



Staff Meeting: July 28, 2008 9:10 AM – 11:10 AM

Location: Kennewick Office

Attendees: Don Warf, Alan Brower, Darren Chase, Troy Humphrey, Scott Livingston & Jenn Nighbor

Absent: None

Recorded by: Jenn Nighbor

Agenda Items:

- **2020 Update - Darren**

8.5mm Tags are reading well on our equipment but not up through the PUDs.

Timer Tag has been firing but added a digit, which is why it has not shown up. Display shows proper number of digits. The Timer Tag has been firing one time per hour.

01 & 02 dropped both the same. Darren will look at the CEW Report.

Transceiver will go to BO4 tomorrow, for two weeks and then to Kennewick Office for further testing.

Darren will author document outlining firmware and hardware changes.

Timeline: Input completed by end of August. Meeting with NMFS in September.

- **Meeting with Sandy, Earl, Uri, Scott, Alex & Don**

New design with antenna and ferrite plates.

Base lined 20 amps and only lost 2 amps, ferrite seems to be working.

Deeming it a success and will begin testing on gates.

Corps is reluctant to bolt anything to the gates.

TSW/RWS is still a go.

Take listening post laptop to Bonneville and get reports on it. Run MiniMon to collect the data.

- **B2J Full Flow**

Mice in traps, who is responsible for emptying and rebaiting?

- Troy, Alan and Don to review schematics today. Don and Alan have some suggestions.

Troy to order parts and pieces for the ARRT

Correlation between water level and read range.

Do we need automatic tune on receive side?

This year no. We have not had to do that this year. We had alarm we were getting close to rolling over, but it moved back.

STR will be out next week, Steve Lamay. New firmware emailed for BCC.

- **Sites**

Granite

Gates minimized delay in MultiMon. Troy had to reload program because of lost descriptions. Open for 4 seconds.

GRJ

Separator Operator helped Troy out by resetting PC1 at Adult Site.

Goose

All is good.

LoMo

Pretty quiet overall. Alan pointed out that the B sample gate sucked this year.

ICH

There were good days and bad days. Kind of noisy and not able to tune it out. Not missing anything. Slot 06, nothing going on outside to cause noise to jump to 20% and then drop to nothing by itself.

Issue with keys. Site changed the locks. 1D2 key is good for North Galley and PIT Tag Room. A2 PIT Tag Room (lock changed) and outside is an A2. If both doors are locked, cannot get to transceivers.

Darren – Encourage them to change the barrel so we do not have to get all new keys.

Problem in North Galley with 2 big box fans. 09 0A, noise seen on transceiver and real hot in galley.

Prosser

Trash Problems?

Water level is way down. 14” of water going through antenna. Looking to shut it down.

Right bank ladder had high temperature alarms on 06. It was 95° when Darren was there. Are the vaults vented? Set vents up on thermostat so it does it automatically. Run fans automatically.

Rip Ties for doors the next time someone is out there.

Follow up email to Mark about fans.

Roza

When do we want to get computers up there?

Replace non-SbyC with MiniMon on Vista Business

McNary

MC1 – changed transceiver. Could not get Timer Tag going. Syncing helped and working better. Ground wire is still pulled out.

MCJ – Fixed gate on B gate. Had a bolt instead of a pin, but everything is working now.

MC2 – all is well.

John Day

Troy's tune job made a huge difference on Timer Tag. Shut down facility due to water temp sampling.

Swing gate questions – Troy to look into it. Note that the facility is aware of issue.

Bonneville

BO1 – Running well.

BO2 – Running well.

BO3 – Usual issues. Wiring in BO3 PIT Tag Room. Take two short server racks and black box to BO4 and revamp. Lots of work to do in room with minimal impact to facility.

BO4 – Y cables for PC1 and PC2.

- **Kennewick Office**

AC to be installed in network room. Window unit or register AC. 30 amp circuits.

Run 2 UPSs in bottom of Dell rack.

Bonneville

Gate fired up and squeals to the right. Gate itself does not squeal, air in muffler valve.

B2J Full Flow – Run 2020 transceiver for 2 weeks and then pull and bring it to Kennewick.

Darren to get baseline on old transceiver before putting in new transceiver.

- **M4 Schedule**

Go ahead and start replacing machines at sites with MiniMon Vista Business for non-SbyC sties.

- **Work Schedule**

Go back to 5/9s in Mid-August. May be staggered with 2 guys off on Friday and 2 guys off on Monday.

Guys to email their day off preference to Don. If all want same day, then he will just have to choose.

Meeting adjourned to begin Safety Meeting.