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Subject: Agency and Public Scoping Meetings – Lake Powell Pipeline Project – Coconino and Mohave Counties, Arizona, and Kane and Washington Counties, Utah.

Dear Director:

In accordance with the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA), the Department of the Interior, through the Bureau of Reclamation (Reclamation), issued a Notice of Intent (NOI) on December 6, 2019, to prepare an Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) for the Lake Powell Pipeline (LPP) Project. The Bureau of Reclamation Provo Area Office invites you to participate in the public scoping process for the proposed LPP Project. The proposal may also include an amendment to a Bureau of Land Management Resource Management Plan.

Public scoping is the first step in the preparation of an Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) for any project under a Federal nexus. The public scoping process is designed to introduce the proposed project to the public and solicit comments on what Reclamation and cooperating agencies should consider in the analysis. This letter is an invitation to participate in agency-only scoping meetings scheduled on **January 7, 8, and 9, 2020**. Your attendance is welcome at any of the agency meeting locations listed below:

Tuesday, January 7, 2020	Wednesday, January 8, 2020	Thursday, January 9, 2020
1:00 – 2:30p.m. Kanab Center 20 N. 100 East Kanab, UT 84741	1:00 – 2:30p.m. Dixie Center 1835 S. Convention Center Dr. St. George, UT 84790	1:00 – 2:30p.m. Springhill Suites 1211 S. State Street Draper, UT 84020
All presentations begin at 1:30pm		

The meeting will begin with an open house format providing an overview of the Project and an opportunity to answer questions. The presentation will begin at 1:30 p.m.

Reclamation will prepare an EIS for the LPP Project as proposed by the Utah Board of Water Resources. As proposed, the LPP would be a 140-mile, 69-inch-diameter water delivery pipeline that would begin at Lake Powell near Glen Canyon Dam in Page, Arizona and end at Sand Hollow Reservoir near St. George, Utah. The proposed pipeline would establish a second source of water for Washington and Kane Counties, Utah. The project would help meet future water demands, diversify the regional water supply portfolio, and enhance the reliability of the water supply. A map of the project area is enclosed for your reference.

Reclamation is seeking your input (resource concerns, planning information, laws, development plans, recreation, etc.) that would be relevant to the analysis. The formal scoping period begins with the issuance of the NOI and ends January 10, 2020.

Your attendance is also welcome at any of the public scoping meetings listed below:

Tuesday, January 7, 2020	Wednesday, January 8, 2020	Thursday, January 9, 2020
6:00 – 8:00pm Kanab Center 20 N. 100 East Kanab, UT 84741	6:00 – 8:00pm Dixie Center 1835 S Convention Center Dr. St. George, UT 84790	6:00 – 8:00pm Valley High School 325 West 11000 South South Jordan, UT 84095
All presentations begin at 6:30pm		

You may submit comments at any time during the preparation of the EIS; however, if you would like to have your comment(s) considered for inclusion in the Draft EIS, comments must be submitted during the Scoping period. You may submit your comments by any of the following methods:

- Written comments directly at the agency-only meeting or any of the public scoping meetings;
- Mail: Lake Powell Pipeline Project
Bureau of Reclamation, Provo Area Office
302 East Lakeview Parkway
Provo, Utah 84606;
- Website: <https://www.usbr.gov/uc/envdocs/eis/LakePowellPipeline/index.html>;
- Email: lpp@usbr.gov;
- Fax: 801-379-1159

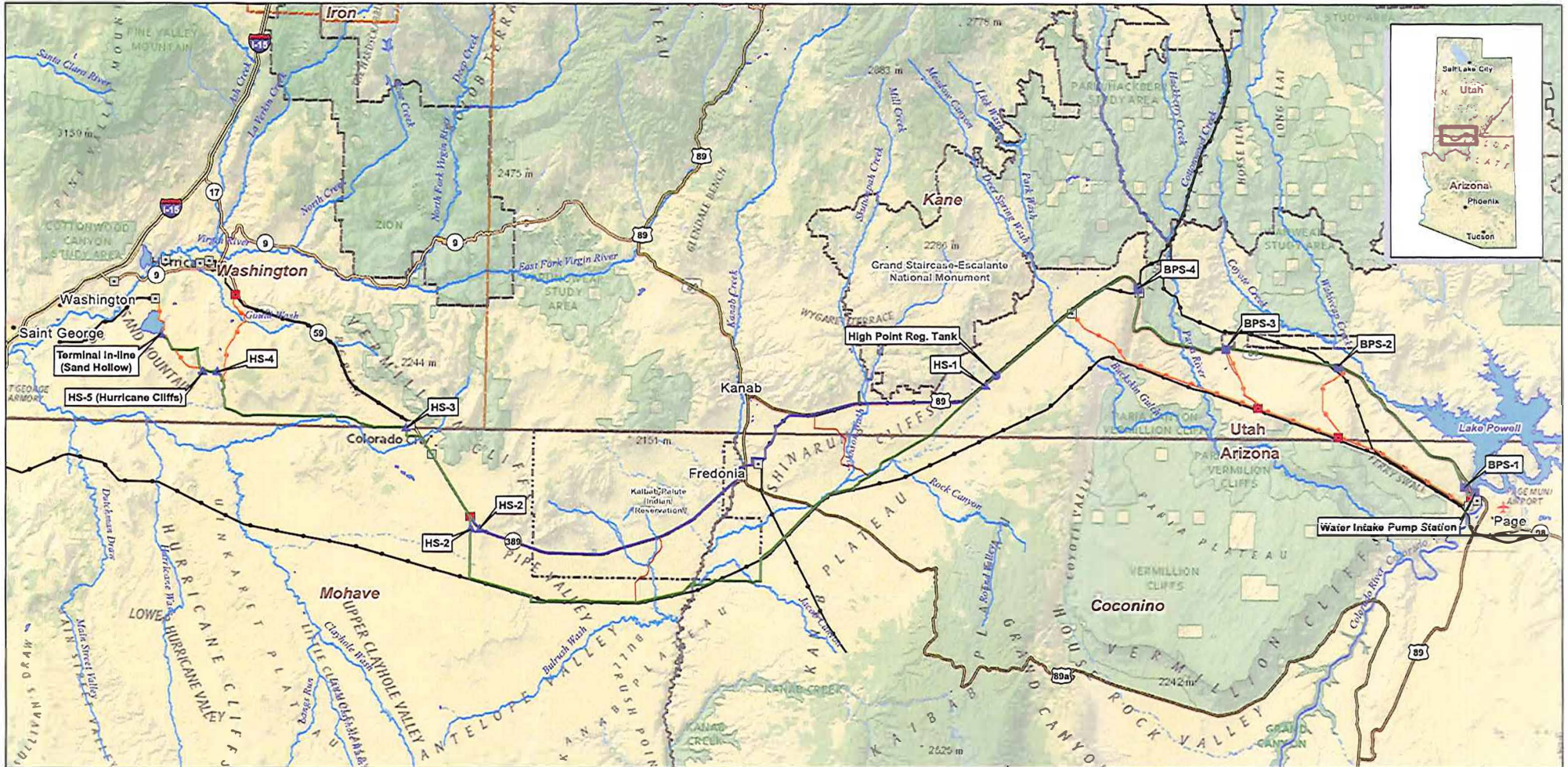
If you have any questions about this Project, please contact Rick Baxter, Reclamation Program Manager, at 801-379-1078. If you require special accommodations for the public hearing(s), please contact Ellen Hopp at Galileo Project, LLC: by e-mail at ellen.hopp@galileoaz.com; by telephone at 480-629-4705; or by fax at 480-629-5978. We appreciate your participation in this proposed project.

Sincerely,

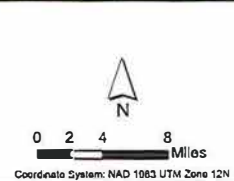


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Enclosure



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| ■ Project Pump Station | — Water Conveyance System - Highway Alternative | — Interstate | ▭ National Park/Monument |
| ● Project Regulating Tank | — Water Conveyance System - Southern Alternative | — US Highway | ▭ Tribal Lands |
| ▲ Project Hydro Station | — KCWCD System | — ST Highway | ▭ State Boundaries |
| □ Substation | — Existing Major Transmission Lines | — Hwy | ▭ County Boundaries |
| ■ Proposed Substation | — Project Transmission Lines | — Access Roads | ▭ Lakes & Reservoirs |
| | — Major Rivers & Streams | | |



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Figure 3

Alternative Alignments