

MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

SUBJECT: 23TDA14*The Dalles Dam East Ladder Dewatering Pacific Lamprey Mortalities*

The Dalles East fishway was dewatered below tailwater Dec 14, 2023. Four lamprey were found partially consumed. An otter was observed in the channels during the dewatering. Days following the dewatering another lamprey mortality was found near east fishway entrance which appeared to come from an inaccessible area between bulkheads and weirs.

- A. Species – Pacific Lamprey (*Entosphenus tridentatus*)
- B. Origin – unknown
- C. Length – NA
- D. Marks and tags – none
- E. Marks and Injuries found on carcass – Partially consumed
- F. Cause and Time of Death – unknown
- G. Future and Preventative Measures – none

Sincerely,
TDA Project Fisheries



