

## **Upper Adams Sockeye - Brood Year 2005 Fry Supplementation Project** **(SF-2005-H-6)**

### **Project Summary**

Project began in early August with the purchase of all required fish culture supplies and preparation of sockeye incubation facilities. Given the historic spawning period for this stock of August 20<sup>th</sup> –September 5<sup>th</sup>, an initial trip into the watershed was made on August 18th. Less than 50 adults were observed on that date, and for the following three week period project staff (hatchery & ALIB technicians) performed regular Monday reconnaissance trips into Upper Adams, with DFO / StAD staff from Kamloops conducting inspections each Thursday. On no occasion was more than 150 live fish seen, so on September 9<sup>th</sup>, the decision was made to “stand down”.

### **Expenditures**

- a) Hatchery Staff Labour - \$4100
  - 14 days total for four staff members +GST.
  - Activities included project/facility preparation and watershed reconnaissance trips (4).
  
- b) Adams Lake Indian Band Labour - \$1240
  - 4 days total between Coordinator and Lead Technician.
  
- c) Supplies & Transportation- \$4790
  - Includes one month truck rental, gas, various fish culture supplies +GST.
  - It should be noted that all fish culture supplies purchased have been stored in hopes of future application to work with this stock.

**Total Expenditure = \$10,130**