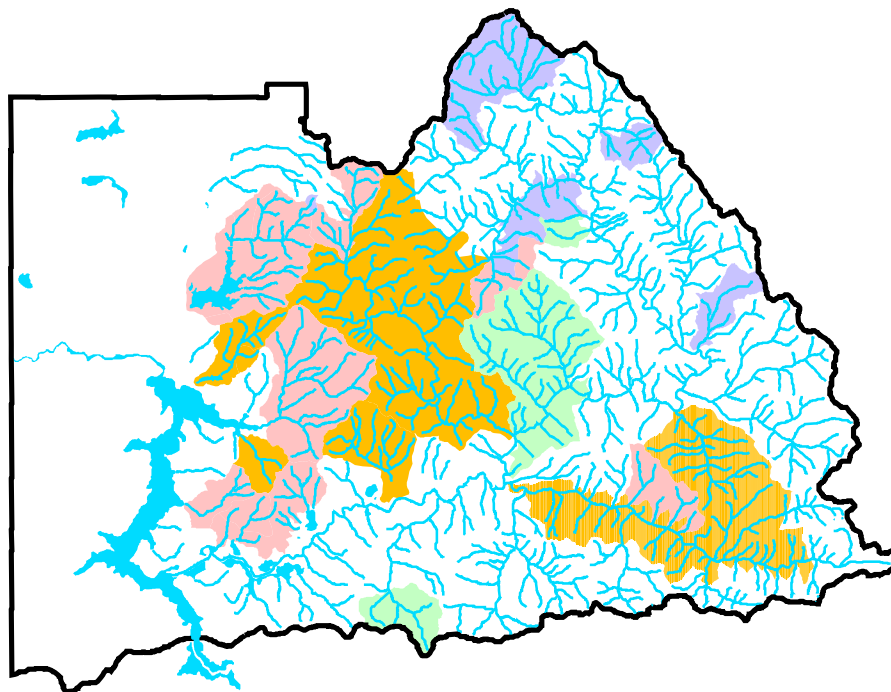


Coeur d'Alene Geographic Area

Aquatic / Terrestrial Overall Highest Priority Needs

- =Aquatic Systems "Functioning at Risk" AND Terrestrial Systems have Serious Problems (Group A)
- =Aquatic Systems "Non-Functioning" AND Terrestrial Systems have Serious Problems (Group B)
- =Aquatic Systems "Functioning at Risk" AND Terrestrial Systems have Moderate Problems. (Group C)
- =Aquatic Systems "Functioning at Risk" AND Terrestrial Systems in relatively good Condition (Group D).



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Figure . The overall aquatic / terrestrial priorities are focused on landscape areas where either the watershed/aquatic system is "functioning, at risk"; or vegetative systems have serious problems such as species mix, age class, and patch size/fragmentation.

*Group A- Aquatic systems "Functioning at Risk" & Terrestrial systems have serious problems:

Restoring whole watershed systems at risk should be a priority in these areas. Funds generated from restoring vegetative health are used to help restore watershed systems. In most cases there should be a significant net reduction of roads. Reducing effects of riparian roads, road crossings, and slope restoration by decompaction of skid trails should usually be a priority. Vegetation needs often include large-scale regeneration for species composition on moist sites, and thinning from below on dry sites.

*Group B- Aquatic systems seriously degraded & Terrestrial systems have serious problems:

Aquatic restoration in these areas is a very long-term prospect. Large-scale watershed restoration in conjunction with vegetative restoration may be driving factors in these areas. Some short-term watershed risks may be tolerated to encourage substantial longer term aquatic recovery trends.

*Group C- Similar to "Group A", but Terrestrial systems have somewhat less severe problems.

*Group D- Because of the need for watershed restoration, but a lack of vegetative opportunities in these areas; appropriated watershed and restoration funds should be allocated in these watersheds.