

APPENDIX 2A
OUTFITTER QUESTIONNAIRES

Appendix 2A-1: Questionnaire for Upper Klamath River Commercial Whitewater Outfitters

The following questionnaire was administered by telephone to Upper Klamath River commercial whitewater outfitters. The purpose of the questionnaire was to solicit feedback on the perceived contribution of whitewater recreation to local economies, and to gain perspective on how the local economy would be affected under Klamath Hydroelectric Project (Project) operations.

Outfitters listed in Table 2A-1.1 were contacted. The request was made to speak with the permit owner, but if unavailable, office managers or other staff were interviewed.

Table 2A-1.1. Upper Klamath River Commercial Whitewater Outfitter Respondents.

Company	City	State	Phone	Permit Owner
Whitewater Connection	Coloma	CA	(916) 622-6446	Troy Tanga
Living Waters Recreation	Mt. Shasta	CA	(530) 926-5446	Tom Harris
Rogue Klamath River Adventures (Wild Wayne's Whitewater)	Medford	OR	(541) 779-3708	Wayne Zallen
Noah's River Adventures	Ashland	OR	(541) 488-2811	Noah Hague
The Adventure Center	Ashland	OR	(541) 535-2116	Charles Schubert

Outfitter _____ Person Contacted _____

Phone Number _____

1. How many people do you employ to support Upper Klamath River Whitewater trips?

2. What percentage of your business is Upper Klamath River trips? _____
3. Where do your Upper Klamath River customers come from? _____
4. Where do your customers stay the night if they are from out of town?
Town/region _____
Lodging type (e.g., hotel, campground) _____
5. Is the rafting trip the primary reason for your customers trip to Southern Oregon /Northern California? _____
6. What percentage of your customers are also in the area for other activities (e.g., Shakespeare Festival in Ashland)? _____
7. What is the total number of people you take down the Upper Klamath River (average annual user trips)? _____
8. What are your rates for Upper Klamath River trips? _____
9. Where do you purchase your supplies for Upper Klamath River trips? _____

10. Are there any stores along the river or road to and from the river that you stop at for customers to buy stuff (food/souvenirs)? _____
- If yes, any idea of percent of people that buy things _____
 - If yes, what do they buy? _____
11. What is your estimate of the number of commercial user days relative to private use of the Upper Klamath River for whitewater activities? _____
12. Are there any photographers who photograph rafters and sell prints to your customers? If yes, what are the names of these photo operations and where are they based?

Appendix 2A-2: Questionnaire for Lower Klamath River Commercial Whitewater Outfitters

The following questionnaire was administered by telephone to Lower Klamath River commercial whitewater outfitters. The purpose of the questionnaire was to solicit feedback on the perceived contribution of whitewater recreation to local economies, and to gain perspective on how the local economy would be affected under Project operations.

Outfitters listed in Table 2A-2.1 were contacted. The request was made to speak with the permit owner, but if unavailable, office managers or other staff were interviewed.

Table 2A-2.1. Lower Klamath River commercial whitewater outfitter respondents.

Company	Phone	Contact	City	State	
Adventure Whitewater	541 621 0815				Number is in Ashland, OR. Their base camp is on the Klamath River 18 miles downstream of Happy camp (Paradise Point).
JH Ranch	Winter # (205) 879 5601 Summer # (530) 467 3468		Etna	CA	Winter number is in Alabama. Camp (and summer number) is in Etna, CA. This is a camp operation that uses the Klamath trip as one of their activities.
Kidder Creek Orchard Camp, Inc.	530 467 3265		Greenview	CA	This is a camp operation that uses the Klamath trip as one of their activities.
Turtle River Rafting Company	(530) 926-3223	Rick Demarest	Mt Shasta	CA	
Otter Bar Lodge	530 462 4772		Forks of Salmon	CA	This is a kayak school. They do not do raft trips.
River Dancers	530 926 3517	John McDermott	Mt Shasta	CA	
River Country Rafting	530 493 2207		Happy Camp	CA	
Orange Torpedo Trips	541 479 5061		Grants Pass /Merlin	OR	This outfit takes people down the river in their own individual inflatable kayak (provided by PacifiCorp).
O.A.R.S., Inc.	800 346 6277		?	?	They run trips throughout the Western U.S.
Living Waters Recreation (ALSO ASK for UKR)	(530) 926-5446	Thomas Harris	Mt Shasta	CA	

Outfitter _____ Person Contacted _____

Phone Number _____

1. How many people do you employ to support Lower Klamath River whitewater trips?

2. What percentage of your business is Lower Klamath River trips? _____

3. Where do your Lower Klamath River customers come from? _____

4. Where do your customers stay the night if they are from out of town?

Town/region _____

Lodging type (e.g., hotel, campground) _____

5. Is the rafting trip the primary reason for your customer's trip to Northern California?

6. What percentage of your customers are also in the area for other activities (e.g., family reunion, camping vacation)? _____

7. What is the total number of people you take down Lower Klamath River (average annual user trips)? _____

8. What are your rates for Lower Klamath River trips? _____

9. Where do you purchase your supplies for Lower Klamath River trips? _____

10. Are there any stores along the river or the road to and from the river that you stop at for customers to buy stuff (food/souvenirs)? _____

– If yes, any idea of the percent of people that buy things? _____

– If yes, what do they buy? _____

11. What is your estimate of the number of commercial user days relative to private use of the Lower Klamath River for whitewater activities? _____

12. Where do you put in and take out?

13. Are there any photographers who photograph rafters and sell prints to your customers?

If yes, what are the names of these photo operations and where are they based?

APPENDIX 2B
RECREATION RESOURCES BELOW IRON GATE

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Table 2B-1. Below Iron Gate recreation resources.

Name	Affiliation	City	Referred by
Zack Kauffman	Adventure center		Guide
Stephen Welch	Arta river trips		
Mark Swisher	Ashland fly shop		
Donna Boyd	For	Mt Shasta	Clubs
Paco Stewart	Former Noah's		Guide
Hugh Hague	Noah bus manager		Former guide
Noah Hague	Noah's		Out
Del Steyeart	WOA photos		Hugh Hague
Michael Kirwin	Osprey kayak school		Grant
Jedd Lehman	Private	Kf	Grant
Brandt Gutermuth	Private		Grant
Jeannie Musser	R ranch		Whittaker
John McDermott	River Dancers		
Kevin Lewis	Shasta paddlers	Redding	Clubs
Joe Ellis	Southern Oregon Univ.	Ashland	Clubs
Rick Demarest	Turtle river rafting		Out
Dave Payne	USFS		Ranger
Roger Lee	Wilderness Adventures		Out
Albert Kutzkey	Fishing guide		Out
Grant Weidenback	BLM ranger		BLM
Bob Claypole	Former guide		Stephen Welch
Ben Stokesberry	Private		Jedd Lehman
Jack Trout	Angling guide in Dunsmuir		Rick Demarest
Fred Gordon	Angling guide in Dunsmuir		Rick Demarest
Bill Cross	Private		Marty Cochran
Wally Johnson	Angling guide		Albert Kutzkey
Neil Rucker	Guidebook writer		Bill Cross
Ron Lantow	Private angler		USFS
Wally Watson	Angling guide		USFS
Wally Johnson	Angling guide		USFS

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Name	Affiliation	City	Referred by
Joe Giera	River country rafting		USFS
Gene Allred	Adventure whitewater		USFS
Thomas Harris	Living waters recreation		USFS
Bob Bearding	Angling guide		USFS
Bob Hemus	USFS recreation		USFS
Darren Roe	Fishing guide	Klamath Falls	Grant

Source: Dave Payne, U.S. Forest Service (2002).