

Section 1: Page 1, 2nd paragraph – “The AAs are the final authorities on the content of the WMP, although review, comment, and recommendations are solicited from **coordinates with** the sovereign inter-agency Technical Management Team (TMT) **and solicits their review, comment and recommendations** for consideration during preparation of the WMP.

Section 2.2: Page 3 – NMFS 2008 Upper Snake BiOp
The web link was not active in the PDF document.

Page 4: Top of page – improve the two web links, respectively, with
<http://www.bpa.gov/news/pubs/Pages/2010-Records-of-Decision.aspx>
<http://www.salmonrecovery.gov/BiologicalOpinions/FCRPSBiOp.aspx>

Section 6.2.1: page 24, bottom paragraph – “In 2014 the official flood stage for the Flathead River at Columbia Falls, Montana was modified to **a variable FRM operation beginning at** 13 feet (approximate flow 44,000 cubic feet per second (cfs) when Flathead Lake elevation is in the top 1 foot (2892-2893 feet).”

Section 6.10.1: Page 41 – “In accordance with **the RPA**, until sediment accumulation is addressed to provide required channel depths for safe navigation, the Corps will continue use of the variable MOP operation used during the 2013 and 2014 seasons to maintain a safe navigation channel, and will coordinate this operation with the TMT.”

The specific RPA should be referenced for clarity.

Section 7.3.2: Page 50 – “Steps 1-7 below describe the typical transition from controlled operation to an uncontrolled operation when conditions are such that the daytime TWE range cannot be maintained. The steps are reversed if it is possible to return to a controlled operation and high elevation redds have not been established. There may be ~~increment~~ changes **made** added to these steps based on TMT discussion.”

Section 1.1: Page 54 – “The Corps has completed a comprehensive **2014** Water Quality Plan (WQP)...”

Adding “2014” may help to orient readers that the latest WQP available is being referenced. It would also help to use the following direct web link in place of the current link given.

http://www.nwd-wc.usace.army.mil/tmt/wq/studies/wq_plan/wq2014.pdf