

Summary

Meeting dates: December 9-10, 2016

Agenda item: WDFW Research Priorities – Briefing

Presenter(s): Tim Quinn, Habitat Program, Chief Scientist
Scott Pearson, Wildlife Program, Senior Research Scientist
George Wilhere, Habitat Program, Senior Research Scientist
Phillip Dionne, Habitat Program, Research Scientist
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Background summary:

Department staff will provide a briefing on science divisions and selected research projects currently underway throughout the agency. Selected research projects to be presented are:

- linking snowy plover and marbled murrelet monitoring, research and adaptive management
 - overview of culvert related science
 - adult smelt behavior near spawning beaches
 - population monitoring of Upper Columbia River summer steelhead,
 - adaptive management of Elwha River Chinook salmon, and
 - diversity linked to survival of Puget Sound Chinook salmon.
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Policy issue(s) you are bringing to the Commission for consideration:

NA – briefing only

Public involvement process used and what you learned:

NA – briefing only

Action requested:

NA – briefing only

Draft motion language:

NA – briefing only

Justification for Commission action:

NA – briefing only

Communications Plan:

NA – briefing only

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