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Make clear how point sources and dams in tributaries to the Columbia and Snake are treated in the temperature accounting. Embrace the use of stratified cold water in dams and reservoirs, where applicable. Embrace a voluntary temperature mitigation bank to support compliance over specific reaches and funding and finance of projects to address issues. Develop a cost-effectiveness-criteria for temperature measures that are considered and implemented. Show how the volume of a cold-water refuge is measured. Embrace creative solutions that can turn permitted warm water outfalls into cold-water refuge while delivering energy co-benefits (i.e. renewable heat). Support replicable pilot projects that can help tributaries, point sources, and dams achieve temperature goals in aggregate. Come to the table with solutions that can help facilities with permitted outfalls before bringing the regulatory hammer. Make more incentive funding available to businesses and for-profit organizations.