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Coordinating and promoting effective protection and restoration of fish, wildlife, and their habitat in the Columbia River Basin.

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Confederated Salish and Kootenai Tribes of the Flathead Reservation

Confederated Tribes of the Umatilla Indian Reservation

Confederated Tribes of the Warm Springs Reservation

Confederated Tribes and Bands of the Yakama Nation

Idaho Department of Fish and Game

Kootenai Tribe of Idaho

Montana Fish, Wildlife & Parks

National Marine Fisheries Service

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Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife

Shoshone-Bannock Tribes of Fort Hall

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Coordinating Agencies

Columbia River Inter-Tribal Fish Commission

Compact of the Upper Snake River Tribes

Upper Columbia United Tribes

DATE: December 21, 2010
TO: Anadromous Fish Advisory Committee (AFAC)
FROM: Dave Ward, CBFWA Staff
SUBJECT: January 5, 2011 AFAC Teleconference Draft Agenda

**Anadromous Fish Advisory Committee Meeting
Wednesday, January 5, 2011
9:00 AM to Noon (PST)**

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**CBFWA – Portland, Oregon
Teleconference (503) 229- 0449 Id: 877373**

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Draft Agenda

- ITEM 1: Introductions**
ITEM 2: Approve Agenda
ITEM 3: Northwest Power and Conservation Council’s Draft Multi-year Action Plans

Patty O’Toole and Laura Robinson of the Council staff will be on hand to brief the AFAC on the draft action plans, and what they are looking for in terms of feedback. From the Council’s website:

In the 2009 amendments to the Columbia River Basin Fish and Wildlife Program, the Council committed “to shape the measures recommended for all areas of the Program into *multiyear action plans*.” The elements of these action plans are to include:

- Ongoing and new proposed actions
- Expected benefits
- Sequence of work on an annual basis/prioritization of work
- Monitoring and evaluation as appropriate
- Estimated budget

Staff for the Council’s Fish and Wildlife Division has been working for some

time to shape these multiyear action plans out of the measures in the Program. The ActionPlans site is the resulting work to date: preliminary drafts of multiyear action plans for each subbasin with a subbasin plan in the Program.

What do we need? *Technical-level feedback.*

The draft plans can be found at:

<http://www.nwcouncil.org/fw/lf/>

ITEM 4: Coordinated Assessments Update

Tom Iverson will lead an update on the Coordinated Assessments Work Plan. The work plan has been developed to help identify and address gaps in data sharing capabilities to support the Anadromous Salmonid Monitoring Strategy. Progress so far has included deciding which VSP parameters to start sharing data for, holding a workshop to get diverse input into this process, and development of a draft data exchange template.

A link to the products associated with this process is:

<http://www.pnamp.org/CoordAssessments>

ITEM 5: Lamprey Technical Work Group Update and Products

The Columbia River Basin Lamprey Technical Workgroup (LTWG) has completed a drafts review of translocation. The draft is on the AFAC webpage for this meeting:

http://www.cbfwa.org/committee_afac.cfm

The review can be a good resource for managers in the Basin, and may also be publishable. Before any of this can happen, it needs AFAC review and approval, and eventual MAG review and approval.

The LTWG is also moving forward with work on developing passage metrics and standards. Work on this assignment to date is available on the LTWG website for October 19, and should be reviewed by the AFAC:

http://www.cbfwa.org/committee_ltw.cfm

The LTWG is also beginning work to update its “Critical Uncertainties” document, and is starting work on a Lamprey Monitoring Strategy analogous to the Anadromous Salmonid Monitoring Strategy.

ITEM 6: Next AFAC Teleconference