



February 22, 2002

Mr. Frank L. Cassidy Jr., Chair  
Northwest Power Planning Council  
851 SW 6<sup>th</sup> Ave., Suite 1100  
Portland, OR 97204-1348

Dear Chairman Cassidy:

I am pleased to submit to the Northwest Power Planning Council (NWPPC) the draft program summaries from the Mainstem and Systemwide Province in partial fulfillment of our contractual responsibilities under the NWPPC Provincial Review Process. The program summaries are currently on the Columbia Basin Fish and Wildlife Authority (CBFWA) website at [www.cbfwa.org](http://www.cbfwa.org) as draft documents.

These draft documents are the result of the collaborative efforts of the regional fish and wildlife managers, the Action Agencies (Bonneville Power Administration, U.S. Bureau of Reclamation, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers), and others. These draft documents are intended to represent the current knowledge in each of the various focus areas (programs). Although there was considerable coordination and collaboration on these program summaries, submittal of these drafts by CBFWA should not be interpreted as support for all document content, since they have not gone through our consensus approval process.

Please call the CBFWA office for any clarifications or questions at 503-229-0191.

Thank you for your continuing support and cooperation.

Sincerely,

Jann Eckman, Acting Executive Director  
Columbia Basin Fish and Wildlife Authority

cc: Sarah McNary and Bob Austin, BPA  
Doug Marker, NWPPC

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