

## **Minor Modification BONY 3**

### **Motion 11-003**

The Steering Committee approves Reclamation's recommended changes to conservation measure BONY3 to:

***BONY3 – Bonytail augmentation program. The LCR MSCP will provide a level of funding to support implementation of a stocking/augmentation program for the bonytail providing for the stocking of up to 620,000 subadult bonytail (at least 300mm in length) into the designated critical habitat for the species in Reaches 2-3, and in Reaches 4 and 5 of the LCR. The figure of 620,000 fish is not a target number for the LCR but represents an assumption (see BONY1) used to define the extent of funding that would be available, with the understanding that the adaptive management process (see 5.12.2.2) would guide the actual stocking program. The elements of the augmentation program divide the conservation efforts into the three reaches with numbers for fish per year per reach:***

***3.3 When technology permits, implement an experimental augmentation of 4,000 subadult fish annually in the Parker-Imperial river reach (Reaches 4 and 5) for ten consecutive years within the 50-year program (40,000 total augmentation) and conduct intensive follow-up monitoring. These fish are additional to the annual augmentation listed in BONY 3.4.***

See PDD 11-003 (Moved Wade Noble, seconded by Perri Benemelis)