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March 16, 2015

The Dalles Lock & Dam

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Dear Dr. Caudill:

This is in response to your February 18, 2015 letter requesting approval to conduct studies involving the monitoring of movements of adult salmonids outfitted with radio-tags and Pacific lamprey outfitted with half-duplex (HDX) PIT tags in 2015. These studies are funded by USACE (Sean Tackley, Fish Biologist, Portland District TPOC) and to request permission for University of Idaho personnel to gain access to The Dalles Dam to install, download and maintain receivers and antennas as needed.

With respect to the work outlined above, your request is generally approved, provided you are able to obtain all necessary ESA and state permits. **No work may begin until valid and current permits, or an explanation as to why permits are not required, are on file with the Mr. Paul Keller and Ms. Tammy Mackey.**

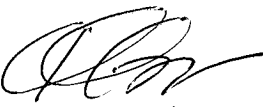
Prior to beginning work, please arrange a meeting with Mr. Paul Keller, 541-298-7509. You will need to provide a Project impact statement, job hazard analysis, copies of permits, and a personnel list. Please send electronic copies of these documents to Mr. Keller, [Paul.S.Keller@usace.army.mil](mailto:Paul.S.Keller@usace.army.mil) and Ms. Tammy Mackey, [Tammy.M.Mackey@usace.army.mil](mailto:Tammy.M.Mackey@usace.army.mil).

Please remain in contact with Mr. Keller 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 NWP 2015 Access Responses found at <http://www.nwd-wc.usace.army.mil/tmt/documents/FPOM/2010/NWP%20Research/Research.html>

If you have questions regarding this correspondence, please contact Ms. Mackey via e-mail or by phone, at 503-961-5733.

Sincerely,

for 

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

CENWP STAFFING SHEET

RTAO: Tammy Mackey, CENWP-OD-S

DATE: 13 March 2015

SUBJECT: Approval letter for University of Idaho to access TDA to conduct studies involving the monitoring of movements of adult salmonids outfitted with radio-tags and Pacific lamprey outfitted with half-duplex (HDX) PIT tags in 2015.

DESIRED ACTION: Requires OPM Signature

RETURN TO: [Tammy.M.Mackey@usace.army.mil](mailto:Tammy.M.Mackey@usace.army.mil)

MFR: Please send a copy of the scanned, signed letter to [Tammy.M.Mackey@usace.army.mil](mailto:Tammy.M.Mackey@usace.army.mil).

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REMARKS:	Mackey/tm/	CENWP-OD-TF
	Non-concur/concur	Chief of Fisheries- Acting CENWP-OD-TF Mackey, Tammy
	Non-concur/ <del>concur</del> Concur 4/3/2015	Project Fisheries CENWP-OD-D Keller, Paul
	Non-Concur/ <del>Concur</del>	Operations Project Manager CENWP-OD-D Twiner, Ron
	Scan and file	Admin CENWP-OD-D

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