

# **CBFWA Work Plan Update**

**Members Meeting**

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# CBFWA 2010-11 Policy Directives

1. ... participate in and support ongoing assessments of the status of the species and implementation of strategies and actions to help determine if protection, mitigation, and enhancement efforts are successful in the Columbia River Basin;
2. ... maintain a “Status of the Resources” (SOTR) website and annually prepare a written report summarizing the current information provided on the website;
3. ... monitor and report on activities of key regional forums where policies, programs, and actions that affect fish and wildlife are planned and implemented; and,
4. ... seek other funding sources other than BPA for other related activities.



# Coordinator Reports for Policy Directive #1

Participate in and support ongoing assessments...

1. Anadromous Salmonid Monitoring Strategy
  - a. Coordinated Assessments Work Plan
2. Lamprey Monitoring Strategy
3. White Sturgeon Monitoring Strategy
4. Bull Trout Monitoring Strategy
5. Other Trout Monitoring Strategy
6. Reservoir Fish Monitoring Strategy
7. Wildlife Monitoring Strategy





# Anadromous Fish

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1. Anadromous Salmonid Monitoring Strategy
2. Coordinated Assessments
3. LTWG translocation paper
4. LTWG lamprey passage criteria
5. FSOC Workshop
6. FSOC horizontal screen criteria





# Resident Fish

1. Lower river White Sturgeon strategy
2. Upper river White Sturgeon strategies
3. Bull trout strategy
4. Reservoir Fish strategy





# Wildlife

1. Supported Wildlife Crediting Forum
2. Wildlife High Level Indicators (HLIs)
3. Land management plan guidelines



# SOTR Website

1. Quarterly enhancements
2. ESU/DPS Sections
3. Revised Hatchery Section
4. Work with WA Salmon Recovery Boards to enhance Subbasin sections (YBSRB as pilot)
5. Expand Bull Trout and White Sturgeon sections
6. Add wildlife maps and crediting information produced from Wildlife Crediting Forum
7. Develop external user group
8. Linking to Council's MYAP website and BPA's Taurus website



# Coordinator Reports for Policy Directives #3 and #4

1. RME Categorical Review
2. Wildlife Crediting Forum
3. BOG
4. BPA 2012-2013 Rate Case
5. PNAMP
6. StreamNet
7. WA Monitoring Forum
8. Yakima STAR Report
9. Contract with Member Tribes for proposal development





# Summary

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1. Work has focused on developing monitoring implementation strategies to support coordinated basinwide assessments.
2. Next steps primarily focus on completing these strategies:
  1. ID High Level Indicators
  2. Determine monitoring necessary to support HLIs
  3. Coordinate data management
  4. Define reporting necessary to evaluate success
3. Work schedule extends beyond April 2012

