

**FEDERAL ENERGY REGULATORY COMMISSION
Washington, D. C. 20426**

OFFICE OF ENERGY PROJECTS

**Project No. 12742-000—Washington
Admiralty Inlet Tidal Hydroelectric Project
City of Port Townsend, Washington**

October 2, 2006

**Mr. David Timmons
City Manager, City of Port Townsend
250 Madison Street
Port Townsend, WA 98368**

Subject: Preliminary Permit Application

Dear Mr. Timmons:

Your preliminary permit application for the Admiralty Inlet Tidal Energy Hydroelectric Project No. 12742 has been accepted by the Commission for filing as of September 20, 2006. Federal, state, and local agencies will be informed in the Commission's public notices that a copy of the complete application may be obtained from you.

Within 5 days after you receive this letter, please send one copy of the application to the following: the Secretary of the Commission, the Commission's Portland Regional Office; the Department of the Interior, Office of Environmental Affairs; the Oregon State Director, Bureau of Land Management, and; the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, North Pacific Office. A list of their addresses is enclosed. If you have any questions, you may contact me at (202) 502-8132.

Sincerely,



**Chris Yeakel
Environmental Biologist
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LIST OF ADDRESSES

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Bureau of Land Management
Lands and Minerals Adjudication Section (OR-936.1)
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P.O. Box 2965
Portland, OR 97208**

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