



REPLY TO
ATTENTION OF

DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY
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24 February 2015

Bonneville Project

John Whiteaker
Columbia River Inter-Tribal Fish Commission
729 NE Oregon Street, Suite 200
Portland, OR 97323

Dear Mr. Whiteaker:

This is in response to your February 18, 2015 letter requesting approval for access to Bonneville Dam's Adult Fish Facility (AFF) for the purpose of sampling adult Chinook, sockeye, and steelhead. This is a continuation of annual sampling activities. Sampling is expected to occur one to five days a week beginning in mid-March and continuing through the end of October. As you know, you will be required to follow all protocols found in the current Fish Passage Plan (FPP) Appendix G- AFF protocols for Bonneville Dam. In addition, you will need to comply with all reporting requirements found in the current FPP section BON 3.3.3.

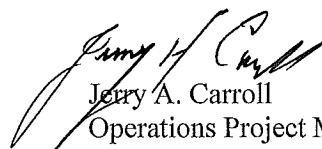
You are also requesting access for the purpose of continuing annual sea lion hazing activities. It is understood those details will be submitted with the requests from WDFW and ODFW.

With respect to the work outlined in your research packet, your request is generally approved, provided you are able to obtain all necessary ESA and state permits. No work may begin until valid and current permits, or an explanation as to why permits are not required, are on file with the Ms. Ida Royer and Ms. Tammy Mackey.

Prior to beginning work, please arrange a meeting with Ms. Ida Royer, 541-374-2541. You will need to provide a Project impact statement, job hazard analysis, copies of permits, and a personnel list. Please send electronic copies of these documents to Ms. Royer, ida.m.royer@usace.army.mil and Ms. Tammy Mackey, tammy.m.mackey@usace.army.mil. Please remain in contact with Ms. Royer throughout your time at the dam. There are many researchers and contractors working at the dam, please work to ensure good communication and cooperation between agencies and organizations.

A copy of this letter has been posted to NWP 2014 Access Responses found at: <http://www.nwd-wc.usace.army.mil/tmt/documents/FPOM/2010/NWP%20Research/2014%20NWP%20Access/>
If you have questions regarding this correspondence, please contact Ms. Royer via e-mail or by phone.

Sincerely,


Jerry A. Carroll
Operations Project Manager
Bonneville Lock and Dam

CENWP STAFFING SHEET

RTAO: Ida Royer, CENWP-OD-B

DATE: 24 February 2015

SUBJECT: Approval letter for John Whiteaker – CRITFC

DESIRED ACTION: Requires OPM Signature

RETURN TO: Ida Royer or call 541-374-2541 if there are questions.

MFR: Please send a copy of the scanned, signed letter to Tammy.m.mackey@usace.army.mil and copy Ida.M.Royer@usace.army.mil.

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