

## SUMMARY OF COMMISSION REQUESTS TO THE DEPARTMENT

Dec. 21, 2009 -sdy

REQUEST	LEAD COMMISSIONER	DATE OF REQUEST	REQUEST DUE	PROGRAM(S) (* Lead)	STATUS
Department to provide a progress report on the implementation of the <b>new mining rules</b> , including cooperation with miners, meeting Commission requests and protecting fish life.	Chuck Perry	11/8/2008	Nov. 2009	*Habitat Program	<b>Completed</b> ; briefing occurred at the Dec. 4-5, 2009, meeting in Olympia.
Department to provide status report on implementation of Chapter <b>WAC 232-13, Public conduct on Department Lands</b> , regulations.  <b>Additional direction(4-3-09):</b> Include discussion on the possibility of proposing WAC rules that ban possession of lead shot on WDFW lands	Chuck Perry	12/8/2007	Spring or Summer 2009	*Wildlife Program	<b>Completed</b> ; Wildlife Program briefing scheduled occurred at August 3-4, 2009, meeting in Colville.  ----- <b>Ongoing.</b>
Department, with Cmr Mahnken, to draft a <b>Commission Policy on Hatchery Reform</b> . Staff briefing to include information on implementation of HSRG recommendations and long-term hatchery strategies linked with selective fisheries.	Connie Mahnken	03/07/2009	May 8-9, 2009, meeting	*Fish Program, with IRM, DO	<b>Completed</b> : Commission adopted a final policy at its Nov. 6-7, 2009, meeting.
Department to review current <b>citizen advisory groups</b> for effectiveness / relevance, including citizen members' satisfaction with the process, number of meetings, fiscal impacts, etc.	Miranda Wecker	03/07/2009	as practical	*Director's Office	<b>Partially completed</b> ; status update took place during the May 8-9, 2009, meeting in Olympia.  <b>Ongoing</b> ; Department's EMT is developing advisory committee protocols.
Department, along with USFWS representative/s, to brief the Commission on the legality of <b>baiting waterfowl</b> by flooding corn ponds.	George Orr	08/08/2009	Sept. or Nov. 2009 meeting	*Enforcement	<b>Completed</b> ; briefing occurred at September 11-12, 2009, meeting in Olympia.  <b>Ongoing</b> ; Director will provide updates.

REQUEST	LEAD COMMISSIONER	DATE OF REQUEST	REQUEST DUE	PROGRAM(S) (* Lead)	STATUS
Department to brief the Commission on tribal big game hunting on ceded lands, including status of the draft Department policy under development and the legal decision requiring the policy.	Rollie Schmitt	08/08/2009	Sept. or Nov. 2009 meeting	*IRM	<b>Completed;</b> briefing occurred at the November 6-7, 2009, meeting in Olympia.  <b>Ongoing.</b>
Department to brief the Commission on funds from <b>Personalized License Plates</b> , including amounts received over past 2 biennia, projection for future biennium, process for distribution, allocation, and decision-making criteria.	David Jennings	08/08/2009	Sept. or Nov. 2009 meeting	*Business Svcs	<b>Postponed;</b> briefing to occur at February 4-5-6, 2010, meeting in Olympia.
Department to brief the Commission on the White-Tailed Deer Study (see 2009 Department Goals and Objectives).	Gary Douvia	09/11-12/2009	Fall 2009	*Wildlife	<b>Completed;</b> briefing occurred at the December 4-5, 2009, meeting in Olympia
Department to brief the Commission on the status of <b>White Sturgeon</b> , including population status and allocation process.	David Jennings	09/11-12/2009	November	*Fish	<b>Completed;</b> briefing occurred at the November 6-7, 2009, meeting in Olympia.
Department staff, along with the Commission's enforcement/regulatory committee, to develop a first draft of a Commission <b>policy on habitat for salmonids</b> .	David Jennings	11/6-7/2009	TBD	*Habitat	<b>On schedule;</b>  <i>[Enf/Reg committee discussed briefing details/timeline during committee's meeting 12/4/09.]</i>
Department staff to brief the Commission on the Department's Puget Sound Groundfish Management Plan with particular focuses on Cabezon and Area 4B rockfish.	David Jennings	11/6-7/2009	Dec. 4-5, 2009	*Fish	<b>Completed;</b> briefing occurred at the December 4-5, 2009, meeting in Olympia.

REQUEST	LEAD COMMISSIONER	DATE OF REQUEST	REQUEST DUE	PROGRAM(S) (* Lead)	STATUS
<p>Department staff to work with Commission's freshwater fish committee on options for transitioning to a statewide ban on the use of lead fishing weights within approximately two years.</p>	<p>David Jennings</p>	<p>11/6-7/2009</p>	<p>June or August <i>(after completion of current sport regs cycle)</i></p>	<p>*Fish</p>	<p><b>On schedule;</b> Director to present information to Commission at Jan. 8-9, 2010, meeting in Olympia.</p>
<p>Department to provide a briefing on Puget Sound Chinook Harvest Management Plan, including background, summary of content, NOAA's authority, adaptive management provisions, and consistency with other NOAA agreements.</p>	<p>Miranda Wecker</p>	<p>11/6-7/2009</p>	<p><i>(as soon as feasible)</i></p>	<p>Fish / IRM</p>	<p>Briefing tentatively scheduled for the February 4-5-6, 2010, meeting in Olympia.</p>