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FERC Project No. 2149

Re: Wells Relicensing – Project Area of Potential Effect Wells Hydroelectric Project

Dear Mr. Kreiter,

Your letter of July 18, 2006 requested concurrence on the area of potential effect (APE) for the Wells Hydroelectric Project relicensing from the Tribal Historic Preservation Officer of the Confederated Tribes of the Colville Reservation. Your letter defined the APE as:

The Wells Project area of potential effect (APE) includes all lands within the FERC Project boundary (Figure 1). The APE also includes any lands outside of the Project boundary where cultural resources may be affected by Project-related activities that are conducted in compliance with the FERC license (e.g. the Wells HCP Tributary Conservation Program) (Figure 2).

Figures 1 and 2 had previously been delivered to our office.

Based on the information before us at this time, we concur with the APE as detailed in the July 18 letter, in the referenced figures, or lands associated with any attendant transmission lines specifically included in the relicensing effort.

Thank you; we look forward to continued cooperation related to FERC Project No. 2149. If you have any questions or concerns regarding this letter, please contact me at (509) 634-2654.

Sincerely,

Camille Pleasants
Tribal Historic Preservation Officer

CC Doug Seymour, CBC Culture Committee Chairman
John Sirois, Cultural Preservation Administrator
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