



## Notes

**Water Operations Management Team**  
July 29, 2020

### Members Attending

Kristin White, Liz Kiteck, Molly White, Mike Ford, Matt Nobriga, Garwin Yip, Kristal Davis-Fadtke

### Members Not Attending

Kaylee Allen, Howard Brown, Carl Wilcox

### Topics/Actions

- Approval of the 7/22/2020 WOMT Meeting Notes: approved
- Operational Updates
  - CVP: Trinity at 450 cfs; Sacramento at 11,000 cfs; Folsom at 3,000 cfs; Goodwin at 200 cfs; Jones at 4,300 cfs, all five units, dropping to 4 units targeting 3,500 cfs for the last two days of the month to meet Delta Outflow for July; moving water at Banks, 200 cfs for Cross Valley Contractors and roughly 400 cfs for Yuba Water Transfer, Yuba transfer portion likely to drop for a few days in the beginning of August while waiting for depletions to break; Federal San Luis at 211 TAF. Shasta TCD at one middle gate open and all of the lower gates are open to adjust for an extended hot spell.
  - SWP: Feather River at 2,700 cfs with higher than minimums in the low flow channel for temperature management for the extended string of forecasted hot days at Oroville; Delta yesterday and today are at 0 exports for herbicide treatment in Clifton Court Forebay, scheduled for 1,700 cfs tomorrow and will adjust exports based on increasing accretions due to decreasing Sacramento Valley demands to meet outflow; State share of San Luis at 768 TAF
- Relevant Assessments
  - Revised Operational Outlook: Question addressed.
  - Clear Creek Technical Team: see upcoming actions
  - Sacramento River Temperature Management: last Thursday SRTTG evaluated Scenario 148 and 2 alternatives. Reclamation requested technical assistance.
  - Feather River Operations Group: none

- American River Modified Flow Management Standard: no issues
- Stanislaus River Stepped Release Plan: no issues
- Delta Summer/Fall Habitat Tracking: Next meeting in August.
- Upcoming Actions
  - Reclamation:
    - Technical Team meeting tomorrow on Lower Klamath Flow Augmentation, Arcata Office supporting this effort for NMFS.
    - Clear Creek cold water pool is lower than anticipated. Increased flows may be necessary to address temperatures. Reclamation to setup an ad hoc Clear Creek Technical Team meeting to present details and discuss potential solutions. No anticipated influence on Shasta Cold Water Pool Management.
  - DWR: none
  - FWS: none
  - NMFS: none
  - CDFW: none
  - Discussion Items
  - Keswick Trap and Winter-Run, Update requested for next week (Kaylee)
  - Tracy Fish Collection Facility
    - July 20 Tracy Fish Collection Facility observed a green sturgeon, released before species could be positively identified by a biologist. Note to remind Tracy Fish Collection Facility staff of protocol.
    - Natural steelhead observed on July 28
  - Winter-Run
    - Eggs from winter-run adult females for Battle Creek jumpstart tested positive for Bacterial Kidney Disease, culling of about 5000 eggs is necessary.
    - Juvenile winter-run are showing up at Red Bluff Diversion Dam
  - SRTTG
    - Working through modeling results.
    - Goal is to meet Aug. 5 for actions beginning August 7 [dates clarified post-meeting].
    - Anticipated approach is for 53.5 F from August 7 – August 30 at CCR, but not the decision is not finalized.
  - Review Elevation Items
  - Elevation Issues: none

- Director Meeting Topics: none

### **Next Meeting**

- Wednesday, August 5, 1 pm, Teams “Call” Only