

marina. The marina would be located within the project boundaries of the Tillery Hydroelectric Project near Mt. Gilead, North Carolina. The expansion is described as being consistent with the license-approved SMP.

l. *Location of the Application:* This filing is available for review at the Commission or may be viewed on the Commission's Web site at <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](mailto:FERCOnlineSupport@ferc.gov) or toll-free at (866) 208-3676, or for TTY, contact (202) 502-8659.

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**Kimberly D. Bose,**

*Secretary.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. RM98-1-000]

#### Records Governing Off-the-Record Communications; Public Notice

January 24, 2008.

This constitutes notice, in accordance with 18 CFR 385.2201(b), of the receipt of prohibited and exempt off-the-record communications.

Order No. 607 (64 FR 51222, September 22, 1999) requires Commission decisional employees, who make or receive a prohibited or exempt off-the-record communication relevant to the merits of a contested proceeding, to deliver to the Secretary of the Commission, a copy of the communication, if written, or a summary of the substance of any oral communication.

Prohibited communications are included in a public, non-decisional file associated with, but not a part of, the

decisional record of the proceeding. Unless the Commission determines that the prohibited communication and any responses thereto should become a part of the decisional record, the prohibited off-the-record communication will not be considered by the Commission in reaching its decision. Parties to a proceeding may seek the opportunity to respond to any facts or contentions made in a prohibited off-the-record communication, and may request that the Commission place the prohibited communication and responses thereto in the decisional record. The Commission will grant such a request only when it determines that fairness so requires. Any person identified below as having made a prohibited off-the-record communication shall serve the document on all parties listed on the official service list for the applicable proceeding in accordance with Rule 2010, 18 CFR 385.2010.

Exempt off-the-record communications are included in the decisional record of the proceeding, unless the communication was with a cooperating agency as described by 40 CFR 1501.6, made under 18 CFR 385.2201(e)(1)(v).

The following is a list of off-the-record communications recently received by the Secretary of the Commission. The communications listed are grouped by docket numbers in ascending order. These filings are available for review at the Commission in the Public Reference Room or may be viewed on the Commission's Web site at <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, please contact FERC, Online Support at [FERCOnlineSupport@ferc.gov](mailto:FERCOnlineSupport@ferc.gov) or toll free at (866) 208-3676, or for TTY, contact (202) 502-8659.

Docket No.	Date received	Presenter or requester
Prohibited:		
1. Project No. 6132-000 .....	1-16-08	Commission Staff. <sup>1</sup>
Exempt:		
1. CP07-208-000 .....	1-16-08	Hon. David J. Cappiello.
2. Project No. 2576-000 .....	1-17-08	Hon. Timothy V. Johnson.

<sup>1</sup> There is a memorandum to the file concerning conversation between Commission Staff concerning phone calls received from Mr. John C. Jones.

**Kimberly D. Bose,**  
Secretary.

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. DI08-2-000]

#### Scott Hansen; Notice of Declaration of Intention and Soliciting Comments, Protests, and/or Motions To Intervene

January 24, 2008.

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

a. *Application Type*: Declaration of Intention.

b. *Docket No*: DI08-2-000.

c. *Date Filed*: January 11, 2008.

d. *Applicant*: Scott Hansen.

e. *Name of Project*: Hansen Residential Microhydro.

f. *Location*: The proposed Hansen Residential Microhydro will be located on an unnamed stream in the Haines Borough near Haines, Alaska, at T. 30 S., R. 59 E., sec. 28, Copper River Meridian.

g. *Filed Pursuant to*: Section 23(b)(1) of the Federal Power Act, 16 U.S.C. 817(b).

h. *Applicant Contact*: Scott Hansen, P.O. Box 1138, Haines, AK 99827; telephone: (907) 766-2323; fax: (907) 766-2365; e-mail: [www.shansen@chilkoot-nsn.gov](mailto:www.shansen@chilkoot-nsn.gov)

i. *FERC Contact*: Any questions on this notice should be addressed to Henry Ecton, (202) 502-8768, or E-mail address: [henry.ecton@ferc.gov](mailto:henry.ecton@ferc.gov)

j. *Deadline for filing comments, protests, and/or motions*: February 25, 2008.

All documents (original and eight copies) should be filed with: Kimberly D. Bose, Secretary, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE., Washington, DC 20426. Comments, protests, and/or 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 "e-Filing" link.

Please include the docket number (DI08-2-000) on any comments, protests, and/or motions filed.

k. *Description of Project*: The proposed run-of-river Hansen Residential Microhydro will include: (1) A 3-foot-high, 10-foot-wide diversion from an unnamed stream into a 4.2

cubic yard concrete intake structure with a 120-cubic-foot capacity; (2) a 6-inch-diameter, 200-foot-long polyethylene penstock; (3) a powerhouse containing a generator with a total capacity of 26 kW; and (4) appurtenant facilities. The proposed project will not be connected to an interstate grid and will not occupy any tribal or federal lands.

When a Declaration of Intention is filed with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, the Federal Power Act requires the Commission to investigate and determine if the interests of interstate or foreign commerce would be affected by the project. The Commission also determines whether or not the project: (1) Would be located on a navigable waterway; (2) would occupy or affect public lands or reservations of the United States; (3) would utilize surplus water or water power from a government dam; or (4) if applicable, has involved or would involve any construction subsequent to 1935 that may have increased or would increase the project's head or generating capacity, or have otherwise significantly modified the project's pre-1935 design or operation.

l. *Locations of the Application*: Copies of this filing are on file with the Commission and are available for public inspection. This filing may be viewed on the web at <http://www.ferc.gov> using the "eLibrary" link, select "Docket#" and follow the instructions. For assistance, please contact FERC Online Support at [FERCOnlineSupport@ferc.gov](mailto:FERCOnlineSupport@ferc.gov) or toll-free at (866) 208-3676, or TTY, contact (202) 502-8659.

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**Kimberly D. Bose,**  
Secretary.

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. CP08-46-000]

#### Tarpon Whitetail Gas Storage, LLC; Notice of Intent To Prepare an Environmental Assessment for the Proposed Whitetail Natural Gas Storage Project and Request for Comments on Environmental Issues

January 23, 2008.

The staff of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC or Commission) will prepare an environmental assessment (EA) that will discuss the environmental impacts of the proposed Whitetail Natural Gas Storage Project involving construction and operation of natural gas facilities by Tarpon Whitetail Gas Storage, LLC (Whitetail) in Monroe County, Mississippi. The EA will be used by the Commission in its decision-making process to determine whether the project is in the public convenience and necessity.

This notice announces the opening of the scoping process the Commission will use to gather input from the public and interested agencies on the project. Your input will help determine which issues need to be evaluated in the EA. Please note that the scoping period will close on February 25, 2008. Details on how to submit comments are provided in the Public Participation section of this notice.

If you are a landowner receiving this notice, you may be contacted by a pipeline company representative about the acquisition of an easement to construct, operate, and maintain the