Oregon Spotted Frog Overview
Status/Protections/Threats

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The Oregon Spotted Frog

*(Rana pretiosa)*
Waaay back in 2015
Legal Status

- **British Columbia** – listed as endangered (SARA) and critically imperiled (BC)
- **Washington** – State Endangered
- **Oregon** - Sensitive/Critical
- **California** - Species of Special Concern
- **Federal** - Listed as threatened (August 29, 2014) and designation of critical habitat (May 11, 2016)
How can you get into trouble?

unless you are: destroying occupied habitat, stomping, shooting, selling, putting them in your kid’s aquarium, or other things that you would never do at work.
Where Oregon spotted remain
Threats to Oregon Spotted Frogs

Habitat impacts – Wetland loss and wetland conversion or degradation
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**Habitat impacts** - Hydrologic changes (water diversions, beaver removal, etc.)
Predatory and Competitive Non-native Species
Threats to Oregon Spotted Frogs

- **Habitat impacts** - Changes in vegetation community, quality, and structure
Vegetation Management

- Don’t walk away! Preservation ≠ Conservation for OSF
Questions (I’ll be here at the break)

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