

Cheakamus Ecosystem Restoration Stakeholder Team Meeting #21 Thursday, September 30, 2010 Howe Sound Inn & Brew Pub, Squamish, BC 6:30 pm Meeting Summary	
Jack Cooley	Streamkeepers
Victor Elderton	North Vancouver Outdoor School (NVOS)
Clint Goyette	Local Angler
Carl Halverson	NVOS
Brian Klassen	Local Angler
Randy Marchant	Local Angler
Edith Tobe	Squamish River Watershed Society
Steve Rochetta	Local Angler
Lyle Wood	Local Angler

CERTC Members

- Greg Wilson (MoE)

Resources

- Peter Frederiksen (Triton Environmental)
- Erika Paradis (Triton Environmental)

Meeting Facilitator and note-taker: Tom Sadleir – Cornerstone Planning Group

A meeting agenda was provided to all participants.

It was noted the June 24, 2010 Stakeholder Team meeting summary had been adopted and posted at www.certc.ca. The CERTC May 26, 2010 meeting summary was also noted as posted, as were the following documents:

- Adult Wild and Hatchery Origin Steelhead Returns to the Cheakamus River in 2009
- Squamish Watershed Education and Outreach Project 2009, Final Report
- Swift Creek Channel Restoration Feasibility Study

Presentations

Erika Paradis and Peter Frederiksen from Triton Environmental provided a presentation to the Stakeholder Team on the recovery and monitoring of Sculpin. The presentation – posted on the website at www.certc.ca – concluded that natural recovery is underway and progressing well. Subsequent discussion focused on how recovery targets were determined; the location of the fish detected; migration impediments; genetic distinction amongst Sculpin and, estimates of Sculpin recovery timelines.

CERTC Items

- The Stakeholder Team was briefed on the CERTC presence at the Brackendale Fall Fair.
- Outstanding CERTC reports were reviewed.

Cheakamus Ecosystem Recovery Fund Projects

- The LWD Project at KM 4.1 was reviewed and discussion revolved around the Project's cost, effectiveness, benefits and how the site was chosen.
- It was noted that DFO has decided to delay the Swift Creek re-watering project due to concerns about complicating the BC Hydro monitoring programs.

Next Meeting

The next meeting of the Cheakamus Ecosystem Recovery Stakeholder Team was suggested for June 2011 (later set for June 30).

Adjournment

The meeting adjourned at 7:55 pm.