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Mr. Forest Brooks
U.S. Army Corps of Engineers
Seattle District
P. O. Box C-3755
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Re: Skagit Levee Project

Dear Forest:

Enclosed please find the present warning schedule used by
Skagit County for Flood Warning on the Skagit River.

We trust this is the information you requested.

Sincerely,

W. EUGENE SAMPLEY, P.E.
Public Works Director



BY: Donald E. Nelson
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Enclosure

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SKAGIT RIVER FLOOD WARNING SCHEDULE

1. The Skagit County Engineer's Department will receive a flood alert from the U.S. Weather Bureau.
2. The Skagit County Engineering Department will go on 24 hour duty.
3. The Skagit County Engineering Department will start recording river gauge readings at the Riverside and Concrete gauge each 1/2 hour.
4. The Skagit County Engineering Department will alert all Skagit County Personnel and Road Supervisors will start calling in Road Department Personnel.
5. The Skagit County Engineering Department will alert all Dike Commissioners of the pending flood condition. Dike Districts will proceed with patrolling of their respective dikes.
6. The Skagit County Engineer's Department will notify the local Radio Station (K.B.R.C.) of the flood alert and continue to upgrade information to the Radio Station as conditions change.
7. The Skagit County Engineer's Department will assign a member from the Department to sectors of the river to provide on-site information to Flood Control Headquarters at the Engineer's Office.
8. The Skagit County Engineers Dept. has a special telephone number with a recorded message relating to Flood information. This message will be updated each hour. (Telephone No. 336-9488).
9. The Skagit County Engineering Department will be in contact with the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers Flood Fight Team for the Skagit River and correlate flood fighting procedures.
10. Personnel and equipment will be assigned to those areas of danger as needed.
11. The Skagit County Engineer's Department will relay information by telephone to the public as calls come in on a 24-hour basis.