

## Road 6208 (Frenchy), Petersburg Ranger District, Tongass National Forest

September 11, 2014

### Background

An interdisciplinary group (Angela Coleman, Hydrologist; Jason Powell, Tongass Road Planner; Dennis Landwehr, Tongass Soil Scientist Program Manager; Marie Messing, Transportation Engineer; Bill Trembley, R10 Wilderness and Trails; Heidi Lombard, Fisheries Biologist; Pam Edwards, Research Hydrologist; Julianne Thompson, Hydrologist-Watershed Program Manager and Carol Seitz-Warmuth, Tongass Monitoring and Inventory Coordinator) evaluated best management practices (BMPs) on Road 6208, known as the Frenchy road due to proximity to Frenchy Ridge. This work was routine maintenance accomplished in 2014. The Petersburg District Ranger Jay Anderson determined that these actions fall under categories of action excluded from documentation in an environmental impact statement (EIS) or environmental analysis (EA) as established by the Chief, FSH 1909.15.30 (31.1b) #4: "Repair and maintenance of roads, trails and landline boundaries". The Frenchy road is 2.91 miles long and listed on the access and travel management plan as a Level 2 road, assigned to open roads by high clearance vehicles. The road was constructed in 1989. The road information was updated in INFRA in 2013.

### BMP Implementation

The 6208 road has had regular maintenance. The only area noted was an aquatic management zone (AMZ) wetland. This area had some, limited, evidence of erosion.

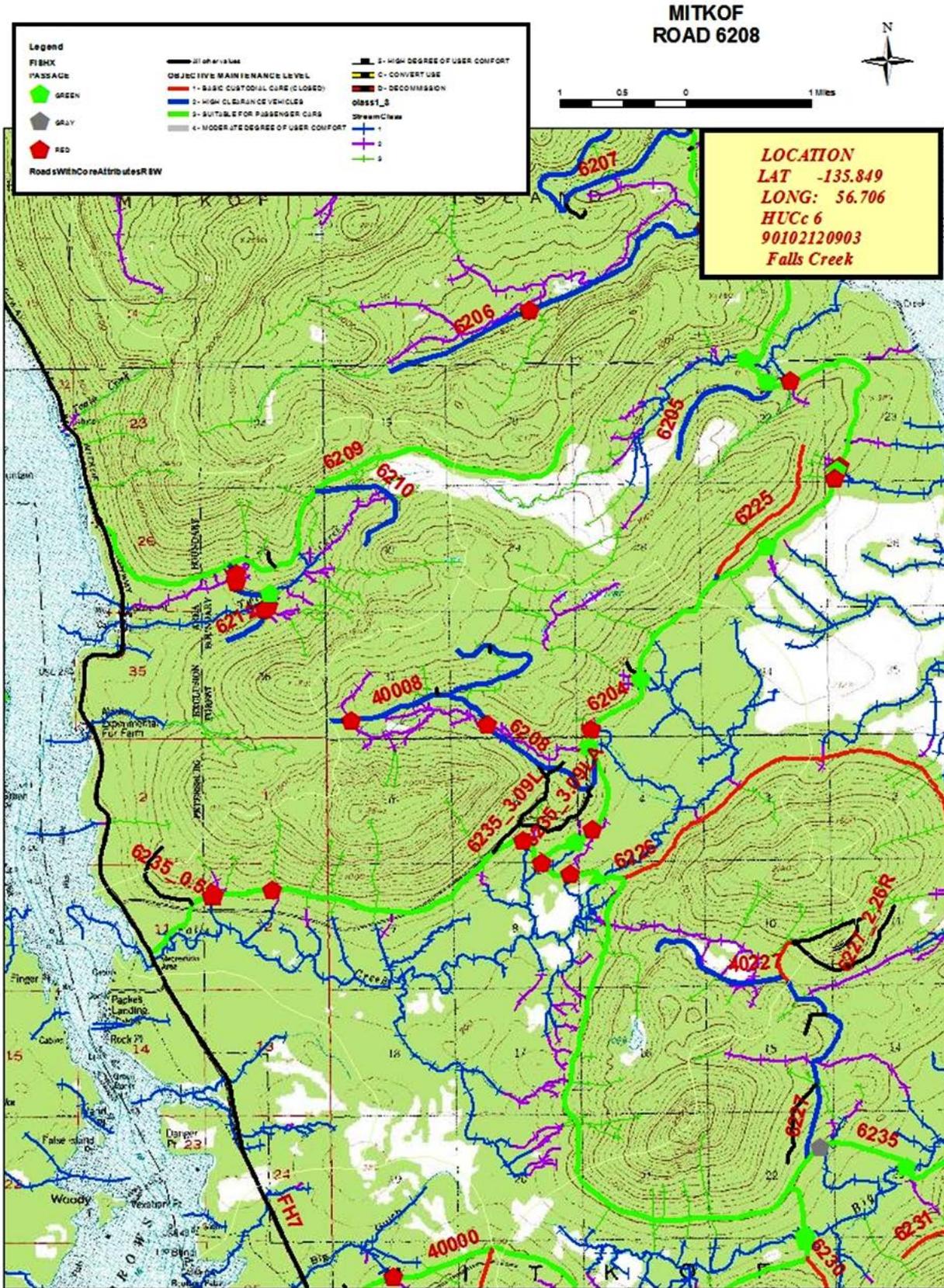
### *Corrective Actions to Improve Implementation*

No corrective actions were listed on the form.

### *Adaptive Management Actions to Improve Effectiveness*

Need to resurface or recrown road for future timber sales or future activity. This is low priority.





Road 6208 Figure 2. Frenchy area map