

OREGON SOLUTIONS
ALTERNATIVES 3 AND 4
PROS AND CONS

ALTERNATIVE 3

PROS		CONS	
1	Closer to existing conditions	1	Will cost \$2,000,000 more than Alternative 4
2	Retains the investment in the new gated spillway	2	Requires 5,100 lineal feet more levee than Alternative 4 resulting in higher long term maintenance costs
3	Provides a recreational loop trail	3	Results in the loss of 103 acres of farmland
4	Due to the net benefits from resulting habitat values of the overall project, we may be able to negotiate with the granting agencies for continued use of larger portions of the Wilson property as farmland	4	Causes flood rise during smaller floods in the river channel at the confluence of the Trask and Tillamook Rivers

ALTERNATIVE 4

PROS		CONS	
1	Will cost \$2,000,000 less than Alternative 3	1	Results in loss of 103 acres of farmland
2	Requires less levee than Alternative 3, resulting in lower maintenance costs for levees	2	Requires removal of existing flood gates and new gated spillway
3	Full restoration of the original 377 acre wetland acquisition	3	Looses recreational loop trail
4	Full connectivity between Trask and historic sloughs		
5	Levees are located further from river and would be less prone to erosion		
6	Does not cause flood rise at confluence of Trask and Tillamook Rivers during smaller floods		