

## Stephen Maurano - NOAA Federal

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**From:** Stephen Maurano - NOAA Federal  
**Sent:** Monday, June 17, 2019 5:55 PM  
**To:** Cathy Marcinkevage - NOAA Federal  
**Subject:** Re: ROC LTO BiOp Comments

Hi Cathy,

**Regarding the PWA files we discussed, I spot checked the eight word docs that appear to have highlighting, but no comments** (filenames starting with 1a, 2a, 4, 5a, 5b, 5c, 5e, 5g in R:\PWA Review\PWA Review Comments). It looks like the comments were aggregated / anonymized into the Excel sheet "2019 06 12 Draft NMFS EA Ex SLDMWA and WWD Comments.xlsx " rather than using the track changes function within Word. I searched the documents (Using: Advanced Find > More > Format > Highlight). **Even if just spot checking, I found comments that were missing in the word or excel document (listed below are page numbers)...** I'm moving on to work on Barb's Stanislaus temperature issue, rather than go through the rest of the documents, but I think this is enough to indicate, unfortunately, that there's some discrepancy in the documents and whoever compiled them will need to clarify.

### 1 Effects Analytical Approach V10 Peer Review Combined Comments

Missing Highlight in Word: 14

Missing Comment in Excel: 4

### 2a Effects Status-of-Species-and-CH--V8-Peer Review

Doesn't appear to have any highlighting

### 4 Effects Environmental Baseline v11- Peer Review Combined Comments

Missing Highlight in Word: 6

Missing Comment in Excel: 29, 40, 49 & 54 (these last two references might be highlighting left from our internal editing for cross references to be added later "Section XXX")

P.S. I drafted responses to the questions you ID'ed, plus a few more related to temperature. I'll hold on to them until you decide how to proceed.

On Mon, Jun 17, 2019 at 9:57 AM Stephen Maurano - NOAA Federal <[stephen.maurano@noaa.gov](mailto:stephen.maurano@noaa.gov)> wrote:  
Yay! We got temperature comments (that mean's people care :-)

- I'll get familiar with the comments and start formulating some potential response language that you could draw from if useful.
- In addition to the ones you listed, I also noted comments 15 (Anderson's model) and 145 (higher temperature projects beyond 2030)
- Working on local copy, won't touch the items on the ROCON drive.

On Sun, Jun 16, 2019 at 9:57 PM Cathy Marcinkevage - NOAA Federal <[cathy.marcinkevage@noaa.gov](mailto:cathy.marcinkevage@noaa.gov)> wrote:

Stephen -

On Friday we received comments from the public water agency community on our draft ROC LTO BiOp sections. There are a few specific to the Shasta/Upper Sac temperature text that I'd like your take on.

I'm not sure exactly how we are dealing with all of the comments yet. We can "comment note" some, and I do think we should consider the heavier ones, but I don't feel that we are mandated to revise our text to address all of them. So think of this as a first recon step until the ROC management team has a better handle on all of the comments to figure out our approach to responses (I have a sinking feeling that Rec actually sent us incomplete files since some contained NO comments whatsoever!).

Anyhow, here's the lay of the land:

1. The comments I'd like you to look at are here:

S:\PWA Review\PWA Review Comments\2019 06 12 Draft NMFS EA Ex SLDMWA and WWD Comments.xlsx

Note especially comments 60, 63, 64, 65(?), 66, 67, 71-74 (though I haven't checked to see to what this is referring).

2. The version that the PWAs used is here:

S:\PWA Review\ReviewMaterials\Effects\_Upper Sac Effects V17\_PeerReview.docx

DO NOT EDIT THIS VERSION. Use this for identifying the location of the text on which the comment is based.

3. The "latest" Shasta/Upper Sac section is here, but I'd hold off on editing anything yet:

S:\Draft BiOp\2\_ESA\2.5-2.6 Effects of the Action\Shasta Division\2.5 and 2.6 Upper Sac Effects V18 srb.docx

Addressing these and the peer review comments are our priority this week in completing revisions for a final pass through internal QA/QC clearance next week. So any help you can offer in efficiently considering these is super helpful! There will be more instruction as we get a handle on it, but an early start won't hurt.

Definitely let me know if you have any questions!!!

Thanks!

Cathy

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