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COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA
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Application for Certification for the
ALAMITOS ENERGY CENTER
AES SOUTHLAND DEVELOPMENT, LLC

Docket No. 13-AFC-01

NOTICE OF COMMITTEE STATUS CONFERENCES

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the Energy Commission Committee assigned to conduct proceedings on the Application for Certification (AFC) for the Alamos Energy Center (AEC) has scheduled public status conferences to review the progress of the application and consider any then-pending motions or petitions on:

Wednesday, February 25, 2015

Beginning at 2:00 p.m.

Hearing Room B

Monday, April 27, 2015

Beginning at 2:00 p.m.

Hearing Room B

Monday, June 29, 2015

Beginning at 2:00 p.m.

Hearing Room B

Wednesday, August 26, 2015

Beginning at 2:00 p.m.

Hearing Room A

Monday, October 19, 2015

Beginning at 2:00 p.m.

Hearing Room A

All of the above scheduled meetings will be held at:

California Energy Commission
1516 Ninth Street
Sacramento, CA 95814
(Map Attached)



TELECONFERENCE OPTION: Parties and the Public may attend the meetings 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 "Participation through WebEx" directions attached to this Notice.

Background

On December 27, 2013, AES Southland Development, LLC submitted an Application for Certification (AFC) to modernize the existing Alamitos Generating Station (AGS). The project proposed a natural-gas-fired, air-cooled, combined-cycle, electrical generating facility with a net generating capacity of 1,936 megawatts (MW) and gross generating capacity of 1,995 MW. The Alamitos Energy Center (AEC) would be located on approximately 63 acres of privately-owned land. The proposed project site is bounded on the north by State Route 22, on the east by the San Gabriel River, on the south by 2nd Street, and on the west by N. Studebaker Road in the City of Long Beach, Los Angeles County, California.

The AEC was deemed “data adequate” on March 12, 2014. On April 29, 2014, the Committee conducted a site visit and public Informational Hearing and Scoping Meeting in Long Beach, California. On May 6, 2014, the Committee issued the Committee Scheduling Order. At the December 16, 2014 status conference, the Applicant proposed substantial changes to the configuration of the AEC project that would reduce the nominal generating capacity from 1,995 MW to 1040 MW. The Applicant indicated that it would file an AFC supplement in the third quarter of 2015. (12/16/14 RT 5:17 – 6:1.) The Applicant’s changes render the May 6, 2014 schedule obsolete, except that the requirement to file a status report on the fifteenth of each month remains intact.

The engineering and environmental details of the AFC may be viewed at: <http://www.energy.ca.gov/sitingcases/alamitos>.

Purpose of the Status Conferences

The Committee will conduct the status conferences to discuss the progress made in the proceeding, any barriers to the timely completion of Staff’s analysis, date-specific project milestones, and any other matters relevant to the schedule. It may also address any then-pending motions, petitions, and other requests that are ripe for consideration.

As allowed by California Code of Regulations, title 20, section 1208, the Status Conferences may be conducted by the Hearing Adviser without either Commissioner being present.

Closed Sessions

The Committee may temporarily adjourn into closed session to deliberate pursuant to Government Code section 11126.

Public Participation and Public Adviser

Members of the public are welcome to attend and offer comments at the AEC Committee Status Conference. It is not necessary to be an intervenor to participate in the public process. Comments may be submitted in writing. Simply visit the website at <http://www.energy.ca.gov/sitingcases/alamitos> and click on the "Submit e-Comment" link in the "Original Proceeding" box. Otherwise, written comments may be submitted by e-mailing them to publicadviser@energy.ca.gov, or to docket@energy.ca.gov, or by U.S. Mail to: California Energy Commission - Docket Unit, 13-AFC-01, 1516 Ninth Street, MS-4, Sacramento, CA 95814.

PLEASE NOTE: Your written and oral comments, attachments, and associated contact information (e.g. your address, phone, e-mail, 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 the proceedings and to make recommendations for meaningful participation. For assistance, contact Alana Mathews, Public Adviser, at (916) 654-4489 or 800-822-6228, or by e-mail at: publicadviser@energy.ca.gov.

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

Information

Questions of a legal or procedural nature should be directed to Kenneth Celli, Hearing Adviser, at (916) 651-8893, or by e-mail at: ken.celli@energy.ca.gov.

Technical questions about the project should be addressed to Keith Winstead, Staff Project Manager, at (916) 654-5191, or by e-mail at keith.winstead@energy.ca.gov.

Media inquiries should be directed to the Office of Media and Public Communications at (916) 654-4989 or by e-mail at: mediaoffice@energy.ca.gov.

Information regarding the status of the project, as well as notices and other relevant documents pertaining to this proceeding, may be viewed on the Energy Commission's Internet web page at: <http://www.energy.ca.gov/sitingcases/alamitos>.

Dated: January 14, 2015, at Sacramento, California.

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KAREN DOUGLAS

Commissioner and Presiding Member
AEC AFC Committee

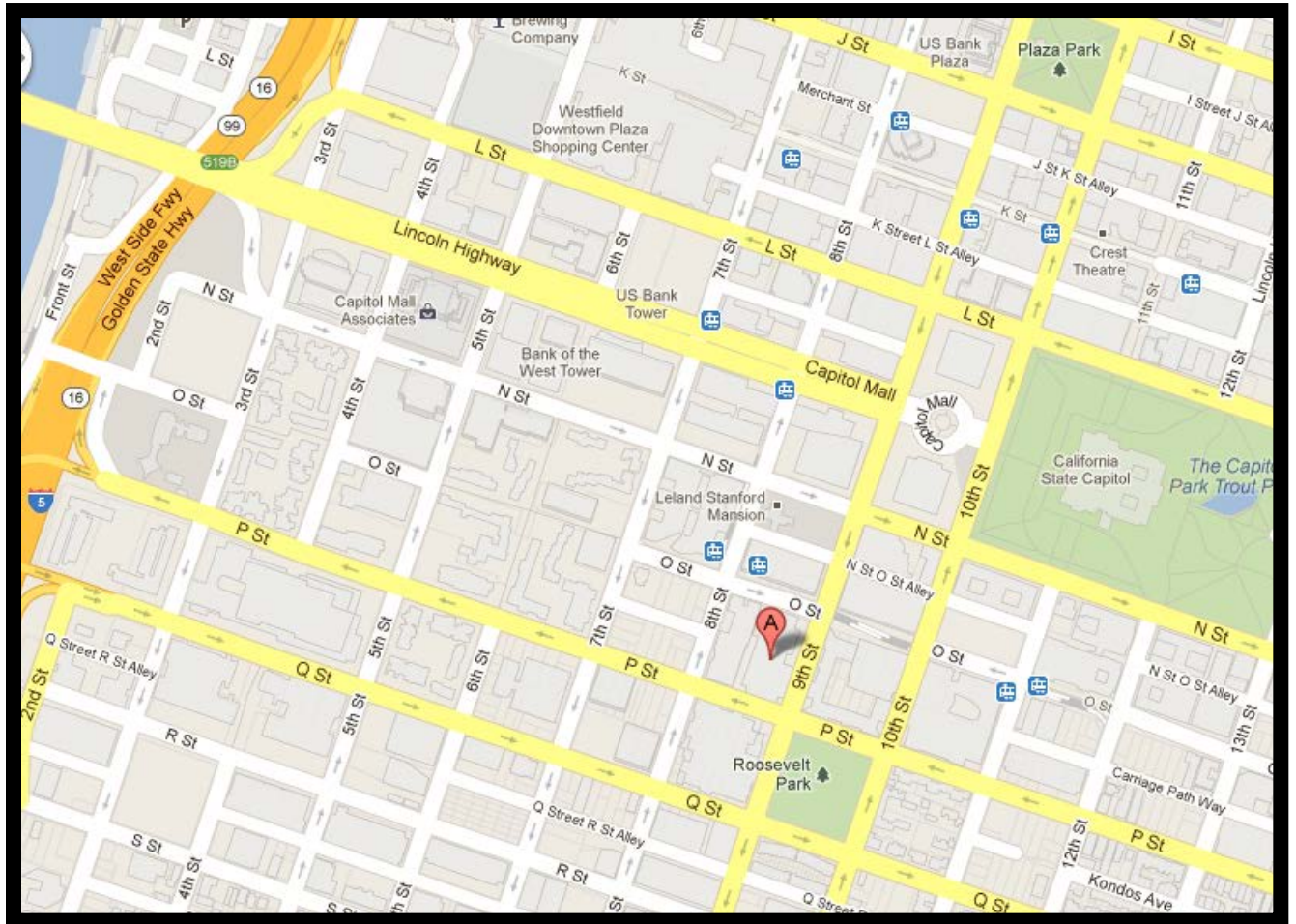
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AEC AFC Committee

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EVENT	DATE	MEETING NUMBER	PASSWORD
February Committee Status Conference	Wednesday, February 25, 2015; 2:00 p.m.	927 728 269	pwd#1516
April Committee Status Conference	Monday, April 27, 2015; 2:00 p.m.	921 200 465	pwd#1516
June Committee Status Conference	Monday, June 29, 2015; 2:00 p.m.	929 804 497	pwd#1516
August Committee Status Conference	Wednesday, August 26, 2015; 2:00 p.m.	922 845 979	pwd#1516
October Committee Status Conference	Monday, October 19, 2015; 2:00 p.m.	924 674 739	pwd#1516

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Alamitos Energy Center AFC Status Conferences

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Wednesday, August 26, 2015, beginning at 2:00 p.m. in Hearing Room A, and
Monday, October 19, 2015, beginning at 2:00 p.m. in Hearing Room A.

Meeting Agendas

1. Call to Order
2. Hearing on Any Pending Motions
3. Committee Conference
 - a. Case progress and schedule
4. 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.

5. Closed Session

Committee closed session consideration of the following items:

Alamitos Energy Center (13-AFC-01) and deliberation on matters for decision by the Committee such as pending motions and scheduling.

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. The Committee may adjourn to a closed session at any point during the meeting and may conduct multiple closed sessions as necessary.

6. Adjourn

Agency contact: Kenneth Celli, Hearing Adviser, (916) 651-8893 or by e-mail at: **ken.celli@energy.ca.gov**.

This agenda was prepared in advance of the committee conferences. In the event of a substantial change to the agenda, revised agendas would be filed in the Docket and available in the project's Docket Log at: <http://www.energy.ca.gov/sitingcases/alamitos>.