

Release Notes for Pisces version 3.12

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Welcome to the latest release of Pisces, version 3.12.

Pisces is a web-enabled .NET software application used by BPA and its Fish & Wildlife program participants to track and manage projects throughout the Columbia River Basin. Pisces allows contractors and BPA project managers to collaborate on project definition and ongoing project management over the internet.

Want to find out more about what Pisces is and what you can do with it? Start here:

<http://www.efw.bpa.gov/contractors/usingpisces.aspx>

Changes in this release include:

Regional Coordination and Infrastructure

NOAA Metric Compliance Following up on the bulk of new metrics and classifications we released in June to support the “Katz” metric standard, several additional changes to metrics, work elements, and dimensions have been rolled out.

Initiation and Contract Delivery Workflow

Contract Approver As part of our new formalized process for tracking a CR or CCR through approval stages, you’ll notice a new role visible in the Contract Contacts grid – Contract Approver. This is the BPA person who will approve the contract before passing it on to a Contracting Officer (CO) for final approval.

General Enhancements/Updates

Shading of End Dates in My Stuff Red shading in My Stuff has been adjusted to be most appropriate for each user.