

Part 1: Summary

***Please see comments for instructions.

SUMMARY FUNDING TABLE

	2018-19 Budget	2018-19 Spending	Variance
Kootenay (8 classified watersheds)	\$80,930	\$62,282	-\$18,648
Kootenay Classified Waters	\$16,490	\$19,048	\$2,558
Kootenay Classified Waters	\$15,080	\$11,900	-\$3,180
TOTAL	\$112,500	\$93,230	-\$19,270

General Project Summary

General project activity summary for 2018-19 includes: River Guardian angler compliance checks, angler surveys and angler/public education on eight Kootenay classified waters, extrapolated angler effort and harvest estimate analysis for a targeted bull trout fishery on the lower Elk River, stakeholder engagement and collaborative management via the Kootenay Angling Management Plan Review process, bull trout population inventory (redd counts) in 19 indexes within 4 classified waters and westslope cutthroat trout population/inventory (density and abundance) completed in three classified waters. All components contribute significantly to the ongoing management of Kootenay classified waters and the objectives of conservation and maintaining high quality angling opportunities in these systems.

Capital Asset Purchase information:

N/A - no capital assets purchased

Additional Supporting Information

2018-19 reports: 2018 Kootenay Angling Management Plan Recommendations Report (draft), 2018 Kootenay RG Program summary report (complete)

Photos



Bull Trout Redd during inventory (redd counts) on the White River Middle Fork



River Guardian conducting westslope cutthroat trout inventory



River Guardian angler interviews/compliance check (upper St. Mary River)