Cowlitz River Advisory Group
February 5, 2020
Veterans Memorial Museum
(100 SW Veterans Way, Chehalis WA)

9:30am – 12:30pm

AGENDA

I. Introductions and opening remarks (~40 minutes)
   a. Ground Rules Review
   b. Finalize Meeting Notes from September 25, 2019
      i. Action Item Review – Myrtle
   c. Follow up from Kelly’s request on input re: value of CRAG
   d. Discussion of e-mail communication

II. Updates – (~50 minutes)
    a. Hatchery Program Updates
    b. Spring Chinook forecast
    c. Tilton River Secondary Release Site
    d. Tacoma Update
    e. Other updates

III. BREAK – Approximately 11:00 (~15 minutes)

IV. Current Status of FHMP and next steps for review (~15 minutes)

V. FHMP – WDFW Perspectives – discussion of input from CRAG (~40 minutes)

VI. Public Comment (~15 minutes)

VII. Action Item review/Adjourn (~5 minutes)
CRAG Topics Covered to Date (September 25, 2019)

Steelhead Recycling
- Potential for increasing cap based on new information

Loss of Early Winter Steelhead program
- What are options for future programs

Options for hatchery increases
- Short, mid and long-term options
- Spring/fall Chinook and coho
- Short term options for increasing survival
- Use of net pens
- Spring Chinook SAR updates

FHMP/HGMP development

FTC Meeting
- Public engagement

Increasing poundage gap

Cowlitz Trout Hatchery Master Plan
- Updates from Tacoma Power Utilities

Satellite Rearing Ponds
- Updates from Tacoma Power Utilities