

Joint-State Columbia River Salmon Fishery Policy Review Committee (PRC)

January 27, 2021 1:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.

Virtual Meeting

<https://zoom.us/j/95082566633> (public link)

Oregon Fish and Wildlife

4034 Fairview Industrial Drive SE, Salem, Oregon

1. Introductions (all)
2. Objectives for the meeting (chairs, discussion)
3. Overview Presentations (Staff): Background for Columbia River Resource Conservation
 - a. Columbia River Basin Partnership (CBP Taskforce) – WA (Dan Rawding) and OR (Tucker Jones).
 - 1) overview of CBP Phase 1 and 2 reports
 - 2) Implementation plans
 - 3) Importance of SARs to partnership goals
 - b. Four Governor’s initiative and Columbia Basin Collaborative (CBC) process & status-Ed Bowles
 - c. Importance of productivity, as measured by SARs - Tucker Jones (Dan Rawding?)
 - 1) Importance and relevance to increasing runs and recovering populations
 - 2) Current Status of selected interior basin
 - 3) Population constraints and impacts and efforts to increase SARs
 - d. Climate Change and Ocean Conditions – Chris Kern/Tucker Jones and WA staff (Marissa?)
 - 1) Current and future impacts on SARs (more and higher impacts in the future)
 - 2) How climate change is factored into fisheries management
 - 3) Key research questions
 1. Climate change impacts on current and future ocean conditions
 2. Upper Columbia River salmon and steelhead survival and recovery
4. Path to orderly fisheries – Discussion (All)
5. Next steps for joint Oregon/Washington meeting.