Summary Results - Water Needs Assessment Yakima River Basin Study (Task 2) August 19, 2010

I. Federally-Supplied Agriculture

Total diversions averaged approximately 1.8 million acre-feet during the years 1990-2009 (counting only non-drought years).

Non-Proratable Districts' Needs: No additional water needed under current conditions.

Proratable Districts' Needs for Additional Supply, Current Conditions (Drought Years):

Kittitas Reclamation District (KRD): 112,600 AF Roza Irrigation District (Roza): 116,300 Wapato Irrigation Project (WIP): 126,500 Subtotal 355,400

Less Increase in KRD Return Flows: <u>-56,300</u> **Adjusted Total: 299,100 AF**

For <u>future</u> conditions, information still needs to be developed on climate change and changes in crop mixes.

II. Non-Federally Supplied Agriculture

Total water uses (current) are estimated to be 590,000 acre-feet per year. The water needs assessment does not define a supply deficiency. This is because the Integrated Plan has not identified an objective of providing additional supplies in this category.

III. Municipal/Domestic Water Uses (Non-Drought Conditions; Drought Uses Depend on Curtailment Policies)

	Low	<u>Medium</u>	<u>High</u>
Projected additional use by 2060, adjusted for			
water conservation and land conversion (AF):	26,000	49,000	75,000
Projected additional <u>consumptive</u> use by 2060 (AF):	10,000	20,000	30,000

IV. Other Uses

Current use (estimated): 26,000 AF Current consumptive use (estimated) 13,000 AF

Future changes in this category were not assessed; and do not appear necessary to permit the Workgroup to develop recommendations for the Integrated Plan.