

IMPLEMENTATION SCHEDULE

Implementation schedules are contained in each recovery unit chapter. These schedules describe recovery task priorities, task numbers, task descriptions, duration of tasks, potential or participating responsible parties, estimated costs, and comments. Implementation tasks in recovery unit chapters 2 through 28, should lead to recovery of bull trout in the coterminous United States as discussed in Part II of this recovery plan.

Parties with authority, responsibility, or expressed interest to implement a specific recovery task are identified in the implementation schedule. Listing a responsible party does not imply that prior approval has been given, nor does it require that party to participate or expend funds. However, willing participants will benefit by demonstrating that their budget submission or funding request is for a recovery task identified in an approved recovery plan, and is therefore part of a coordinated effort to recover bull trout. In addition, section 7(a)(1) of the Endangered Species Act directs all Federal agencies to use their authorities to further the purposes of the Endangered Species Act by implementing programs for the conservation of threatened or endangered species.