



# TRINITY RIVER RESTORATION PROGRAM

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## MEMORANDUM

**TO:** ROBIN SCHROCK  
**FROM:** ANDREAS KRAUSE  
**CC:** DJ BANDROWSKI, ERNIE CLARKE  
**SUBJECT:** HISTORY OF INTERACTIONS WITH THE TRINITY RIVER GUIDE ASSOCIATION  
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The table below provides a summary of the interactions to date between the Trinity River Restoration Program (TRRP) and the Trinity River Guide Association (TRGA). The summary was developed using the best available information i.e. archived calendars and correspondence from Andreas Krause and DJ Bandrowski. Files from Jennifer Faler were not available while developing this memo. Consequently, this summary may have some important omissions. Members of the TRGA have attended more meetings of the Trinity Adaptive Management Working Group (TAMWG) and the Trinity Management Council (TMC) than are mentioned below. Time constraints precluded researching meeting minutes from the TAMWG and TMC. DJ Bandrowski, Charlie Chamberlain (USFWS) and Aaron Martin (Yurok) provided a cursory review of this summary.

Date	Location	Topic	Participants
10/12/10	Public Meeting - Douglas City School	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Review and public comment on Douglas City, Lower Steiner, Lorenz Gulch, Wheel Gulch, and Limekiln site designs.</li> </ul>	Liam Grogan (TRGA)
10/20/10	TRGA mtg - Indian Creek Lodge	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>First TRGA meeting attended by TRRP.</li> <li>ROD / TRRP Program overview</li> <li>Flow regimes and intent.</li> <li>Gravel augmentation, gravel transport, and pools. Showed preliminary data of pool changes at Cemetery Hole.</li> <li>Habitat and Large Wood</li> <li>Phase 2 design concepts</li> <li>Fish response: Spawner survey trends.</li> <li>Yurok presentation regarding their tribal harvest regulation.</li> </ul>	TRGA Andreas Krause (TRRP) Jennifer Faler (TRRP) Charlie Chamberlain (USFWS) Ernest Clarke (USFWS) Aaron Martin (YTFP) Troy Fletcher (Yurok) Dave Hillemeier (Yurok) Robert Franklin (Hoopa)
11/17/10	TRGA mtg - Indian Creek Lodge	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>2011 site designs</li> </ul>	TRGA Jennifer Faler (TRRP) DJ Bandrowski (TRRP)
11/24/10	TRRP office	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Mapping of where guides identified high quality habitat. Due to time constraints, we were only able to map a small portion of the river near Lewiston and down by poker bar.</li> </ul>	Paul Catenese (TRGA) ??? (TRGA) ??? (TRGA) Andreas Krause (TRRP) Aaron Martin (Yurok) Dave Gaeuman (TRRP)

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12/6/10	TRRP office	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Steve Townzen stopped the TRRP office by to complain about turbidity at the Lowden Ranch project and the project design / construction in general. Andreas Krause and Kent Steffens investigated turbidity complaint and reported findings back to Mr. Townzen.</li> </ul>	Steve Townzen (TRGA) Andreas Krause (TRRP)
12/14/10	TAMWG meeting - Redding	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Guides attended and Travis Michele presented TRGA concerns at beginning of meeting.</li> </ul>	Travis Michele (TRGA) Steve Townzen (TRGA) ??? (TRGA)
1/19/11	TRGA mtg - Indian Creek Lodge	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Habitat assessment intended update (don't think I got through it, I think there was a lot of discussion so we tabled the rest for later)</li> </ul>	TRGA Jennifer Faler (TRRP) Robert Franklin (HVT) Andreas Krause (TRRP) Charlie Chamberlain (USFWS) Ernest Clarke (USFWS) Aaron Martin ??? Wade Sinnen (DFG)
1/27/11	TRRP office	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Presented design plans for projects in the Douglas City to Junction City area to Steve Townzen. For a short while, the TRGA identified Steve Townzen as the point of contact for design related items.</li> </ul>	Steve Townzen (TRGA) DJ Bandrowski (TRRP) Andreas Krause (TRRP)
2/10/11	Flow Scheduling Mtg.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>TRGA representatives attended as members of the public and provided input to the TRRP flow workgroup regarding 2011 flow release planning.</li> </ul>	Liam Grogan (TRGA) ??? (TRGA)
2/15/11	Public Open House - Junction City	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Public comment on design for Wheel Gulch site</li> </ul>	Ed Duggan (TRGA) Steve Townzen (TRGA)
2/16/11	TRGA mtg.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>TRRP was scheduled on agenda but meeting was cancelled last minute by guides.</li> </ul>	N/A
3/17/11	Flow Scheduling Mtg.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>TRGA representatives attended as members of the public and provided input to the TRRP flow workgroup regarding 2011 flow release planning.</li> </ul>	Liam Grogan (TRGA) ??? (TRGA)
4/8/2011	Float Trip	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Upper Junction City Design planning</li> </ul>	Steve Townzen (TRGA) Travis Michele (TRGA) DJ Bandrowski (TRRP) Dave Gaeuman (TRRP) Charlie Chamberlain (USFWS)
4/13/11	TMC Meeting - Weitchpec	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Travis Michele (TRGA) attended TMC meeting for: 1) 2011 flow schedule, and 2) TMC discussion of response to TRGA letter to TAMWG. I believe Mr. Michele provided public comment during the meeting.</li> </ul>	Travis Michele (TRGA)

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4/15/2011	Float Trip	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Pre-high flow float trip, Lewiston to Steelbridge. Purpose: 1) was to facilitate communication and education in both directions; 2) observe river prior to 11,000 cfs release; and 3) get input from guides on constructed rehab sites.</li> </ul>	Aaron Martin (YTFP) Andreas Krause (TRRP) Dave Gaeuman (TRRP) Steve Townzen (TRGA) Travis Michele (TRGA)
6/16/2011	TRGA mtg - Indian Creek Lodge	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>TRRP was scheduled on agenda but meeting was cancelled last minute by guides.</li> </ul>	N/A
7/20/2011	TRGA mtg - Indian Creek Lodge	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>TRRP was scheduled on agenda but meeting was cancelled last minute by guides.</li> </ul>	N/A
8/17/2011	TRGA mtg - Indian Creek Lodge	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Adult holding – citizen science initiative</li> <li>USFS liaison Upper Junction City and Wheel Gulch site designs</li> </ul>	TRGA DJ Bandrowski (TRRP) Wade Sinnen (CADFG) Ernie Clarke (USFWS) Robin Schrock (TRRP)
8/22/2011	Float Trip	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Post high flow float trip, Lewiston to Steel Bridge. Purpose: 1) was to facilitate communication and education in both directions; 2) see change from 11,000 cfs release.</li> </ul>	Andreas Krause (TRRP) DJ Bandrowski (TRRP) Dave Gaeuman (TRRP) Aaron Martin (Yurok) Charlie Chamberlain (USFWS) Arnold Whitridge (TAMWG) Steve Townzen (TRGA) Travis Michele (TRGA) Scott Stratton (TRGA) Others???
9/21/11	TRGA mtg.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Scheduled to present design information. Guides cancelled meeting.</li> </ul>	N/A
10/4/2011	Float Trip	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Float Indian Ck – Evans Bar. Purpose: 1) facilitate communication and education in both directions, and 2) get guide input on Indian Creek and Reading creek project sites (constructed) and the Phase 2 designs.</li> </ul>	Andreas Krause (TRRP) DJ Bandrowski (TRRP) Dave Gaeuman (TRRP) Aaron Martin (Yurok) Charlie Chamberlain (USFWS) Arnold Whitridge (TAMWG) Travis Michele (TRGA) Liam Gogan (TRGA) Shannon Engh (TRGA)

