

**Rocky Mountain Elk Foundation Habitat Enhancement Project WA 210087  
Pierce National Wildlife Refuge, Skamania County, WA  
2021 - 2022**



Gorge Refuge Stewards controlling weeds  
*Photo by Jared Strawderman*

Clearing the way  
*Photo by Jared Strawderman*





Enjoying recently recovered ground  
*Photos by Jared Strawderman*



Western pond turtles basking in the sun  
*Photo by Emily Lane*



Early autumn morning  
*Photo by Skamania Co NWCP*





Clearing the impenetrable  
sea of blackberry  
*Photos by Skamania Co  
NWCP & Jared  
Strawderman*





Camas recovery after blackberry removal  
*Photo by Jared Strawderman*



Species coexisting  
*Photo by Jared Strawderman*



Grazing in the shadow of Beacon Rock  
*Photo by Brad Collins*