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March 10, 2026

Mr. Jan Sokol
PO Box 461
Lyle, WA 98635

Dear Mr. Sokol

On behalf of the Board of County Commissioners, we are pleased to formally appoint you as the County's representative to the Energy Facility Site Evaluation Council (EFSEC) for the proposed Cascade Renewable Transmission Project.

The Cascade Renewable Transmission Project is a proposed 400-kilovolt (kV) high-voltage direct current (HVDC) electric transmission facility spanning approximately 100 miles between the BPA Big Eddy Substation near The Dalles and the PGE Harborton Substation in Portland. The project would be constructed primarily within the Columbia River bed in both Oregon and Washington, with approximately 40 miles located in Washington and 58 miles in Oregon. This includes approximately 7.6 miles of underground cable in Skamania County to bypass the Bonneville Locks and Dam.

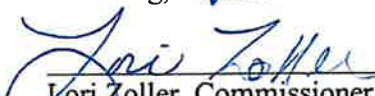
We thank you for your commitment to public service and for dedicating your time and expertise to this important matter. The Board has full confidence in your ability to effectively represent the County's interests.

Sincerely,

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
Klickitat County, Washington



Ron Ihrig, Chairman



Lori Zoller, Commissioner



Todd Andrews, Commissioner

Cc: Scott Edelman, Community Development Director