CENWW-ODT June 13, 2022

**MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD** 22 JFT 03 MFR Release Collected Fish at Lower Granite Dam

**SUBJECT:** Release Collected Fish at Lower Granite Dam

**Narrative:** On the morning of June 13, 2022, Lower Granite Dam total river outflow reached approximately 208 kcfs. Due to the high river flow, the tug captain and Lower Granite Dam staff felt it was unsafe to load the collected fish on the barge for transport. Fish that had been collected for transport were released (Table 1) and collection for the June 13 transport trip continued.

Table 1. Fish released by species and clip.

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Clipped Yearling Chinook	874
Unclipped Yearling Chinook	2,022
Clipped Subyearling Chinook	14,710
Unclipped Subyearling Chinook	16,940
Clipped Steelhead	8,517
Unclipped Steelhead	2,499
Clipped Sockeye	0
Unclipped Sockeye	42
Combined Coho	1,366
Total	46,970

- A. Species Table 1.
- B. Origin NA
- C. Length NA
- D. Marks and tags NA
- E. Marks and Injuries found on carcass NA
- F. Future and Preventative Measures Tug operators and Lower Granite Dam staff will continue to communicate during scheduled barge trips to ensure personnel safety.
- G. Photos: See below.



Figure 1: Lower Granite outfall pipe on June 13, 2022.



Figure 2: Lower Granite Barge Loading Dock on June 13, 2022.

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