



Water Operations Management Team Notes

May 11, 2022

Members Attending

Liz Kiteck, Molly White, Jana Affonso, Matt Nobriga, Acting for Garwin: Barb Byrn, Kristal Davis-Fadtke, Diane Riddle

Topics/Actions

- Approval of the 05/04/2022 Meeting Notes: Approved.
- Upcoming Meetings
 - Shasta Planning Group (meets weekly on Fridays): 5/13
 - Clear Creek Technical Team (meets quarterly on third Thursday of the month): 6/16
 - Sacramento River Temperature Task Group (tentatively meets monthly on fourth Thursdays): 5/26
 - Feather River Operations Group (meets monthly on first and third Thursdays): 5/19
 - American River Group (meets monthly on third Thursday, and as needed): 5/19
 - Stanislaus River Watershed Team (meets monthly on third Wednesday): 5/18
 - Salmonid Monitoring Team (meets weekly on Tuesdays): 5/17
 - Smelt Monitoring Team (meets weekly on Tuesdays): 5/17
- Operational Updates
 - CVP: Lewiston (Trinity River) releases are 2,000 cfs (pulse flow began on April 15). Whiskeytown (Clear Creek) releases are 200 cfs. Keswick (Sacramento River) releases are at 3,500 cfs. Nimbus (American River) releases are 1,500 cfs. Goodwin (Stanislaus River) releases are at 650 cfs (pulse flow began on April 18). Reclamation's Delta pumping is at 1 unit targeting 900 cfs. Federal share of San Luis Reservoir is 355 TAF.
 - SWP: Oroville-Thermalito Complex (Feather River) releases are at 2,200 cfs. DWR is exporting 600 cfs at Banks Pumping Plant. State share of San Luis Reservoir is 589 TAF.
- Relevant Assessments

- 20220510 Weekly Fish and Water Operations Outlook 5/10/22 – 5/16/2022
- 20220510 Proposed Action Assessment Final
- SaMT ITP Risk Assessment Summary for 10 May 2022 DRAFT
- DRAFT SMT ITP Risk Assessment Summary 10 May 2022
- Upcoming Actions
 - Reclamation:
 - No actions.
 - FWS:
 - No actions.
 - CDFW:
 - No actions.
 - NMFS:
 - No actions.
 - DWR:
 - DWRs Division of Flood Management issued the final Bulletin 120 on Monday, 5/9. DWR and Reclamation will be updating the joint operational studies. These studies will inform whether a TUCP will be submitted for D-1641 standard modification(s) after the current TUCO ends on June 30. Additional information will likely be available at the 5/18 WOMT meeting.
 - SWRCB:
 - Reminder that the public workshop on the Updated Water Unavailability Methodology and Draft Emergency Regulations for the Delta Watershed will be held on May 12.
- Hydrology Update (DWR and Reclamation)
 - No update.
- TUCP/TUCO & Drought Updates
 - Temporary Urgency Change Petition (TUCP), TUC Order (TUCO), and related documents (including information reported by Reclamation and DWR) are available online at https://www.waterboards.ca.gov/waterrights/water_issues/programs/drought/tucp/index.html.
 - No update.

- Discussion Items
 - SWRCB issued conditional approval of Shasta Temperature Management Plan.
- Elevation Items
 - No items to elevate to the Directors.

Next Meeting

- Wednesday, May 18, 1-2 p.m.