

WATER QUALITY TEAM

September 10, 2002

Facilitator Summary Notes

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The following are summary notes of the discussion from the June Water Quality Team meeting. They are meant to serve only as a reminder of issues discussed and actions to be taken prior to the next meeting. They are NOT meant to serve as a formal record of the conversation. Questions concerning these notes may be raised at the next meeting.

TECHNICAL DISCUSSIONS:

1. Review of 2003 *Draft* Water Management Plan, Appendix 4, the Draft Total Dissolved Gas Management Plan. US Army Corps of Engineers - Dick Cassidy.
Any additional comments should be received within a week as plan needs to be published by the end of September. This is an early publication date. Offer your review comments on the Corps 2003 Draft Total Dissolved Gas Management Plan, Appendix 4 of the Draft Water Management Plan. The template used is from the prior year TMT management plan. The plan will be amended as forecasts become more certain, with real time plan amendments expected in February. Mr. Cassidy will provide monthly updates at WQT meetings.
2. Alternate Forebay TDG Monitoring Location (RPA Action Item 132) - Result of 2002 John Day Scroll Case Test. US Army Corps of Engineers - Joe Carroll. Preliminary discussion of study design and sites for 2002 test took place. WQT expects to make recommendation (October WQT Meeting) on appropriate actions for 2003 forebay FMS locations.
3. 2002 Corbett and Washougal/Camas TDG Monitoring Comparison. US Army Corps of Engineers – John Lehman. The purpose of this discussion of 2002 monitoring was to prepare WQT to make recommendation (October WQT Meeting) on appropriate actions for 2003 TDG monitoring station locations below Bonneville Dam. Final results were not yet available.
4. Report on Snake River Water Temperature Monitoring and Modeling (RPA Action Item 143). National Marine Fisheries Service – Rick Emmert gave a progress report from 143 Subgroup to the WQT. Seasonal impacts on modeling in the Snake were discussed.
5. Mainstem Province - Water Quality Program Solicitation. National Marine Fisheries Service - Mark Schneider made a status report. Projects are available on the CBFWA web site.

NEXT MEETING : October 8, 2002

NMFS 1:30 - 4:30 PM

Agenda Items:

1. WQT Recommendation on Alternate Forebay TDG Monitoring Locations for 2003

2. WQT Recommendation on TDG Monitoring Station Location Below Bonneville Dam for 2003
3. Wrap up discussion on post season monitoring
4. WMP