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## **FAXOGRAM: Water Order Change**

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From: Reservoir and River Operations, Billings, Montana /S/ Stephanie Micek

Subject: **Canyon Ferry Water Release Order - CFR No. 14-04**

### **CURRENT RESERVOIR CONDITIONS:**

Elevation: 3784.05 Storage: 1,477,834 acre-feet; River Release: 2,900 cfs; Inflow: 3,360 cfs;

### **GENERAL COMMENTS:**

Maintenance on the K1A transformer was rescheduled due to weather and logistics; therefore, an outage on Unit #1 and K1A will occur on November 12 through November 14. Turbine releases will be restricted and limited to a 2-unit capacity. In response, the following operation change is required at Canyon Ferry Dam and Powerplant.

### **CANYON FERRY RELEASES AND OPERATIONS:** All times are Mountain Daylight Savings Time (MDST)

**At 0900 hour on Tuesday, November 12, 2013 through 1600 hour Thursday, November 14, 2013:**

*Maintain releases through the river outlet gates at 0 cfs.*

*Maintain releases through the spillway gates at 0 cfs.*

*Maintain turbine release at  $\approx$  2,900 cfs ( $\approx$  713 MW-Hrs/day using 97.6 cfs/mw).*

*Maintain release for Helena Valley Project at 0 cfs.*

*Maintain release to the Missouri River at 2,900 cfs.*

*Maintain total release from Canyon Ferry at 2,900 cfs.*