

(Friday, August 7, 2026)

Subject: Water Year 2026 Upper Snake River and Reservoir Operations Update

Purpose: The purpose of these updates is to provide information regarding Reclamation's operations and basin conditions as the season progresses. The information is provisional and subject to change.

Outlook

- *Outflow from Ririe Dam will be increased Monday August 10th to a total outflow of 325 cfs, to deliver water to American Falls Reservoir
- *Flow passing Milner Dam to the Snake River downstream is projected to cease on Monday August 17th
- *Storage levels will continue to follow near historically low reservoir levels this fall

