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DATE: January 14, 2008

TO: Resident Fish Advisory Committee (RFAC)

FROM: Mike Faler (Chair)

SUBJECT: Draft Agenda for the January 24, 2008, RFAC Meeting

Resident Fish Advisory Committee Meeting Thursday, January 24, 2008 10:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. (Pacific)

Upper Columbia United Tribes Office Large Conference Room in the Community Building 25 W. Main Suite 418 Spokane, WA 99201

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Draft Agenda

ITEM 1: Review and Approve Agenda

ITEM 2: Review and Approve Action Notes for the January 9, 2008, RFAC Meeting

ITEM 3: Amendment Process Timeline and Deliverables

Neil Ward will lead the RFAC in a review of the timeline for submitting amendments as well as proposed deadlines for CBFWA deliverables.

ITEM 4: Members Advisory Group (MAG) Subcommittee Update

Neil Ward and Mike Faler will review amendment decisions from the January 10-11, 2008, MAG subcommittee meeting.

ITEM 5: Review and Approve RFAC Proposed Amendments

During the January 9, 2008, RFAC meeting, participants expressed a desire to submit an amendment that captured the resident fish-oriented language contained in the 1994 Fish and Wildlife Program. The RFAC will review a revised version (available during the week of January 14) of the language from the 1994 Fish and Wildlife Program and consider approving the document for submittal as an amendment.

ITEM 6: RFAC ad hoc Committee Review of Mark Bagdovitz (USFWS) Request

During the January 9, 2008, RFAC meeting, the committee developed an ad hoc committee to address the Mark Bagdovitz's document, which pertains to reintroducing anadromous fish to the blocked areas as well removing obsolete infrastructure from Columbia River tributaries. The ad hoc committee will present a review of the document for the RFAC consideration and approval.

ITEM 7: Amendment Template Update

Neil Ward will discuss the status of the templates and describe how the information will be arranged for submittal as amendments. In addition, participants may be requested to provide updates to their templates to accommodate requests from the MAG Subcommittee.