



ANNOUNCEMENT
COLUMBIA RIVER COMPACT AND JOINT STATE HEARING
October 13, 2004

Columbia River Compact Hearing/Joint State Sport Hearing
10AM - December 16, 2004 (Sport hearing will be immediately following the Compact hearing)
Cowlitz County PUD
961 12th Ave
Longview, Washington 98632
(360) 423-2210

Purpose:

Compact - To review sturgeon and smelt stock status and consider non-Indian commercial fishing seasons in the mainstem Columbia River.

Sport Hearing - To consider sturgeon sport fishing seasons in the mainstem Columbia River.

Columbia River Compact Hearing/Joint State Sport Hearing
10AM January 28, 2005 (Sport hearing will be immediately following the Compact hearing)
Water Resources Education Center
4600 S.E. Columbia Way
Vancouver, Washington 98668
(360) 696-8478

Purpose:

Compact - To review salmon, steelhead, sturgeon, shad, and smelt stock status and consider commercial fishing seasons and miscellaneous regulations in the Columbia River and Select Areas.

Sport Hearing - To consider spring chinook sport fishing seasons in the mainstem Columbia River.

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