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Paul:

We ask that you submit a Freedom of Information Act request for the comments on the draft permits (I presume you'll want to request the comments received on both versions of the draft permit). You can do that on-line at:

https://foiaonline.regulations.gov

As far as schedule, we've hit a bit of a snag in terms of Endangered Species Act (ESA) consultation. Although we sent the revised biological evaluation (reflecting the changes in the revised draft permit) to the Fish and Wildlife service via certified mail (and we received the delivery confirmation) back in April, it never made it to the desk of the staff person responsible for reviewing it. I sent it to them again (by e-mail this time) on July 19th. However, ESA consultation is going to take longer than I would have liked.

Thanks,

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Dan and Brian,

We were just wondering if we can get a copy of the public comments received on the most recent Sandpoint Draft NPDES Permit and get an idea of what the schedule might be for issuing the permit and response to comments. With such large and long-lasting issues on the table, we very much appreciate any heads up information that you can share.

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