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Jared-

Thanks for the borrowing request. PacifiCorp is prepared to deliver 5,000 acre-feet starting on Monday; however, on advice of legal counsel PacifiCorp will not be providing more than 5,000 acre-feet until an operating agreement for Link River Dam has been executed. I see the draft Interim Operations and Maintenance agreement arrived a few minutes ago. We will review that and get back to you.

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Good Afternoon,

Consistent with Reclamation and PacifiCorp's letter agreement dated March 18, 2020, and to maintain Upper Klamath lake at a higher elevation while still providing required flows at Iron Gate Dam, the Bureau of Reclamation - Klamath Basin Area Office (KBAO) requests to utilize fifteen thousand (15,000) acre-feet (ac-ft) of water from PacifiCorp's Hydroelectric Project reservoirs over the time range April 27, 2020 through May 12, 2020.

Specifically, Reclamation requests that PacifiCorp draw down their reservoirs and use the volume to help support the required Iron Gate Dam releases, while limiting flows out of Upper Klamath Lake and Link River Dam. Of the 15,000 acre-feet, Reclamation requests borrowing on the following schedule. A daily volume of one thousand (1,000) ac-ft—a daily average flow rate of approximately 504 cubic feet per second (cfs)—is requested to be borrowed each day beginning April 27, 2020 and continuing through May 2, 2020. A daily volume of five hundred (500) acre-feet—a daily average flow rate of approximately 252 cfs—is requested to be borrowed each day beginning May 3, 2020 and continuing through May 4, 2020; and a daily volume of one thousand (1,000) ac-ft each day beginning May 5, 2020 and continuing through May 12, 2020. Refer to Table A, below, to view the above request in tabulated format.

KBAO will pay back the entirety of the volume of water borrowed over the time span June 6, 2020, through June 30, 2020. A daily volume of five hundred (500) acre feet will be paid back each day beginning June 6, 2020 and continuing through June 25, 2020; a daily volume of one thousand (1,000) ac-ft will be paid back each day beginning June 26, 2020 and continuing through June 30, 2020. Refer to Table B, below, to view the above “payback” schedule in tabulated format.

KBAO understands the physical and logistical challenges inherent to this request, so appreciates PacifiCorp's willingness to facilitate the borrowing schedule as requested.

Please reach out to Dave Felstul of my staff if you have questions about the borrowing and payback schedule.

Regards,

Jared Bottcher

TABLE A. Requested volume to be borrowed with corresponding dates

Date	Requested Borrow Volume (acre-feet)
4/27/2020	1,000
4/28/2020	1,000
4/29/2020	1,000
4/30/2020	1,000
5/1/2020	1,000
5/2/2020	1,000
5/3/2020	500
5/4/2020	500
5/5/2020	1,000
5/6/2020	1,000
5/7/2020	1,000
5/8/2020	1,000
5/9/2020	1,000
5/10/2020	1,000
5/11/2020	1,000
5/12/2020	1,000

TABLE B. Volume to be paid back with corresponding dates

Date	Payback Volume (acre-feet)
6/6/2020	500
6/7/2020	500
6/8/2020	500
6/9/2020	500
6/10/2020	500
6/11/2020	500
6/12/2020	500
6/13/2020	500
6/14/2020	500
6/15/2020	500
6/16/2020	500
6/17/2020	500
6/18/2020	500
6/19/2020	500
6/20/2020	500
6/21/2020	500
6/22/2020	500
6/23/2020	500
6/24/2020	500
6/25/2020	500
6/26/2020	1,000
6/27/2020	1,000
6/28/2020	1,000
6/29/2020	1,000
6/30/2020	1,000

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