



**YUKON RIVER
CHINOOK SALMON
STOCK RESTORATION**
» WORKSHOP

October 7 & 8, 2014
Westmark Whitehorse Hotel
and Conference Center (Yukon)

Day 1 – Tuesday, October 7

- 8:30 Sign-in and Coffee
- 9:00 Welcome and Opening Prayer
- 9:05 Opening Remarks
- Pauline Frost – Chair, Yukon Salmon Sub-Committee
 - Steve Gotch – Area Director, Fisheries and Oceans Canada
- 9:15 Introductions (All in the room)
- 9:30 Brief Overview of the Next Two Days (Facilitator)
- Process and Anticipated Outcomes
- 9:45 General Overview of Stock Restoration (Facilitator)
- Backgrounder Review
 - Definitions, Acronyms and Concepts
 - Yukon River Salmon Agreement principles
- 10:00 Break**
- 10:15 Salmon Hatcheries, Concepts, Techniques, Principles and Applications (Mike Bradford, DFO)
- 11:00 Columbia River Chinook Stock Restoration Project (Joseph Oatman, Nez Perce Tribe, Idaho)
- 12:00 Lunch – provided**
- 1:00 Recap of morning session (Facilitator)
- 1:15 Salmon Stock Restoration in Columbia River and Okanagan (Howie Wright, Okanagan Nation Alliance)
- 2:15 Alaska Department of Fish and Game, Chinook salmon hatchery overview and Case Study (Ron Josephson, ADF&G)
- 3:00 Break**
- 3:15 Overview of the Fisheries and Oceans Canada Salmonid Enhancement Program: Stock Restoration Case Study (Michael Crowe, DFO)
- 4:00 YUKON CASE STUDY #1 – McIntyre Creek Hatchery (Darrell Otto, Yukon College)
- 4:20 PANEL – Questions and Answers with Expert Panel
- 5:00 End of Day



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Day 2 – Wednesday, October 8, 2014

- 8:30 Coffee
- 9:00 Recap of Day 1 (Facilitator)
- 9:15 YUKON CASE STUDY #2 – Ta'an Kwäch'än Fox Creek Project
(Coralee Johns, Fish and Wildlife Coordinator)
- 9:35 YUKON CASE STUDY #3 – Whitehorse Rapids Fish Hatchery
(Lawrence Vano, Yukon Energy Corp. / Access Consulting)
- 9:55 YUKON CASE STUDY #4 – Tagish Salmon Update
(Tami Grantham, Ecofor Consulting and CTFN)
- 10:15 Break**
- 10:30 Yukon River Panel Restoration and Enhancement Program
(Angus Mackay, Pacific Salmon Commission)
- What's been done for R and E supported Stock Restoration in the past?
 - What is eligible and how to apply?
 - Near term priorities
 - Project selection process overview
- 11:30 Mapping Exercise – Group Exercise (Facilitator)
- Identify areas where salmon Restoration Projects have occurred in Yukon & should occur
 - Sharing local knowledge
- 12:00 Lunch – provided**
- 1:00 Review Mapping Exercise – Discussion and Questions (Facilitator)
- 1:30 Round-Table Discussion on Stock Restoration Options for Canada (Small Groups & Facilitator)
- What would you like to see happen on the Yukon River?
 - Concerns and Opportunities
 - Key Questions
- 2:30 Report Back from Round Table Discussions and Stock Restoration Priority Identification
Session (Facilitator)
- 3:15 Break**
- 3:30 Developing a Strategy for Canadian-Origin Yukon River Chinook Salmon Stock Restoration
(Facilitator)
- 4:15 Next Steps and Closing Remarks
- 4:30 End of Workshop



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