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Sent: Wednesday, February 13, 2019 11:13 AM

To: Barbara Byrne - NOAA Federal

Subject: Re: Timeframe on notching of Fremont Weir?

Yeah, that's probably it (when they flood up their fields), but I'm not 100% sure. I will ask my DWR counterparts and let you know what I find out.

On Wed, Feb 13, 2019 at 10:54 AM Barbara Byrne - NOAA Federal < <u>barbara.byrne@noaa.gov</u>> wrote: Thanks, Doug!

One question -- what is meant by "flood period"? I think of winter (not April 15-Oct 31) as "flood period" in the bypass, but maybe in this context, it means the period for rice-growing?

On Wed, Feb 13, 2019 at 10:18 AM Douglas Hampton - NOAA Federal < douglas.hampton@noaa.gov > wrote: Hi Barb,

It sort of depends on when they start, but it is expected to all happen in one construction season.

The following is directly from the BA:

"Project construction would likely begin in late 2020 or early 2021 and is estimated to last 28 weeks. All Project components are expected to be completed in one construction season during times that are outside the flood period (April 15 through October 31)."

Hope that helps.

Cheers, Doug

On Wed, Feb 13, 2019 at 7:48 AM Barbara Byrne - NOAA Federal < barbara.byrne@noaa.gov > wrote: Doug, the ROConLTO BA refers to the notched Fremont Weir -- specifically, "as represented in Yolo Bypass Salmonid Habitat Restoration and Fish Passage EIS/EIR Alternative 1 (preferred alternative)". What is the timeframe of that project, i.e. when do you expect it will be completed?

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