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June 8, 2021

Eric Winther
WDFW Project Manager
Columbia River Predator Control Program
2108 Grand Blvd.
Vancouver, WA 98661

Dear Mr. Winther:

This is in response to your March 4, 2021 letter requesting approval for access to The Dalles Dam in order to conduct hook and line removals of predatory Northern Pikeminnow from the Boat Restricted Zones adjacent to the Project.

With respect to the work outlined above, your request is generally approved, provided you have all necessary ESA and state permits. Please forward the electronic copies to Jeffrey Randall Jeffrey.W.Randall@usace.army.mil and Nathan McClain at Nathan.A.McClain@usace.army.mil. No work may begin until valid and current permits, or an explanation as to why permits are not required, are on file with Jeff Randall and Nathan McClain. You will be required to comply with all reporting requirements found in the current FPP section TDA 3.3.3.

With consideration of the COVID-19 conditions acknowledged in access request, communication between Corps and CRITFC personnel will be ongoing throughout season to comply with latest/current safe practices.

Prior to beginning work, please arrange a meeting with Jeff Randall, 541-506-8276. Please remain in contact with Mr. Randall throughout your time at the dam. There are many researchers and contractors working in the area, please work to ensure good communication and cooperation between agencies and organizations.

A copy of this letter has been posted to <http://pweb.crohms.org/tmt/documents/FPOM/2010/NWP%20Research/2021%20NWP%21Access/>

If you have questions regarding this correspondence, please contact Jeff Randall via e-mail or by phone at 541-506-8276.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Ron D. Twiner".

Ron D. Twiner
Operations Project Manager
The Dalles Lock and Dam

CENWP STAFFING SHEET

RTAO: Jeff Randall, CENWP-ODD

DATE: June 8, 2021

SUBJECT: Approval letter for WDFW to access to The Dalles Project in order to conduct hook and line removals of predatory Northern Pikeminnow from the Boat Restricted Zone(s) adjacent to the Project.

DESIRED ACTION: Requires OPM Signature

RETURN TO: Jeffrey.W.Randall@usace.army.mil

MFR: Please send a copy of the scanned, signed letter to Nathan.A.McClain@usace.army.mil

REMARKS:	Name of author	CENWP-ODD
	Non-concur/concur Concur	Project Fisheries CENWP-ODD Randall, Jeffrey
	Non-Concur/Concur Concur	NWP Fish Passage PM-E Rerecich, Jon
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