

### **Feature Class Name**

Water course

### **Summary**

Lines representing water courses in Grant County, Washington.

### **Description**

*This data originated from Washington State Department of Natural Resources. There have been no spatial modifications at this point, but some are planned.*

### **Credits**

Washington State Department of Natural Resources

### **Access and use limitations**

*This data should not be construed as legal advice or legal opinion on any specific facts or circumstances. The contents are intended for general information purposes only, and you are urged to consult your own lawyer concerning your own situation and any specific questions you may have.*

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### **Fields**

See the documentation at

[http://fortress.wa.gov/dnr/app1/dataweb/metadata/WA\\_Hydro\\_Data\\_Dic.htm](http://fortress.wa.gov/dnr/app1/dataweb/metadata/WA_Hydro_Data_Dic.htm)

WC\_HYDR\_FT

Categorization of the type of water course.

DC: Ditches, canals, flumes

ES: Bays, estuaries, and oceans

GL: Glaciers or permanent snowfields

IM: Impoundments or areas subject to inundation

IS: Islands

IW: Impounded wet areas

LA: Lakes or ponds

*PP: Pipelines and water conveyance structures*

*SC: Side channels to rivers or streams*

*ST: Streams and rivers*

*UN: Unknown or unclassified*

*WT: Wet area. To avoid any legal or jurisdictional implication of the use of the term "wetland", the term "wet area" is used in Hydro to describe lands including swamps, marshes, bogs, and similar areas such as wet meadows, river overflows, mudflats, and natural ponds. Used herein, a "wet area" is an area characterized by periodic inundation or saturation, hydric soils, and vegetation adapted for life in saturated soil conditions. Any number of tidal and nontidal areas characterized by saturated or nearly saturated soils most of the year that form an interface between terrestrial and aquatic environments; including freshwater marshes around ponds and channels, and brackish and salt marshes. Definition source: US Bureau of Reclamation.*

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#### **Last update**

*The majority of the lines date from 2006.*

#### **Update frequency**

*As needed. Please submit corrections or additions to the Data steward.*