



Staff Meeting: April 4, 2008

Location: Kennewick Office

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

Absent: None

Recorded by: Jenn Nighbor

Agenda Items:

- **Sites**

Granite Juvenile & Adult

Troy there and gates looked good. Sample gate was slamming but corrected. Troy walked the Separator Operator through the process.

No Timer Tag Issues

Little Goose

Troy looked at slide shift gates. "B" side was dry for valve replacement.

Lower Monumental

Full flow tricky to tune and was drifting initially.

Scott – was rocky while out there, appears to be ok today.

Darren & Alan – looked good when there were there.

Replaced two transceivers. Gate Timing looked good, but "B" side making slamming noise.

Troy to look into "A" gate squealing.

Darren to email Bill Spurgeon to clarify Bypass plan.

Ice Harbor

OD is noisy and not firing timer tags.

Alan - I was there on Tuesday and it was quiet.

Access problems. Alan talked to Sam Limon and the system changed. McNary cards no longer work. We will all be getting new cards. South door is a swipe card and all man doors are starting to become swipe doors.

Darren to contact Mark about new swipe cards at Ice Harbor.

Prosser

Radio equipment still standing. Gave water up & down levels.

Scott – pretty quiet, radios doing well.

Counting window antennas doing well.

Acc. Ponds

Easton

Rodent problems at Easton. There is D-Con in the facility.

Bring up problem with Charlie, as this is a safety concern.

Pump 1 blew up. Electrician is coming to fix.

Pump 2 only stayed up for 15 minutes.

Darren to call Charlie about mice, PCs, and water pumps.

Jack Creek

Little sump pump and hose for each locker to handle the water accumulation.

Upgrade modem at Jack.

May 15th – start forcing fish out

Roza

Saw a couple of fish today.

PIT Tag room – air conditioner breaker keeps tripping and the room was extremely hot.

Scott to ask Corky about AC breaker tripping.

McNary

MC1 – noise problems. OE had cables replaced, antenna is the problem.

Shut down antennas down and Meg them. Track to see if there is a time of the day correlation to the noise. Problems started when work began at substation.

Counting windows doing well.

MC2 – one antenna disconnected 09. 0A barely driving amps. (1.5)

MCJ – Running Good. Gates are not going to be used. Will transport around the middle of June.

John Day – Sandy D. is doing fish studies, 500 fish with SSTs.

03 more hits/tag and better efficiencies.

Bonneville

Having issues with same action code causing fish to go left AND right.

Troy to go on gate run and check it out.

BO4 – Running good.

BO3 – Looks good.

BO2 – Business as usual.

BO1 – Business as usual.

BCC

Troy – have ability to toggle power to transceiver through webport. If you pull the relay out you will not have power. Spare base and cube in the locker.

Other News:

BOG – Conference call on Tuesday. Scott & Alan to sit in on call. John Tenney to throw out changing format.

Inventory – Don, Darren, and Jenn to work out schedule for next week.

Darren and Jenn to physically touch all equipment we have including, office, field and HQ.

We are keeping all 50 Dell machines. Deploy to Prosser first, then MC1, MC2, LoMo and Ice.

M4 Meeting – April 15 with John Tenney & Carter coming down for round table. Guys to bring scenarios to the meeting.

Can John bring a working model to the meeting?

Lab Set-up – May need OT to get it done.

Vista Service Pack 1 – Should we deploy with or without?

Copier – Networked and drivers on CD.

Jenn to call John at Abadan to ask about Network training.

Timesheets – To be completed weekly. Set Outlook reminders for every Friday.

Other News:

Invoices – All invoices will now go directly to Portland and not to the Kennewick office.

Replacement Batteries & Transceivers – All field locations completed, still need to do Kennewick Lab and stock transceivers.

UPSs – Have 3 spares. All sites completed. Need to do UPSs for transceivers.

TSW/RSW – Done deal. Portland Meeting, 2010 prototype deployment TSW/RSW. Not BPA funded. They want to use our one and only spare for their prototype. 6-months prototype flipgate style.

File Submission Checking – Have the ability to do so, but need to funnel through Scott & Don.

Timer Tag Report - Has gone to Doug Clough and is moving forward.

Sullivan write-up – Scott & Darren to complete with their recommendation. Couple of hours needed to finish. There is no possibility of building a PIT Tag room. Access to site is limited.

Transceiver Repairs – Darren to start when inventory completed.
Environmental chamber & heat cabinet.

Darren to get parts list to Don.

Site Visits – Don and Carter to tour the river, April 14, 2008. Don will be making more field visits.

Key Cards – Bring them in for Larry Heisey.

Meeting adjourned to begin Safety Meeting.