

StreamNet Assignments as per February 23-24 Steering Committee Meeting

Management/Coordination

Production Advisory Committee - Dick O'Connor will contact the PAC chair to determine if that group desires StreamNet assistance with their annual report.

San Diego Conference - The unlucky soles who attended this conference will look through their materials to locate anything of interest to the larger group. Materials are to be forwarded to Duane. We will distribute from there.

Regional Policy and Programs

New Fish and Wildlife Program - Phil and Drew will monitor these activities as they relate to data development and StreamNet. Drew will keep the SC informed.

Internet and Data Delivery

New Query System - Drew will prepare an announcement on the new system and distribute this to the SC. This will likely occur in two weeks.

Internet Site Improvement - Duane will add SC recommendations to the list of proposed web site improvements.

Non-standard Data - Duane and Drew will develop draft standards for accepting non-standard data. Hilary will work with Duane to implement a Yakama Indian Nation prototype.

Fish Facts

Photographs - all members will check to see if their agency has slides that are appropriate for the StreamNet site. Needs are as follows:

1. The highest need is for pictures that depict life stages for salmonids. This is of

4. We would also like to have at least one photo of each hatchery in the region.

For items 1 and 4 Steering Committee members could help by identifying who within your agency handles these materials. For items 2 and 3 its more a matter of putting on the thinking cap and targeting a subject of interest and either collecting the slides yourself, assigning someone, or giving us a concept and contact person. Please forward any ideas to Gary Christofferson - gmc@psmfc.org.

Kid Pics - Anyone who has a child under the age of 12 who has not submitted a fish picture will be subjected to public ridicule on the StreamNet home page. (Check out the picture recently submitted by Drew's young friend Nate to see why the salmon are doing so poorly.) If you know of any kid-related fish site on the Internet (schools with fish programs, etc.) please inform Gary.

FY 99 Project Proposal

Briefings - Drew will prepare a briefing packet on the FY 99 project proposal and share this with the SC. He will also develop a plan for briefing appropriate regional players on StreamNet's proposed FY 99 work statement, in consultation with Phil (and anyone else who expresses interest). SC members will determine if similar briefings are needed within your agency.

New Directions for Data Development

Genetics - Doug Taki will contact U of I regarding data exchange opportunities and will identify a strategy for locating where genetics studies have been or are being conducted.

Wildlife Mitigation Projects - Jerome will prepare a brief outline of the materials that would go into a mitigation project web product.

Resident Fish, Fish Populations - Janet and Dick will continue to take the lead in these areas. A workshop may be scheduled in the summer to prepare a more specific strategy for integrating these data types.

was prepared without your input so your review is especially important. Drew and Duane will pursue development of a data delivery tracking system.

Salmon and Steelhead Status Report - Drew and Duane will create a list of proposed topics. Drew will schedule meetings with appropriate organizations to solicit input.