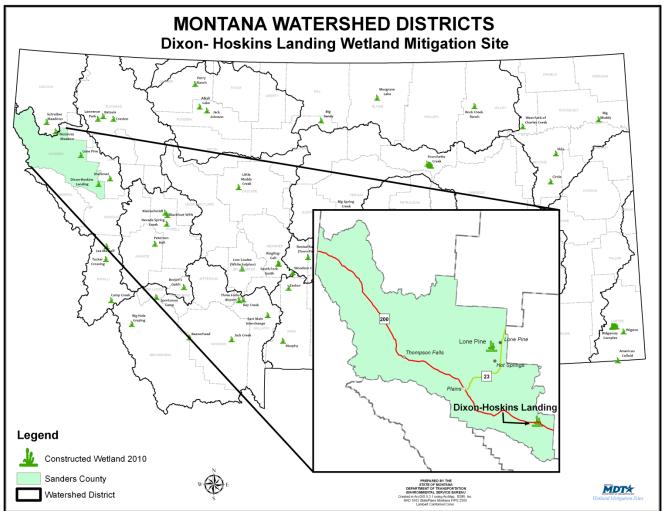
# **HOSKINS LANDING**

Flathead Indian Reservation Watershed # 3- Lower Clark Fork River Basin Sanders County, Montana



#### LAND OWNERSHIP: CONFEDERATED SALISH & KOOTENAI TRIBES (CSKT)

### **BACKGROUND INFORMATION**

The Hoskins Landing Wetland Mitigation Site was constructed in 2002 in cooperation with the Confederated Salish and Kootenai Tribe to mitigate wetland impacts associated with Montana Department of Transportation (MDT) proposed highway reconstruction projects on the Flathead Reservation. Hoskins Landing is located north of Dixon, adjacent to the Flathead River in Watershed # 3 (Lower Clark Fork River Basin). This site managed by the CSKT Natural Resources Department under a Tribal Natural Resource easement. The restoration project provided approximately 8 acres of mitigation credits.

#### WETLAND INHABITANTS

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FISH	
None (no fish surveys implemented)	
AMPHIBIANS	
None	
REPTILES	
Painted Turtle (Chrysemys picta) <sup>3</sup>	
BIRDS	
American Crow (Corvus brachyrhynchos)	Red-tail Hawk (Buteo jamaicensis)
Barn Swallow (Hirundo rustica) <sup>1</sup>	Red-winged blackbird (Agelaius phoeniceus)
Black & White Warbler (Mniotilta varia)	Song sparrow (Melospiza melodia)
Blue-winged Teal (Anas discors)1	Spotted sandpiper (Actitis macularia)
Canada Goose (Branta canadensis) <sup>1</sup>	Tree Swallow (Tachycineta bicolor) <sup>1</sup>
Cinnamon Teal (Anas cyanoptera)1	Wood Duck (Aix sponsa) <sup>1</sup>
Eurasian Wigeon (Anas Penelope) <sup>1</sup>	Yellow-headed blackbird (Xanthocephalus
Field Sparrow (Spizella pusilla)	xanthocephalus)
Great Blue Heron (Ardea herodias)	
Killdeer (Charadrius vociferous)	
Lesser Yellowlegs (Tringa flavipes) <sup>1</sup>	
Mallard (Anas platyrhynchos)	
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Northern Shoveler (Anas clypeata) <sup>1</sup>	
Osprey (Pandoin haliaetus)	
MAMMALS	
Coyote (Canis latrans)	Mouse [young] (Peromyscus spp.) <sup>1</sup>
Deer (Odocoileus spp.)	Muskrat (Ondatra zibethicus) <sup>2</sup>
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<sup>1</sup> Observed by MDT during spring and/or fall of 2004. <sup>2</sup> Observed in side channel by MDT during 2004.

<sup>3</sup> Observed within old channel on southern boundary by MDT during spring of 2004.



**Painted Turtle** 

Lesser Yellowlegs

#### WETLAND VEGETATION

#### **Dominant wetland vegetation**

Seven types of wetland communities observed

- Type 1- Spike rush/Reed grass (Eleocharis/Phalaris)
- Type 2- Pondweed/waterweed (Potamogeton/Elodea)
- Type 3- Reed grass/ willow (*Phalaris/Salix*)
- Type 4- Reed grass (Phalaris)
- Type 5- Rigid Hornwort (Ceratophyllum)
- Type 6- Rush/spike rush (Juncus/Eleocharis)
- Type 7- Reed grass/redtop (Phalaris/Agrostis)



Spike rush

## **Dixon Hoskins Landing**



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