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Re: Shad question

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Hi Eric:

Sorry I have not responded sooner. Just getting caught up do to travel/meetings, etc. Our stocking/transport database shows 2925 adult shad released immediately below Hooksett Dam in Year 2002. They were released in multiple loads of about 295 each during June at the boat ramp immediately downstream of the dam. This area is at the upper end of the Amoskeag Dam headpond. These fish likely spawned in the rip below the dam with juveniles captured later at Amoskeag. No shad were transported to or released at other locations in 2002.

As for the plan, minor revisions are still occurring, and given that this is a Technical Committee document we'll need Policy Committee approval before we say it is final. I have received a few more edits that I will include and will send along the latest draft. We have not yet provided this to other stakeholders, power companies etc. so it is still indeed a Draft. We do not anticipate controversy, however we do need to get it out to others and have the Policy Committee give us the OK. We'll convene a meeting of the Committee in late summer.

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Good Morning, Joe:

Just checking to see if the shad restoration plan has been finalized. I reference it in the permit fact sheet I'm developing. If it has, please send it to me, if possible. Thanks.

Regards,
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