

FEDERAL POWER COMMISSION

Washington 25, D. C.

Jan. 27, 1953

Subject:

Project No. 2114

Public Utility District No. 2

Dear Sir:

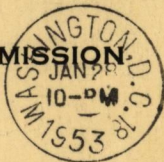
Receipt is hereby acknowledged of 1 copy of
protest dated January 23 in the above-entitled matter.

Very truly yours,

Leon M. Triguera

Secretary.

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~~Route 2, Box 146~~
Yakima, Washington

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Project No. 2114 - Washington

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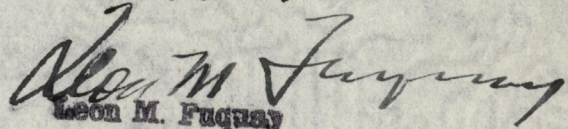
Dear Mr. Relander:

Reference is made to your January 23, 1953 petition made for, by and in behalf of the Wanapum Indians of the State of Washington, protesting issuance of a preliminary permit to Public Utility District No. 2 of Grant County, Ephrata, Washington, for proposed Project No. 2114, to be known as the Priest Rapids project, on the Columbia River.

In view of the Indians' concern that construction of the project may inundate their large burial ground and destroy other remaining evidence of their culture, it should be pointed out that no construction is authorized under a preliminary permit. Such a permit, if issued, would merely give the permittee, during the period of the permit, the right to priority of application for license while the permittee undertakes the necessary studies and examinations, including the preparations of maps and plans, in order to determine the economic feasibility of the proposed project, the means of securing necessary financial arrangements for construction, the market for the project power, and the securing of all other information necessary for inclusion in an application for license.

Should an application for license be filed, you will be advised, and at that time you may recommend special conditions for inclusion in the license for the protection of the Indians.

Very truly yours,


Leon M. Fuquay
Secretary

FEDERAL POWER COMMISSION

Washington, D. C. September 13, 1954

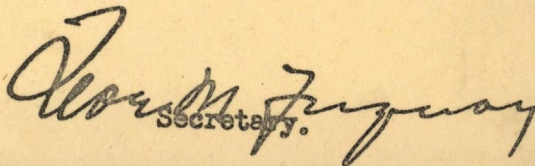
Subject: Docket No. Project 2162 -Washington State Power
Commission

Enclosure: Clippings attached with comments.

Dear Sir:

Your communication of 9/13/54 in reference
to the above matter, together with the enclosure indicated,
has been received.

Very truly yours,


Secretary.

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Mr. Click Relander

FEDERAL POWER COMMISSION
WASHINGTON 25

Project No. 211h
Public Utility District No. 2 of
Grant County

OCT -4 1954

Mr. G. A. Smothers, Manager
Public Utility District No. 2 of
Grant County
30 "C" Street, S. W.
Ephrata, Washington

Dear Mr. Smothers:

This refers to the application for preliminary permit filed with this Commission by your District for the proposed Priest Rapids Project (No. 211h) on Columbia River, Washington.

Enclosed for your information is a copy of a letter to this Commission, dated September 9, 1954, from Mr. C. Relander, and of thereto attached "Communication," both concerning the Wanapum Band of Priest Rapids Indians and relative to Project No. 2162 proposed by Washington State Power Commission but also relevant to that proposed by you.

Very truly yours,

J. H. Gutride

Acting Secretary

Enclosure No. 49448
Copy of ltr. 9/9/54 and attachment
Mr. C. Relander to FPC and "Communication"

Mr. Click Relander

FEDERAL POWER COMMISSION
WASHINGTON 25

Project No. 2162
Washington State Power Commission

OCT -4 1954

Mr. J. Frank Ward, Managing Director
Washington State Power Commission
1923 Smith Tower
Seattle 4, Washington

Dear Mr. Ward:

This refers to the application for preliminary permit filed with this Commission by Washington State Power Commission for the proposed Priest Rapids Project (No. 2162) on Columbia River, Washington.

Enclosed for your information is a copy of a letter to this Commission dated September 9, 1954, from Mr. C. Relander, and of thereto attached "Communication," both concerning the Wanapum Band of Priest Rapids Indians and relative to your proposed project.

Very truly yours,

J. H. Gutride

Acting Secretary

Enclosure No. 49449
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WASHINGTON 25

Project No. 2114
Public Utility District No. 2
of Grant County

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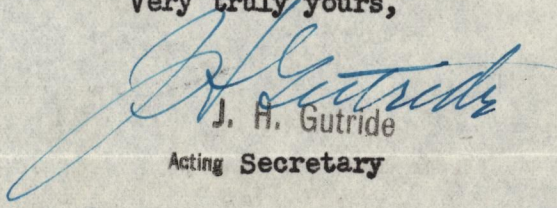
Mr. Click Relander
1212 N. 32nd Avenue
Yakima, Washington

Dear Mr. Relander:

We thank you for your October 24, 1954 letter wherein you conveyed to this Commission an expression of appreciation, from the Wanapum band of non-treaty Indians of Priest Rapids, for the preliminary permit proviso which protects their burial grounds and historical relics from possible destruction during the course of investigations under that permit which was issued October 21, 1954, for acceptance by Public Utility District No. 2 of Grant County for the proposed Priest Rapids Project (No. 2114) on Columbia River.

Please assure those fine people that their interests will be carefully considered and protected also in connection with any application for license which may be filed with this Commission for the actual construction of the Priest Rapids Project.

Very truly yours,



J. H. Gutride

Acting Secretary