



REPLY TO  
ATTENTION OF

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

CENWP-OD-J

20 February 2013

Erick VanDyke  
Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife  
Ocean Salmon/Columbia River Program  
17330 SE Evelyn Street  
Clackamas, OR 97015

Dear Mr. VanDyke:

This is in response to your February 7, 2013 letter requesting approval for access to John Day Dam and the Boat Restricted Zone (BRZ) for the purposes of electro-fishing Northern Pikeminnow, smallmouth bass and walleye as part of the Northern Pikeminnow Management Program.

With respect to your request to access the BRZ, access to the BRZ during nighttime hours is **not** approved. Access to the spillway tailrace BRZ during spill season (April 10 – August 31) is **not** approved. All other BRZ areas may be accessed during daylight hours in accordance with the Project BRZ guide and with a valid BRZ permit.

**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. Miro Zyndol and Ms. Tammy Mackey.** Please note, the existing 1995 and 1998 Section 7 consultations appear outdated. Please provide an explanation as to why these consultations should be considered valid and current.

Prior to beginning work, you must arrange a meeting with Mr. Zyndol, 541-506-7860 and review the appropriate Researcher Guide (found at the website link provided below). You must provide electronic copies of all required documents to Mr. Zyndol, [Miroslaw.A.Zyndol@usace.army.mil](mailto:Miroslaw.A.Zyndol@usace.army.mil) and Ms. Mackey, [tammy.m.mackey@usace.army.mil](mailto:tammy.m.mackey@usace.army.mil).

Please remain in contact with Mr. Zyndol throughout your time at the dam. Please work to ensure good communication and cooperation between agencies and organizations.

A copy of this letter has been posted to **NWP 2013 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,

Glen A. Smith, P.E., P.M.P.  
Operations Project Manager  
John Day Lock and Dam

CENWP STAFFING SHEET

RTAO: Tammy Mackey, CENWP-OD-TF

DATE: 20 February 2013

SUBJECT: Approval letter for ODFW to electro-fish in the BRZs.

DESIRED ACTION: Requires Chief of Operations 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/ TM 2/19/13	CENWP-OD-TF
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	Non-concur/concur	Chief, Project Fisheries CENWP-OD-J Zyndol, Miroslaw
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