



Grant County  
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## Priest Rapids Coordinating Committee Meeting

### Agenda

Tuesday, December 11, 2018

9:00 am

Wanapum HOB, Room 107

#### **PRCC Representatives**

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Scott Carlon, Justin Yeager (Alt), NMFS  
Keely Murdoch, Bob Rose (Alt), YN  
Chad Jackson, P. Verhey (Alt) WDFW  
Curt Dotson, Peter Graf (Alt), GCPUD  
Denny Rohr, D. Rohr & Assoc, Facilitator

Jim Craig, USFWS  
Kirk Truscott, Casey Baldwin (alt), CCT  
Tom Skiles, CTUIR  
Erin Harris, Admin Ass't, GCPUD

- I. SAFETY BRIEFING
- II. Welcome and Introductions
- III. Agenda Review (D. Rohr)
- IV. Meeting Minutes (D. Rohr)
  - A. (Affirmation) August 29, 2018 Webinar Conference Meeting
  - B. September 26, 2018 Meeting
  - C. October 24, 2018 meeting
- V. Action Items from October 24, 2018 Meeting (D. Rohr)
  - A. Murdoch and Rohr will follow up with G. McMichael
  - B. Rohr will schedule November 5, 2018 Conference Call to address Tasks 3.2, 3.3, 4.1, 4.2 of RTR/OSU 2018 Inland Avian Predation Management Plan.

- VI.** (Affirmation) NNI Funding Request, “Non-Native Predator Recruitment Reduction – Phase I”, Geoff McMichael, Mainstem Fish Research (K. Murdoch, D. Rohr)
  - A. K. Truscott and C. Jackson approval of NNI Funding Request (both absent from voting during October 24th meeting).
  - B. PRCC approval of matching funds request of McNary Mitigation Group (Matching funds request to National Fish and Wildlife Federation was denied) – Email Vote
  
- VII.** (Affirmation) Quincy Valley Tourism Association 2019 Fishing Derby - PRCC Approval of NNI Funding Request - (November 26, 2018 PRCC Conference Call) – D. Rohr
  
- VIII.** **DECISION ITEM** – OSU/RTR Request for Time Extension for OSU’s portion of the Multiyear Synthesis Report of PRCC-funded Avian Predation Study Results. (C. Dotson)
  
- IX.** **DECISION ITEM** – Request for NNI Funding Participation of USACE Synthesis Report (C. Dotson)
  
- X.** Discussion (with possible action) on Avian Predation Monitoring in 2019 regarding PIT-tags. (C. Dotson)
  
- XI.** NNI Fund Calculation Report (C. Dotson)
  
- XII.** Update – Consultation with PRCC Regarding the Priest Rapids Right Bank Embankment Project (C. Dotson)
  
- XIII.** Potpourri (D. Rohr)
  - A. Sea Lions – SB 3119
  - B. Orcas Task Force Recommendations
  - C. Vernita bar redd counts information
  - D. AFEP Conference in Portland, November 27, 28
  
- XIV.** **GENERAL UPDATES**
  - A. Avian Predation Activities (C. Dotson)
  - B. FCRPS BiOp – Corps/BOR Avian Predation Management in Columbia Plateau Region (C. Dotson)
  - C. Estimating the Survival of Juvenile Spring Chinook in Lake Wenatchee (placeholder) (D. Rohr)

- D. NNI Funding Guidance Review and Discussion (T. Skiles)
- E. Review of Outstanding NNI Funded Projects
  - 1. Continued Support for UC Fish Screen Monitoring Program (C. Jackson)
  - 2. Lower Wenatchee Instream Flow Enhancement Project Phase II (C. Jackson, D. Rohr)
  - 3. Predator Fish Recruitment Reduction (K. Murdoch)
  - 4. Northern Pike Removal in Lake Roosevelt (K. Truscott)
  - 5. Evaluation of Caspian Tern Management to Reduce Predation on ESA-listed Salmonids in the Columbia Plateau Region (C. Dotson)
- XV. Committee Reports (D. Rohr)**
- XVI. Qtrly NNI and Habitat Funds Report (D. Rohr)**
- XVII. Next Meeting (D. Rohr) – (To Be Discussed) Wednesday, December 26, 2018, 9:00 am, Wanapum Dam HOB, Room 107**

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