

CUTLER HYDROELECTRIC PROJECT

Bear River, Cache and Box Elder Counties, Utah



OVERVIEW

PacifiCorp is the owner and operator of the Cutler Hydroelectric Project (Federal Energy Regulatory Commission [FERC] Project No. 2420). The current Cutler Project FERC license was issued on April 29, 1994, and expired on March 31, 2024. An annual license was issued on April 10, 2024; the Project will operate on annual licenses until FERC issues the new Project license.

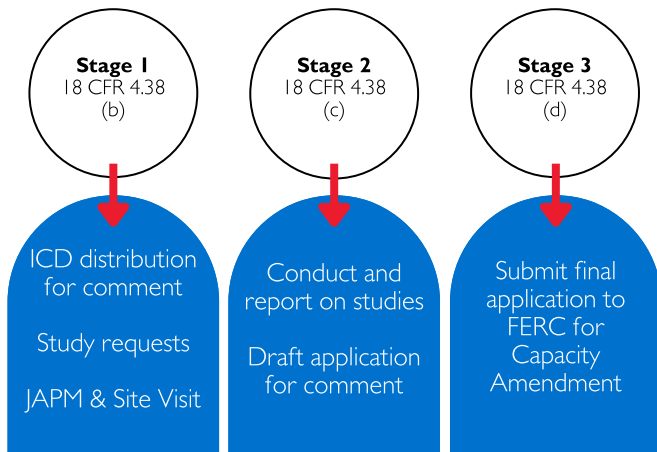
PacifiCorp is exploring the feasibility to amend the new Cutler Project license to incorporate the development of open-loop pumped storage facilities.

The potential proposed addition of pumped storage to the existing Cutler Project is intended to enhance the flexibility and reliability of the electric system by storing the energy generated from increasing renewable resources interconnected to PacifiCorp's transmission system.

THREE-STAGE CONSULTATION

PacifiCorp must complete the pre-filing "3-stage" consultation requirements of Title 18 Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) Section 4.38 as part of submitting a license amendment application to FERC under 18 CFR 4.200.

PacifiCorp intends to file an Initial Consultation Document (ICD) with FERC, outlining project details, including existing conditions, proposed facilities, operations, environmental data gaps, and proposed studies to fill data gaps. Following the filing of the ICD, PacifiCorp will host a Joint Agency and Public Meeting and site visit to discuss the Project and gather interested party feedback. Comments on the ICD and recommendations for studies and additional information are requested within 90 days of the meeting.



WHAT'S NEXT?

The tentative schedule is summarized below:

- Early Summer 2024 - File ICD
- Summer 2024 - Joint Agency Public Meeting and site visit
- Late Summer/Early Fall 2024 - Receive Public Comments (90 days following the JAPM)
- Fall 2024 - Evaluate public comments

Future tasks:

- Draft and Implement Resource Study Plans
- Draft Amendment Application for Interested Party Review
- File Final Amendment Application with FERC

Timelines may fluctuate based on regulatory changes, interested party feedback, and Project needs.

PROJECT WEBSITE

To view additional Project information and details such as on-going relicensing process, FERC submittals & meeting notes, schedule, existing relicensing study technical reports, and Cutler final license application please visit:

<https://www.pacificorp.com/energy/hydro/cutler.html>

QUESTIONS?

We want to hear from you. Contact the Project team with questions or feedback by emailing cutlerlicense@gmail.com

