

HOW TO SUBMIT COMMENTS

Submit in the next 60 days (by December 30, 2018)

The Initial Consultation Document (ICD) describes the proposed plan.

You can download the ICD at the project developer's website

<https://www.currenthydro.com/annandale-icd>

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The purpose of this meeting is two-fold:

- (1) to share Bard's project with the public and interested community members and to get general feedback, and
- (2) to fulfill the requirements of a federally-regulated energy project.

In order to fulfill the requirements of a federally-regulated energy project, for comments from interested resource agencies and Native American tribes to be considered, the rules are as follows (from the federal regulations*):

"interested resource agencies and Indian tribes **must provide** a potential applicant with written comments:

- i. Identifying its determination of necessary studies to be performed or the information to be provided by the potential applicant;
- ii. Identifying the basis for its determination;
- iii. Discussing its understanding of the resource issues and its goals and objectives for these resources;
- iv. Explaining why each study methodology recommended by it is more appropriate than any other available methodology alternatives, including those identified by the potential applicant pursuant to paragraph (b)(2)(vii) of this section;
- v. Documenting that the use of each study methodology recommended by it is a generally accepted practice; and
- vi. Explaining how the studies and information requested will be useful to the agency, Indian tribe, or member of the public in furthering its resource goals and objectives that are affected by the proposed project."

* CFR Title 18, §4.38