

Long-term Reintroduction Planning & P2IP Activities

Long-term Reintroduction Planning

The Phase 2 Implementation Plan (P2IP) for testing the feasibility of reintroducing Chinook and sockeye salmon in the "blocked area" upstream of Chief Joseph is being pursued by the Confederated Tribes of the Colville Reservation, Coeur d'Alene Tribe, Spokane Tribe of Indians, and the Upper Columbia United Tribes, collectively referred to as the "Project Proponents," with support and funding from the U.S. Government and the State of Washington. The P2IP will inform the development of a long-term plan for reintroducing salmon in the Upper Columbia River Basin that will ultimately serve the following goals:

- . Restoring Tribal traditional and cultural practices related to salmon in the region.
- . Restoring access to salmon for Tribal and non-Tribal communities in the blocked areas.
- Returning salmon to their historical habitats in the upper Columbia River to increase the abundance and distribution of salmon in the Columbia River Basin.

The P2IP will not use or move fish species currently listed under the Endangered Species Act.

The P2IP does not contemplate changes in how the Columbia River System meets the needs of hydropower generation, irrigation, and flood risk management.



The P2IP comprises three categories of activities:

Research Studies

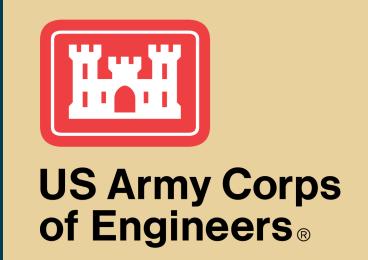
- . Juvenile Salmon Survival & Dam Passage Behavior Studies
- . Survival Studies of Reintroduced Adult Salmon in the Blocked Area

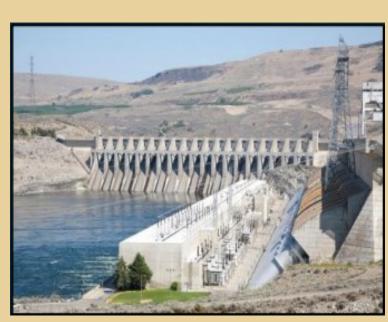
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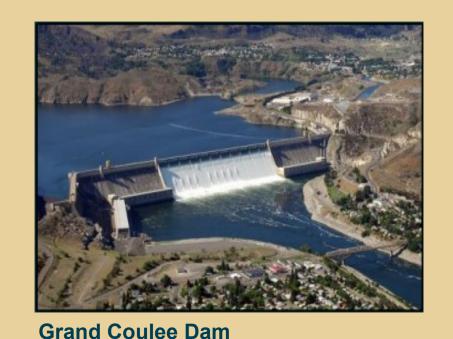
- . Upgrades to Existing Hatchery Facilities
- . Net-Pen Rearing (use of existing and new)
- . Acclimation Sites

Interim Passage

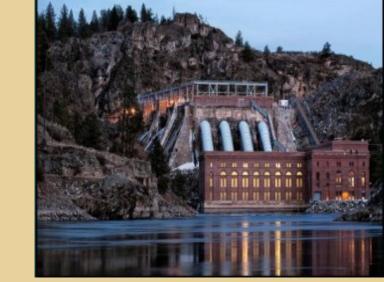
- . Chief Joseph Dam Upstream and Downstream Passage
- . Grand Coulee Dam Upstream and Downstream Passage
- . Spokane River Dams Upstream and Downstream Passage





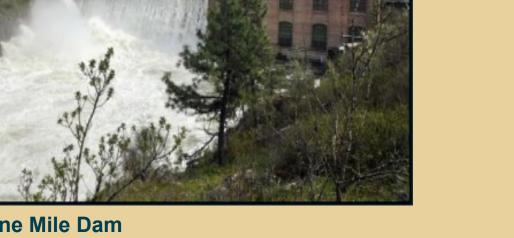






Long Lake Dam







Chief Joseph Dam