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Hello:

Forecasts continue to decrease and Flaming Gorge Dam is in the dry hydrologic classification as outlined in the Record of Decision. Therefore, in order to conserve reservoir storage, beginning October 1, 2012, Flaming Gorge Dam releases will be decreased from 1,100 cfs to a steady release of 810 cfs at a rate of 50 cfs/day according to the attached schedule. Releases will continue at a steady 810 cfs until otherwise communicated. It is anticipated that releases during December through February will increase to an average daily release of 1,200 cfs.

Flaming Gorge information for the last five days is below. Please be aware that all data is provisional and subject to change.

Flaming Gorge	Elev (ft)	Inflow (cfs)	Unreg Inflow (cfs)
09/20/12	6,021.63	887	294
09/21/12	6,021.60	695	139
09/22/12	6,021.57	689	171
09/23/12	6,021.57	1,249	768
09/24/12	6,021.55	875	358

Additional FG data and information can be found here: http://www.usbr.gov/uc/water/rsvrs/ops/crsp_40_fgd.html

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Flaming Gorge Dam Release Schedule

	10/1/2012	10/2/2012	10/3/2012	10/4/2012	10/5/2012	10/6/2012
Time (MPT)	Release (cfs)	Release (cfs)	Release (cfs)	Release (cfs)	Release (cfs)	Release (cfs)
0:00	810	810	810	810	810	810
1:00	810	810	810	810	810	810
2:00	810	810	810	810	810	810
3:00	810	810	810	810	810	810
4:00	810	810	810	810	810	810
5:00	1,030	970	910	810	810	810
6:00	1,030	970	910	810	810	810
7:00	1,030	970	910	810	810	810
8:00	1,030	970	910	810	810	810
9:00	1,030	970	910	810	810	810
10:00	1,030	970	910	810	810	810
11:00	1,030	970	910	810	810	810
12:00	1,030	970	910	810	810	810
13:00	1,030	970	910	810	810	810
14:00	1,030	970	910	810	810	810
15:00	1,030	970	910	810	810	810
16:00	1,030	970	910	810	810	810
17:00	1,440	1,340	1,250	1,220	1,000	810
18:00	1,440	1,340	1,250	1,250	1,000	810
19:00	1,440	1,340	1,250	1,250	1,000	810
20:00	1,440	1,340	1,250	1,250	1,000	810
21:00	1,410	1,340	1,250	1,220	1,000	810
22:00	810	810	810	810	810	810
23:00	810	810	810	810	810	810
Average	**1,050**	**1,000**	**952**	**899**	**850**	**810**

Hourly release schedules are an approximation of releases.
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