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Subject: Final Meeting Notes Summary: Aquatic Studies Update, August 21, 2008
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Aquatic RWG members, please find attached a final meeting notes summary from the August 21, 2008 meeting to present and discuss the progress of aquatic studies being implemented in support of the Wells Project Relicensing. Please let me know if you have any questions.

Regards, Bao

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Meeting Notes

Aquatic Resources Work Group

Wells Hydroelectric Project Relicensing

Douglas County PUD

August 21, 2008

Meeting Coordinator: Bao Le (503) 309-9423

Meeting Objectives: 1. Provide stakeholders with a progress report on the Aquatic Resource studies being implemented in support of the Wells Project Relicensing.

Action Items:

1. Add new WDFW member, Jeff Korth to the distribution lists for the Wells Aquatic Resource Work Group (RWG) and the Wells Aquatic Settlement Work Group (Mary).
2. Email to Jeff Korth the Off-License Settlement Agreement and the six Aquatic Resource Management Plans (Bao).

Aquatic Resource Studies Update Presentations

Prior to the meeting, members of the Aquatic RWG were provided with an Aquatic Resource Studies Update presentation. At the meeting, Douglas PUD and Long View staff presented progress updates of the six Aquatic Resource studies being implemented in support of the Wells Project Relicensing. These six studies are:

1. Juvenile Lamprey Predation Study
2. Adult Lamprey Passage Study
3. Okanogan Toxins Study
4. TDG Study
5. Water Temperature Study
6. DO, pH, Turbidity Study (not FERC required)
7. Lamprey Spawning Assessment (not FERC required)

Aquatic RWG members engaged in discussions after each presentation. All members present and on the phone were appreciative of the opportunity to learn more about study progress and generally satisfied with study implementation. There were no substantive comments related to any of the studies.

The next meeting of the Aquatic RWG will take place during the FERC Initial Study Report Meeting on October 30, 2008 at Douglas PUD.