

### Fish Passage Plan (FPP) Change Request Form

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**Change Form # & Title:** 16IHR006 – Condition Sampling  
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**FPP Section:** IHR section 2.3.3.5. Sampling Facilities.

**Justification for Change:** This has been part of a separate and developing process. I am essentially splitting out IHR from the condition sampling FPOM subgroup in an attempt to gain some ground where it is most important right now.

**Proposed Change:**

**2.3.3.5. Sampling Facilities.**

ii. Operate wet separator and fish distribution system as designed. Sample fish no less than twice per week with no more than three days between sample days during the main juvenile bypass season to monitor juvenile fish descaling and other fish condition parameters. The sample goal should be 100 fish of each of the predominate species of salmonids on each sample day, with no more than four hours of sampling. ; however, aAll fish collected during the sample would be examined and recorded. The sample rate should never exceed 10% during periods of low passage. Increased frequency may be necessary during periods when injuries are being noted or suspected (e.g., high debris periods). Sampling is not recommended when water temperatures exceed 70<sup>0</sup> F unless authorized by an ESA permit. Provide information in weekly report Fish condition reporting should follow the standardized SMP protocol and should be posted sent to FPC within twelve hours after sampling on the FPC website.

**Comments:**

1/28/2016 FPP Meeting: revised per FPOM discussion.

**Record of Final Action:** APPROVED as revised at FPP meeting 1/28/2016.