

Creating a Management Plan for Japanese Knotweed in the Thorton Creek Watershed

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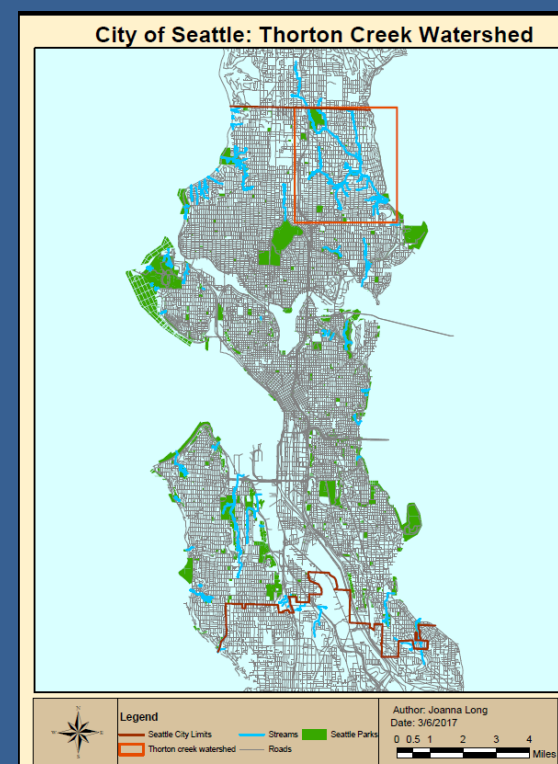
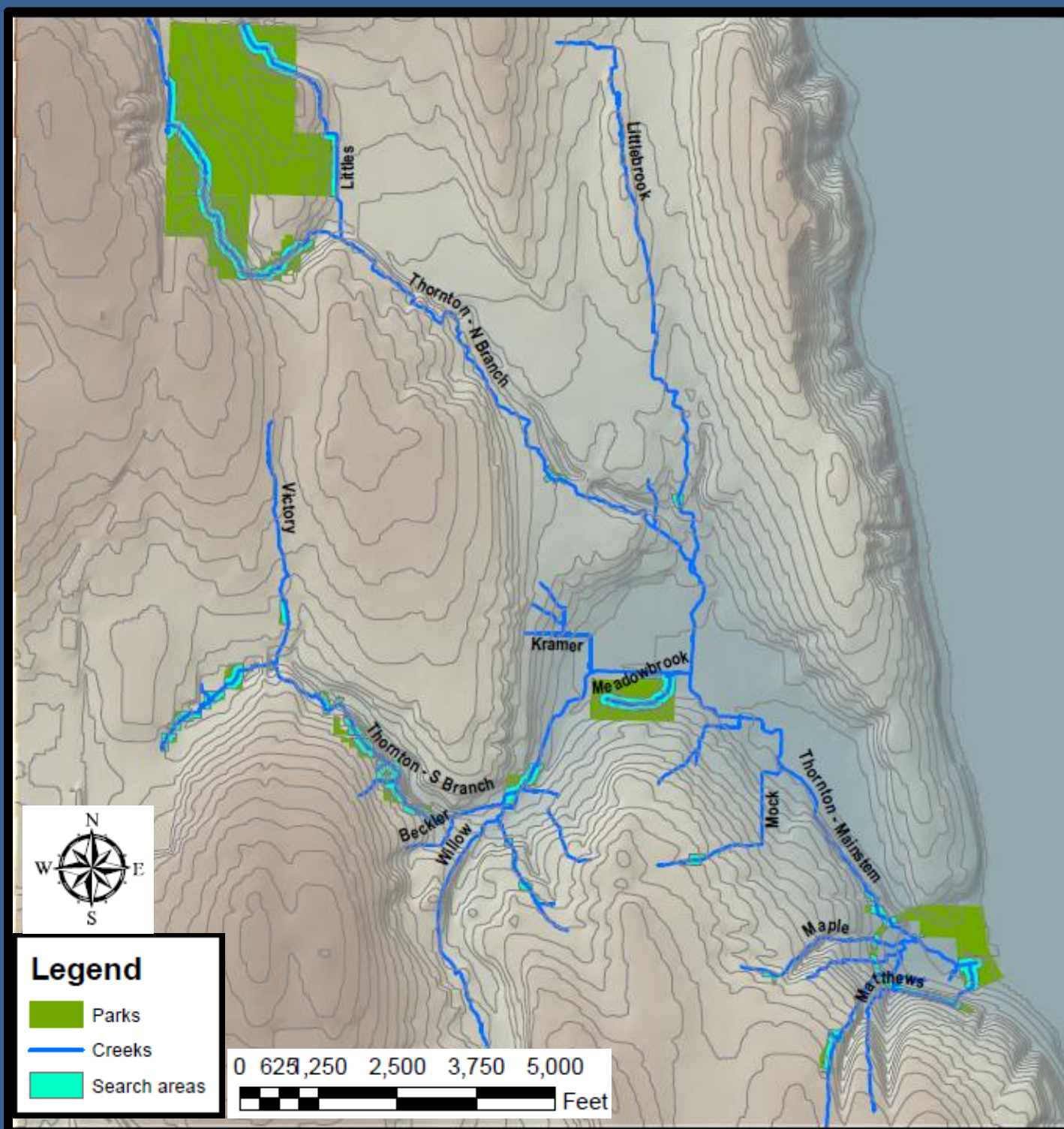
Where: Thorton Creek is the largest watershed within the city of Seattle.

What: A comprehensive plan for the Seattle Parks Department to manage existing infestations.

Why: Japanese Knotweed is a notoriously persistent invasive that has detrimental effects on riparian systems.

Goals: A sharable map of current Japanese Knotweed infestations in Seattle Parks along Thorton Creek. A plan for tackling infestations throughout the watershed including best practices for treatment and monitoring.

When: Field work will begin in June 2017



Photos: King County Noxious Weeds