



Grant County
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Priest Rapids Coordinating Committee

(Please note changes in date, location, time of meeting)

Tuesday, December 12, 2017

1:00 am

Grant PUD Wenatchee Office

PRCC Representatives

Scott Carlon, Justin Yeager (Alt), NMFS
Keely Murdoch, Bob Rose (Alt), YN
Chad Jackson, P. Verhey (Alt) WDFW
Curt Dotson, Tom Dresser (Alt), GCPUD
Denny Rohr, D. Rohr & Assoc, Facilitator

Jim Craig, USFWS
Kirk Truscott, Casey Baldwin (alt), CCT
Tom Skiles, CTUIR
Erin McIntyre, Admin Ass't, GCPUD

Meeting Agenda

- I. Agenda Review (D. Rohr)
- II. Meeting Minutes (D. Rohr) – November 22, 2017
- III. Action Items Review from November 22, 2017 meeting (See List Below) (D. Rohr)
- IV. 2017 Steelhead Survival Study
 - A. Dec 13 Close of Comments for Skalski and Blue Leaf Environmental Reports (D. Rohr)
 - B. **DECISION ITEM** - SOA 2017-07, Acceptance of the 2015, 2016, and 2017 Steelhead Survival Estimates as meeting the (3 yr. ave.) Project Performance Standard (C. Dotson)
- V. Grant PUD Coho Mitigation
 - A. Update (T. Dresser, K. Murdoch)
 - B. **DECISION ITEM** – SOA 2017-06, Goals and Standards for the Yakama Nation Coho Program and Ongoing PRCC HSC Engagement in the Program (D. Rohr)
- VI. Update Discussion of Estimating the Survival of Juvenile Spring Chinook in Lake Wenatchee (S. Carlon, D. Rohr)
- VII. **DECISION ITEM** – SOA 2017-08, Move the Due Date of the Multiyear Synthesis Report of PRCC-Funded Avian Predation Study Results from April 1, 2018 to December 1, 2018 (C. Dotson)

VIII. Potpourri – (D. Rohr)

IX. GENERAL UPDATES

- A. Avian Predation Activities (C. Dotson)
- B. Tern Depredation Permit Activities (T. Dresser)
- C. Spill Report (C. Dotson)
- D. Hatchery Activities (T. Dresser)
 - 1. Carlton Acclimation Facility
 - 2. Nason Creek Acclimation Facility
 - 3. Priest Rapids Hatchery Modifications
 - 4. Penticton Hatchery
- E. Hatchery Permits: Sec 10 Consultation/Summer Chinook, Sec 7 Consultation/Bull Trout. (T. Dresser)
- F. Review of Outstanding NNI Funded Projects
 - 1. Continued Support for Upper Columbia Fish Screen Monitoring Program (C. Jackson)
 - 2. Lower Wenatchee Instream Flow Enhancement Project Phase II (C. Jackson)
 - 3. Methow Valley Irrigation District (MVID) Instream Flow Improvement Project (T. Dresser)
 - 4. Predator Fish Recruitment Reduction (B. Rose, K. Murdoch)
 - 5. Northern Pike Removal in Lake Roosevelt (K. Truscott)
 - 6. Satellite Telemetry of Caspian Terns (C. Dotson)
- X. Committee Reports (D. Rohr)
- XI. Qtrly NNI and Habitat Funds Report – 3rd Quarter (D. Rohr)
- XII. Next Meeting – Wednesday, January 25, 2018, Wanapum Dam HOB, Room 107 (D. Rohr)

Action Items for November 22, 2017 Meeting:

- 1. Carlton will follow up with Jeff Jorgenson, NMFS, regarding Lake Wenatchee activities.
- 2. Dotson will follow up with P. Graf regarding 2016 and 2017 Lake Wenatchee PIT Tag data.