

MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

SUBJECT: 13BON83 MFR – Chinook Salmon mortalities at Bonneville’s Adult Fish Facility (AFF).

On 22 September 2013, U of I personnel contacted Project Fisheries to report three salmon mortalities from the valve 15 trash rack. The message was received by a Project Biologist on 23 September. The unclipped fish had a significant slash in its posterior ventral region.

Information is collected below:

- A. Species – Chinook salmon (*Oncorhynchus tshawytscha*).
- B. Origin – Unknown.
- C. Length, marks, and tags – No tags
63.5 cm – Clipped 34 cm – Clipped 34.5 cm - Unclipped.
- D. Marks and Injuries found on carcass – Unclipped fish had significant wound between the anal and ventral fins.
- E. Cause and Time of Death – Unknown.
- F. Future and Preventative Measures – Unknown.



Sincerely,
Bonneville Fisheries