

TACOMA POWER

COWLITZ FISHERIES ANNUAL PROJECT REVIEW MEETING

Wednesday, June 3, 2015 | 6 – 8 p.m.
Centralia College, Walton Science Center (room 121)

Welcome - Emcee Lyn Wiltse, PDSA Consulting

- Housekeeping
- Meeting purpose/goals/expectations
- Public comment and questions welcome throughout the meeting

Annual Project Review (APR) process - Mark LaRiviere, Tacoma Power

- Overview
- When and how the public can provide input
- Where we're at in the process
- What's next

2014 Cowlitz Complex hatchery production plan – John Serl, Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife

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2015 Cowlitz Complex draft hatchery production plan - Mark LaRiviere

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- Final opportunity for public input

News you can use

- Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife updates (John)
 - Three-fish limit
 - Two-pole endorsement
 - New rules going into effect July 1
- Spring Chinook return (Mark)
- Cowlitz Falls Fish Facility update (Mark)
- Drought year: Impact on water flows (Mark)
- Cowlitz River fish collector (Mark)
- Summer run steelhead recycling – June 15 - Aug. 15 (John)
 - Get involved: Anchor tag study

Wrap-up - Lyn Wiltse

- Next steps
 - Sign up for In-season Implementation Model (ISIT) workshop
 - Your input needed for 2016 Fisheries and Hatchery Management Plan (FHMP) update
 - Upper Cowlitz River Basin Meeting - Sept. 17 in Morton
- Meeting survey
- Stay in touch: Send your contact information to cowlitz@cityoftacoma.org or visit www.tacomapower.com for updates.