

Attachment 2

Support Emails for the March 2018 Log Cabin and Our House Diversion Dams and New Bullards Bar Reservoir Large Woody Material Management Plan

Yuba River Development Project FERC Project No. 2246

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Hi Jim,

The USFWS supports the revised 2018 LWM plan and the letter to FERC requesting its use in the NEPA process. Thank you for working with us toward a workable solution.

Regards,

Alison

On Sun, Mar 18, 2018 at 10:19 AM, Lynch, Jim <Jim.Lynch@hdrinc.com> wrote:

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