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Paul Cleary, Director; Barry Norris, Technical Services Division Administrator; Tom Paul, Field Services Division Administrator; and Dwight French, Water Rights Division Manager, reported to the Commission on current water conditions across the state and drought-related Department activities including emergency permits and transfers, measurement and reporting, and regulation.

Doug Parrow, Field Liaison, reviewed statewide Streamflow Restoration Priorities developed jointly with the Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife.

Kate Vandemoer, Mid-Columbia Recovery Coordinator, National Marine Fisheries Services, spoke on federal initiatives designed to restore and maintain streamflows this year in the Columbia Basin.

Geoff Huntington, Executive Director, Oregon Watershed Enhancement Board (OWEB), gave an overview of OWEB's Strategic Plan, with an emphasis on funding opportunities for streamflow restoration efforts.

There being no further discussion, the work session was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

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