

DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY**Federal Energy Regulatory Commission**

[Project No. 13623-001]

City of Raleigh; Notice of Intent To File License Application, Filing of Pre-Application Document, and Approving Use of the Traditional Licensing Process

a. *Type of Filing:* Notice of Intent to File License Application and Request to Use the Traditional Licensing Process.

b. *Project No.:* 13623-001.

c. *Date Filed:* October 3, 2011.

d. *Submitted by:* City of Raleigh (Raleigh).

e. *Name of Project:* Falls Lake Dam Hydroelectric Project.

f. *Location:* At the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers' Falls Lake Dam, located on the Neuse River, in the northern portion of Wake County, North Carolina, just outside the City of Raleigh municipal boundary.

g. *Filed Pursuant to:* 18 CFR 5.3 of the Commission's Regulations.

h. *Potential Applicant Contact:* Kenneth Waldroup, Assistant Public Utilities Director, City of Raleigh, P.O. Box 590, Raleigh, NC 27601; (919) 996-3489; Kenneth.Waldroup@raleighnc.gov.

i. *FERC Contact:* Jennifer Adams (202) 502-8087 or by email at jennifer.adams@ferc.gov.

j. The City of Raleigh filed its request to use the Traditional Licensing Process on October 3, 2011. Raleigh filed public notice of its request on November 23, 2011. In a letter dated November 29, 2011, the Director of the Division of Hydropower Licensing approved Raleigh's request to use the Traditional Licensing Process.

k. *With This notice, We Are Initiating Informal Consultation With:* (a) The U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service and National Marine Fisheries Service (NMFS) under section 7 of the Endangered Species Act and the joint agency regulations thereunder at 50 CFR part 402; (b) NMFS under section 305(b) of the Magnuson-Stevens Fishery Conservation and Management Act and implementing regulations at 50 CFR 600.920; and (c) the North Carolina State Historic Preservation Officer, as required by section 106, National Historical Preservation Act, and the implementing regulations of the Advisory Council on Historic Preservation at 36 CFR 800.2.

l. The City of Raleigh filed a Pre-Application Document (PAD; including a proposed process plan and schedule) with the Commission, pursuant to 18

CFR 5.6 of the Commission's Regulations.

m. A copy of the PAD is available for review at the Commission in the Public Reference Room or may be viewed on the Commission's Web site (<http://www.ferc.gov>), using the "eLibrary" link. Enter the docket number, excluding the last three digits, in the docket number field to access the document. For assistance, contact FERC Online Support at FERCOnlineSupport@ferc.gov, or toll-free at 1-(866) 208-3676, or for TTY, (202) 502-8659. A copy is also available for inspection and reproduction at the City of Raleigh's business office, located at One Exchange Plaza, Suite 620, or by contacting Raleigh at the mailing address located in paragraph h.

n. Register online at <http://www.ferc.gov/docs-filing/esubscription.asp> to be notified via email of new filing and issuances related to this or other pending projects. For assistance, contact FERC Online Support.

Dated: November 29, 2011.

Kimberly D. Bose,
Secretary.

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[Project No. 14154-001]

William Arkoosh; Notice of Application Tendered for Filing With the Commission and Soliciting Additional Study Requests

Take notice that the following hydroelectric application has been filed with the Commission and is available for public inspection.

a. *Type of Application:* Original Minor License.

b. *Project No.:* 14154-001.

c. *Date Filed:* November 15, 2011.

d. *Applicant:* William Arkoosh.

e. *Name of Project:* Little Wood River Ranch II.

f. *Location:* On the Little Wood River, six miles west of the Town of Shoshone, Lincoln County, Idaho. The project would occupy approximately 0.5 acre of federal lands managed by the U.S. Bureau of Land Management.

g. *Filed Pursuant to:* Federal Power Act, 16 U.S.C. 791 (a)-825(r).

h. *Applicant Contact:* William Arkoosh, 2005 Highway 26, Gooding, Idaho 83330. *Phone:* (208) 539-5443.

i. *FERC Contact:* Jennifer Harper, *phone:* (202) 502-6136 or Jennifer.Harper@ferc.gov.

j. *Cooperating Agencies:* Federal, state, local, and tribal agencies with jurisdiction and/or special expertise with respect to environmental issues that wish to cooperate in the preparation of the environmental document should follow the instructions for filing such requests described in item l below. Cooperating agencies should note the Commission's policy that agencies that cooperate in the preparation of the environmental document cannot also intervene. *See*, 94 FERC ¶ 61,076 (2001).

k. Pursuant to Section 4.32(b)(7) of 18 CFR of the Commission's regulations, if any resource agency, Indian Tribe, or person believes that an additional scientific study should be conducted in order to form an adequate factual basis for a complete analysis of the application on its merit, the resource agency, Indian Tribe, or person must file a request for a study with the Commission not later than 60 days from the date of filing of the application, and serve a copy of the request on the applicant.

l. *Deadline for Filing Additional Study Requests and Requests for Cooperating Agency Status:* January 14, 2012.

All documents may be filed electronically via the Internet. See 18 CFR 385.2001(a)(1)(iii) and the instructions on the Commission's Web site <http://www.ferc.gov/docs-filing/efiling.asp>. Commenters can submit brief comments up to 6,000 characters, without prior registration, using the eComment system at <http://www.ferc.gov/docs-filing/ecomment.asp>. You must include your name and contact information at the end of your comments. For assistance, please contact FERC Online Support at FERCOnlineSupport@ferc.gov or toll free at 1-(866) 208-3676, or for TTY, (202) 502-8659. Although the Commission strongly encourages electronic filing, documents may also be paper-filed. To paper-file, mail an original and seven copies to: Kimberly D. Bose, Secretary, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE., Washington, DC 20426.

m. The application is not ready for environmental analysis at this time.

n. *The Little Wood River Ranch II Project Consists of:* (1) A 220-foot-long, 12-foot-wide rock rubble diversion dam, impounding a 9.1-acre reservoir on the Little Wood River; (2) a 3,900-foot-long feeder canal; (3) a concrete intake structure having two parallel 5-foot-diameter, 120-foot-long steel penstocks; (4) a 60-foot-long, 20-foot-wide, 25-foot-high concrete and steel power house containing two hydraulic Francis