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**Subject:** Sufficiency Review

I would imagine that you are all neck-deep in your review of the CVP ROC BA. Thanks to everyone for all the time you are putting into this, I realize there is a lot to read through and comment on! I thought I would check in on a few things regarding the review, to make sure that we are all on the same page and making the best use of our time over the next week.

1. We have a sufficiency review check-in meeting tomorrow (Thursday). The agenda will be packed so please be ready to move through agenda items Please be prepared to have you top 5 deficiencies into the spreadsheet by tomorrow. It would also be helpful to identify the main areas where you have identified effects pathways that are raising "jeopardy" concerns.

Also for tomorrow, Cathy is going to want to hear what additional analyses we need to complete an effects analysis so that we can start coordinating with the SWFSC.

- 2. Friday: There is a director's call to elevate high priority matters, so this is a good opportunity to flag bigticket items from the sufficiency review for Barry and Paul.
- 3. Tuesday, Feb 19 is an all-day sufficiency review roll-up meeting. Maria will be joining us for some of this. The purpose of the meeting to to finalize our prioritization of sufficiency review comments so that we are prepared to convey our findings and try to seek resolution during two all-day meetings with Reclamation on Thursday and Friday, Feb. 21-22.
- 4. On Monday, Feb 25, we launch into a 30-day drafting period for the effects analysis, followed by 14 days to draft the integration and synthesis.

Ok, that's all for now. Keep in mind that there are weekly opportunities to elevated our findings and concerns to Maria, Barry and Paul. I will be working with all of you to make sure that I understand and elevate your concerns.

Thanks again! Also, Garwin, Cathy and I are taking food requests for our Tuesday meeting. I'm planning to bring smoked ribs and cornbread, but happy to accommodate specific requests if they fall within my wheelhouse.

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