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Kimberly D. Bose
Secretary
Federal Energy Regulatory Commission
888 First Street, N.E.
Washington, DC 20426

**RE: NOTICE OF INTERVENTION, Green Lake Dam Project
(FERC No. 7189)**

Dear Secretary Bose:

On March 23, 2023, the Commission issued a *Notice of Application Accepted for Filing, Soliciting Motions to Intervene and Protests, Ready for Environmental Analysis, and Soliciting Comments, Recommendations, Preliminary Terms and Conditions, and Preliminary Fishway Prescriptions* in response to the license application for the Green Lake Dam Project (FERC No. 7189) on Green Lake and Reeds Brook in the City of Ellsworth, Hancock County, Maine. By this letter we provide notice pursuant to 18 C.F.R. §385.214(a), as amended, that our Agency is requesting intervenor status in this proceeding. Under Maine State Law (12 MRSA, §10051), the Maine Department of Inland Fisheries and Wildlife's (MDIFW) mandate is "...to preserve, protect, and enhance the inland fisheries and wildlife resources of the State; to encourage the wise use of these resources; to ensure coordinated planning for the future use and preservation of these resources; and to provide for effective management of these resources." Intervenor status will provide opportunity for participation.

Best regards,

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Environmental Review Coordinator

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