

Oregon Fish Passage Task Force Recommendation

The Oregon Fish Passage Task Force is the Public Advisory Body to the Department, Commission, and the Legislature on fish passage issues. Members are appointed by the Director and can serve up to 2 4-year terms. These nine members volunteer their time and represent Fishing and Conservation, Water Users, and Public-At-Large interests.

On October 17, 2014 the Task Force met in a public meeting at the ODFW Headquarters Office. At this meeting the Task Force considered the fish passage waiver requests from the Coos Bay North Bend Water Board (Applicant) for the Lower and Upper Pony Creek Dams. All public comments were distributed to Task Force members in advance of the meeting.

Through a unanimous vote (6 -0), the Task Force recommended the Commission approve the fish passage waiver requests for Lower and Upper Pony Creek Dams.