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In reply refer to: DK-7

Cheryl Brantley
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FOIA #BPA-2013-00361-F

Dear Ms. Brantley:

This is a partial release in response to your request for records that you made to the Bonneville Power Administration (BPA), under the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA), 5 U.S.C. 552.

You have requested the following:

All documents related to the I-5 Corridor Reinforcement Project (including any drafts and correspondence or email) to and from: Washington State Department of Natural Resources, Weyerhaeuser, PacifiCorp, Longview Timber Corporation, Sierra Pacific Holding Company, Port of Portland, U.S. Forest Service, U.S. National Park Service, U.S. Bureau of Land Management, U.S. Department of Defense, Washington State Department of Fish and Wildlife, Washington State Parks and Recreation Commission, City of Longview, City of Castle Rock, City of Camas, City of Washougal, City of Troutdale, Commissioners of Cowlitz County, Commissioners of Clark County, citizen groups using the names of Another Way BPA, No Lines in Populated Areas, Yale Valley Coalition, Citizens Against Towers, and No Way BPA.

Response:

On the enclosed disc are all previous FOIA requests submitted by citizen groups and their responses. The redactions to the responsive documents are explained in each FOIA response letter. These copies will not be reviewed for further discretionary release as they are just copies of previous FOIAs that met your request for correspondence with citizen groups.

Included is a file named "CrossReference.pdf," that cross references six past FOIAs that provide previous releases of documents involving the entities that you have asked for. Those responsive records have already been gathered, so we will look for additional records from the date of the previous release and the date of your request. We will also review the exemptions applied previously to see if they are still applicable at this stage of the project.

You had clarified that your request encompassed public comments submitted by any of the above named entities. All public comments for this project are posted on the bpa.gov website at the following address: <http://www.bpa.gov/Projects/Projects/I-5/Pages/Search-Comments.aspx>. If you select "Pre Draft EIS" from the pull down menu in the search field "Stage," you will be able to view all of the 3511 comments submitted. A previous FOIA, BPA-2012-00294, (on the enclosed disc) also provides public comments after October 2010.

Also on the enclosed disc are two documents that constitute a partial release to your request for documents involving the Washington State Department of Natural Resources: Appraisal MOU DNR-BPA 7-2010.pdf and FINAL BPA - DNR MOA 2012 - 92-088448.pdf. These documents are released in their entirety.

I appreciate the opportunity to assist you. Please contact Kim Winn, FOIA Specialist, at 503-230-5273 with any questions about this letter.

Sincerely,

/s/Christina J. Munro
Christina J. Munro
Freedom of Information Act/Privacy Act Officer

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