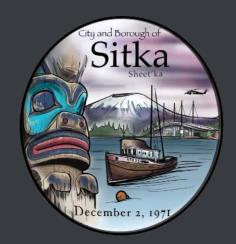


**Green Lake Hydroelectric Project Relicensing** 

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### Green Lake Hydroelectric Project Relicensing

- FERC license was issued March 31, 1979
- 50-year license expires March 31, 2029
- Relicensing process generally takes 5 6 years
  - Pre-filing
  - Formal initiation
  - Study program
  - Reporting
  - License Application

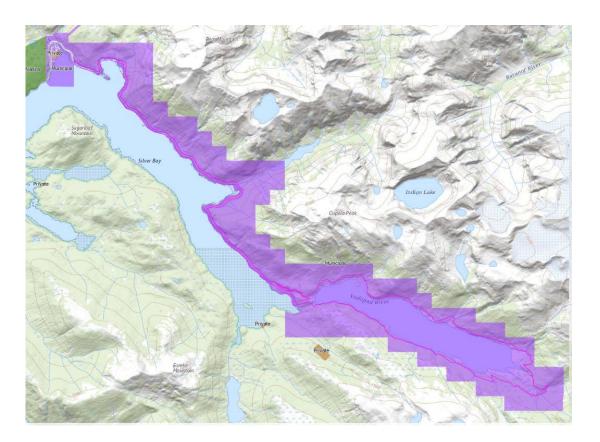


#### Green Lake Hydroelectric Project Relicensing

- > Pre-filing strategy and agency interaction.
- > Prepare Notice of Intent and Pre-Application Document (PAD).
- > Develop a Study Plan in consultation with Resource Agencies and Tribes Corporation(s).
- ➤ Implement the Study Plan may take one or two filed seasons
- > Report on study program annually.
- > Prepare the License Application. Must be filed by March 31, 2029.
- Consistent collaboration and communication with licensing participants throughout.

#### **Opportunities**

- Potential for a single study season.
- Build on existing quality relationships with licensing participants to promote other potential renewable development.
- Reduce the FERC project boundary



## **Schedule**

Milestone	Time Frame
File NOI/PAD with FERC	By March 31, 2024
Proposed Study Plan	2024
Revised Study Plan	2024
Study Implementation	2025 and 2026
Draft License Application	2026
Final License Application	2027
New License Issued by FERC	2029

# Thank you.

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