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Term and Conditions 5f

5. In order to minimize the likelihood of incidental take through implementation of ecosystem restoration features (see Table 8-2 of the 2001 BA), the Corps shall:

- f. The Corps shall coordinate with NMFS on the development and implementation of pre- and post- monitoring protocols for the ecosystem restoration features to gauge their effectiveness in restoring the type, function, and value habitats identified in the 2001 BA. The Corps' restoration features monitoring plans shall be submitted to NMFS for review and approval by December 15, 2002.

Action Plan: The Corps is developing pre and post implementation plans for each of the ecosystem restoration projects. The concepts of the plans were discussed at a December 18, 2002 meeting.

Schedule: Submit plan to NOAA Fisheries and the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, when construction contracts are in draft state.

The following is a listing of each of the Ecosystem Restoration Feature; details follow behind each of the specific tabs:

ERF 1: Lois Island Embayment Habitat Restoration

ERF 2: Miller/Pillar Habitat Restoration

ERF 3: Tenasillahe Island Interim Restoration (Tidegate/Inlet Improvements)

ERF 4: Walker/Lord and Hump/Fisher Islands Improved Embayment Circulation

ERF 5: Tidegate Retrofits for Salmonid Passage

ERF 6: Tenasillahe Island Long-Term Restorations (Dike Breach)

ERF 7: Bachelor Slough Restoration

ERF 8: Purple Loosestrife Control Program

ERF 9: Cottonwood/Howard Island Proposal Columbian White-Tailed Deer Introduction