

Fish Passage Plan (FPP) Change Form

Change Form # & Title: 25IHR007 – Remove Section 2.5.1. Monitoring
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Final Action:

FPP SECTION: Chapter 6 (IHR), section 2.5.

JUSTIFICATION FOR CHANGE:

Section 2.5.1.1. is redundant to sections 2.3 and 2.4, only stating to follow them.

2.5.1.2. would be better placed within section 2.4. The reporting criteria should be included in section 2.5.2 Reporting, as a subsection of weekly reports

PROPOSED CHANGE: *Edits to existing FPP text in “track changes”.*

2.5. Fish Facility ~~Monitoring &~~ Reporting.

~~2.5.1. Monitoring.~~

~~2.5.1.1. Project biologists shall inspect fish passage facilities at the frequencies described above in the juvenile and adult fish facilities operating criteria, sections 2.3 and 2.4.~~

~~2.5.1.2. Project biologists inspect project facilities once per month and during dewaterings for the presence of zebra and Quagga mussels. Biologists shall provide a monthly report to CENWW-OD-T summarizing mussel inspections.~~

2.5.2. Reporting.

2.5.2.1. Weekly Reports. Project Biologists shall prepare weekly reports March 1– December 31 summarizing project and fish facility operations for each week (Friday through Thursday), along with an evaluation of resulting fish passage conditions. The reports will be e-mailed CENWW-OD-T by noon the following Monday. The weekly reports will include:

- i. Out-of-criteria situations and subsequent corrective actions taken.
- ii. Equipment malfunctions, breakdowns, or damage, with a summary of repairs.
- iii. Adult fishway control calibrations.
- iv. STS and VBS inspections.
- v. Unusual activities that at the project that may have affected fish passage.
- vi. Project biologists inspect project facilities once per month and during dewaterings for the presence of zebra and Quagga mussels. Biologists shall provide a monthly report to CENWW-OD-T summarizing mussel inspections.

COMMENTS:

RECORD OF FINAL ACTION: