MCDA Decision Criteria for participatory stakeholder workshop Fall 2019

West Enfield Dam FERC No. P-2600: RAW DECISION MATRIX (cell values are data values and have not been changed in any way)

Decision Criteria	Keep and Maintain Dam	Improve Fish Passage	Improve Hydropower Capacity	Improve Hydro AND Fish Passage	Remove Dam
Sea-run fish habitat area (100 square m)	24,200	55,480	24,200	55,480	86,750
River recreation area (square km)	12	12	12	12	12-26
Reservoir storage (100,000 acre feet)	0	0	0	0	0
Annuitized project costs (\$2018 thousands/yr)	949	1,067	949	1,067	179
Breach Damage Potential	3	3	3	3	0
Number of Properties Impacted	0	0	0	0	5
Annual Electricity Generation (GWh/yr)*	73	73	73	73	0
CO2 Emissions Reduction (kilotonne/yr)	10	10	10	10	0
Indigenous Lifeways	1	3	1	2	5
Industrial Historical Value	3	2	2	2	2
Community Identity	3	3	2	3	4
Aesthetic Value	2	3	2	3	5
Public Health	1	3	2	3	4
Social and Environmental Justice	1	3	1	2	5

^{*1} GWh = 1000 MWh, so to convert from GWh to MWh, multiply the value by 1,000. To convert from MWh to GWh, divide by 1,000.

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