



## Department of Energy

Bonneville Power Administration  
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FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT PROGRAM

August 15, 2024

In reply refer to: FOIA #BPA-2024-02123-F

SENT VIA EMAIL ONLY TO: [REDACTED]

Mark Reinhardt  
[REDACTED]

Dear Mr. Reinhardt,

This communication is the Bonneville Power Administration's (BPA) final response to your request for agency records made under the Freedom of Information Act, 5 U.S.C. § 552 (FOIA). BPA received your records request on June 12, 2024, and formally acknowledged your request on July 12, 2024.

### Request

"1. Anderson Dam Raise Construction; Including, but not limited to: PowerPoint Presentations, Letters, Memos, Emails; Water Flow Rates and Reports; Dates: 5-10-22 to 10-27-23; and 2. Bonneville Power Administration Transmission Project; Including, but not limited to: PowerPoint Presentations, Letters, Memos, Emails, Electricity Rates and Reports; Dates: 5-10-22 to 10-27-23"

### Response

BPA searched for and gathered one page of responsive records from the agency's Transmission Planning office. That record accompanies this communication.

### Certification

Pursuant to 10 C.F.R. § 1004.7(b)(2), I am the individual responsible for the records search and the records release described above.

### Appeal

The records release certified above is final. Pursuant to 10 C.F.R. § 1004.8, you may appeal the adequacy of the records search, and the completeness of this final release, within 90 calendar days from the date of this communication. Appeals should be addressed to:

Director, Office of Hearings and Appeals  
HG-1, L'Enfant Plaza  
U.S. Department of Energy  
1000 Independence Avenue, S.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20585-1615

The written appeal, including the envelope, must clearly indicate that a FOIA appeal is being made. You may also submit your appeal by e-mail to [OHA.filings@hq.doe.gov](mailto:OHA.filings@hq.doe.gov), including the phrase "Freedom of Information Appeal" in the subject line. (The Office of Hearings and Appeals prefers to receive appeals by email.) The appeal must contain all the elements required by 10 C.F.R. § 1004.8, including a copy of the determination letter. Thereafter, judicial review will be available to you in the Federal District Court either (1) in the district where you reside, (2) where you have your principal place of business, (3) where DOE's records are situated, or (4) in the District of Columbia.

Additionally, you may contact the Office of Government Information Services (OGIS) at the National Archives and Records Administration to inquire about the FOIA mediation services they offer. The contact information for OGIS is as follows:

Office of Government Information Services  
National Archives and Records Administration  
8601 Adelphi Road-OGIS  
College Park, Maryland 20740-6001  
E-mail: [ogis@nara.gov](mailto:ogis@nara.gov)  
Phone: 202-741-5770  
Toll-free: 1-877-684-6448  
Fax: 202-741-5769

Questions about this communication or the status of your FOIA request may be directed to FOIA Program Lead Jason E. Taylor at [jetaylor@bpa.gov](mailto:jetaylor@bpa.gov) or 503-230-3537.

Sincerely,

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Freedom of Information/Privacy Act Officer

[Attachments / Enclosures: Agency record responsive to FOIA request.](#)

## King,James J (BPA) - CGI-7

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**From:** Stevenson,Audrey C (BPA) - TOO-MEAD  
**Sent:** Friday, April 28, 2023 7:59 AM  
**To:** Filan,Dallas A (BPA) - TPCF-TRI CITIES RMHQ; Hammack,Debby (BPA) - TPPC-OPP-3  
**Cc:** Wong,James (TFE)(BPA) - TOOP-MEAD  
**Subject:** "dam raise" at Anderson Ranch

Hi Debby and Dallas,

I was talking to Eric at Idaho Power yesterday and he noted that they're planning a "dam raise" at Anderson Ranch. I don't think this project will change the MVA capability of the project, but it may change how they operate – if you haven't already been talking with USBR about this, I wanted to let you know it might be good to find out what it may change from our perspective. The bank is undersized today, so if they increase their output before the replacement we might have additional loss of life.

[Project to raise Anderson Ranch Dam nears planning benchmark | ktvb.com](#)  
[20220506 ARD Raise Fact Sheet FINAL.pdf \(usbr.gov\)](#)  
[Boise River Basin Feasibility Study, CPN Region \(usbr.gov\)](#)

On a related note, Dallas – do you know the timeline for the Mountain Home bank replacement?

Thank you,

**Audrey Stevenson**

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