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**Sent:** Wednesday, August 3, 2016 12:17 PM **To:** Hannah Mellman - NOAA Federal

Cc: Christina Durham; Jim Milbury - NOAA Federal; Garwin Yip; Maria Rea - NOAA Federal;

Will Stelle NOAA Federal

**Subject:** Fwd: FW: Reinitiation of consultation

Attachments: Formal Consultation to NMFS.pdf; 080216 Shasta.pdf; 080216 NMFS Letter.pdf

## Hannah,

See below. SacBee already running stories on reinitiation and folks asking about Shasta RPA adjustment. We may want to get in front of this and send to hill. I sent Doug all three of the attached letters. Reclamation and DWR didn't want to do any rollout and aren't planning to reach out to the hill and I just didn't want to have this come back on us for not notifying. I leave it to your discretion.

Will is cc'd here in case he has other views.

-Ryan

----- Forwarded message ------From: **Obegi, Doug** <<u>dobegi@nrdc.org</u>>
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To: "ryan.wulff@noaa.gov" <ryan.wulff@noaa.gov>

Hi Ryan,

Hope you're doing well. I got Maria's out of office reply, suggesting I should contact you about this.

Thanks, Doug

From: Obegi, Doug

Sent: Wednesday, August 03, 2016 11:46 AM

**To:** Maria Rea (<u>maria.rea@noaa.gov</u>) **Subject:** Reinitiation of consultation

Hi Maria,

I saw today's story in the Sacramento Bee, and was curious if NOAA has received a formal request for
reinitiation of consultation. If so, would you please send it to me? Separately, I also noticed that the WaterFi
biological assessment states that NOAA will adjust the Shasta RPA this year.

Thanks,
Doug
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