

## Notes (DRAFT)

Water Operations Management Team June 17, 2020

## **Members Attending**

Kristin White, Liz Kiteck, Molly White, Mike Ford, Kaylee Allen, Matt Nobriga, Howard Brown, Garwin Yip, Carl Wilcox, Kristal Davis-Fadtke

## **Topics/Actions**

- Approval of the 6/10/2020 WOMT Meeting Notes: approved
- Operational Updates
  - CVP: Still doing Trinity pulse flows of 1400 cfs to the end of the month. Keswick releases are currently at 12,000 cfs; Folsom is at 2750 cfs; New Melones at 1,500 cfs during the weekdays and 800 cfs on weekends for public safety; cutting releases back by 200 cfs next week because over 1,420 cfs monthly target at Vernalis. Delta pumping is at 3 units, 2,700 cfs; increasing to 4 units, 3,500 cfs, on Friday for 3 days due to O'Neill outage Monday through Friday of next week. Combined pumping will not change as SWP will be picking up the water, and CVP will do the same when SWP has their outage, all covered under COA. San Luis is at 341 TAF. Fishery protection plan will be sent to the State Water Resources Control Board (SWRCB) with a cc to NMFS later today. Joint Point of Diversion agreement with the State is expected to be finalized in next two or three weeks.
  - o SWP: Oroville at 3,300 cfs and holding releases; CCF 1,300 cfs; Delta pumping ranging 300-1,500 cfs due to salinity management; targeting 7,300 cfs outflow right now; OMR daily calculation could approach -5,000 cfs; San Luis at 838 TAF.
- Relevant Assessments
  - o Delta Salvage Performance Measures (beginning on April 1 for steelhead)
  - o Additional OMR for Larval and Juvenile Delta Smelt: see Discussion Items
  - Outlook Table 3 for the SWP ITP
  - Stanislaus River Stepped Release Plan Meeting Today.
  - American River Modified Flow Management Standard: ARG meeting on Thurs. June
  - o Feather River Operations Group: Meeting Thursday.
  - o Clear Creek Technical Team: Meeting Thursday
  - Sacramento River Temperature Task Group: Meeting next Thursday
  - o Sacramento River Science Partnership: Science Plan development continues

- o Delta Coordination Group for Summer/Fall Habitat: Meeting July 7
- Upcoming Actions
  - o Reclamation:
    - Working on response to latest SWRCB letter regarding Reclamation's final Sacramento River Temperature Management Plan, will be sharing and discussing update at SRTTG
    - Smelt Monitoring Team recommended larval sampling at fish collection facilities is no longer necessary for the rest of the year; no WOMT members objected.
  - o DWR: Weed spraying outage at Clifton Court Forebay scheduled for the end of the month.
  - o FWS: None
  - o NMFS: None
  - o CDFW: None
- Discussion Items
  - o None
- Review Elevation Items
  - o Elevation Issues: none
  - o Director Meeting Topics: none

## **Next Meeting**

• Wednesday, June 24, 1 pm, Teams "Call" Only