Boistfort Management Unit

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**Major Tributaries:**
- Lake Creek
- Stillman Creek

**Anadromous Fish Stocks:**
- fall Chinook
- spring Chinook
- coho
- cutthroat trout
- winter steelhead

**Tier 1 Concerns**

**Riparian, Sediment**
- Abandon roads on steep geologically sensitive areas
- Control invasive species
- Correct cross drains that may trigger mass wasting on geologically sensitive slopes
- Identify (pinpoint) sources that are contributing sediment loading
- Identify specific degraded riparian areas for restoration needs
- Implement bank stabilization (bioengineering) in locations of excessive erosion
- Install riparian fencing to exclude or reduce livestock access
- Interplant conifers in deciduous dominant areas where appropriate
- Reduce sediment loading by reducing road densities (abandon/decommission)
- Revegetate open areas with native plants
- Revegetate streams and riverbanks for added protection from erosion
- Upgrade logging roads to comply with Forest Practices Act Rules and Regulations

**Tier 2 Concerns**

**Large Woody Debris, Water Quality**
- Abandon roads on steep geologically sensitive areas
- Correct cross drains that may trigger mass wasting on geologically sensitive slopes
- Educate landowners on importance of LWD in streams
- Identify specific degraded riparian areas for restoration needs
- Implement TMDL recommendations
- Install riparian fencing to exclude or reduce livestock access
- Interplant conifers in deciduous dominant areas where appropriate
- Reduce sediment loading by reducing road densities
- Revegetate open areas with native plants
- Revegetate stream and riverbanks for added protection from erosion
- Upgrade logging roads to comply with Forest Practices Act Rules and Regulations

**Tier 3 Concerns**

**Water Quantity, Floodplain**
- Assess floodplain conditions to identify impacts
- Determine if water withdrawals are being followed in accordance with current water rights
- Identify specific degraded riparian areas for restoration needs
- Implement approved nutrient enhancement efforts
- Install riparian fencing to exclude or reduce livestock access
- Interplant conifers in deciduous dominant areas where appropriate
- Reconnect, enhance, and/or restore potential off channel, floodplain, and wetland habitat
- Reduce water withdrawals from surface sources
- Remove hard armoring (riprap) or implement bioengineering techniques in place of hard armoring
- Revegetate open areas with native plants