

On October 21, 2009 the principal investigators and Recovery Program office held a conference call to discuss this setback. We jointly decided that the biological and geomorphic aspects of this study need to proceed concurrently, because the analyses are interrelated. Therefore we agreed that until a reliable dataset is available all work on this project would be postponed. Analysis on the pikeminnow data from the lower Green River was also delayed because of file incompatibilities. After obtaining the final dataset, work was delayed due to other commitments. At present, the age-0 pikeminnow dynamics analysis for middle and lower Green River is largely completed.

- VII. Recommendations: Because of delays in obtaining the historical data and file errors, this work is behind the original schedule but is proceeding. A new draft report due date is 31 March 2012.
- VIII. Project Status: Reinitiated after data files were received in good order. Behind schedule but proceeding.
- IX. FY 2011 Budget Status
- A. Funds Provided: \$19,240
 - B. Funds Expended: \$3,000 (most by LFL)
 - C. Difference: \$14,240
 - D. Percent of the FY 2011 work completed, about 15% and projected costs to complete: remaining budget (carryover remains from previous year).
 - E. Recovery Program funds spent for publication charges: None
- X. Status of Data Submission (Where applicable): NA
- XI. Signed: Kevin R. Bestgen 12 Nov. 2011
Reporting Principal Investigator Date