



EXPLORE HOW OUR CHOICES HAVE IMPACTS ON WATER

JANUARY 15 – JULY 31, 2021 *Sky Gallery | Decisions Downstream*

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Monday-Sunday, 10am-5pm
(advance tickets required)

All of us—people, fish, and many other creatures—depend on the water in Utah’s rivers. The choices we make about how to develop water resources have big impacts on river habitats. In *Decisions Downstream*, a watershed scientist teams up with artists to explore new ways of seeing river habitats. Come immerse yourself in beautiful large-scale images created from layers of scientific data, original paintings that capture the transcendent experience of encountering wild fish, and projections onto 3D maps that tell stories of our past water development choices and those we face in the future. Then discover how new water management models can help us preserve river habitats and supply water for people. Critical water decisions are being made in Utah. *Decisions Downstream* highlights the water development tools, tradeoffs, and alternatives that can guide our choices.

nhmu.utah.edu/museum/exhibits/decisions-downstream

ONLINE *Keeping Fish in Mind for Decisions Downstream*

If you were a fish, what would make your watery home more comfortable? The question isn't as simple as it might first appear. Naturally, fish rely on water to survive. But not just any river or stream will do. Different species have varied needs, touching everything from what's in the water to where the water goes.

Read more at nhmu.utah.edu/blog/2021/decisions-downstream

We are excited to welcome you! Per CDC guidelines, face coverings are recommended for those who are not fully vaccinated.

Decisions Downstream is part of *Think Water Utah*, a statewide collaboration and conversation on the critical topic of water presented by Utah Humanities and its partners. Find out more about statewide events as part of this project here:

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