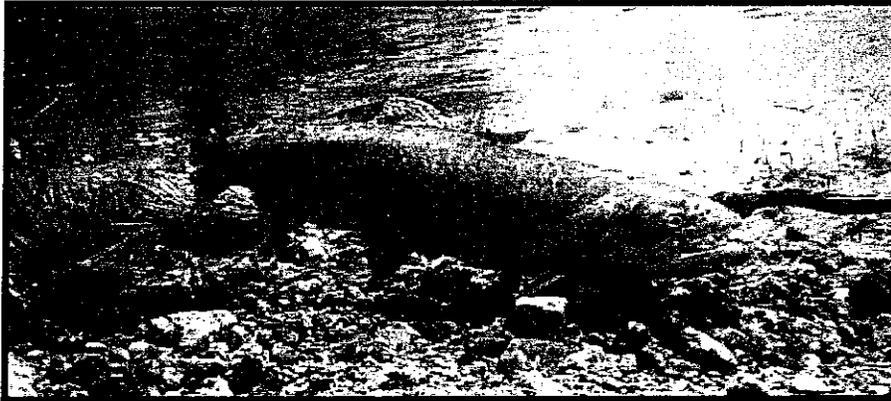


Program Summary

The proposed project will protect and restore habitat for the benefit of Lahontan Cutthroat Trout (*oncorhynchus clarki henshawi*) (LCT) within upper reach of Clear Creek Watershed, a perennial tributary to the Carson River, which has been identified in the USFWS Region 1 Recovery Plan as supporting 6 fluvial LCT populations. The Washoe Tribe owns three parcels encompassing over three miles of Clear Creek (Map 1). The goal of this project is to complete baseline inventories and habitat restoration of over 1,000 feet of stream bank to provide prime habitat for reintroduction of LCT into Clear Creek. A natural barrier exists approximately 1.5 miles downstream of the Tribe's Upper Clear Creek Parcel, which will serve to protect the LCT from non-native fish in the Carson River. Lahontan cutthroat trout were a primary food source for the Washoe people living within the greater Tahoe Basin region, and are an important cultural resource.



oncorhynchus clarki henshawi