

FPP Change Form

Change Request Number: 10TDA007

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Location of Change- TDA 1.2.2.3

Current Language:

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Table TDA-2. The Dalles Dam adult migration timing, 1957-2009.

Species Count Period Earliest Peak Latest Peak

Spring Chinook 4/1 - 6/3 4/13 5/13

Summer Chinook 6/4 - 8/3 6/6 8/1

Fall Chinook 8/4 - 10/31 9/2 9/23

Sockeye 4/1 - 10/31 6/20 7/10

Steelhead 4/1 - 10/31 7/9 9/23

Coho 4/1 - 10/31 9/3 10/25

Lamprey 4/1 - 10/31 7/14 8/1

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Table TDA-2. The Dalles Dam adult count periods and peak migration timing, 1957-2009.

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Reason for Change: The years that were used to estimate migration timing needed to be updated in the text. A footnote should be added to table that indicates that migration timing for lamprey were estimated using a different set of years than the other fish in the table.

Comments from others:

NWP Fisheries- by changing the first sentence, it creates another opportunity to have a date error. "since 1957" would suggest the data continues to be collected and the "through 2009" would not have to be updated each year.

USFWS- I support the following change forms.

NOAA- ok with language changes if these data even need to be in the plan. The plan could just refer to the Corps' adult passage web page or the adult passage annual report.

CRITFC- agree with.

BPA has no concerns with this change

Record of Final Action: not approved for the 2010 FPP.