



**2020 Jefferson County
Conservation Futures Program
Score Sheet**

Name _____

Project _____

Please note: if none of the answers provided describe the project, answer “N/A” or “0”.

ADJUSTED CRITERIA

SCORE X WEIGHT = SCORE

1. **To what degree does the project leverage contributions for acquisition from groups, agencies or individuals?** _____ X 5 = _____
(Points awarded based on the following level of contribution)
 - a. Leverages significantly = 3 points
 - b. Leverages moderately = 2 points
 - c. Meets requirement = 1 point

2. **To what degree does the project sponsor commit to provide long-term stewardship for the proposed project?** _____ X 10 = _____
 - a. Stewardship plan with guaranteed long-term stewardship = 5 points
 - b. Stewardship plan with guaranteed short-term stewardship = 3 points
 - c. Stewardship plan, no guarantee = 1 point

3. **To what degree has the project sponsor demonstrated effective long-term stewardship of a similar project?** _____ X 1 = _____
 - a. Highly demonstrated = 5 points
 - b. Moderately demonstrated = 3 points
 - c. Slightly demonstrated = 1 point
 - d. Effectiveness not demonstrated = 0 points

4. **To what degree is the acquisition feasible?** _____ X 5 = _____
 - a. Highly feasible = 5 points
 - b. Moderately feasible = 3 points
 - c. Slightly feasible = 1 point

5. **To what degree is the project part of an adopted open space, conservation, or resource preservation program or plan, or identified in a community conservation effort?**
 Sliding scale: 1-5 points _____ X 4 = _____

6. **To what degree does the project conserve opportunities which are otherwise lost or threatened?** _____ X 6 = _____
 Sliding scale: 1-5 points

7. Are the conservation values of the project commensurate with or greater than the amount of CF funds requested? _____ X 10 = _____
Sliding scale: 0-5 points

8. To what degree does the project preserve habitat for flora and fauna other than habitat for anadromous fish species?

(Points awarded in part based on level of documentation.)

a. State of Washington Priority Habitat and/or State or Federal Endangered, Threatened or Sensitive species = 0–3 points _____ X 3 = _____

b. Variety of native flora & fauna = 0–3 points _____ X 3 = _____

c. Provides wildlife corridor or migration route = 0–3 points _____ X 3 = _____

d. Current owner participates in conservation programs that enhance wildlife habitat = 0–3 points _____ X 3 = _____

9. To what degree does the project protect habitat for anadromous fish species? _____ X 3 = _____
= 0–5 points

10. To what degree does the project preserve farmland for agricultural use?

a. Likely will maintain active agricultural use = 0–3 points _____ X 4 = _____

b. Current owner has a record of implementing management practices that preserves and/or enhances soil, water quality, watershed function and wildlife habitat = 0–3 points _____ X 4 = _____

c. Property acquisition or proposed easement will likely preserve and/or enhance soil, water quality, watershed function and wildlife habitat = 0–3 point _____ X 4 = _____

11. To what degree does the project preserve forestland for silvicultural use?

a. Likely will maintain forestland for active silvicultural use = 0–3 points _____ X 4 = _____

b. Current owner has a record of implementing management practices that preserves and/or enhances soil, watershed function and wildlife habitat = 0–3 points. _____ X 4 = _____

c. Property acquisition or proposed easement will likely preserve and/or enhance soil, water quality, watershed function and wildlife habitat. _____ X 4 = _____
= 0–3 points

12. To what degree does the project serve:

a. A significant benefit area? Sliding scale: 1-3 points _____ X 4 = _____

b. Is the project located in an area that is under-represented by CF funded projects?
Sliding scale: 0-3 points _____ X 4 = _____

13. To what degree will the acquisition provide educational opportunities, interpretive opportunities, and/or serve as a general community resource?

_____ X 4 = _____

- a. Public access, with planned or educational/interpretive displays and materials, events or activities = 5 points
- b. Limited public access, available space for signage and educational materials = 3 points
- c. Remote location = 1 point
- d. No opportunity = 0 points

14. To what degree does the project preserve historic or culturally significant resources¹?

_____ X 3 = _____

- a. Project is registered with the National Register of Historic Places, or an equivalent program = 3 points
- b. Project is recognized locally as having historic or cultural resources = 2 points
- c. Project is adjacent to and provides a buffer for a historic or cultural site = 1 point
- d. None of the above = 0 points

¹ Cultural resources means archeological and historic sites and artifacts, and traditional religious ceremonial and social uses and activities of affected Indian Tribes and mandatory protections of resources under chapters 27.44 and 27.53 RCW.