

and federal Natural Resource Trustees (Trustees) in more efficiently carrying out the restoration planning phase of Natural Resource Damage Assessments (NRDA), in compliance with the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969, 42 U.S.C. 4321–4370d and other federal and local statutes and regulations as applicable. The Office of Habitat Conservation (OHC) at the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA) manages this information collection and provides the information to the Trustees. The NRDA Restoration Project Information Sheet is designed to facilitate the collection of information on existing, planned, or proposed restoration projects. This information will be used by the Natural Resource Trustees to develop potential restoration alternatives for natural resource injuries and service losses requiring restoration, during the restoration planning phase of the NRDA process. This information is provided by the public on a voluntary basis. The information provided benefits the public by informing the NRDA restoration process. However, there are no individual benefits that depend on the submission of information. Individuals can update the information as needed, but there is no required update frequency.

Affected Public: State, Local, or Tribal government; Federal government.

Frequency: Annually and on occasion.

Respondent's Obligation: Voluntary.

Legal Authority: National Environmental Policy Act of 1969, 42 U.S.C. 4321–4370d.

This information collection request may be viewed at www.reginfo.gov. Follow the instructions to view the Department of Commerce collections currently under review by OMB.

Written comments and recommendations for the proposed information collection should be submitted within 30 days of the publication of this notice on the following website www.reginfo.gov/public/do/PRAMain. Find this particular information collection by selecting “Currently under 30-day Review—Open for Public Comments” or by using the search function and entering either the title of the collection or the OMB Control Number 0648–0497.

Sheleen Dumas,

Departmental PRA Compliance Officer, Office of the Under Secretary for Economic Affairs, Commerce Department.

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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Department of the Army

Notice of Intent To Grant Exclusive Patent License to Zyltech Engineering, LLC; Houston, TX

AGENCY: Department of the Army, DoD.

ACTION: Notice of Intent.

SUMMARY: The Department of the Army hereby gives notice of its intent to grant to Zyltech Engineering LLC, a company having its principal place of business at 283 Lockhaven Drive, Suite 122, Houston, TX 77073, an exclusive license.

DATES: Written objections must be filed not later than 15 days following publication of this announcement.

ADDRESSES: Send written objections to DEVCOM Army Research Laboratory, Acquisition Management and Technology Transfer Branch, FCDD–RLB–FA/AnnMarie Martin, 6468 Integrity Court, B4402 Room 115, Aberdeen Proving Ground, MD 21005 or email to ORTA@arl.army.mil.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: AnnMarie Martin, (520) 945–2155, E-Mail: ORTA@arl.army.mil.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Department of the Army plans to grant a partially exclusive license to Zyltech Engineering, LLC for the licensed fields of use as it relates to the manufacture, use and sales of the covered dual material and/or multi-material filaments for 3D printing purposes, including the following materials:

- Styrenic polymers and copolymers, related blends and composites: this mainly covers ABS and ASA.
- Polycarbonate and its derivatives, related blends and composites.
- Nylon and its derivatives, related blends and composites.
- Thermoplastic elastomer, including TPE, TPU, PEBA and related elastomeric thermoplastics.
- relative to the following;
- “Process for creating a filament”, ARL 15–22CIP, US Patent No. 10,968,539, Issue Date: 04/06/2021. US Patent Application No. 15/630,175, Filing Date: 06/22/2017.
- “Process for creating a polymer filament suitable for use in three-dimensional printing”, ARL 15–22, US Patent No. 11,001,945, Issue Date: 05/11/2021. US Patent Application No. 15/081,048, Filing Date: 03/25/2016.
- “High strength 3D-printed polymer structures and methods of formation”, ARL 19–32, US Patent No. 11,566,349, Issue Date: 01/31/2022. US Patent

Application No. 16/990,164, Filing Date: 08/11/2020.

- “Multi-material polymer filament for three-dimensional printing”, ARL 15–CIP2, US Publication No. 2022/0033998, Publication Date: 02/03/2022. US Patent Application No. 16/814,353, Filing Date: 03/10/2020.
- “Method of additive manufacturing and dual material elastomeric filament”, ARL 24–13, US Publication No. 2025/028952, Publication Date: 09/11/2025. US Patent Application No. 19/072,806, Filing Date: 03/06/2025.

The prospective exclusive license may be granted unless within fifteen (15) days from the date of this published notice, the U.S. Army Combat Capabilities Development Command Army Research Laboratory receives written objections including evidence and argument that establish that the grant of the license would not be consistent with the requirements of 35 U.S.C. 209(e) and 37 CFR 404.7(a)(1)(i). Competing applications completed and received by the U.S. Army Combat Capabilities Development Command Army Research Laboratory within fifteen (15) days from the date of this published notice will also be treated as objections to the grant of the contemplated exclusive license.

Objections submitted in response to this notice will not be made available to the public for inspection and, to the extent permitted by law, will not be released under the Freedom of Information Act, 5 U.S.C. 552.

James W. Satterwhite Jr.,

Army Federal Register Liaison Officer.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Senior Executive Service Performance Review Board

AGENCY: Department of Energy.

ACTION: Designation of performance review board chair.

SUMMARY: This notice provides the Performance Review Board Chair designee for the Department of Energy. This listing supersedes all previously published lists of Performance Review Board Chair.

DATES: This appointment is effective as of October 7, 2026.

Terri E. Lee (Primary)

Statutory Authority: 5 U.S.C. 4314(c)(4).

Signing Authority

This document of the Department of Energy was signed on October 7, 2026, by Farhana Hossain, Director of the Office of Corporate Executive Management within the Office of the Chief Human Capital Officer, pursuant to delegated authority from the Secretary of Energy. That document with the original signature and date is maintained by DOE. For administrative purposes only, and in compliance with requirements of the Office of the Federal Register, the undersigned DOE Federal Register Liaison Officer has been authorized to sign and submit the document in electronic format for publication as an official document of the Department of Energy. This administrative process in no way alters the legal effect of this document upon publication in the **Federal Register**.

Signed in Washington, DC, on October 8, 2026.

Treena V. Garrett,

Federal Register Liaison Officer, U.S. Department of Energy.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY**Senior Executive Service Performance Review Board**

AGENCY: Department of Energy.

ACTION: Designation of performance review board standing register.

SUMMARY: This notice provides the Performance Review Board Standing Register for the Department of Energy. This listing supersedes all previously published lists of PRB members.

DATES: This appointment is effective as of October 7, 2026.

Al-Daouk, Ahmad M.

Beasley, Lara E.

Bell, Melody C.

Brinson, Todd M.

Daley, Fana G.

deBeauclair, Geoffrey G.

Kremer, Kevin P.

LaRose, Angelina C.

McAnulty, Michael J.

McFearn, Christopher E.

Michetti, Vicki D.

Montoya, Michael M.

Nunes, Ashley

Wolff, James A.

Olds, Theodore E.

Statutory Authority: 5 U.S.C. 4314(c)(4).

Signing Authority

This document of the Department of Energy was signed on October 7, 2026,

by Farhana Hossain, Director of the Office of Corporate Executive Management within the Office of the Chief Human Capital Officer, pursuant to delegated authority from the Secretary of Energy. That document with the original signature and date is maintained by DOE. For administrative purposes only, and in compliance with requirements of the Office of the Federal Register, the undersigned DOE Federal Register Liaison Officer has been authorized to sign and submit the document in electronic format for publication as an official document of the Department of Energy. This administrative process in no way alters the legal effect of this document upon publication in the **Federal Register**.

Signed in Washington, DC, on October 8, 2026.

Treena V. Garrett,

Federal Register Liaison Officer, U.S. Department of Energy.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY**Federal Energy Regulatory Commission**

[Docket No. DI26–5–000]

Badger Mountain Hydro, LLC; Notice of Declaration of Intention and Soliciting Comments, Protests, and Motions To Intervene

Take notice that the following application has been filed with the Commission and is available for public inspection:

a. *Application Type:* Declaration of Intention.

b. *Docket No.:* DI26–5–000.

c. *Date Filed:* July 31, 2026.

d. *Applicant:* Badger Mountain Hydro, LLC.

e. *Name of Project:* Badger Mountain Pumped Storage Project.

f. *Location:* The proposed Badger Mountain Pumped Storage Project would be located near the town of East Wenatchee, in Douglas County, Washington.

g. *Filed Pursuant to:* Section 23(b)(1) of the Federal Power Act, 16 U.S.C. 817(b).

h. *Applicant Contact:* Badger Mountain Hydro, LLC; 201 S Main St., Ste. 2100, Salt Lake City, UT 84111; telephone: (208) 246–9925; email: mshapiro@rplusenergies.com; Agent Contact: Matthew Shapiro, rPlus Energies, LLC, 201 S Main St., Ste. 2100, Salt Lake City, UT 84111; telephone: (208) 246–9925; email: mshapiro@rplusenergies.com.

i. *FERC Contact:* Maryam Akhavan, (202) 502–6110, or Maryam.Akhavan@ferc.gov.

j. *Deadline for filing comments, protests, and motions to intervene is:* November 6, 2026, by 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time.

The Commission strongly encourages electronic filing. Please file comments, protests, and motions to intervene using the Commission's eFiling system at <http://www.ferc.gov/docs-filing/efiling.asp>. Commenters can submit brief comments up to 6,000 characters, without prior registration, using the eComment system at <http://www.ferc.gov/docs-filing/ecomment.asp>. You must include your name and contact information at the end of your comments. For assistance, please contact FERC Online Support at FERCOnlineSupport@ferc.gov, (866) 208–3676 (toll free), or (202) 502–8659 (TTY). In lieu of electronic filing, you may submit a paper copy. Submissions sent via the U.S. Postal Service must be addressed to: Debbie-Anne A. Reese, Secretary, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street NE, Room 1A, Washington, DC 20426. Submissions sent via any other carrier must be addressed to: Debbie-Anne A. Reese, Secretary, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 12225 Wilkins Avenue, Rockville, Maryland 20852. The first page of any filing should include docket number DI26–5–000. Comments emailed to Commission staff are not considered part of the Commission record.

k. *Description of Project:* The proposed project will be a closed-loop pumped storage project with initial fill and make up water coming from treated wastewater obtained from Douglas County Sewer District No. 1's Wastewater Treatment Plant. The proposed project would consist of: (1) a 15 to 75-foot-high, 8,000-foot-long earthen embankment forming a 78-acre upper reservoir with a storage capacity of 3,090 acre-feet; (2) a 40-foot-high, 650-foot-long earthen dam forming a lower reservoir with a storage capacity of 3,380 acre-feet, with a potential 15-foot-high, 900-foot-long secondary earthen embankment on the eastern end; (3) underground tunnels connecting the upper and lower reservoirs consisting of: (a) a 17-foot diameter, 200-foot-high vertical shaft; (b) a 17-foot diameter, 5,600-foot-long concrete/steel-lined headrace tunnel; and (c) a 17-foot diameter, 200-foot-long tailrace tunnel; (4) a powerhouse located in a vertical 220-foot-high, 100-foot-diameter shaft located next to the lower reservoir containing two 250 megawatt (MW) reversible pump-turbines for a total