

CITIZEN LETTERS

Response to Comment C1-1

The final license application includes a description of fish passage facilities or enhancement measures proposed at each Project development.

Response to Comment C1-2

Exhibit E, Section 4.3, addresses conceptual fish passage plans for each of the Project facilities that create a barrier to chinook and steelhead.

09172003Email-Allen.txt
From: Tom/Katy Allen [tkallen@humboldt1.com]
Sent: Wednesday, September 17, 2003 8:55 PM
To: Olson, Todd
Subject: Klamath Hydroelectric Project FERC 2082

C1-1 I am writing to urge you to take into account chinook and steelhead runs
C1-2 when you create a plan for the Klamath River dams. I encourage you to consider a plan to decommission some or all of the existing dams on the Klamath or, at the very least, a method of fish passage. The future of these historic runs is partly dependent upon your decisions.
Sincerely,
Katy Allen Bayside, California

From: Pelican Network [rocinante@pelicannetwork.net]
Sent: September 14, 2003 9:02 PM
To: Olson, Todd
Subject: Fish Passage

Ref: Klamath Hydroelectric Project FERC No. 2082

Dear PacifiCorp

C2-1 [Please consider restoring fish passage or dam removal.
Sincerely,
Jack Ellwanger
President, PelicanNetwork

Response to Comment C2-1

Please see Exhibit E, Section 4.3 of the FLA for a discussion of fish passage considerations.

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September 16, 2003

Response to Comment C3-1

PacifiCorp has proposed to decommission its East Side and West Side hydroelectric developments located near Link River dam. Please see Exhibit E, Section 4.3 of the Final License Application for a discussion of fish passage considerations.

Todd Olson
PacifiCorp
825 Multnomah, Suite 1500
Portland OR 97232

Dear Mr. Olson,

Re: Klamath Hydroelectric Project FERC No. 2082

As I am sure you are well aware the anadromous fisheries of the Klamath River Basin have been severely depleted for a variety of reasons through the years. The runs of fish, which once made the Klamath one of the richest rivers in the state, have declined to a tiny percentage of what used to be.

While the dams that your company operates are not the only or perhaps even the main reason for these declines, there is no question that impediments to returning fish on their spawning runs are clearly worsened by the presence of dams with inadequate fish passage facilities.

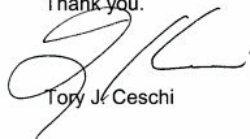
C3-1

I would hope, that your company will have the foresight to create a new situation during your relicensing process where you will breach or remove those dams, which are currently not serving any useful purpose. Additionally, those dams which you deem indispensable to your operations, should have the most "state of the art" fish passage facilities retrofitted to them.

This would give you enhanced credibility with the people of the State of California and earn you the respect and gratitude of your children and grandchildren for years to come.

Please consider my suggestions.

Thank you.



Tory J. Ceschi

From: Tom Dunn [tomdunn@hotmail.com]
Sent: September 15, 2003 10:55 PM
To: Olson, Todd
Subject: Klamath Fish Passage

C4-1

Dear Mrt. Olsen,
I have been a Klamath River user for over thirty years and sure would appreciate your companies initiative in helping protect and restore the salmon runs for the tributaries and main core of the Klamath. I use electricity also but would hope that fish conservation would be possible also. Yesterday I was at Bonneville Dam watching the record runs of salmon and steelhead use the ladders. If you have a chance during Sept., please try to make time for that. What a great salmon public relations clip your company could produce in the process of saving many consultant fees and possible litigation costs. Imagine the esteem your company would be held in if Klamath fish could have the same breeding opportunity on the stretch of river you want to manage.
Thank you for your consideration,
Tom E. Dunn
Cave Junction, OR

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Response to Comment C4-1

PacifiCorp has given serious consideration to fish passage by addressing the environmental and social costs and benefits of such a measure. See Section 4.3 of Exhibit E for a discussion of fish passage considerations.

From: Richard Salzman [salzman@inreach.com]
Sent: September 15, 2003 9:15 AM
To: Olson, Todd
Subject: Klamath Dams

CS-1 [Dear Mr. Olson,
I am writing to ask for your consideration as to the long term benefits
of improving fish passage around, if not breaching, the existing dams
on the Klamath.

Respectfully yours,

Richard Salzman

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"Working to bring balance and integrity to the public discourse on
issues of corporate responsibility."

Response to Comment C5-1

Please see Exhibit E, Section 4.3 of the FLA for a discussion
of fish passage alternatives.

Response to Comment C6-1

PacifiCorp has given serious consideration to fish passage by addressing the environmental and social costs and benefits of such a measure. See Section 4.3 of Exhibit E for a discussion of fish passage considerations.

C6-1

From: NJCushing [ncushing@remax.net]
Sent: September 16, 2003 2:28 PM
To: Olson, Todd
Subject: Klamath Basin
Hi Todd,
I'm writing concerning the need for adequate fish passage for the Klamath Basin and protect numerous fish runs.
Please have PacifiCorp consider an alternative ;
1) Create some method for fish passage or
2) Breach the existing dams like the Condit Dam near Mt. Adams, Washington.
Thanks for your consideration.
Sincerely, Nancy Jane

Nancy Jane Cushing, GRI,ABR
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From: Michael Evenson [evenson@igc.org]
Sent: September 16, 2003 10:09 AM
To: Olson, Todd
Subject: Relicensing dams on the Klamath

Dear Mr. Olson,

C7-1

In the relicensing of the Klamath dams, you should bring the project up to date. When originally constructed, we did not know their impact upon the fisheries and downstream recreational users. Now we do. Relicensing is intended to bring modern considerations to bear on the functioning of the dams. Otherwise, the license would be permanent and not open to modification.

Please take steps necessary to make the dams good neighbors to the entire Klamath community, the recreational economy and the fisheries economy.

Thank you,
Michael Evenson
PO Box 157
Petroia, CA 95558

Response to Comment C7-1

Thank you for your comment. This is exactly what PacifiCorp is attempting to accomplish.

C8-1

From: Michael & Marna Powell [spycke@humboldt1.com]
Sent: September 16, 2003 10:53 AM
To: Olson, Todd
Subject: Klamath dam removal
PacifiCorp and FERC must consider restoring fish passage in the relicensing process. Please develop an alternative —which means either some method of fish passage or breaching the existing dams.

Sincerely, Marna Powell
Orick, CA

Response to Comment C8-1

Please see Exhibit E, Section 4.3 of the FLA for a discussion of fish passage considerations.

From: JASavageHonest@cs.com
Sent: September 15, 2003 7:54 AM
To: Olson, Todd
Subject: Klamath undammed
Dear Mr. Olson:

C9-1 [PacifiCorp and the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission must consider restoring fish passage in the relicensing process for the Klamath.

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Response to Comment C9-1

Please see Exhibit E, Section 4.3 of the FLA for a discussion on fish passage considerations.

Gail Kenny
P. O. Box 361
Trinidad, CA 95570

September 18, 2003

Todd Olson
PacifiCorp
825 NE Multnomah, Suite 1500
Portland OR 97232

Dear Mr. Olson

C10-1 [I believe that PacifiCorp and FERC must consider restoring fish passage in the relicensing process for the dams on the Klamath River. Please develop an alternative such as either some method of fish passage or breaching the existing dams.

Sincerely,


Gail Kenny

Response to Comment C10-1

PacifiCorp has given careful consideration to the protection of anadromous fish species within the Project area and has proposed protection, mitigation, and enhancement measures in its final license application. Please see Section 4 of Exhibit E for a description of fish passage considerations.

Meyer, Carole

From: Mark Andre [mandre@arcatacityhall.org]
Sent: Wednesday, September 24, 2003 10:09 AM
To: Olson, Todd
Subject: Comment of re licensing of dam

Todd Olson
PacifiCorp

C11-1 [Please consider fish passage in any re-licensing of this dam.
Preferably, this dam should be breached to allow fish passage.

Mark Andre

Response to Comment C11-1

Comment noted. Fish passage is an important topic and one that is addressed in Exhibit E, Section 4.3 of the FLA.

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Meyer, Carole

From: Jean Perry [jeanevelynperry@hotmail.com]
Sent: Wednesday, September 24, 2003 4:16 PM
To: Olson, Todd
Subject: FERC No. 2082

Todd Olson
PacifiCorp
825 E. Multnomah St., Suite 1500
Portland, OR 97232

Re: Klamath Hydroelectric Project FERC No. 2082

Dear Mr. Olson,

C12-1 [Based on PacifiCorp's draft application for renewal of the license for its Klamath River dams, I would like to request that PacifiCorp include fish passage as part of its application for license renewal, and that it specifically consider removing some or all of the dams as an option.

C12-2 [I think it is highly important to consider these alternatives as part of PacifiCorp's planning and application process, and to consider the needs of all the Klamath River's users. My family depends on Klamath River fish for a significant part of our diet. As a whitewater rafter, I use several sections of the Klamath River for recreation, including the upper section between the dams at the state line, and I am very concerned about both flows and water quality. Please remember that the Klamath is a treasure that belongs to all of us.

Sincerely,

Jean Perry
668 Eighth Ave.
Westhaven, CA 95570

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Response to Comment C12-1

Fish passage is an important topic and one that is addressed in Section 4.3 of Exhibit E.

Response to Comment C12-2

Comment noted.

9/25/2003

Meyer, Carole

From: Rudy/Vicky [rampturn@tidepool.com]
Sent: Tuesday, September 23, 2003 11:29 AM
To: Olson, Todd
Subject: Fish Passage Alternative

Todd Olson
PacifiCorp
825 NE Multnomah, Suite 1500
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Dear Mr. Olson,

We met about two years ago when you guided a tour of the Iron Gate and Copco No. 1 facilities for members of the League of Women Voters and others. During the tour several of us said that we felt PacifiCorp and FERC must consider restoring fish passage in the relicensing process and you replied that fish passage would be one of the issues to be addressed in the relicensing process.

13-1 [I am writing this letter because I could not find were, in the alternatives section of the 3,500-page draft FERC relicensing application recently released to the public, fish passage is being address. If I have missed it please direct me to the relevant page(s) in the application. If PacifiCorp has, since our tour, decided not to address fish passage as an alternative then I am asking PacifiCorp to reconsider its position.

With the lack of fish passage facilities at Copco No. 1 and Iron Gate dams precluding anadromous fish migrations upstream of these facilities since 1913, this constitutes one of the most concerning, if not the most concerning, impact of the continued operation of these projects. While important for all of the species and stocks of fishes that would have migrated past the California-Oregon border for the last 90 years, this is most important for spring chinook salmon. These fish are reported to have been the most abundant anadromous fishes in the Upper Klamath Basin but now are relegated to the Salmon and Trinity sub-basins and are among the most at-risk fish populations in the entire Klamath system.

13-2 [Therefore, in conclusion, I will simply repeat my request that PacifiCorp address fish passage as an alternative in the FERC relicensing application.

Sincerely,
Rudy Ramp
370A California Ave.
Arcata, CA 95521

Response to Comment C13-1

Please see Section 4.3 of Exhibit E for a discussion on fish passage considerations.

Response to Comment C13-2

Fish passage is addressed in Section 4.3 of Exhibit E. As you stated, this is an important issue. PacifiCorp remains committed to completing fish passage modeling efforts to help address the issue of salmon re-introduction above Iron Gate dam.

Meyer, Carole

From: Teya Burnham [tburnham@qwest.net]
Sent: Monday, September 22, 2003 4:53 PM
To: Olson, Todd
Subject: SUBJECT: PLS REMOVE KLAMATH DAMS FOR SALMON

Dear Mr Olson,

Although the generation of hydroelectric power by dams is important to our society, we have inadvertantly sacrificed the spring-run of fish in the Klamath River, and suffered a decrease in steelhead in the Klamath and its tributaries because of PacifiCorp's dam projects.

C14-1 [I ask that PacifiCorp decommission the dams on the Klamath River in order to restore our salmon and other fish runs.

Sincerely,
Teya Burnham

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Response to Comment C14-1

Comment noted.

Meyer, Carole

From: susan.petersen@att.net
Sent: Sunday, September 21, 2003 12:28 PM
To: Olson, Todd
Subject: Klamath River Salmon

9/21/03

Dear Mr. Olson

C15-1 I am writing to you with my concerns as a leader in conservation in our area asking for you to consider restoring fish passage in your relicensing process as pertains to the Klamath River Basin. Please develop an alternative for our salmon resource by some method of fish passage or breaching the existing dams that prohibit the salmon migration upstream. As a Native American, a teacher in our Eureka City Schools and a hike leader in our greater area, I implore you to help us preserve and respect our northern California heritage of wild salmon. With your help, we can preserve and restore this resource for future generations.

Thank you for your help.

Sincerely,

Susan M. Petersen, Teacher with Eureka City Schools, Outings Hike Leader,
Sierra Club, and California Native American
1604 P. Street
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Response to Comment C15-1

Please see Section 4.3 of Exhibit E and Section 7 of the Fish Resources Final Technical Report for discussions on fish passage considerations and ongoing studies.

Meyer, Carole

From: jg56@humboldt.edu
Sent: Friday, September 19, 2003 9:10 AM
To: Olson, Todd
Subject: The Klamath

To Whom it May Concern:

C16-1

Now is a time more important than ever to protect the environment. It is dwindling and with the current administration it couldn't need help more. Please, for all of us, do all that you can to keep the Klamath River and the fish in it as healthy as is possible. Thank you.

Juliet Grantz, 20, student of Humboldt State

Response to Comment C16-1

PacifiCorp is committed to acting in partnership with other interested and responsible parties in the stewardship of the Klamath River.

09162003Email-Pelafigue.txt
From: Sophia Pelafigue [sophia@cosmicdebris.com]
Sent: Tuesday, September 16, 2003 9:18 PM
To: Olson, Todd
Subject: Klamath River

To Whom it May Concern,

I am a resident of Humboldt County and I strongly believe
the Klamath

C17-1 [River should be undammed! I believe that PacifiCorp and FERC must

consider restoring fish passage in the relicensing process.
PacifiCorp

C17-2 [should develop an alternative --which means either some method of
fish

passage or breaching the existing dams. The dams have changed the
timing of Chinook salmon runs dramatically. The Klamath was once
dominated by spring-run fish that now only exists in the Salmon
River

and the south fork of the Trinity, leaving the fall-run Chinook as
the
main run of the river.

Please give serious consideration to this invaluable
decision for the
people, salmon, and other living organisms of the Klamath River and
its
tributaries.

Sincerely,

Sophia Pelafigue

Reading Teacher, Arcata, California 95521

Response to Comment C17-1

See Section 4.3 of Exhibit E for a discussion of fish passage
considerations.

Response to Comment C17-2

PacifiCorp has given serious consideration to fish passage by
addressing the environmental and social costs and benefits of
such a measure. See Section 4.3 of Exhibit E for a discussion
of fish passage considerations.

09172003Email-Friedman.txt

From: Ann Friedman [birdsong@northcoast.com]
Sent: Wednesday, September 17, 2003 8:18 AM
To: Olson, Todd
Subject: salmon

The dams on the Klamath have changed the timing of Chinook salmon runs dramatically. The Klamath was once dominated by spring-run fish that now only exists in the Salmon River and the south fork of the Trinity, leaving the fall-run Chinook as the main run of the river.

The dams have also blocked access for steelhead to the Klamath and its tributaries in the 63-mile stretch where PacifiCorp's projects are located.

The NEC believes that PacifiCorp and FERC must consider restoring fish passage in the relicensing process. Now is the time for those with a yen for restoring the Klamath River salmon runs to ask PacifiCorp to develop an alternative -- which means either some method of fish passage or breaching the existing dams.

Thank you for your interest.
Joe and Ann Friedman
McKinleyville, California

Response to Comment C18-1

PacifiCorp has given serious consideration to fish passage by addressing the environmental and social costs and benefits of such a measure. See Section 4.3 of Exhibit E for a discussion of fish passage considerations.

C18-1

Response to Comment C19-1

Comment noted. PacifiCorp will continue working with the fish passage modeling subgroup to refine modeling scenarios.

09182003Email-Bailey.txt
From: Gary Bailey [tigergary@earthlink.net]
Sent: Thursday, September 18, 2003 9:06 PM
To: Olson, Todd
Subject: Klamath Hydroelectric Project FERC No. 2082

Gary Bailey
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September 18, 2003

Todd Olson
PacifiCorp
825 NE Multnomah, Suite 1500
Portland OR 97232

Re: Klamath Hydroelectric Project FERC No. 2082

Dear Mr. Olson:

C19-1 [PacifiCorp should consider restoring fish passage in the re-licensing process for the subject hydroelectric facilities. Please develop an alternative to provide suitable passage for fish throughout the project.

Thank you,
Gary Bailey

09182003Email-Raymer.txt
From: Terry Raymer [traymer@crihb.ihs.gov]
Sent: Thursday, September 18, 2003 5:41 PM
To: Olson, Todd

Dear Mr. Olson;

C20-1 [Not that i hold out much hope of you folks doing the right thing,
but some of us believe that PacifiCorp and FERC must consider
restoring fish passage in the relicensing process of PacifiCorp's
projects along the Klamath. Now is the time to restore the
Klamath River salmon runs and develop an alternative to present
practices which have changed the salmon runs dramatically. I work
with the Yurok and Hoopa people, it is difficult to measure the
destructive impact of this on their culture and traditions.

C20-2 [Please consider a plan which results in either some method of fish
passage or breaching the existing dams to restore some of the
rivers historical spring runs. Try and do the right thing, okay?

Thanks for your attention to this matter, terry raymer md

Response to Comment C20-1

Please see Exhibit E, Section 4.3 of the FLA for a discussion of fish passage considerations.

Response to Comment C20-2

PacifiCorp has given serious consideration to fish passage by addressing the environmental and social costs and benefits of such a measure. See Section 4.3 of Exhibit E for a discussion of fish passage considerations.

Sept 19, 2003

Mr. Todd Olson
PacifiCorp
825 NE Multnomah, Suite 1500
Portland OR 97232

Re: Klamath Hydroelectric Project - Ferc 2082

Dear Mr. Olson,

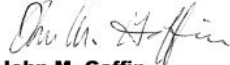
These comments are in relation to your required renewal of your licence for the Klamath River power projects.

Because of the serious negative effects that the Klamath River projects have had on the spring-run Chinook in the Klamath River I urge you to seriously consider alternatives to the existing lack of fish passage created by the dams. Steelhead have also been restricted from access to tributaries of over 63 miles of river above the dams.

C21-1

The 163 megawatts of electricity that the dams generate can not be considered sufficient to justify the serious harm to the environment that the dams now represent. In your renewal application please consider alternatives for fish ladders or dam removal in order to restore the substantial economic benefits that have been lost by the damming of the Klamath. Your agreement to remove the Condit Dam in Washington state is an example of the kind of considerations that you should consider for the Klamath River.

Sincerely,



John M. Gaffin
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Myers Flat, CA 95554

Response to Comment C21-1

PacifiCorp has given serious consideration to fish passage by addressing the environmental and social costs and benefits of such a measure. See Section 4.3 of Exhibit E for a discussion of fish passage considerations.

F I S H E R I E S F O C U S

Fisheries Habitat Restoration Employment Development
Interpretive Displays △ Socioeconomic Analysis

TO: Todd Olsen
Project Manager, Klamath Relicensing
PacifiCorp
825 NE Multnomah – Suite 1500
Portland, OR 97232
FM: Paula Fitzgerald Yoon
Fisheries Focus
DT: 9/24/03
RE: Comments on PacifiCorp's Draft License Application for the
Klamath Hydroelectric Project Relicensing (FERC 2082)
General Comments and Comments Specific to Socioeconomic Section

Dear Mr. Olson:

My comments to this process are based in my experience with the commercial salmon industry of the Pacific Northwest, as a F/V owner for 28 years, and as a current participant on:

- the Socioeconomic Task Force of this FERC process,
- the Klamath Provincial Advisory Committee and Socioeconomic Subcommittee,
- the Humboldt Bay Watershed Advisory Committee, and
- Project Director for the development of the
Redwood Regional Watershed Center

I feel certain that the major points I'm including in this document reflect those of many of the people living on the Klamath River below Copco Dam and many coastal communities of the Pacific Northwest, all who have directly experienced the positive and negative impacts of dams on our livelihoods and our ways of life.

General Comments

It has become increasingly clear in the 21st century that we need to provide adequate value to the presence of our natural resources, and the benefits they inherently provide. **It is thus ethically imperative that PacifiCorp analyze the status of the Klamath River and how it is presently impacted by Copco Dam and also how the same impacts would change without the presence of Copco Dam.** This can be accomplished via benefit transfer analysis of existing studies. As we are learning from decades of negative impacts, and in recognition of our new understanding of healthy watersheds and communities, in the long term the presence of this particular Dam may be causing more problems than it is solving.

Socioeconomic Task Force (SE TF) Participation

Participation in this open forum has been interesting, pleasurable, educational and frustrating. Interesting in the sense of becoming aware of other's perspectives, pleasurable in the presence of process civility, inclusion and occasional humor,

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Response to Comment C22-1

Through fish passage and water quality modeling, PacifiCorp is investigating the system-wide impacts of various dam removal options.

educational in the sense of learning more about the project and alternatives, and frustrating in that PacifiCorp has held a firm line on no consideration of decommissioning – regardless of the overall input to date, which is a clear call of consideration for dam decommission.

C22-2 The process to date related to study phase development has been very disconnected and confusing from my point of view as a volunteer participant with little time and funds to devote to the process. My understanding is that the disjuncture is located at the point where **the SE TF cannot move forward with expected study development until the Plenary correlates direction developed by consensus and gathered from all of the participating groups – which has not yet occurred.**

At the same time, there have been instances of receptivity by PacifiCorp for some changes and additions to the study plans as well as “additional language” considerations for concepts not included in the study plans yet deemed important by participants. Additionally, in my research for existing socioeconomic models that are watershed based and that include effects of watershed management on coastal communities, this effort by Copco is the first socioeconomic focus – to my knowledge – that includes coastal communities. As you know, a significant number of participants worked to bring that reality to the table. The extent to which effective research needs to be accomplished to truly validate socioeconomic impacts is important for resource managers of our nation to understand, and this particular step is one in the right direction.

C22-3 However, at this time, **adequate comprehensive socioeconomic research being produced specific to Copco Dam is highly questionable due to parameters being set by PacifiCorp.** What makes it even more questionable is that ultimately, we, as taxpayers of our nation, will likely end up funding the research that validates the final decision for relicensing. Thus it is imperative that the high level analysis research that we’ve been talking about being produced be relevant, accurate and applicable to other relicensing efforts. Given this reality, a number of times representative groups have offered support for funding high level analysis studies in each of the primary areas of analysis, however to date, I have not seen this significantly recognized.

Socioeconomic Section of the Draft License Application

C22-4 Given all of the work accomplished at the SE TF level in the study/phases over the past 2 years, the lack of information in this section astounds me. I was expecting to see a consolidation of the draft study plans, which we have reviewed over and over again. Thus socioeconomic content at large is **woefully lacking.**

I have a distinct question about a comment which appears to be thrown in as an unvalidated after thought at the end of the 3rd paragraph in section E9.1.1.4 **Specific Economic Development:** “This shift in fishing effort could be responsible for over-fishing of some of the targeted species.” This comment makes no sense at all given the context.

Thank you for your attention to the civility of this process.

Sincerely,
Paula Fitzgerald Yoon



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Response to Comment C22-2

You are correct. As was written in the draft Socioeconomic Phase 2 study plan, the proposed high level analysis of the anticipated changes in the socioeconomic condition due to the landscape options defined by the plenary could not proceed until (a) the landscape options were defined by the plenary and (b) the plenary provided direction on the meaning of "high level analysis". This study plan outlines a systematic approach toward populating the system landscape options matrix that would provide stakeholders and FERC with a solid foundation for conducting additional analyses of alternatives and a consistent basis for making comparisons among alternatives. Subsequent to preparing the draft Phase 2 study plan, the plenary changed direction and smaller groups comprised of participants from each of the stakeholder workgroups are now responsible for populating the SLOM. It is their choice whether or not to rely upon the draft Phase 2 study plan to guide their efforts.

Response to Comment C22-3

If by setting parameters, you mean PacifiCorp's refusal to conduct an analysis of a range in alternatives, PacifiCorp has explained that it does not intend to conduct an alternatives analysis during this pre-filing consultation process for a traditional relicensing, but that the FERC will conduct an alternatives analysis through their EIS post-filing. Please see the draft Socioeconomic Issues Paper for documentation of this outstanding issue.

Response to Comment C22-4

From your comment it appears that you reviewed the first posted version of the Socioeconomic section of the DLA. Much more information has been included. We did not wish

to merely repeat all of the detail that appears in the technical report, but we have attempted to be responsive to stakeholder suggestions for expanding the socioeconomic section of the DLA. The observation you made related to overfishing was originally made by the Pacific Marine Fishery Council and is intended to convey that a hidden cost of depleted salmon stocks is how it has likely contributed to overfishing other species.

Response to Comment C23-1

PacifiCorp has included in the FLA conceptual designs for a variety of fish passage facilities. See Section 4.3 of Exhibit E for a discussion of fish passage considerations.

09182003Email-Valko.txt
From: Curtis P Valko [loopyspeak@juno.com]
Sent: Thursday, September 18, 2003 4:14 AM
To: Olson, Todd
Subject: Klamath River Dams

C23-1 [Mr. Olson,
I am a citizen of Humboldt County expressing my direct request to you to consider the future migration of Salmon on the Upper Klamath by installing fish ladders or decommissioning dams on the Klamath. I can appreciate your accountability to Pacific Corp and I am simply asking that you consider the option of allowing Salmon passage over the existing dams in the near future.
Thank you for your time and attention to this matter.

Sincerely,
Curtis P. Valko
Email: loopyspeak@juno.com

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