



REPLY TO  
ATTENTION OF

DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY  
CORPS OF ENGINEERS, PORTLAND DISTRICT  
PO BOX 2946  
PORTLAND OR 97208-2946

6 May 2013

Operations Division

Gary A. James  
Aaron Jackson  
Confederated Tribes of the Umatilla Indian Reservation  
DNR Fish and Wildlife Programs  
46411 Timine Way  
Pendleton, OR 97801

Dear Mr. James and Mr. Jackson:

This is in response to your April 17, 2013 letter requesting approval for access to Bonneville Dam (BON) from June through September for the purpose of collecting up to 723 adult Pacific lamprey (*Entosphenus tridentata*), from BON, The Dalles and John Day Dams, as part of the on-going project to restore lamprey to the tribes' ceded waters. This project is funded by the Bonneville Power Administration and managed by the CTUIR.

Please note, NOAA Fisheries will be responsible for the AFF, NDE, and LPS traps, collecting lamprey and distributing lamprey not needed for research. Please coordinate with BON when planning your location for traps off the face of the dam. Locations will need to be coordinated with FPOM as well.

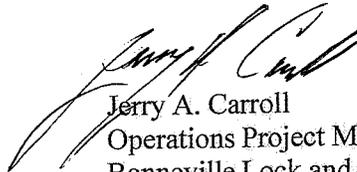
With respect to the work outlined above, your request is generally approved, provided you are able to obtain all necessary ESA and state permits. **No work may begin until permits, or an explanation as to why permits are not required, are on file with the Mr. Andy Traylor and Ms. Tammy Mackey.**

Prior to beginning work, please arrange a meeting with Mr. Andy Traylor, 541-374-4020. 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. Traylor, [Andrew.W.Traylor@usace.army.mil](mailto:Andrew.W.Traylor@usace.army.mil) and to Ms. Tammy Mackey, [tammy.m.mackey@usace.army.mil](mailto:tammy.m.mackey@usace.army.mil).

Please remain in contact with Mr. Traylor throughout your time at the dam. There are many researchers and contractors working at the dam, please work to ensure good communication and cooperation between agencies and organizations. As in past years, USACE anticipates CTUIR will work with the Nez Perce and Warm Springs tribes to help with their lamprey collection efforts, if asked.

A copy of this letter has been posted to <http://www.nwd-wc.usace.army.mil/tmt/documents/FPOM/2010/NWP%20Research/2013%20NWP%20Access/>. If you have questions regarding this correspondence, please contact Ms. Mackey via e-mail or by phone, at 503-961-5733.

Sincerely,



Jerry A. Carroll  
Operations Project Manager  
Bonneville Lock and Dam

CENWP STAFFING SHEET

RTAO: Tammy Mackey, CENWP-OD-TF

DATE: 6 May 2013

SUBJECT: Approval letter for CTUIR to access BON to collect lamprey for translocation purposes.

DESIRED ACTION: Requires OPM Signature

RETURN TO: Tammy Mackey or call 503-961-5733 if there are questions.

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/ 4/24/13	CENWP-OD-TF
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	Non-Concur/Concur 	Operations Manager CENWP-OD-B Carroll, J
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