



Nez Perce

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April 21, 1995

Mr. Randy Brich
U.S. Department of Energy
Richland Operations Office
P.O. Box 550
Richland, Washington 99352

RE: Columbia River Comprehensive Impact Statement

Dear Mr. Brich:

The Nez Perce Tribe Department of Environmental Restoration and Waste Management (ERWM) appreciates the time that Mr. Mike Thompson and you spent with us on April 11, 1995. As discussed on April 11, we would like to obtain a copy of the results of the sediment sampling program conducted from the Hanford area through the McNary Dam portion of the Columbia River. We recognize that this data has not yet been finalized, and we would like to receive a copy when it becomes available.

During subsequent telephone conversations, you expressed the Department of Energy's willingness to arrange for the Nez Perce ERWM to receive a copy of the computer file which contains the information from the Ground-Water Surveillance Project which covers the 100 Areas. Specifically, we are interested in the data from wells located South of the Columbia River in the North half of Township 13 North, Ranges 25 through 28 East and Township 14 North, Ranges 26 and 27 East. We would prefer to receive the data in an ARC/INFO exchange format or as a dBASE IV file.

We are grateful for the Department of Energy's openness and willingness to provide us with this data so that the Nez Perce Tribe ERWM can make informed recommendations to the Nez Perce Tribal Council. If you wish to discuss this data request further, then please contact Stanley M. Sobczyk at (208)-843-7375 extension 2443.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Donna L. Powaukee".

Donna L. Powaukee
ERWM Manager

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cc: John Wagoner, DOE-RL, Site Manager
Kevin Clarke, DOE-RL, Indian Programs Manager