

March 2016 FISHWAY INSPECTION SUMMARY

Fishway Inspections were conducted at the three lowest Columbia River Dams fitted with adult fish passage structures over March of 2016.

Overall, few problems were encountered and most fishways appeared to be in satisfactory or better operation. The few problems encountered are listed below.

Bonneville Dam (March 25, 2016): The tailwater staff gauges at Bradford Island, B-Branch, and Cascade island were not visible. The South Collection Channel velocity meter was Out of Service (OOS) at the Washington Shore Fishway.

John Day Dam (March 29, 2016): South fish pumps 1& 2 were OOS, as result SE-1 weir depth was below criteria and the NE-2 Entrance was closed.