

MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

SUBJECT: 13BON79 MFR – Chinook and Coho Salmon mortalities at Bonneville’s Adult Fish Facility (AFF).

On 15 September 2013, University of Idaho personnel contacted Project Fisheries to report Chinook and coho salmon mortalities collected from the valve 15 drain trashrack.

U of I personnel recorded the fish information, marked the fish with colored tape, took photographs, and inserted PIT tags as part of an AFF dead fish test.

Information collected is provided below:

- A. Species – Chinook salmon (*Oncorhynchus tshawytscha*).
 - B. Origin – Unknown.
 - C. Length, clip, and tags – No tags detected
85 cm – Clipped 61 cm – Unclipped 34.5 cm – Unclipped
 - D. Marks and Injuries found on carcass – None. The largest fish had significant descaling along the anterior lateral sides but was otherwise undeteriorated. Remaining Chinook were in near-fresh condition.
 - E. Cause and Time of Death – Unknown.
 - F. Future and Preventative Measures – Unknown.
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- A. Species – Coho Salmon (*Oncorhynchus kisutch*).
 - B. Origin – Unknown.
 - C. Length, clip, and tags – No tags detected.
55 cm – Clipped
 - D. Marks and Injuries found on carcass – None, fish near decay point.
 - E. Cause and Time of Death – Unknown.
 - F. Future and Preventative Measures – Unknown.



Sincerely,
Bonneville Fisheries