FINAL 09 AUGUST FPOM MINUTES

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MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

Subject: FINAL Minutes for the 09 August 2007 FPOM meeting.

1. The meeting was held as a conference call. Call in # 1-210-406-6523, passcode 3162598#. In attendance:

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- 2. The following handouts were emailed:
 - 2.1 Agenda, Fish Passage O&M Coordination Team, emailed by D. Hurson.
 - 2.2 O & M report for Walla Walla projects, emailed by T. Mackey.
 - 2.3 O & M report for The Dalles/John Day projects, emailed by T. Mackey.
 - 2.4 O & M report for Bonneville Dam, emailed by T. Mackey.
- 3. Action Items. Not covered in this meeting.
- 4. Construction/Fishway/Research updates. Not covered in this meeting.
- 5. Updates from Task Groups.
 - 5.1 Lamprey. The Lamprey Task Group met from 1000 -1200 on 19 July. B. Cordie has the minutes.
- 6. McNary and Lower Granite spill patterns.
 - 6.1 Patterns were developed by Ken Hanson. Barge operators may request the modified patterns if they are entering or exiting the nav lock under load. These patterns were presented at TMT and were approved with the understanding that spill would be modified for 20-30 minutes. The problem experienced by the barge operators occurs at low flows. FPOM members expressed a desire to look at the times when the operators requested a modified pattern and try to correlate that to the project operations and flows. FPOM approved the patterns. RCC will send out a teletype following the FPOM call.
- 7. McNary AWS submersible screens.
 - 7.1 One of the 60' STSs in the Oregon shore fishway AWS is jammed. The Project suspects there is a log jamming the screen at depth. D. Hurson will get a timetable for inspection and repair to FPOM as soon as possible. There are a couple of options the Project is exploring.
 - 7.1.1 The preferred option is to get an ROV from ICH. Inspect the screen early next week and figure out how to correct the problem.
 - 7.1.2 The alternate option is to get divers in to inspect the screen. This is a more time consuming and costly option.
 - 7.2 FPOM says get in there and get the screen fixed as soon as possible.
- 8. Bonneville 72°F. Temperatures were climbing but have now dropped back down so this is no longer an issue.

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9. Bonneville B2CC closure.

9.1 Due to 31 August falling on a Friday before a holiday weekend, the Project suggested closing the B2CC either 30 August or 04 September. FPOM members didn't appear to have a strong bias for one day or the other and thus left the final decision up to Bonneville. It was suggested that, since 30 August would require coordination with the judge and Plaintiffs, perhaps 04 September would be easier. FPOM (BPA not in attendance) requested an email be sent and they would provide comments.

10. Other.

- 10.1 Lower Granite needs to clean the AWS trashrack on 10 August. The Project may be able to close the diffuser then shake debris off the rack. They may need to do a full cleaning if the shaking doesn't work. Total time out would be about two hours. **FPOM says OK.**
- 10.2G. Fredricks requested a discussion about the spill patterns on the website and the ability of the Region to access that information. **This will be on the September FPOM agenda.**
- 10.3G. Fredricks commented that the updated spill patterns are not easily found, and that the 75K for Bonneville is nowhere to be found. He would like the updates to be added to the website. There was some discussion as to how those updates could be made to the TMT website and how to notify users that the documents have been updated. http://www.nwd-wc.usace.army.mil/tmt/documents/fpp/2007/
- 10.4G. Fredricks notified FPOM of the wiggly orifice cylinders in Bonneville's DSM2. B. Hausmann said he talked with the mechanics and they were inspecting the cylinders today.
- 10.5B. Cordie reported that the brake for TDA spillbay 2 gate failed on 8 August. The gate is currently closed, the others have been adjusted to maintain 40% spill. Repairs are underway.
- 10.6B. Cordie reported the ROV inspection for TDA occurred on 7 August. All looked good. The ROV inspection for JDA occurred on 8 August. Everything looks good there too.
- 11. The meeting adjourned at 0940. Next meeting will be in the Summit Room at RDP. Call in number is 503-808-5199, passcode is 2580. Meeting time will be 0900 to 1200.
- 12. After the 13 September, a no host lunch will be at the Oyster Bar. We will be celebrating D. Hurson's retirement, B. Klatte's appointment as the Supervisory Fish Biologist for NWP Operations, and Jon Rerecich's 33rd birthday. Thank you to Robert Rose for guiding Portland Ops Fisheries for the past six months.