

Non native control ad-hoc group

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Charge to the committee:

Amended AMWG motion passed January 18, 2002:

In support of Goal 2, the AMWG recommends the following actions subject to environmental compliance to include assessing recreational use, ESA, and consultation with tribes and other affected state agencies:

1. Evaluate methods to remove non-native fish except for rainbow trout from Bright Angel Creek in 2002;
2. Evaluate methods to remove non-native fish from the LCR in 2002;
3. Gather public input, and conduct public education and environmental compliance on long-term removals in #1 and #2 above;
4. **Establish a TWG ad hoc committee to develop a 2002-2006 research, monitoring and management work plan for meeting MO 2.5 and 2.6 of the 17 August 2001 draft of the AMP Strategic Plan. The TWG will report back to the AMWG at the next meeting.**
5. **Using data from #1 - #4 above, make recommendations on future removals.**

Management Objectives 2.5 & 2.6 (which were referenced in the motion)

(MO 2.5) Attain humpback chub condition in the LCR and main stem aggregations. Target is viable populations and removal of jeopardy.

(MO 2.6) Reduce native fish mortality due to non-native fish predation/competition as a percentage of overall mortality in the LCR and main stem to increase native fish recruitment.

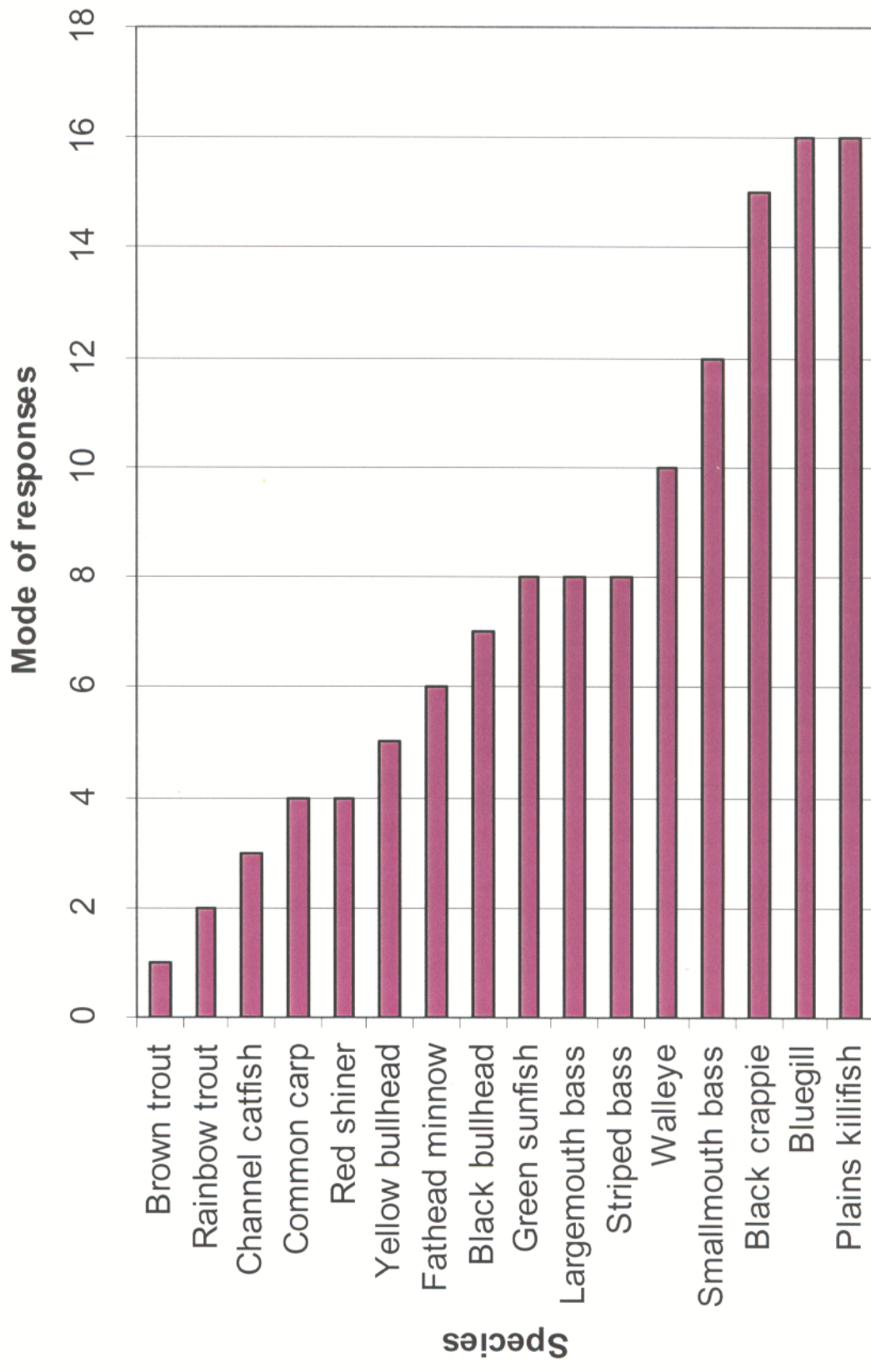
(Note: numbering of management objectives is that used in the August 17, 2001 draft of the AMP Strategic Plan).

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Threats

Perceived Threat



Control Methods

- **Electrofishing or net**
- **Traps or weirs**
- **Seine**
- **Chemical**
- **Managed flow**
- **Temperature Control**
- **Other**

Brown Trout Control Methods:

- Electrofishing or net
- Chemical control
- Traps or weirs



Rainbow Trout Control Methods:

- Electrofishing or net
- Managed flow
- Temperature control



Catfish Control Methods:

- Traps or weirs
- Chemical control
- Temperature control



Schedule for completion

- November 22 E-mail plan to TWG (Linda)
- Dec. 11 comments back from TWG
- Mail out report Dec 16
 - Phone poll Fri Dec 20th
- Dec 27 AMWVG mailout (Linda)
- Jan 28 AMWVG meeting