

Many dams and reservoirs in the Columbia River Basin operate together under the Columbia River Treaty to manage flood risks and generate hydropower to benefit the Pacific Northwest. These river operations also support irrigation, fish and wildlife, recreation, water supply and navigation.

# Join the Discussion Open Houses

on

## the Future of the Treaty Recent Study Results

- Learn how federal agencies manage water in the Basin.
- Learn about the Columbia River Treaty, its history and its value.
- Discuss the potential future of the Treaty and the efforts underway to understand what change could mean to the region.

The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers and the Bonneville Power Administration will orient you to dam and reservoir operations and introduce this important Treaty between the United States and Canada. You can catch up and participate in the collaborative Treaty Review process to evaluate its future.

If you've followed Treaty Review over the past two years, come learn about the results of the latest round of analysis, called Iteration 2.

Open Houses are drop-in style with a few scheduled presentations. All participants are encouraged to share their opinions on the future of the Columbia River Treaty and provide input on the work advancing under Iteration 3. You also may have the opportunity to meet your regional representatives to the Treaty Review process.



### Columbia River Treaty 2014/2024 Review April-May 2013 Open Houses

Drop by anytime to meet with staff, view maps and study results, participate in discussions and provide input

#### Washington

April 10 3-6 p.m. Northern Quest

100 N Hayford Rd. Spokane

April 23 4-7 p.m. Community Center Veterans Hall 504 South Chelan Wenatchee

April 24\* 4-7 p.m. Quality Inn 700 Port Dr. Clarkston

April 25\* 4-7 p.m. City Hall 300 Lincoln Ave. Coulee Dam

May 1 4-7 p.m. Arboretum-Garden View Rm 1401 Arboretum Yakima

May 2 3-6 p.m. Town Hall 1119 8th Ave. Seattle

May 7 4-7 p.m.

Holiday Inn Exp. 4525 Convention Pl.

Oregon

April 16 3-6 p.m. DoubleTree Lloyd Center 1000 NE Multnomah St.

Portland

April 29

4-7 p.m. Port of Morrow 2 Marine Dr. Boardman

Idaho

May 8 3-6 p.m. Hampton Inn 495 S. Capitol Blvd. Boise

May 14 4-7 p.m.

Community Center/Panhandle Bank 414 Church St.

Sandpoint

Montana

May 13\* 4-7 p.m. City Hall 952 E Spruce St. Libby

May 15\* 4-7 p.m.

RiverStone Lodge 6370 Hwy 93 North Eureka

May 16 4-7 p.m.

Kalispell Red Lion 20 N Main St. Kalispell

#### **Visit**

- Interest Tables & Staff Available (will remain open through the presentations)
  - Columbia River Operations and Treaty History
  - Treaty Review Purpose and Progress
  - Flood Risk Management
  - Hydropower and Canadian Entitlement
  - Ecosystems and the Environment
  - Additional interests (Water Supply, Navigation, Recreation\*)

#### **Learn and Participate**

- **Presentations & Discussions** 
  - Overview approximately 30 minutes after start of each Open House
  - Recent Study Results and Upcoming Analysis approximately 90 minutes after start

For information on the Columbia River Treaty 2014/2024 Review

Visit www.crt2014-2024review.gov

Email treatyreview@bpa.gov

Call the Bonneville Power Administration at 800-622-4519 or the Corps at 503-808-4510

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<sup>\*</sup> The Corps and BPA will host a special session on Recreation after the second presentation at the Clarkston, Grand Coulee, Libby and Eureka meetings.