

2015 CTUIR LSRCP O&M Final Performance Report 10/14-9/15
Production Coordination Activities
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The CTUIR LSRCP O&M Statement of Work is a set of tasks specifically related to production coordination activities under the LSRCP program that are associated with management of fisheries within CTUIR ceded and usual and accustomed areas. The project partially funds a production coordinator position along with the corresponding administrative support and travel required to participate in the various coordination and planning forums directly related to LSRCP hatchery programs of which CTUIR is a co-manager. Following is a bulleted summary of significant activities performed by the production coordinator position during the period that extended from October 1, 2014 through September 30, 2015. There was one major problem which affected the ability to meet the agreement objectives and that being the lack of an LSRCP coordinator and other LSRCP staff during a significant portion of the reporting period.

- Participated in LSRCP Annual Operations Plan meetings for Lookingglass Hatchery (Northeast Oregon) and Lyons Ferry Hatchery Complex (Southeast Washington).
- Participated in the development of planning and management documents relative to LSRCP hatchery programs.
- Coordinated LSRCP hatchery activities related to CTUIR co-managed programs as necessary with co-managers.
- Coordinated CTUIR BPA projects with associated LSRCP programs.
- Provided review and comment on proposed LSRCP facility improvements and/or changes including Imnaha weir and adult handling facility and Lyons Ferry circular project. Also provided input on bull trout passage issues and the associated proposed monitoring program related to new Imnaha weir.
- Provided review and comment on proposed M&E projects associated with LSRCP hatchery programs.
- Participated in other forums and activities related to LSRCP hatchery programs including attendance at both Snake River Fall Chinook coordination meetings, the LSRCP Annual Meeting, and Grande Ronde/Imnaha Management and Evaluation oversight committee (GRIMEOC) meetings. Also served on the organizing committee for the Northwest Fish Culture Conference which CTUIR hosted in Pendleton, Oregon.
- Participated in NEOR/SEWA/SRCHF recovery planning processes. Including providing review and comment on draft recovery plans and permits. Also served on the Snake River fall Chinook technical team. Although not sure why since this committee is comprised solely (except me) of research scientist types.

- Participated as a member of the Production Advisory Committee (PAC) within U.S. v. Oregon and provided input on LSRCP production programs.
- Participated in the Accords process as related to LSRCP programs.
- Provided review and comment on Columbia basin-wide documents related to the LSRCP program including the Columbia Basin Hatchery FEIS, the relative sections of the new Northwest Power and Conservation Council draft program language and the ISRP SRCHF review.