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Docket No. 50-508

Mr. Richard J. Myshak
Regional Director
U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service
Region 1
500 NE Multnomah Street
Portland, Oregon 97232

Dear Mr. ~~Myshak~~:

Washington Public Power Supply System has applied to NRC for a license to operate its Nuclear Project No. 3 which is under construction in Gray's Harbor County, Washington. The site coordinates are at latitude 46° 57' 34" N and longitude 123° 28' 15" W. The site is 16 miles east of Aberdeen, WA, on the Chehalis River which will serve as source and receiving waters for power plant condenser cooling. Other surface waters in the immediate site vicinity include: Wynoochee River; Satsop River; Hyatt, Elizabeth, Workman, Fuller, Stein, and Purgatory Creeks. The location of the site and associated transmission lines are shown on the enclosed maps.

We are preparing an Environmental Impact Statement as part of our operating license review. To assure a thorough review, we request that your office provide NRC with information on the presence of plant and animal species listed or proposed as threatened or endangered in the vicinity of the site and transmission corridors.

If you have any questions regarding this request, you may contact Annette Vietti, Licensing Project Manager, at (301) 492-4449.

Sincerely,

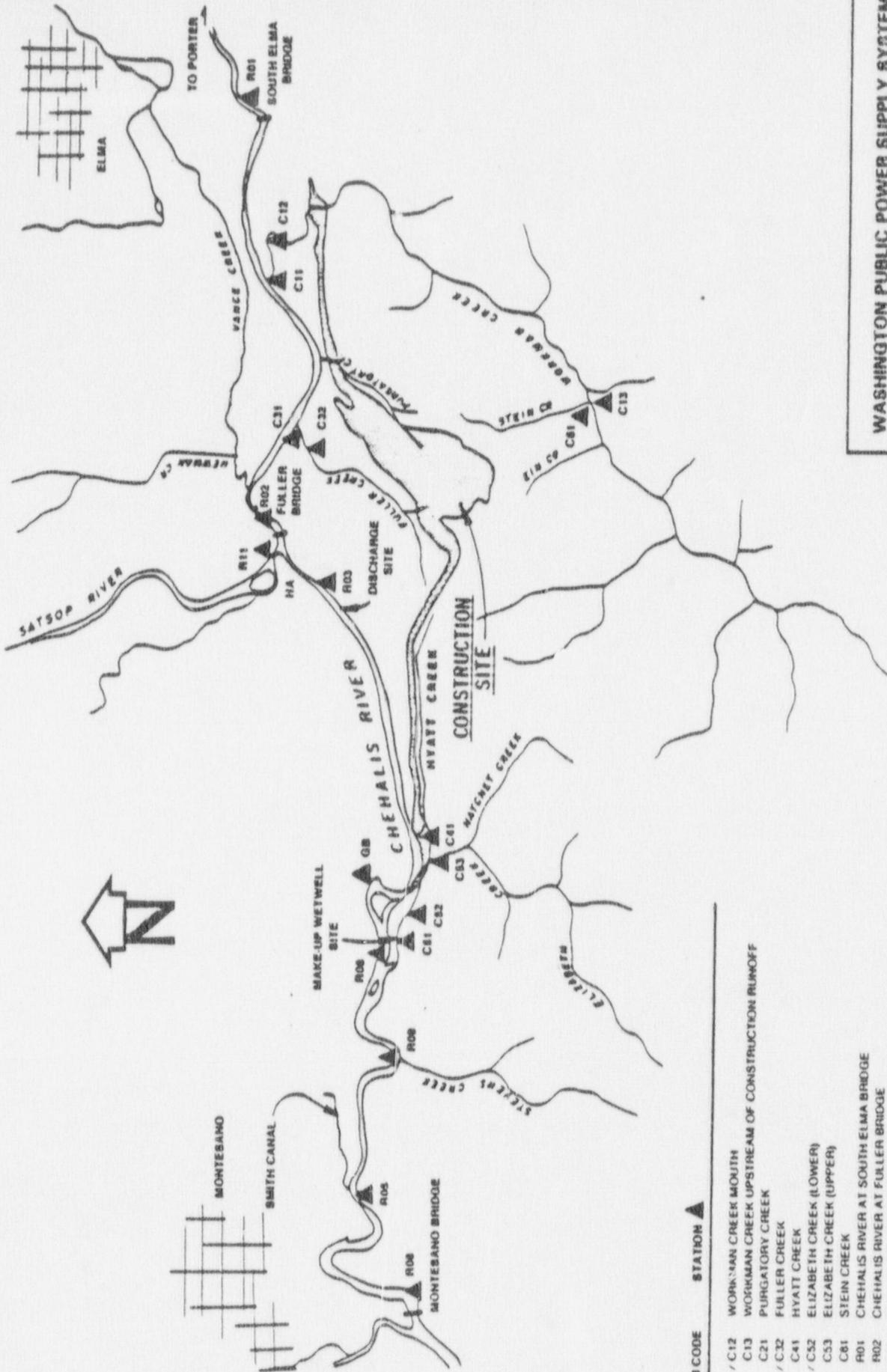
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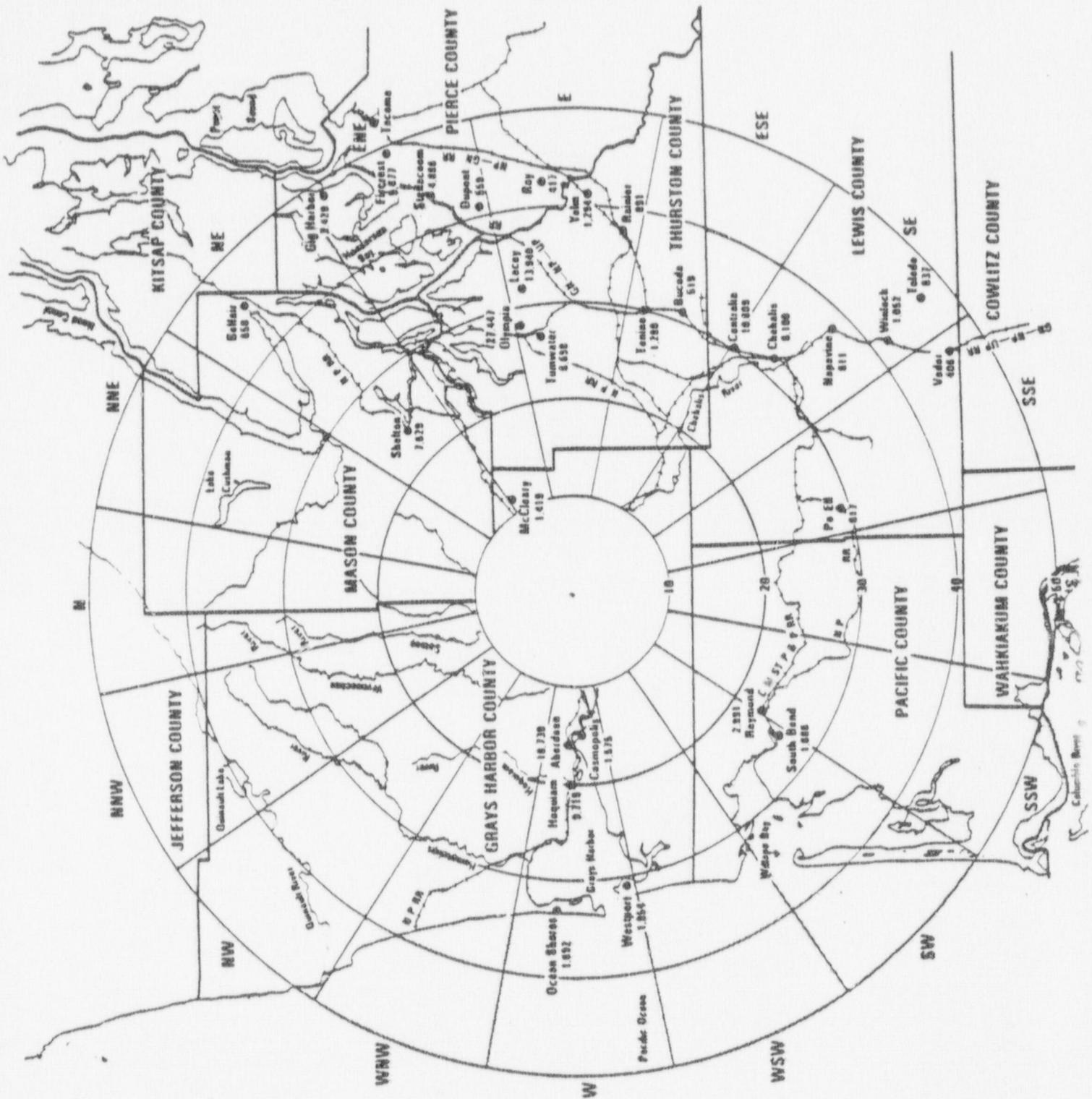


WASHINGTON PUBLIC POWER SUPPLY SYSTEM
WNP-3 ER-01

LOCATIONS OF WATER QUALITY AND
AQUATIC ECOLOGY SAMPLING STATIONS

| STATION CODE | STATION |
|--------------|---|
| C11 / C12 | WORKMAN CREEK MOUTH |
| C13 | WORKMAN CREEK UPSTREAM OF CONSTRUCTION RUNOFF |
| C21 | PURGATORY CREEK |
| C31 / C32 | FULLER CREEK |
| C41 | HYATT CREEK |
| C51 / C52 | ELIZABETH CREEK (LOWER) |
| C53 | ELIZABETH CREEK (UPPER) |
| C61 | STEIN CREEK |
| R01 | CHEHALIS RIVER AT SOUTH ELMA BRIDGE |
| R02 | CHEHALIS RIVER AT FULLER BRIDGE |
| R03 | CHEHALIS RIVER UPSTREAM OF PROPOSED PLANT DISCHARGE |
| R04 | CHEHALIS RIVER DOWNSTREAM OF PROPOSED PLANT DISCHARGE |
| R05 | CHEHALIS RIVER BELOW BARGE FACILITY |
| R08 | CHEHALIS RIVER AT INTAKE AREA |
| R09 | CHEHALIS RIVER AT STEVENS CREEK |
| R11 / R12 | SATSOP RIVER NEAR MOUTH |
| GB | GREENBANKS |
| HA | HOLDING AREA |

FIGURE 6.1-1



WASHINGTON PUBLIC
POWER SUPPLY SYSTEM
NUCLEAR PROJECT No. 3
OPERATING LICENSE
ENVIRONMENTAL REPORT

PROJECT AREA MAP, 10-50 MILES

FIGURE
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Dear Ted:

Although official confirmation has not yet been received from the Washington Public Power Supply System (WPPSS), it is expected that an announcement will be made soon regarding the suspension of construction activities at the Washington Nuclear Plant No. 3 site near Satsop, Washington. Accordingly, we request that U. S. Geological Survey discontinue its geological and seismological review of the WNP-3 operating license application as of July 29, 1983. A modification of Interagency Agreement No. NRR-83-105 deleting this review effort (FIN B8633, Project No. 2, Tasks 3 and 4) will be made after the NRC receives from the Supply System a formal notification of the suspension of construction activities at the Satsop site.

As you will recall, we had discussed the July termination of the USGS review of the WNP-3 application by telephone on July 22, 1983.

Sincerely,

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~~Robert~~ E. Jackson, Chief
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