

U.S. Department of the Interior

Questions for Delta Flow Informational Proceeding

For the Pelagic and Anadromous Fish Panels:

1. What metric other than fish abundances can be used to determine how flow variability influences ecosystem functions and processes?
2. Given that many participants are calling for delta flow management in the spring, and potentially the fall, that will likely require upstream reservoir reoperation, which goal should take priority in a supply shortage: retention of coldwater reserves in the reservoir (upstream fishery habitat) or delta flow goals (in-delta fishery habitat)?