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RE: PacifiCorp Lands along the White Salmon River.

Kind People,

We would like you to know that Columbia Gorge Audubon Society has requested a Congressional investigation into Forest Service neglect and mismanagement of the White Salmon and Klickitat National Wild and Scenic Rivers. As you must know, the lower section of the White Salmon River was not designated Wild and Scenic due to the Condit Dam. One of the many aspects of Forest Service neglect and mismanagement on the White Salmon River has been their utter failure to promote action to bring the lower section of this river into the Wild and Scenic River system since Condit Dam removal in 2011.

We have provided our US Senators and US Representative with extensive evidence of Forest Service neglect and mismanagement of our Wild and Scenic Rivers, and we anticipate that there will be negative public relations fall-out for the Forest Service due to their previous actions and in-actions in how they have managed our National Wild and Scenic Rivers. Columbia Gorge Audubon Society has taken on the job of keeping the news media informed of White Salmon River issues, and our interactions with all involved parties. As the story develops, the news media has become increasingly interested.

Your corporation (including your early corporate name, Pacific Power and Light) benefited from the damming of this river for over a hundred years, and now that the dam has been removed we are asking that you join us in helping to save what is left of your