

ALTERNATIVE DESCRIPTIONS

Based on conditions and suggested alternatives as of Thursday, July 8th 2021, all dates are approximate and could slide 1-2 days in either direction based on observed conditions.



0) Default/baseline: Follow standard summer operations as written in the FPP. *Flow Augmentation Ends: ~Aug. 20th*

1) Continue with implementation of the July 1st SOR. Spill reduced to the to RSW only from 0900-2300 h, then return to summer spill volumes defined in the 2020 FCRPS Biological Assessment (2020 BA) from 2300-0900. This analysis assumes the SOR operation will continue through August 15th.

Flow Augmentation Ends: ~Aug. 24th

- Close the RSW but otherwise continue with summer spill volumes defined in the 2020 BA. *Flow Augmentation Ends: ~Aug. 22nd*
- 3) Raise the Lower Granite tailwater temperature criteria from 68° to 70° from July 23rd to August 7th. *Flow Augmentation Ends: ~Aug. 24th*

4) Raise the Lower Granite tailwater temperature criteria from 68° to 69° from July 23rd to August 7th. Additionally, close the RSW from 1000-1900 on Aug. 9th – 12th (doble testing), IF air temperatures are forecasted over 100°F. *Flow Augmentation Ends: ~Aug. 24th*

5) Draft Dworshak up to 10 feet deeper than the typical 1,535 ft elevation target by September 1st to provide additional flow augmentation water. DWR board / SRPA releases of 200 KAF through September will be measured based on the observed elevation on midnight August 31st.



COMPARISON OF FLOW AUGMENTATION END DATES



