasin (17010301)

Beaver Creek	ID17010301PN003_02	Beaver Creek - source to White Creek, Alder Creek, Pony Gulch, Unknown Gulch, Deer Creek, Moore Gulch, Dobson Gulch, Dudley Creek, Carbon Gulch and one unnamed stream are all first order stream that flow into the second order portion of Beaver Creek wit	Cadmium Metals Zinc
	ID17010301PN003_03	Beaver Creek - White Creek to North Fork Coeur d'Alene River. Third order portion of Beaver Creek.	Temperature
Prichard Creek	ID17010301PN004_03	Prichard Creek - Eagle Creek to Butte Gulch Third order portion of Prichard Creek.	Metals Temperature
	ID17010301PN004_04		Metals Temperature
	ID17010301PN005_02	Prichard Creek - source to Butte Creek	Metals Temperature
	ID17010301PN005_03	Prichard Creek - Barton Gulch to Butte Creek. Third order portion of Prichard Creek.	Cadmium Lead Metals Temperature Zinc
Steamboat Creek	ID17010301PN028_03	Steamboat Creek - source to mouth. Third order portion of Steamboat Creek and West Fork Steamboat Creek.	Temperature



303(d) Listed Segments  
of 2001 North Fork C&A River TMDL

-  Sediment
-  Sediment, metals
-  Sediment, metals, temperature

Beaver Creek metals TMDL still due  
Prichard Creek metals and temperature TMDLs still due

# North Fork CDA TMDL Status

- **Temperature**
  - Potential Natural Vegetation
  - In Progress
  - Technical Services Division
  - CDA Regional Office Facilitation
- **Metals**
  - Concentration Based
  - Not initiated yet
  - Technical Services Division
  - CDA Regional Office Facilitation

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## About DEQ's Coeur d'Alene Region: North Fork Coeur d'Alene River Subbasin Watershed Advisory Group (WAG)

Content on this page is provided for informational purposes while the North Fork Coeur d'Alene River Watershed Advisory Group (WAG) and DEQ work to plan implementation projects related to the existing North Fork sediment "Total Maximum Daily Load" (TMDL); develop a temperature TMDL for Prichard Creek; and develop metals TMDLs for Beaver Creek and Prichard Creek, waterbodies found to be not fully supporting beneficial uses.

*Note:* All of these documents are considered draft and are subject to change. The goal of providing these documents at WAG meetings and on this web page is to ensure citizens have the opportunity to provide input as the documents are developed.

[WAG Introduction Letter](#)

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### Upcoming Meeting Dates

**Wednesday, February 28, 2007, 2 - 4 p.m.**

U.S. Forest Service Office  
173 Commerce Drive  
Smelterville, ID  
> Link to [Agenda](#).

### Background

- > [Map of the Subwatershed with listed segments](#)
- > [Overview of TMDL Development Process](#) (on DEQ's Web site)