



## Department of Energy

Bonneville Power Administration  
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February 14, 2011

In reply refer to: DK-7

Dan Seligman  
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**RE: FOIA #BPA-2011-00611-F**

Dear Mr. Seligman:

Thank you for 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. Your letter was received in this office on Friday, February 11, 2011, and has been assigned a control number, BPA-2011-00611-F. Please use this number in any correspondence with the Agency about your request.

**You have requested:**

1. A copy of all consulting or professional services contracts between BPA and former vice president Vickie VanZandt or her firm, VanZandt Electric Transmission Consulting, Inc., September 1, 2009.
2. The sole-source justification for the contract(s).
3. All invoices submitted by VanZandt or by VanZandt Electric Transmission Consulting, Inc.

We have reviewed your letter and have determined that it addresses all the criteria of a proper request under the FOIA and the DOE regulation that implements the FOIA at Title 10, Code of Federal Regulations, Part 1004. You have agreed to pay \$50 in fees.

Ray Byrd, Contract Specialist, A & E Supplemental Labor, has been designated as the Authorizing Official for your request. Mr. Byrd has twenty (20) working-days to respond to your request. A due date for your response is Tuesday, March 14, 2011.

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

Sincerely,

*/s/Christina J. Munro*  
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Freedom of Information Act/Privacy Act Specialist



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### **RE: FOIA #BPA-2011-00611-F**

Dear Mr. Seligman:

Bonneville Power Administration (BPA) is taking an allowed ten working-day extension starting Wednesday, March 16, 2011, in order to complete the Exemption 4 review process and to respond to your request for the following:

1. A copy of all consulting or professional services contracts between BPA and former vice president Vickie VanZandt or her firm, VanZandt Electric Transmission Consulting, Inc., since September 1, 2009.
2. The sole-source justification for the contract(s).
3. All invoices submitted by VanZandt or by VanZandt Electric Transmission Consulting, Inc.

I appreciate the opportunity to assist you. Please contact Cheri Benson, FOIA/Privacy Act Specialist at (503) 230-7305 with any questions about this letter.

Sincerely,

*/s/Christina J. Munro*  
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