

Order No.: ~~654~~ 653A
Date: 6/13/88

In the Matter of)
Application No. 88-1)
)
WASHINGTON WATER POWER CO.)
CRESTON GENERATING STATION)
)
A WASHINGTON CORPORATION)
)
.....)

ORDER GRANTING
INTERVENTION TO
NORTHWEST CONSERVATION
ACT COALITION

On May 23, 1988, the Energy Facility Site Evaluation Council (Council) entered Prehearing Conference Order No. 653, in which it recognized the Lincoln County Agricultural Coalition and Blue Sky advocates as parties to this proceeding. The Order also identified the issues to be addressed at the hearing beginning on June 22, 1988.

On May 20, 1988, the Energy Facility Site Evaluation Council (Council) received a Petition to Intervene and Statement of Issues from the Northwest Conservation Act Coalition (NCAC). In its Petition, NCAC identifies itself as a public interest organization with 40 member groups in Washington, Idaho, Oregon and Montana. The Petition summarizes the extent of its interests with regard to this proceeding, and also requests that the Council address issues other than those identified in the Prehearing Conference Order.

On June 6, 1988, the Council received Washington Water Power's (WWP) Response to the Petition for Intervention, in which it opposes NCAC's request to broaden the issues, contending inter alia, that the issues NCAC raises are irrelevant to this proceeding. The Council received a reply from Counsel for the Environment to WWP's Exceptions. The reply supported NCAC's intervention.

The Council grants NCAC's Petition for Intervention. NCAC has shown an interest in the proceeding entitling it to intervene under pertinent law and rule.

The Council denies NCAC's request to broaden the issues. Having already fully considered the issues it believe should be addressed at the hearing, the Council is not persuaded by NCAC that the issues to be addressed in this proceeding should be other than those enumerated in its Prehearing Conference Order No. 653.

ORDER

WHEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED That the Petition for Intervention of the Northwest Conservation Act Coalition shall be, and the same is hereby, granted. The Northwest Conservation Action Coalition shall be, and the same is hereby, made a party to this proceeding; and

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED That Northwest Conservation Act Coalition's Request to Broaden the Issues shall be, and the same is hereby, denied.

Dated at Olympia, Washington and effective this 13th day of June 1988.

WASHINGTON STATE ENERGY FACILITY
SITE EVALUATION COUNCIL

By



Curtis Eschels
Chairman

ATTEST:

By



William L. Fitch
Executive Secretary

BEFORE THE STATE OF WASHINGTON
ENERGY FACILITY SITE EVALUATION COUNCIL

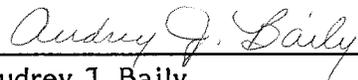
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CRESTON GENERATING STATION)
A Washington Corporation)
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The undersigned certifies that on June 14, 1988 she served the enclosed:

Order No. 654, dated June 13, 1988, granting Petition for Intervention to the Northwest Conservation Act Coalition.

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