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In reply refer to: DK-7

Mr. Douglas J. Albright  
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Winnebago, IL 61088

RE: FOIA #08-062

Dear Mr. Albright:

This letter is your final response to your request for information that you made to the Bonneville Power Administration (BPA), under the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA), 5 U.S.C § 552.

**You requested the following:**

Any and all HOT meeting agendas, meeting minutes and any attachments from April 2008 to the present. A copy of HOT meeting schedule with dates from upcoming meetings for the remainder of FY 2008 and any agendas for those meetings in PDF or CD format.

**Response:**

BPA has provided a copy of the October 2-3, 2008, HOT meeting agenda. There are no other responsive documents to your request and there is no charge.

If you are dissatisfied with this determination, you may make an appeal within thirty (30) days of receipt of this letter to the Director, Office of Hearings and Appeals, Department of Energy, 1000 Independence Avenue SW, Washington, DC 20585. Both the envelope and the letter must be clearly marked "Freedom of Information Act Appeal."

I appreciate the opportunity to assist you with this matter. If you have any questions about this letter, please contact Laura M. Atterbury, FOIA/Privacy Act Specialist, at 503-230-7305.

Sincerely,

  
Christina J. Brannon  
Freedom of Information Act/Privacy Act Officer

Enclosure



**Hydro-Optimization Team Meeting  
Corps**

**October 2  
10:30 am– 4:00 pm**

**October 3  
8:00 am – 2:00 pm**

**@ Bonneville Dam in Auditorium Training Room**

**CO-CHAIRS:** Dan Ramirez (Corps); Tom Murphy (BPA)

**Agenda**

**10:30 – Day 1**

**Introductions, review agenda, adopt last minutes**

1. NWW 3D cam operational survey Follow-Up (Ramirez):
  - a. Programming fixes by GMT, review operation since fix
  - b. McN: Oil Head transducer mounting mod
  - c. IH: status
  - d. Hard cam replacement schedule
  - e. Planned follow-on surveys FY08
  - f. Overall 3D Cam Schedule FY08
2. 3D Cam Controllers
  - a. Software rewrite for NWW (Sojka)
  - b. Propagation Schedule NWW / NWP (Ramirez)
  - c. Subagreement Development
3. Type 1 Optimization (Sojka/Ramirez):
  - a. GBO Status
  - b. W-K Flushing System Status
  - c. Blade Angle Measurement JD U16 Status
4. Type 2 Optimization (Ramirez):
  - a. Status of Programming Fixes
  - b. Status of Flow Table Updates / GMT installation
5. Chief Joseph Abs Flow Determination (Ramirez):

## SUBAGREEMENT

- Review of schedule and costs for PPEI

Murphy, PMs

### 3:30 pm Wrap Up

Review old action items

Review new action items from today

Confirm next meeting date and agenda

**4:00 Discussion of Wednesday 10/3 Brainstorming meeting**  
**Format and topics to be determined by participants**

## October 3 Brainstorming meeting

### 8:00 am - 1:30 pm - Day 2

Brainstorming session- "The future of HOT"

### 1:30-2:00

Wrap-up

\*\*\*\*\* NEXT MEETING TBD\*\*\*\*\*

## **Hydro Optimization Team Consensus Decision Levels**

1. I can say an unqualified "yes" to the proposed decision. I am satisfied that the decision is an expression of the wisdom of the group.
2. I find the proposed decision perfectly acceptable.
3. I can live with the proposed decision, although I am not especially enthusiastic about it.
4. I do not fully agree with the proposed decision and need to register my view about it. However, I do not choose to block the decision. I am willing to trust the wisdom of the group.
5. I do not agree with the decision and feel the need to stand in the way of acceptance.
6. I feel we have no clear sense of unity in the Team. We need to do more work before consensus can be reached.

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