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## ADDENDUM 24-052 TO DETERMINATION OF NONSIGNIFICANCE (DNS) 06-071 DATED: OCTOBER 16, 2006

Name of Proposal: ROZA DAM ADULT FISH COLLECTION FACILITY SEDIMENT REMOVAL

## **Description of Addendum 24-052:**

The Bureau of Reclamation proposes to excavate up to 4,445 cubic yards of accumulated sediment adjacent to the Adult Fish Trapping and Monitoring Facility Sediment Removal within the Roza Pool (Yakima River) at the Roza Diversion Dam. The excavation will occur within 0.23-acre (100-foot-length/100-foot-width/12-foot-depth) below the ordinary high water mark (OHWM) of the Roza Pool (100-linear-feet).

Phase 1 of the proposed work would occur from November 1, 2024 to November 23, 2024 and Phase 2 of the proposed work would occur from February 7, 2025 to February 14, 2025 during the Roza Pool drawdown period, when the majority of the project area would be dry. Sediment removal would be performed by an excavator equipped with biofluids because a crane would not be able to reach the central portion of the area to be dredged. Wetland mats composed of 6-inch by 12-inch wooden beams would be temporarily placed from the riverbank to the dredge surface to allow access for the excavator. The excavator would perform the dredging and deposit the excavated sediment into a dump truck staged on the adjacent existing gravel roadway. The majority of the excavation would occur in areas above the wetted margin of the Roza Pool (Yakima River). It is anticipated that only a few in-water excavation scoops would occur to remove sediment, thereby limiting the potential for turbidity. Site access would occur from the existing dam access road.

**Description of Original Proposal 06-071: ROZA ADULT TRAP SEDIMENT CLEANING** Dredging to remove sediments that have accumulated in front of the Yakama Nation's Roza Dam Adult Trapping and Monitoring Facility. Approximately 300 cubic yards of sediment will be removed.

**Proponent/Applicant:** U.S. Bureau of Reclamation, Columbia-Cascades Area Office

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**Location of Proposal, including street, if any:** Roza Dam on the Yakima River, approximately 12 miles north of Yakima, Kittitas County, Washington: Township 15N, Range 19E, Sections 28 and 33.

The Following Document is Incorporated by Reference: Bureau of Reclamation October 29, 2024, Categorical Exclusion Checklist for Roza Diversion Dam Adult Fish Collection Facility Sediment Removal.

## The Document is Available to be Read at:

Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife - Natural Resources Building, 1111 Washington Street SE, Olympia, WA, Monday - Friday 8:00 am - 5:00 pm.

The document is also available for review online at: <u>Final SEPA documents | Washington</u> Department of Fish & Wildlife, scroll down to SEPA# 24052.

**Lead Agency:** Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife (WDFW)

This addendum is being distributed pursuant to WACs 197-11-600 and 197-11-625. The updated information provided above does not substantially change the analysis of significant impacts in the existing environmental checklist. Based on the original DNS and the updated information provided in this addendum, we have determined that a new threshold determination is not warranted. There is no comment period associated with this SEPA addendum.

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Applicants may view the supporting documents for this Addendum on the WDFW SEPA website: Final SEPA documents | Washington Department of Fish & Wildlife.

If you have questions about this Addendum or the details of the proposal, contact Lisa Wood at SEPADesk2@dfw.wa.gov.

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