

Release Notes for Pisces version 3.7

Release Date: **February 11, 2010**

Welcome to the latest release of Pisces, version 3.7.

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

BiOp Tracking More work behind the scenes has been done to track BPA's implementation of the 2008 FCRPS BiOp. In this initial release, only BPA users will see the new BiOp areas.

Technical Platform

BPA Infrastructure Lots of technical backend changes mandated by Federal law have taken place in this release. For the most part, you should not see any impact.

.NET Framework 3.5 To enable us to do new "cool" things in Pisces related to workflow and other upcoming functionality, we upgraded the .NET Framework platform of Pisces from 2.0 to 3.5 sp1. You or your IT department were informed of this change and should have upgraded your computer by the date of the release. If you receive a message when trying to access Pisces that you do not have .NET Framework 3.5 sp1, please contact your system administrator.

General Enhancements

Support Office 2007 Document Attachments Users will now be able to upload attachments that come from Office 2007 – specifically files that end in .docx, .xlsx, and .pptx.

The next Pisces release 3.8 is scheduled for April 8, 2010.