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Subject: Authorization for Construction, Bald Eagle Nesting Platform Installation, Iron Gate Development, Lower Klamath Project

Dear Mr. Bransom, Ms. Davis, and Mr. Meyers:

This letter is to acknowledge the January 11, 2023 letter from Mr. Todd Olson of PacifiCorp transmitting details for the proposed Bald Eagle Nesting Platform Installation at the Iron Gate Development of the Lower Klamath Project, FERC No. 14803.

Our review did not find any significant deficiencies or errors that would affect the safety of the project works or the adequacy of the project works to perform their intended functions. You are authorized to begin installation of the bald eagle nesting platform.

You are reminded that prior to start of work, all necessary preconstruction license article requirements must be met. In addition, all of the necessary state, local, and federal permits that are required must be secured. During construction, it is your responsibility to

ensure that construction practices conform to the requirements of the Project License and applicable permits, to minimize erosion and other environmental impacts.

### Changes During Construction

If the plans and specifications are revised during the construction process, it is your responsibility to ensure these changes are properly coordinated between the Engineer-of-Record, Project Manager, Chief Dam Safety Engineer, and the FERC in advance. If any changes are made that requires a change in the operation of the project, it is your responsibility to ensure these changes are properly coordinated with the FERC. Substantial deviations from the authorized set of plan and specifications are not permitted without prior coordination and separate authorization from this office, except in response to a condition that affects the safety of project works (as defined in 18 CFR §12.3).

File your submittal using the Commission's eFiling system at <https://www.ferc.gov/ferc-online/overview>. When eFiling, select Hydro: Dam Safety and Portland Regional Office from the eFiling menu. The cover page of the filing must indicate that the material was eFiled. For assistance with eFiling, contact FERC Online Support at [FERCOnlineSupport@ferc.gov](mailto:FERCOnlineSupport@ferc.gov), (866) 208-3676 (toll free), or (202) 502-8659 (TTY).

You are reminded that any Exhibit Drawings affected by the construction should be updated and filed with the Secretary of the Commission (not to the Portland Regional Office) in a timely manner following the completion of construction.

Thank you for your continued cooperation and interest in dam safety. If you have any questions, please contact Ms. Elisabeth Jacquot-Matt of this office at (503) 552-2712.

Sincerely,

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