

DATE: July 9, 2002

TO: Anadromous Fish Committee (AFC)

FROM: Gary James, chair

for

SUBJECT: Revised Emergency AFC Meeting – Review CTUIR Within-year

**Modification Request** 

An emergency AFC meeting has been scheduled to review a within year budget modification request. Due to the delay in the Quarterly Review Meeting, this project meets the requirements for a within year request. This is an effort to synchronize this request with the others that were reviewed at the June 20, 2002 AFC meeting.

Emergency Anadromous Fish Committee Meeting Wednesday July 10, 2002 10:00 to 10:30 a.m.

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REVISED Draft Agenda

**ITEM 1:** Review and Approve Agenda

Review agenda items for today's meeting.

ITEM 2: Within-Year Budget Modification Request: Project #199601100 -

Walla Walla Ladders and Screens

The CTUIR are requesting an additional \$897,585 for FY 2003 and \$1,1432,522 for FY 2004 for Project Number 199601100, *Walla Walla Juvenile and Adult Passage Improvements*. This project was funded at \$450,000 plus 3.4% for the FY 2002-2004 funding cycle by the NWPPC and BPA. This level of funding would only support O&M and M&E and minimal additional capital projects. Since the purpose of this project is construction of fish passage and screening facilities, the project sponsor is requesting that planned outyear expenditures be reinstated into the project budget (see attached).

## ITEM 3: Within-Year Budget Modification Request: Project #25052 – Sex Reversal in Fall Chinook Salmon

The USGS-BRD is requesting support for funding Project 25052, Sex reversal in Hanford Reach fall chinook salmon. This project was submitted in the Columbia Plateau Province and given a Fundable rating by the ISRP and a High Priority – to be funded in 2003- by CBFWA. In the NWPPC decision document for the Columbia Plateau Province, the NWPPC determined this project represented a continuation of an Innovative project funded in 2001. Therefore they believe this project needs to seek FY 2003 funding through the within year process. This ISRP stated in their final review of this project "This proposal, while not directly linked to Project 22013(innovative project), is related to it. The studies complement each other. The similarity between these two studies is that they will both examine juvenile fall chinook salmon from the Hanford Reach as a consequence of a reported incidence of a male-specific genetic marker in adult females from this population (Nagler et al. 2001). The funded project (22013) will look for incidence of a YY-genotype in wild juveniles over two seasons, while this proposal will examine the levels of biomarkers, phenotype and genotype, and incidence of intersex in iuveniles."

See attached request letter and proposal and reviews at

http://www.cbfwa.org/files/province/plateau/projects/25052.htm.

## **ITEM 4:** Next Meeting

The AFC did not have time to address this agenda item at their last meeting. The current idea is to cancel the July AFC meeting in order to encourage attendance at the Mainstern and Systemwide Province project presentation meetings on July 15-18, 2002.

The next AFC meeting is scheduled for **August 21, 2002** in Portland, Oregon.

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