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March 29, 2016

Mr. Eric Winther
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Dear Mr. Winther:

This is in response to your March 15, 2016 letter requesting approval for access to The Dalles Dam in order to conduct hook and line removals of predatory Northern Pikeminnow from the Boat Restricted Zones adjacent to the project. You requested the same areas of The Dalles Project, during similar times, and for similar duration as was granted to WDFW for these activities in 2010-2015.

With respect to the work outlined above, your request is generally approved, provided you are able to obtain all necessary documentation. You will need to provide a detailed work statement, project impact statement, job hazard analysis, ESA and state permits, any Material Safety Data Sheets that are applicable and a personnel list noting current First Aid/CPR training. No work may begin until valid and current permits, or an explanation as to why permits are not required, are on file. Please send electronic copies of these documents to Ms. Erin Kovalchuk, Erin.H.Kovalchuk@usace.army.mil and Ms. Jane Dalgliesh, Jane.M.Dalgliesh@usace.army.mil. You will be required to comply with all reporting requirements found in the current FPP section TDA 3.3.3. Prior to beginning work, please arrange a meeting with Ms. Kovalchuk, 541-298-7405.

There are many researchers and contractors working in the area. Please remain in contact with Ms. Kovalchuk throughout your time at the dam in order to ensure good communication and cooperation between other agencies and organizations.

A copy of this letter has been posted to
<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. Kovalchuk via e-mail or by phone, at 541-298-7405.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Ron Twiner".

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