

Implementation Strategies: Freshwater Insect Recovery Target

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- 🪰 Freshwater Quality B-IBI Targets by 2020:
- 🪰 PROTECTION - All stream drainage areas retain “excellent”
- 🪰 RESTORATION - 30 basins improve from “fair” to “good”

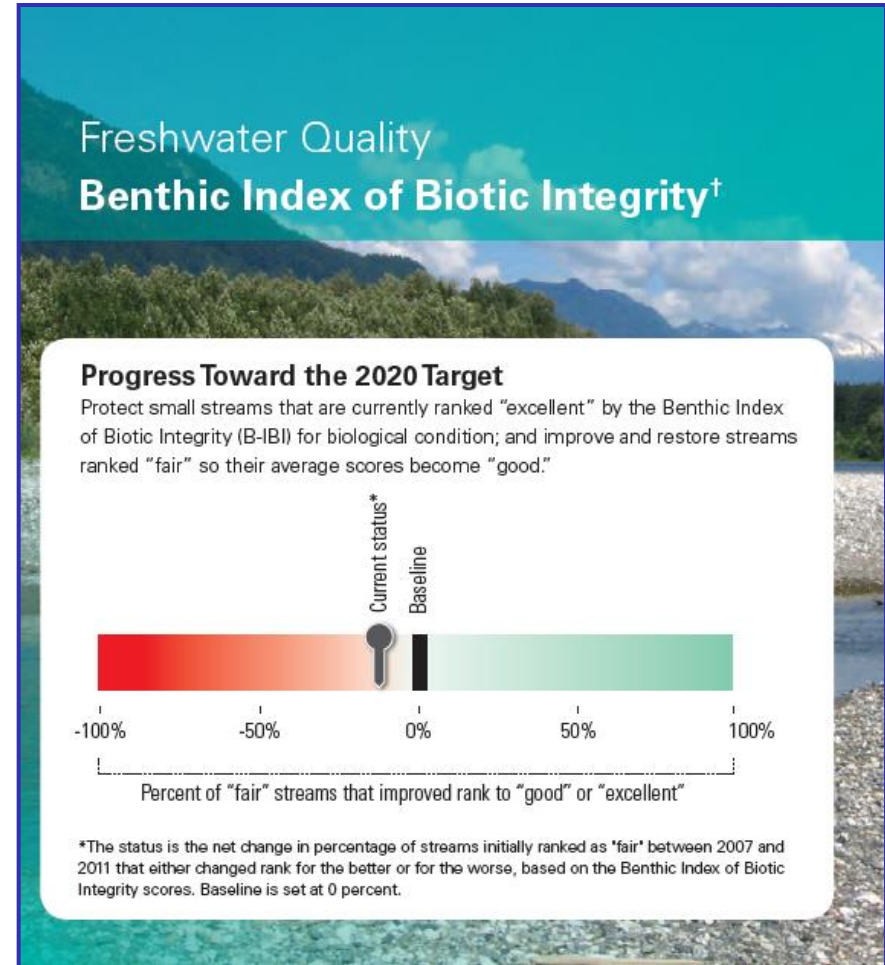


Target Progress

 No progress improving biological condition

 Funding for King Co. to prioritize basins & develop strategies

 No funding for restoration & protection implementation or effectiveness monitoring



Prioritization Framework

- Refine relationship between B-IBI and stressors
- What restoration has worked, where, and why?
- Incorporate existing tools as appropriate
- Feedback from regional experts, stakeholders
- Identify restoration strategies for high priority basins



Questions?

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