### **DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY**

# Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

## Notice of Draft License Application and Preliminary Draft Environmental Assessment (PDEA) and Request for Preliminary Terms and Conditions

July 2, 2001.

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

- a. *Type of Application:* Major Unconstructed Project.
  - b. Project No.: 11656-000.
  - c. Date Filed: June 15, 2001.
- d. *Applicant:* Lake Dorothy Hydro, Inc.
- e. *Name of Project:* Lake Dorothy Hydroelectric.
- f. Location: In the Tongas National Forest, at Lake Dorothy on Dorothy Creek, near Juneau, Alaska. Township 42S, Range 69E and 70E, Copper River Meridian.
- g. *Filed Pursuant to:* Federal Power Act 16 U.S.A. 791(a)–825(r).
- h. Applicant Contact: Mr. Corry V. Hildenbrand, Lake Dorothy Hydro, Inc., 5601 Tonsgard Court, Juneau, AK 99801–7201, (907) 463–6315.

Send Comments to: Mr. Corry V. Hildenbrand, Lake Dorothy Hydro, Inc., 5601 Tonsgard Court, Juneau, AK 99801–7201. AND Ms. Susan Tinney, S. Tinney Associates, Inc., Licensing Coordinator, P.O. Box 985, Lake City, CO 81235.

- i. FERC Contact: Mike Henry (503) 944–6762 or e-mail at mike.henry@ferc.fed.us.
- j. Status of Project: With this notice the Commission is soliciting (1) preliminary terms, conditions, and recommendations on the Preliminary Draft Environmental Assessment (DEA), and (2) comments on the Draft License Application.

k. Deadline for filing: 90 days from the issuance of this notice.

All comments on the Preliminary DEA and Draft License Application should be sent to the addresses noted above in Item (h), with one copy filed with FERC at the following address: David P. Boergers, Secretary, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE., Washington, DC 20426. All comments must include the project name and number and bear the heading Preliminary Comments, Preliminary Recommendations, Preliminary Terms and Conditions, or Preliminary Prescriptions.

Comments, protests and interventions and preliminary recommendations,

terms and conditions and prescriptions may be filed electronically via the Internet in lieu of paper. See, 18 CFR 385.2001(a)(1)(iii) and the instructions on the Commission's web site at http:/www.ferc.gov under the link to the User's Guide. If you have not yet established an account, you will need to create a new account by clicking on "Login to File" and then "New User Account."

l. A copy of the application is available for inspection and reproduction at the Commission's Public Reference and Files Maintenance Branch, located at 888 First Street, NE., Room 2–A, Washington, DC 20426, or by calling (202) 219–1371. A copy of the application may also be viewed on the web at <a href="http://www.ferc.gov">http://www.ferc.gov</a> using the "RIMS" link, select "Docket#" from the RIMS Menu and follow the instructions (please call (202) 208–2222 for assistance).

Lake Dorothy Hydro, Inc. has mailed a copy of the Preliminary DEA and Draft License Application to interested entities and parties. Copies of these documents are available for review at Lake Dorothy's Public Reference File established in Lake Dorothy Hydro, Inc.'s office in Juneau, Alaska, or by calling Susan Tinney, S. Tinney Associates, Inc. (970) 944–1020 or by emailing tinney@rmi.net.

m. With this notice, we are initiating consultation with the Alaska STATE HISTORIC PRESERVATION OFFICER (SHPO), as required by Section 106, National Historic Preservation Act, and the regulations of the Advisory Council on Historic Preservation, 36 CFR 800.4.

#### David P. Boergers,

Secretary.

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# Notice of Application Accepted for Filing and Soliciting Comments, Motions To Intervene, and Protests

July 2, 2001.

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

a. *Type of Âpplication:* Preliminary Permit.

- b. Project No: 12038-000.
- c. Date Filed: June 4, 2001.
- d. Applicant: Symbiotics, LLC. e. Name of Project: Lake Sherburne

e. *Name of Project:* Lake Sherburne Dam Hydroelectric Project. f. Location: The proposed project would be located at the Bureau of Reclamation's Lake Sherburne Dam, on Swiftcurrent Creek in Glacier County, Montana. Part of the project would be on lands administered by the U.S. Forest Service (Glacier National Park).

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

h. Applicant Contact: Mr. Brent L. Smith, President, Northwest Power Services, Inc., P.O. Box 535, Rigby, ID 83442, (208) 745–8630, (fax) (208) 745–7909, or e-mail address: npsihydro@aol.com.

i. FERC Contact: Any questions on this notice should be addressed to Mr. Lynn R. Miles, Sr. at (202) 219–2671.

j. Deadline for filing motions to intervene, protests and comments: 60 days from the issuance date of this notice.

All documents (original and eight copies) should be filed with: David P. Boergers, Secretary, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE., Washington, DC 20426. Comments, recommendations, interventions, and protests, may be electronically filed via the internet in lieu of paper. See 18 CFR 385.2001(a)(1)(iii) and the instructions on the Commission's web site at http://www.ferc.fed.us/efi/doorbell.htm.

The Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure require all interveners filing documents with the Commission to serve a copy of that document on each person in the official service list for the project. Further, if an intervener files comments or documents with the Commission relating to the merits of an issue that may affect the responsibilities of a particular resource agency, they must also serve a copy of the document on that resource agency.

k. Description of Project: The proposed project would consist of: (1) The existing 94-feet-high 1086-feet-long Lake Sherburne Dam, (2) the existing Sherburne Reservoir with a surface area of 1,344 acres and a storage capacity of 67,604 acre-feet at a normal elevation of 4,788 feet, (3) a proposed 60 inch-diameter 450 foot-long steel penstock, (4) a proposed powerhouse containing one generating unit with an installed capacity of 1 MW, (5) a proposed 15 kv transmission line approximately 5 miles long, and (6) appurtenant facilities.

The project would have an annual generation of 2.4 GWh.

l. A copy of the application is available for inspection and reproduction at the Commission's Public Reference Room, located at 888 First Street, NE., Room 2A, Washington, DC 20426, or by calling (202) 208–1371. The application may be viewed on

http://www.ferc.fed.us/online/rims.htm (call (202) 208–2222 for assistance). A copy is also available for inspection and reproduction at the address in item h above.

m. Preliminary Permit—Any desiring to file a competing application for preliminary permit for a proposed project must submit the competing application itself, or a notice of intent to file such an application, to the Commission on or before the specified comment date for the particular application (see 18 CFR 4.36). Submission of a timely notice of intent allows an interested person to file the competing preliminary permit application no later than 30 days after the specified comment date for the particular application. A competing preliminary permit application must conform with 18 CFR 4.30(b) and 4.36.

n. Preliminary Permit—Any qualified development applicant desiring to file a competing development application must submit to the Commission, on or before a specified comment date for the particular application, either a competing development application or a notice of intent to file such an application. Submission of a timely notice of intent to file a development application allows an interested person to file the competing application no later than 120 days after the specified comment date for the particular application. A competing license application must conform with 18 CFR 4.30(b) and 4.36.

 Notice of Intent—A notice of intent must specify the exact name, business address, and telephone number of the prospective applicant, and must include an unequivocal statement of intent to submit, if such an application may be filed, either a preliminary permit application or a development application (specify which type of application). A notice of intent must be served on the applicant(s) named in this

public notice.

p. Proposed Scope of Studies under Permit—A preliminary permit, if issued, does not authorize construction. The term of the proposed preliminary permit would be 36 months. The work proposed under the preliminary permit would include economic analysis, preparation of preliminary engineering plans, and a study of environmental impacts. Based on the results of these studies, the Applicant would decide whether to proceed with the preparation of a development application to construct and operate the project.

q. Comments, Protests, or Motions to Intervene—Anyone may submit comments, a protest, or a motion to intervene in accordance with the

requirements of Rules of Practice and Procedure, 18 CFR 385.210, .211, .214. In determining the appropriate action to take, the Commission will consider all protests or other comments filed, but only those who file a motion to intervene in accordance with the Commission's Rules may become a party to the proceeding. Any comments, protests, or motions to intervene must be received on or before the specified comment date for the particular application.

r. Filing and Service of Responsive Documents—Any filings must bear in all capital letters the title "COMMENTS", "NOTICE OF INTENT TO FILE COMPETING APPLICATION", "COMPETING APPLICATION", "PROTEST", "MOTION TO INTERVENE", as applicable, and the Project Number of the particular application to which the filing refers. Any of the above-named documents must be filed by providing the original and the number of copies provided by the Commission's regulations to: The Secretary, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE., Washington, DC 20426. An additional copy must be sent to Director, Division of Hydropower Administration and Compliance, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, at the above-mentioned address. A copy of any notice of intent, competing application or motion to intervene must also be served upon each representative of the Applicant specified in the particular application.

s. Agency Comments—Federal, state, and local agencies are invited to file comments on the described application. A copy of the application may be obtained by agencies directly from the Applicant. If an agency does not file comments within the time specified for filing comments, it will be presumed to have no comments. One copy of an agency's comments must also be sent to the Applicant's representatives.

# David P. Boergers,

Secretary.

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Notice of Amendment of License and Soliciting Comments, Motions To Intervene, and Protests

July 2, 2001.

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

a. Application Type: Non-Project Use of Project Lands.

b. Project No.: P-1494-233.

c. Date Filed: June 27, 2001.

d. Applicant: Grand River Dam Authority.

e. Name of Project: Pensacola Project. f. Location: The project is located on the Grand (Neosho) River in Craig, Delaware, Mayes, and Ottawa Counties, Oklahoma. This project does not utilize

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

Federal or Tribal lands.

h. Applicant Contact: Bob Sullivan, Grand River Dam Authority, P.O. Box 409, Vinita, OK 74301, (918) 256-5545.

i. FERC Contact: James Martin at james.martin@ferc.fed.us, or telephone (202) 208-1046.

j. Deadline for filing comments, motions, or protests: August 10, 2001.

All documents (original and eight copies) should be filed with: David P. Boergers, Secretary, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE., Washington, DC 20426. Comments, protests and interventions may be filed electronically via the Internet in lieu of paper. See, 18 CFR 385.2001(a)(1)(iii) and the instructions on the Commission's web site at http:/ /www.ferc.gov under the link to the User's Guide. If you have not yet established an account, you will need to create a new account by clicking on "Login to File" and then "New User Account."

Please include the project number (P-1494-233) on any comments or motions

k. Description of Project: Grand River Dam Authority, licensee for the Pensacola Project, requests approval to grant permission to Anchors End Marina to dredge approximately 4,500 cubic yards of material to clear the shoreline for future housing additions. The proposed project is on Grand Lake in Section 2, Township 23 North, Range 21 East, Mayes County.

l. Locations of the application: A copy of the application is available for inspection and reproduction at the Commission's Public Reference Room, located at 888 First Street, NE, Room 2A, Washington, DC 20426, or by calling (202) 208–1371. The application may be viewed on the web at www.ferc.fed.us. Call (202) 208-2222 for assistance. A copy is also available for inspection and reproduction at the address in item h above.

m. Individuals desiring to be included on the Commission's mailing list should so indicate by writing to the Secretary of the Commission.