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JAN 15 2002

Ms. Delores Pigsley
Chairperson
Siletz Tribal Council
P.O. Box 549
Siletz, OR 97380-0549

Subject: Henry Hagg Lake Resource Management Plan

Dear Ms. Pigsley:

The Bureau of Reclamation (Reclamation) is preparing a Resource Management Plan (RMP) for Henry Hagg Lake. Hagg Lake and Scoggins Dam are located on Scoggins Creek, a tributary of the Tualatin River in northwest Oregon about 30 miles southwest of Portland and 6 miles southwest of Forest Grove. The RMP will be prepared as a 10-year management plan for the Reclamation-administered lands at Henry Hagg Lake. The RMP process began in December 2001, and we hope to have a completed plan by December of 2003. The RMP will include gathering resource data and exploring alternatives to assist Reclamation in planning for the next 10 years of managing the resources under Reclamation's control. Reclamation's goal in the RMP is to manage, protect, and enhance fish and wildlife habitat, natural, cultural, and recreational resources; to preserve the aesthetic quality and natural environment; and to promote the safe and healthful use of the reservoir area lands and water.

An integral part of the RMP process is working with Indian tribes that have treaty or other interests in the study area, coordinating with other agencies, and involving the public. With this letter we are seeking information about known cultural resources and asking you to identify resource management issues you wish to have considered in the RMP planning process. We are also requesting information about known Indian sacred sites, Indian trust assets, and traditional cultural properties within the Henry Hagg Lake RMP study area. Our goal is to identify sensitive resources or locations so that we can avoid damaging effects to them.

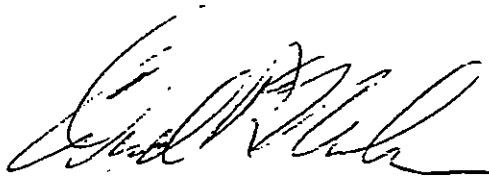
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If you, other tribal staff or leaders, or knowledgeable traditional religious practitioners would like to meet to discuss cultural resources, sacred sites, traditional cultural resources, or Indian trust assets issues associated with the Henry Hagg Lake RMP, we would be pleased to travel to Grand Ronde or some other location to meet with you.

We appreciate your assistance in this process. If you have any questions or would like to provide the requested information, arrange a meeting or participate in the Ad Hoc Work Group, please contact Carolyn Burpee Stone, Reclamation's RMP Team Leader at (208) 378-5395.

Sincerely,

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for Rick A. Parker
Acting Area Manager

Enclosure - 1

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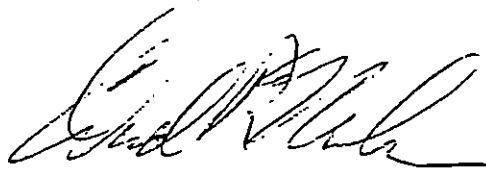
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