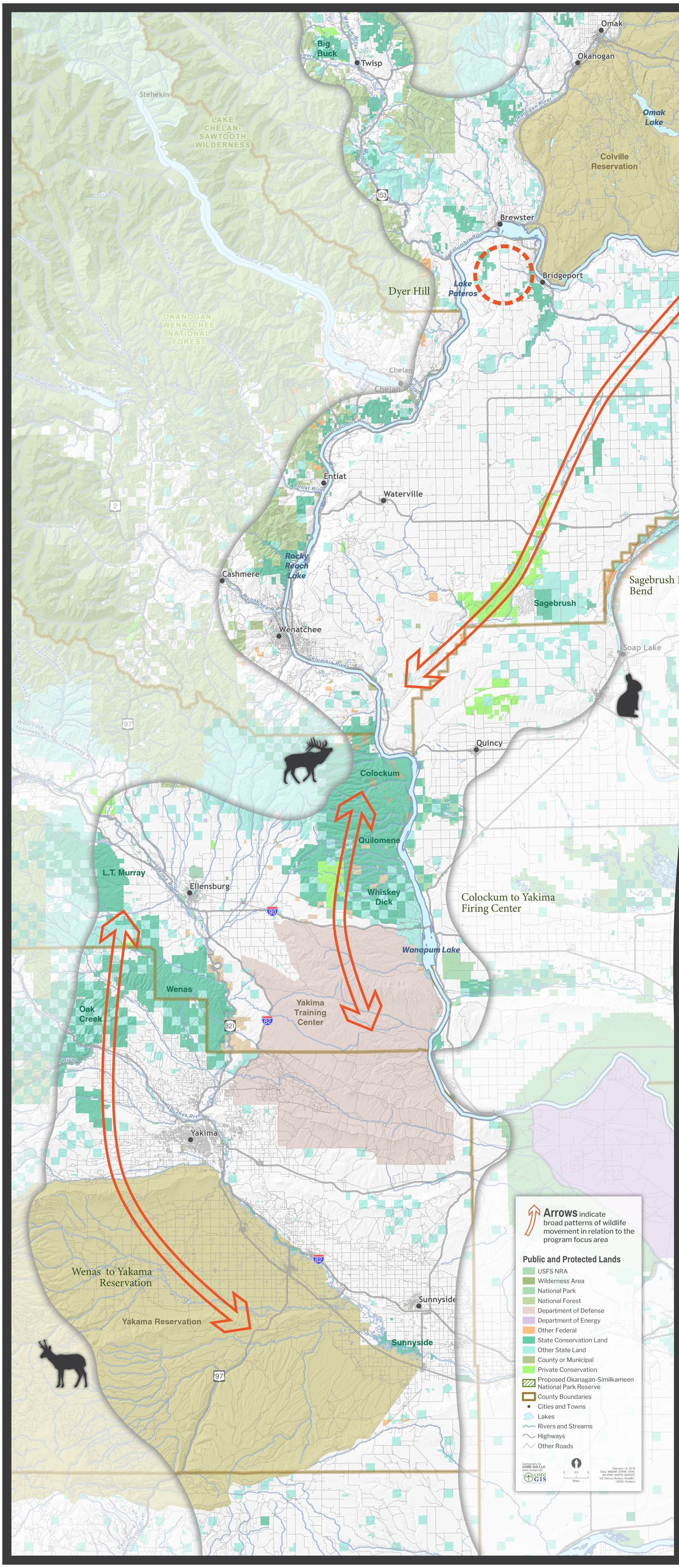
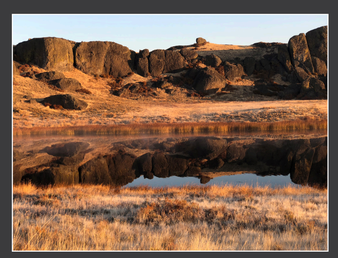
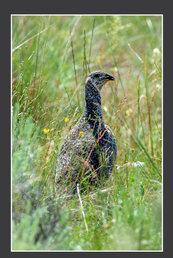


Sagelands Heritage Program

Restoring and connecting Inland Northwest shrub-steppe for wildlife and people

Sagebrush Flats to Big Bend





This area has a high number of focal species including mule deer, pronghorn antelope, pygmy rabbits, sage and sharp-tailed grouse and horny toads, and is critical to the integrity of regional habitat linkages. A mix of native habitat, agricultural lands and wetlands with a need for protection, restoration and connections.

Colockum to Yakima Firing Center

State wildlife areas and the Yakima Training Center serve as critical winter and calving habitat for elk and mule deer while providing excellent connecting habitat for sage grouse. This linkage is bisected by I-90, a formidable barrier to many wildlife species.

Wenas to Yakama Reservation

The Yakama Nation and key state wildlife areas form a vast expanse of shrub-steppe habitat that is under pressure from increasing wildfires, feral horses and development.

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