

Agenda Item Summary

BACKGROUND	The Salmon and Trout Advisory Committee (STAC) is a 13-member public advisory committee whose members are appointed by the Governor. STAC reviews Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife (department) policies concerning implementation of salmon and trout enhancement projects and makes recommendations to the Oregon Fish and Wildlife Commission (Commission) and the department. The attached 2008 Salmon and Trout Enhancement Program (STEP) Annual Progress Report fulfills a requirement of the Commission to report annually to the Legislative Assembly on the progress of the program under ORS 496.445(8).
PUBLIC INVOLVEMENT	All STAC meetings are open to the public and are “public meetings” under Oregon Public Meeting laws. Notice of upcoming meetings is issued in a statewide press release, advertised in the R&E/STEP publication <i>FishWorks</i> , and listed on the department website.
ISSUE 1	SALMON AND TROUT ADVISORY COMMITTEE ANNUAL PROGRESS REPORT
ANALYSIS	The attached report will summarize 2008 STEP activities and accomplishments.
OPTIONS	N/A.
STAFF RECOMMENDATION	N/A.

DRAFT MOTION	N/A.
EFFECTIVE DATE	