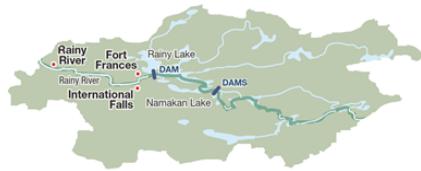




International Rainy and Namakan Lakes Rule Curves Study Board



Rainy – Namakan Lakes Rule Curves Study Wants to Hear from River Residents

(May 5, 2016) If you live on or use the Rainy River and are affected by fluctuations in water levels there is a study that wants to hear from you.

The Rainy Namakan Lakes Rule Curve Study is looking for information on how the water levels and flows along the Rainy River affect the people who live, work, and recreate along it and has released an online survey designed to gather that information.

There are questions related to water level fluctuations and both high water and drought conditions. It is anonymous and cannot be used to identify individuals, unless they volunteer their contact information.

The survey can be accessed online at <http://bit.ly/RainySurvey>

The Study Board will make scientifically-supported recommendations to the International Joint Commission in the spring of 2017 for modifying or retaining the 2000 rule curves after reviewing the wide range of hydrologic, hydraulic, cultural, economic and environmental factors.

Visit the Study Board website for further information on the Rule Curve review:

<http://ijc.org/en/RNLRCSB>

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