

Water Operations Management Team Notes

May 31, 2023

Members Attending

- Reclamation: Liz Kiteck, Levi Johnson
- USFWS: Matt Nobriga
- CDFW: Kristal Davis-Fadtke
- NMFS: Garwin Yip
- DWR: Molly White
- SWRCB: Matt Holland

Topics/Actions

- Approval of Meeting Notes from last week:
 - May 24, 2023 Notes: Approved, final notes sent out this morning.
- Upcoming Meetings
 - Salmonid Monitoring Team (weekly on Tuesdays): 6/5
 - Smelt Monitoring Team (weekly on Tuesdays): 6/5
 - Feather River Operations Group (monthly first and third Thursdays): 6/1
 - American River Group (monthly on third Thursday, and as needed): 6/15
 - Stanislaus River Watershed Team (monthly on third Wednesday): 6/21
 - Clear Creek Technical Team (quarterly on third Thursday): 6/15
 - Sacramento River Temperature Task Group (monthly on fourth Thursday): 6/22;
SRTTG Update Meeting on 6/8
 - Shasta Planning Group (meets biweekly on Tuesday or as needed): 6/6
- Relevant Assessments
 - Weekly Fish and Water Operations Outlook 5/30/23 – 6/5/2023
 - 20230530 Proposed Action Assessment
 - SaMT ITP Risk Assessment Summary for 5/30/2023
 - SMT ITP Risk Assessment Summary for 5/30/2023

- Operational Updates
 - CVP: Trinity River releases are at 1,600 cfs. Sacramento River (Keswick) releases are currently at 10,000 cfs. Clear Creek is at 150 cfs. American River (Nimbus) releases are decreasing to 13,000 cfs today. Stanislaus River (Goodwin) releases are at 1,500 cfs. Reclamation's Delta pumping is 5 units targeting 4,200 cfs. Federal share of San Luis Reservoir is 956 TAF.
 - SWP: Feather River (Oroville-Thermalito Complex) releases are decreasing to 5,500 cfs today, and to 4,000 cfs tomorrow cfs Clifton Court Forebay exports are at 5,700 cfs. State share of San Luis Reservoir is at 1,059 TAF.
- Hydrology Update (DWR and Reclamation)
 - Cooler weather with some warming this weekend, turning cooler again next week. Below lower temperatures expected for the first two weeks of June, and isolated showers and thundershowers in the mountains.
- Upcoming Actions or Updates
 - Reclamation:
 - No actions or discussion items.
 - FWS:
 - No actions or discussion items.
 - CDFW:
 - Update: High levels of Sacramento Splittail in salvage at both the CVP and SWP recently, including approximately 1.6 million last week. Sacramento Splittail are a species of concern in California.
 - No actions or discussion items.
 - NMFS:
 - No actions or discussion items.
 - DWR:
 - No actions or discussion items.
 - SWRCB:
 - No actions or discussion items.
- Discussion Items
 - No discussion items.
- Elevation Items
 - No elevation items.

Next Meeting

Wednesday, June 7, 1-1:50 p.m.