



Conference Call Action Items

Aquatic Settlement Work Group

To: Aquatic SWG Parties

Date: November 10, 2021

From: John Ferguson, Chair, Anchor QEA, LLC

Re: Final Action Items of the November 10, 2021, Aquatic SWG Conference Call

Below is a summary of Action Items from the Aquatic Settlement Work Group (SWG) meeting that was held by conference call on Wednesday, November 10, 2021, from 10:00 a.m. to 11:10 a.m. Attendees are listed in Attachment A. These action items include the following:

I. Summary of Action Items

1. Aquatic SWG members will provide to Douglas PUD any new documents members wish to include in the juvenile and adult Pacific Lamprey literature reviews prior to next month's Aquatic SWG conference call, Douglas PUD will add these documents to the respective document libraries and will provide an update during the Aquatic SWG conference call on December 8, 2021 (Item VI-1).
2. Washington State Department of Ecology (Ecology) will inquire internally about the schedule for implementation of the Total Maximum Daily Load (TMDL) for temperature in the Columbia and Lower Snake rivers (initially published by the Environmental Protection Agency [EPA] on May 20, 2020, and issued as the final TMDL on August 13, 2021) and will provide an update to the Aquatic SWG when one is available (Item VI-1).
3. Aquatic SWG members will review Sections 4.3.1, 4.3.2., 4.3.3 of the *White Sturgeon Management Plan*, regarding Wells Fish Hatchery White Sturgeon stocking considerations for collection of brood year (BY) 2022 larvae for rearing and planting in 2023, and the Yakama Nation (YN) will continue internal discussions with technical experts and Chelan PUD, in preparation for further discussion on this topic during the Aquatic SWG conference call on December 8, 2021 (Item VI-4).
4. The YN will share available information on the structure used at Tumwater Dam to release adult Pacific Lamprey directly into the fish ladder, for consideration in the Douglas PUD 2022 Adult Pacific Lamprey Study Plan (Item VI-7).
5. The Aquatic SWG meeting on December 8, 2021, will be held by conference call (Item VII-1).

II. Summary of Decisions

1. There were no decisions approved during today's conference call.

III. Agreements

1. There were no agreements discussed during today's conference call.

IV. Review Items

1. There are no items that are currently available for review.

V. Documents Finalized

1. There are no documents that have been recently finalized.

Attachment A – List of Attendees

Name	Role	Organization
John Ferguson	Aquatic SWG Chairman	Anchor QEA, LLC
Kristi Geris	Administration/Technical Support	Anchor QEA, LLC
Andrew Gingerich	Aquatic SWG Technical Representative	Douglas PUD
Chas Kyger	Aquatic SWG Technical Alternate	Douglas PUD
John Rohrback	Aquatic SWG Technical Support	Douglas PUD
RD Nelle	Aquatic SWG Technical Support	U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service
Patrick Verhey	Aquatic SWG Technical Representative	Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife
Laura Heironimus	Aquatic SWG Technical Alternate	Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife
Ralph Lampman	Aquatic SWG Technical Representative	Yakama Nation
Ray Beamesderfert†	Aquatic SWG Technical Support	Fish Science Solutions
Jason McLellan	Aquatic SWG Technical Representative	Colville Confederated Tribes

Notes:

† Joined for the White Sturgeon agenda items