

ALASKA HYDRO CORPORATION

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CASCADE CREEK PROJECT PERMIT REHEARING SET FOR SEP 20

September 17, 2012 – **Vancouver, British Columbia** – **Alaska Hydro Corporation** (the "Company") through its 100% owned subsidiary, Cascade Creek LLC ("Cascade") is on the US Federal Energy Regulatory Commission ("FERC") agenda for Sept. 20, 2012 at 10:00 AM Eastern Daylight Time for a rehearing of the denial of the Preliminary Permit Application for development of its Cascade Creek Hydroelectric Project ("the Project"). This permit provides the security and priority of an application for a licence for the Project while obtaining data and performing the acts required to determine the feasibility of the Project and to support an application for a FERC license. There is no certainty that the permit will be granted.

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About Alaska Hydro Corporation

The Company is engaged in the acquisition and development of renewable energy projects, focused primarily on hydropower projects in northern climates. The Company owns Cascade Creek, LLC which has been developing the Cascade Creek project located in Thomas Bay near Petersburg, Alaska. The Cascade Creek project is a 70 MW lake syphon hydropower project, the largest private hydropower project being developed in Alaska. The Cascade Creek project would bring additional energy and capacity to the Southeast Alaskan region, with opportunity to export and import excess energy and capacity to and from the Pacific Northwest and Southwest States through a proposed transmission interconnection in British Columbia. Further information regarding the business of the Company and Cascade can be found in the Company's filing statement which is available at www.sedar.com. Interested persons may visit the project's website at www.sedar.com. Interested persons may visit the project documents may be viewed on the Cascade website www.sedar.com. Interested persons may visit the project documents may be viewed on the Cascade website www.sedar.com. All project documents website www.sedar.com. at this time, or on the FERC website www.sedar.com.

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