



BEFORE THE ENERGY RESOURCES CONSERVATION AND DEVELOPMENT
COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA
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**APPLICATION FOR CERTIFICATION FOR THE
QUAIL BRUSH GENERATION PROJECT**

Docket No. 11-AFC-03


**NOTICE OF COMMITTEE MEETING
AND
NOTICE OF STATUS CONFERENCE**

California Energy Commission DOCKETED 11-AFC-3
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PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the Committee has scheduled a Committee Meeting to take place as follows:

**TUESDAY, December 4, 2012
Beginning at 3:00 PM**

**California Energy Commission
Third floor Conference Room
1516 Ninth Street
Sacramento, CA 95814**

 **TELECONFERENCE OPTION:** *Parties and the Public may attend the Committee Meeting in person at the above location or by telephone and/or by computer via our "WebEx" web conferencing system. For details on how to participate by WebEx, please see the "Instructions for Using Webex Teleconferencing Using Your Computer and/or Telephone" attached to this Notice.*

Committee Meeting Agenda

1. Call to Order
2. Party and Public Comment

Parties, members of the public, and other interested persons and entities may speak up to five minutes on the matter appearing on this agenda.

3. Closed Session

Committee closed session deliberation regarding the following:

Current status of the Quail Brush AFC proceeding, effect of Applicant's additional information on project Alternatives on the schedule, and possible need for revisions to the scheduling order. (Contact: Raoul Renaud)

The Committee will adjourn to closed session in accordance with Government Code section 11126, subdivision (c)(3), which allows a state body, including a delegated committee, to hold a closed session to deliberate on a decision to be reached in a proceeding the state body was required by law to conduct.

4. Adjourn

Purpose of Committee Meeting

The Committee Meeting will be held for the primary purpose of conducting Committee deliberations in closed session. The open meeting will be convened, public comment taken and then the closed session will begin. The open meeting will reopen to announce the conclusion of the closed session and then adjourn. No testimony will be taken. We encourage the parties and public to take advantage of our remote access facilities (WebEx) to avoid the cost and time of traveling to Sacramento for what will be a very brief public portion of the meeting.

NOTICE OF STATUS CONFERENCE

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the Committee has scheduled a public Status Conference to discuss the proposed project as follows:

MONDAY, December 10, 2012
Beginning at 10:30 AM

California Energy Commission
Hearing Room A
1516 Ninth Street
Sacramento, CA 95814



TELECONFERENCE OPTION: Parties and the Public may attend the Status Conference in person at the above location or by telephone and/or by computer via our "WebEx" web conferencing system. For details on how to participate by WebEx, please see the "Instructions for Using Webex Teleconferencing Using Your Computer and/or Telephone" attached to this Notice.

Status Conference Agenda

1. Call to Order
2. Reports from Applicant, Staff and Intervenors regarding the status of the Quail Brush Generation Project AFC.
3. Public Comment

Members of the public and other interested persons and entities may speak up to three minutes on a matter appearing on this agenda.

4. Closed Session (if necessary)

Committee closed session consideration of the following Item:

Deliberation by the Committee on any matters submitted for decision by the Committee including, but not limited to pending motions and scheduling. (Contact: Raoul Renaud)

The Committee may adjourn to closed session in accordance with Government Code section 11126, subdivision (c)(3), which allows a state body, including a delegated committee, to hold a closed session to deliberate on a decision to be reached in a proceeding the state body was required by law to conduct.

5. Adjourn

Purpose of Status Conference

This Status Conference is held by the Committee for the primary purpose of informing the committee, the parties, and the public about the project's progress to date in the AFC process. **The Committee requests that the parties submit status reports by December 3, 2012.** Timely submission of status reports will assist the Committee in addressing the parties' concerns during the Status Conference.

Closed Session

During any committee conference or hearing, the Committee may, pursuant to Government Code section 11126(c)(3), temporarily adjourn the meeting to a closed session to deliberate on matters pending before the committee for decision, such as the preparation of a proposed decision, motions and other matters.

Public Adviser and Public Participation

Members of the public are welcome to attend and offer comments at the Committee Meeting and Status Conference. It is not necessary to be an intervenor to participate in the public process. Comments may also be submitted in writing. Written comments may be submitted for posting on the docket for the proceeding by handing them directly to the Public Adviser, or emailing them to dockets@energy.ca.gov, or by U.S. Mail to:

California Energy Commission
Dockets Unit
Docket number: 11-AFC-03
1516 Ninth Street, MS-14
Sacramento, CA 95814

Please include “**QUAIL BRUSH GENERATION PROJECT, Docket No. 11-AFC-03**” on any e-mailed or written comments.

PLEASE NOTE: Your written and oral comments, attachments, and associated contact information (e.g. your address, phone, email, etc.) become part of the viewable public record. Additionally, this information may become available via Google, Yahoo, and other search engines.

The Energy Commission’s Public Adviser’s Office is available to provide the public with an understanding of a proceeding and to make recommendations for meaningful participation. For assistance, contact Jennifer Jennings, the Public Adviser, at (916) 654-4489 or 800-822-6228 or e-mail at: publicadviser@energy.state.ca.us.

Contact Information

Questions of a legal or procedural nature should be directed to Raoul Renaud, the Hearing Adviser, at (916) 651-2020 or e-mail at: raoul.renaud@energy.ca.gov.

Technical questions concerning the project should be addressed to Eric Solorio, the Staff Project Manager, at (916) 651-0966 or e-mail: eric.solorio@energy.ca.gov.

Media inquiries should be directed to the Energy Commission’s Media Office at (916) 654-4989 or e-mail at: mediaoffice@energy.ca.gov.

Information concerning the status of the project, as well as notices and other relevant documents, may be viewed on the Energy Commission's internet web page at: <http://www.energy.ca.gov/sitingcases/quailbrush/notices/index.html>.

If you have a disability and need assistance to participate in this event, contact Lourdes Quiroz no less than five days prior to the meeting at 916-654-5146 or e-mail: lou.quiroz@energy.ca.gov.

If you have questions concerning how to participate in the project review process, please contact the Public Adviser's Office at (916) 654-4489 or (800) 822-6228 or by email: publicadviser@energy.ca.gov.

Dated November 20, 2012, at Sacramento, California.

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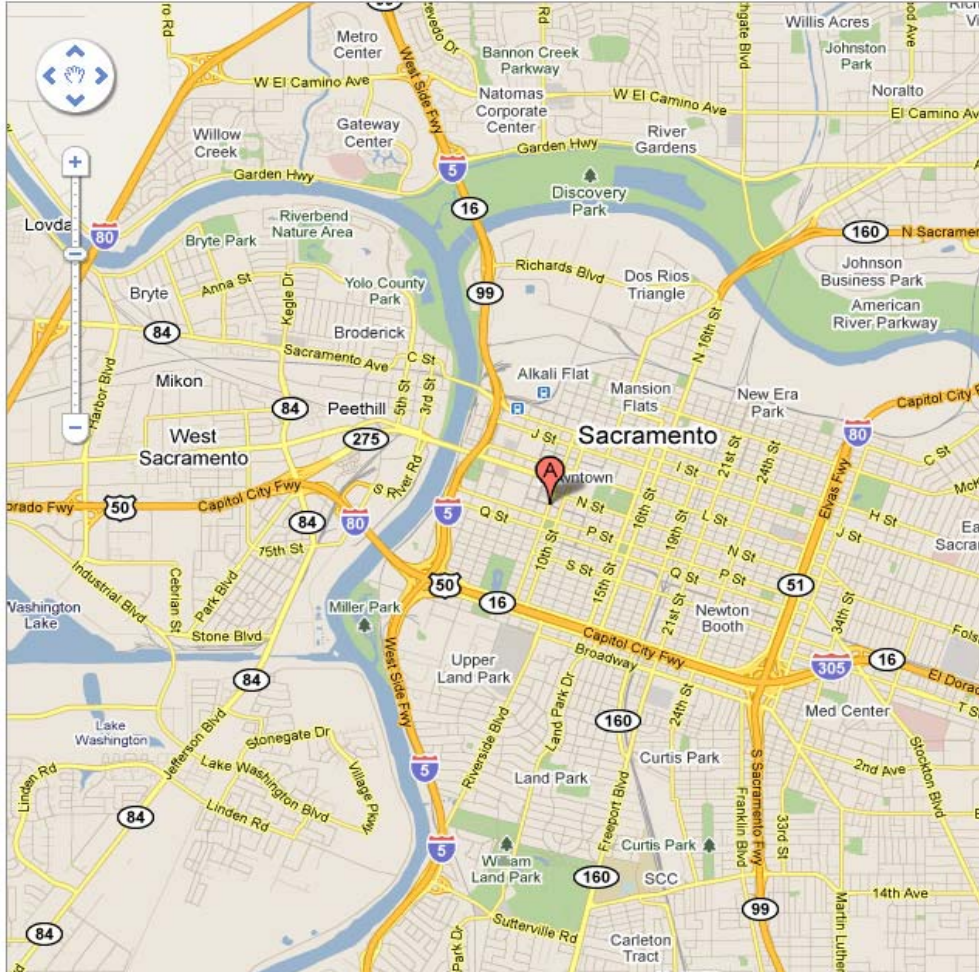
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- 12/4/12 - meeting number: **923 152 206**
- 12/10/12 - meeting number: **927 041 698**

When prompted, enter your information and the meeting password: **pwd#1516**

After you login, a prompt will appear on-screen for you to provide **your** phone number. In the **Number box**, type your area code and phone number and click OK. **You will receive a call back on your phone for the audio of the meeting.** International callers can use the "Country/Region" button to help make their connection.

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DECLARATION OF SERVICE

I, Maggie Read, declare that on November 20, 2012 I served and filed copies of the attached Notice of Committee Meeting and Notice of Status Conference, dated November 20, 2012. This document is accompanied by the most recent Proof of Service list, located on the web page for this project at: <http://www.energy.ca.gov/sitingcases/quailbrush/index.html>.

The document has been sent to the other parties in this proceeding (as shown on the Proof of Service list) and to the Commission's Docket Unit or Chief Counsel, as appropriate, in the following manner:

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OR, if filing a Petition for Reconsideration of Decision or Order pursuant to Title 20, § 1720:

- Served by delivering on this date one electronic copy by e-mail, and an original paper copy to the Chief Counsel at the following address, either personally, or for mailing with the U.S. Postal Service with first class postage thereon fully prepaid:

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I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing is true and correct, that I am employed in the county where this mailing occurred, and that I am over the age of 18 years and not a party to the proceeding.

Original Signed By:

Maggie Read
Hearing Adviser's Office