**Breakout Group Instructions**

**Klamath Basin Fish Monitoring Workshop**

**August 27-28, 2025**

**Breakout Groups**

1. Upper Basin (Headwaters) above Keno dam

2. Middle Klamath including Scott, Salmon & Shasta (Klamath mainstem and tributaries from the Trinity River upstream to Keno Dam)

3. Lower Basin and Trinity (Trinity basin and Lower Klamath tributaries downstream from the Trinity River)

**Day 1 – August 27 - Monitoring Priorities and Scaling**

Objective: Review and refine priority assessments from June and discuss scaling

Adress the following questions:

1. What are the highest priority surveys that must be maintained in your region, and why?
2. Are there opportunities to scale, or otherwise modify current surveys, including high priority surveys, to reduce costs? Consider spatial and temporal scales.
3. Are there surveys or locations that you would consider stopping if you had to reduce overall efforts? How might stopping certain activities impact management decisions?
4. Are there new technologies or approaches that could increase efficiencies and reduce costs?

**Day 2 – August 28 – Scenario Budgeting**

Objective: Develop 2-year budget proposals for two scenarios

Scenarios:

1. 50% reductions in federal funding
2. 80% reduction in federal funding