



Ouray National Fish Hatchery

MARCH REPORT

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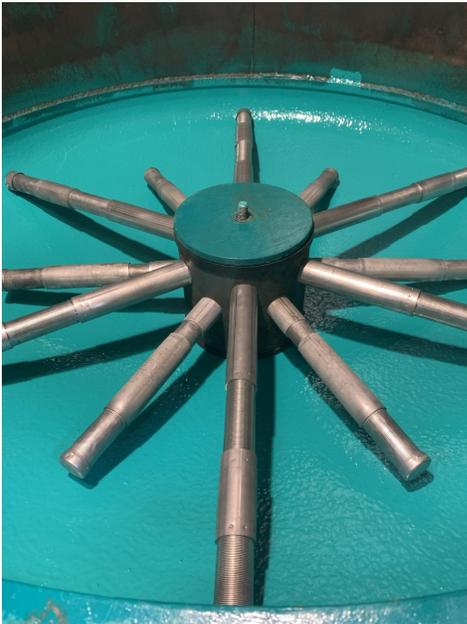
Fish Production:

Inside				
Species	Number	Fish/Kg	Avg.Length (MM)	Weight (Kg)
Bony Tail	4852	3.1	300	665.4
Razorback Sucker	7388	11.5	100	639.8

Outside				
Species	Number	Fish/Kg	Length (MM)	Weight (Kg)
Bony Tail	Aprox 5,000	unknown	unknown	unknown
Razorback Sucker	2400	5.3	200	445.3

March activities:

March saw the completion of the refurbishing of one of our berm filter banks. These need to be torn down cleaned and refurbished every four years. We have two banks so they are on a two-year rotation.



The end of March saw the end of a feed study on the Bonytail chub.

April planned activities:

The Bonytail inside need to be weighed and Pit tagged so they can be stocked to the river in May. The remaining Razorback sucker need to be stocked to the Ponds for grow out.

Bony tail stocking events will include two evening events, when temperatures are cooler, to try to reduce stress and increase post stocking survival.

Upcoming events:

Ouray has six ponds that are scheduled to have liners replaced this spring/summer.

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