

**PUBLIC NOTICE FOR
CLEAN WATER ACT 401 WATER QUALITY CERTIFICATION
BEFORE THE STATE WATER RESOURCES CONTROL BOARD
DIVISION OF WATER RIGHTS**

A request for water quality certification (certification) amendment for the Lower Klamath Project License Surrender (Project) (Federal Energy Regulatory Commission Project No. 14803) was filed with the State Water Resources Control Board (State Water Board). Certifications are issued under section 401 of the Clean Water Act. California Code of Regulations, title 23, section 3858, requires the Executive Director of the State Water Board to provide public notice of an application at least twenty-one (21) days before taking certification action on the application. The typical notice period may be shortened in an emergency.

Written questions and/or comments regarding the application should be directed to Philip Meyer:

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Division of Water Rights – Water Quality Certification Program
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RECEIVED:	September 23, 2022
PROJECT:	Lower Klamath Project License Surrender
APPLICANT:	Klamath River Renewal Corporation (KRRC)
CONTACT:	Laura Hazlett, Chief Operating Officer
COUNTY:	Siskiyou
PUBLIC NOTICE:	October 13, 2022

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: On April 7, 2020, the Executive Director of the State Water Board issued a certification for the Project. The KRRC is requesting an amendment to the certification to incorporate changes to the Project design.

The Project is located on the Klamath River in Siskiyou County, California, and Klamath County, Oregon. The Project primarily consists of the decommissioning and removal of four dams (J.C. Boyle in Oregon, and Copco No. 1, Copco No. 2, and Iron Gate in California) and associated facilities on the Klamath River.

Additional information is available on the [Project webpage](http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/waterrights/water_issues/programs/water_quality_cert/low_water_klamath_ferc14803.shtml) at:
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Note: The State Water Board is responsible for certification of the California elements of the Project, while the Oregon Department of Environmental Quality is responsible for certification for the removal of the J.C. Boyle dam and associated facilities