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Monthly Compliance Report 4, Reporting Period: March 2026

Dear Ms. Eddy:

This Monthly Compliance Report (MCR) for March 2026 has been prepared by Rincon Consultants, Inc. in accordance with the Conditions of Certification issued by the California Energy Commission as part of licensing and subsequent amendments (Docket No. 06-AFC-10C and Post-Certification Amendments) for the Midway Peaking Plant Project. This MCR has been prepared on behalf of the applicant, Midway Peaking LLC. This MCR is only applicable to the Midway Battery Energy Storage System (BESS) Interconnection Project (Project). This is the fourth MCR for the Project. The Project is comprised of two components: 1) Pond Lining and 2) BESS Interconnection. Construction for the Midway Pond Lining component was completed on August 27, 2025. Construction of the Midway BESS Interconnection component commenced in March 2026, as such this MCR only covers the interconnection component.

If you have any additional questions, please feel free to reach out to me.

Sincerely,
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1 Current Project Status

This Monthly Compliance Report (MCR) has been prepared by Rincon Consultants, Inc. (Rincon) in accordance with the Conditions of Certification (CoC) issued by the California Energy Commission (CEC) as part of licensing and subsequent amendments (Docket No. 06-AFC-10C and Post-Certification Amendments) for the Midway Peaking Plant Project. This MCR is only applicable to the interconnection components of the Battery Energy Storage System (BESS) Project (Project). This is the fourth MCR for the Project as construction of the pond lining component was completed in August 2025, and construction of the interconnection Battery Energy Storage System (BESS) component commenced in March 2026. The reporting period covers March 1 through March 31, 2026.

The overall Project as defined is comprised of two components: 1) Pond Lining and 2) BESS Interconnection. Figure 1 below shows a Site Map of the Project.

The Worker Environmental Awareness Program (WEAP) Training for this Project was conducted prior to the initiation of interconnection work activities on January 12, 2026. The training was made into a video format, and the recording was presented to any new employees prior to their commencing work on the Project. All employees who successfully completed the training were provided with a completion sticker for their hard hats. Ongoing WEAP training is to be provided for new crew members as needed. A copy of the WEAP Training, handout brochure, and presentation script were included in the first MCR (MCR-1). The cumulative list of all employees WEAP trained using the pre-recorded video has been included in Appendix A.

The following provides a construction schedule consistent with Compliance-6 Requirement 1.[1] Pond Lining ground disturbance commenced on June 16, 2025, and construction concluded on August 27, 2025. Interconnection ground disturbance commenced on March 10, 2026. Construction activities for the month of March consisted of the following: gravel removal, placement, backfill, and compaction; potholing using a hydrovac; trench excavation using a hydrovac and CAT 303.5 excavator; installation of concrete runs; staging and installation of gen-tie casing; and hauling of soil and gravel from the site using a dump truck. The most up to date schedule is attached to this MCR in Appendix B.

[1] Compliance-6 Requirement 1 states: *The report shall contain a summary of the current project construction status, a revised/updated schedule if there are significant delays, and an explanation of any significant changes to the schedule.*

Figure 1 Site Map

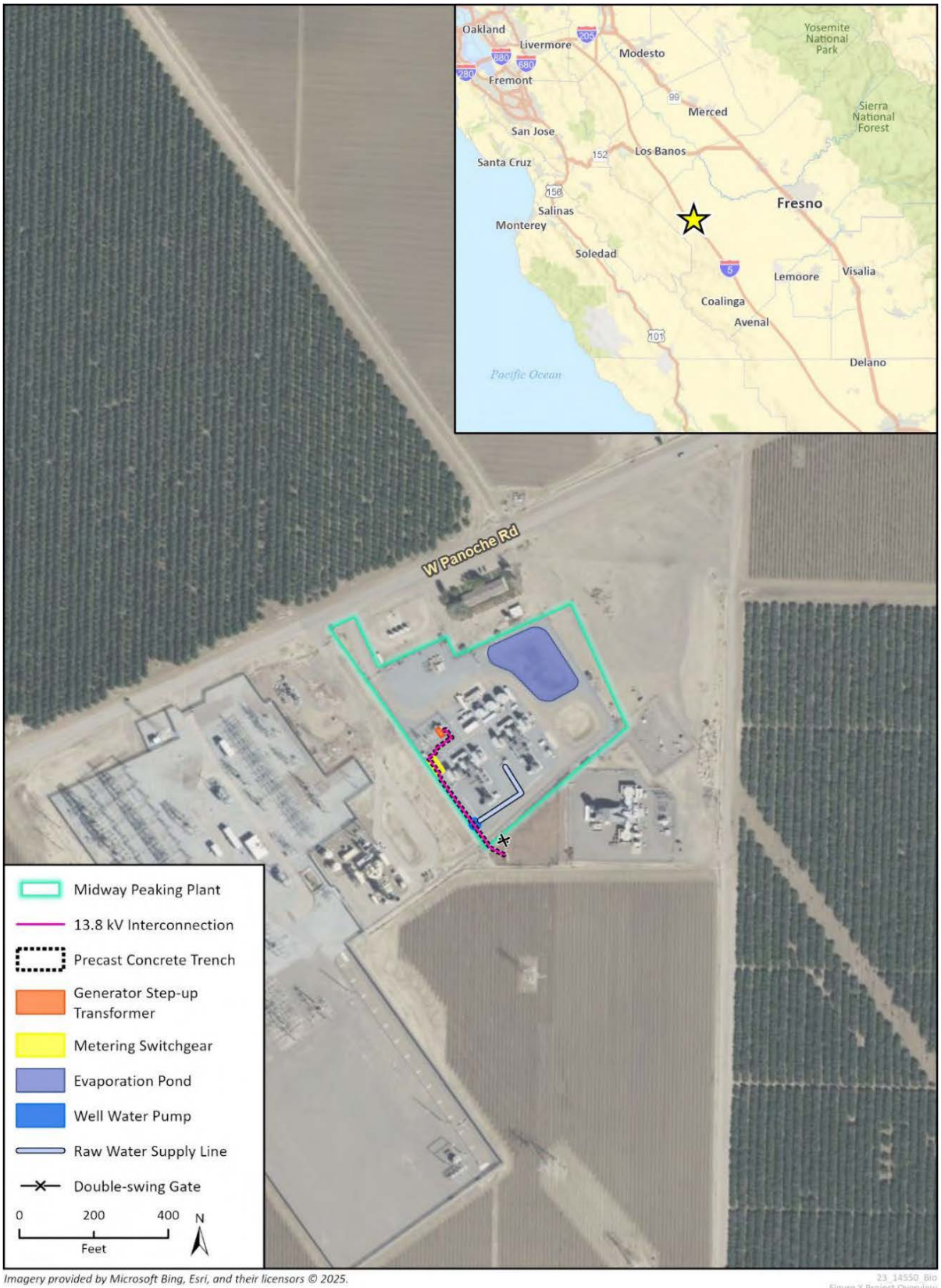

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Figure X Project Overview

Biological resource monitoring was conducted for thirteen (13) days in March (March 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 16, 17, 18, 19, 23, 24, 25, and 26, 2026). A Biologist conducted a preconstruction sweep for biological resources in all work areas prior to construction commencement. No compliance issues were observed during March. All biological monitoring records and the biological monthly compliance monitoring summary are attached in Appendix B.

Archaeological monitoring was conducted for thirteen (13) days in March (March 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 16, 17, 18, 19, 23, 24, 25, and 26, 2026). No compliance issues were observed during March. The cultural resources monitoring monthly summary report and the daily monitoring logs are attached in Appendix B.

Paleontological monitoring was conducted for eleven (11) days in March (March 10, 11, 12, 13, 16, 18, 19, 23, 24, 25, and 26, 2026). No ground disturbance occurred on March 9 or March 17 and therefore no paleontological monitoring was required. No compliance issues were observed during March. The paleontological resources summary report and the daily monitoring logs are attached in Appendix B.

2 Compliance Matrix

An updated copy of the CEC Compliance Matrix is included with this report in Appendix C, consistent with Compliance-6 Requirement 3[2] and Compliance-5.[3] The CEC Compliance Matrix outlines the applicable CoCs issued by the CEC as part of licensing and subsequent amendments (Docket No. 06-AFC-10C and Post-Certification Amendments). Conditions related to the Project that have been satisfied prior to the submittal of this MCR are noted in the CEC Compliance Matrix.

[2] Compliance-6 Requirement 3 states: "The report shall contain an initial, and thereafter updated, compliance matrix showing the status of all conditions of certification (fully satisfied conditions do not need to be included in the matrix after they have been reported as completed)."

[3] The Compliance-5for the Compliance Matrix states: *A compliance matrix shall be submitted by the project owner to the CPM along with each monthly and annual compliance report. The compliance matrix is intended to provide the CPM with the current status of all conditions of certification in a spreadsheet format. The compliance matrix must identify:*
1. the technical area,
2. the condition number,
3. a brief description of the verification action or submittal required by the condition,
4. the date the submittal is required (e.g., 60 days prior to construction, after final inspection, etc.),
5. the expected or actual submittal date,
6. the date a submittal or action was approved by the Chief Building Official (CBO), CPM, or delegate agency, if applicable, and
7. the compliance status of each condition, e.g., "not started," "in progress" or "completed" (include the date).
Satisfied conditions do not need to be included in the compliance matrix after they have been identified as satisfied in at least one monthly or annual compliance report.

3 Monthly Compliance Report Submittal Requirements

Table 1 below includes a transmittal of documentation that is required to be submitted along with the MCR, consistent with Compliance-6 Requirement 2[4]. All required documentation is attached, and specific appendices are indicated in the table below.

[4] Compliance-6 Requirements 2 states: "The report shall contain documents required by specific conditions to be submitted along with the Monthly Compliance Report. Each of these items must be identified in the transmittal letter, and submitted as attachments to the Monthly Compliance Report."

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Table 1 Monthly Compliance Report Submittal Requirements, March 2026

Condition	Requirements	Documentation	Location within this MCR
AQ-SC3	Construction Fugitive Dust Control: **The AQCMM shall submit documentation to the CPM in each Monthly Compliance Report (MCR)** that demonstrates compliance with the following mitigation measures for the purposes of preventing all fugitive dust plumes from leaving the project site and linear facility routes. Any deviation from the following mitigation measures shall require prior CPM notification and approval. a. All unpaved roads and disturbed areas in the project and linear construction sites shall be watered as frequently as necessary to comply with the dust mitigation objectives of AQ-SC4. The frequency of watering may be reduced or eliminated during periods of precipitation. b. No vehicle shall exceed 10 miles per hour within the construction site. c. The construction site entrances shall be posted with visible speed limit signs. d. All construction equipment vehicle tires shall be inspected and washed as necessary to be cleaned free of dirt prior to entering paved roadways. e. Gravel ramps of at least 20 feet in length must be provided at the tire washing/cleaning station. f. All unpaved exits from the construction site shall be graveled or treated to prevent track-out to public roadways. g. All construction vehicles shall enter the construction site through the treated entrance roadways, unless an alternative route has been submitted to and approved by the CPM. h. Construction areas adjacent to any paved roadway shall be provided with sandbags or other measures as specified in the Storm Water Pollution Prevention Plan (SWPPP) to prevent run-off to roadways. i. All paved roads within the construction site shall be swept at least twice daily (or less during periods of precipitation) on days when construction activity occurs to prevent the accumulation of dirt and debris. j. At least the first 500 feet of any public roadway exiting from the construction site shall be swept at least twice daily (or less during periods of precipitation) on days when construction activity occurs or on any other day when dirt or runoff from the construction site is visible on the public roadways. k. All soil storage piles and disturbed areas that remain inactive for longer than 10 days shall be covered, or shall be treated with appropriate dust suppressant compounds. l. All vehicles that are used to transport solid bulk material on public roadways and that have the potential to cause visible emissions shall be provided with a cover, or the materials shall be sufficiently wetted and loaded onto the trucks in a manner to provide at least two feet of freeboard. m. Wind erosion control techniques (such as windbreaks, water, chemical dust suppressants, and/or vegetation) shall be used on all construction areas that may be disturbed. Any windbreaks installed to comply with this condition shall remain in place until the soil is stabilized or permanently covered with vegetation. n. The main travel route(s) through the site will be graveled and/or paved prior to the completion of the initial grading/site preparation phase of construction. To the extent feasible onsite traffic will be limited to these graveled/paved travel routes. Verification: **The project owner shall include in the MCR:** 1. a summary of all actions taken to maintain compliance with this condition, 2. copies of any complaints filed with the air district in relation to project construction, and 3. any other documentation deemed necessary by the CPM and AQCMM to verify compliance with this condition. Such information may be provided via electronic format or disk at the project owner's discretion.	A summary of all actions taken to maintain compliance with this condition, copies of any complaints filed with the air district in relation to project construction (none to date), and any other documentation deemed necessary by the CPM and AQCMM to verify compliance with this condition. Such information may be provided via electronic format or disk at the project owner's discretion.	Appendix B
AQ-SC5	Diesel-Fueled Engines Control: **The AQCMM shall submit to the CPM, in the MCR, a construction mitigation report that demonstrates compliance with the following mitigation measures for the purposes of controlling diesel construction-related emissions.** Any deviation from the following mitigation measures shall require prior CPM notification and approval. a. All diesel-fueled engines used in the construction of the facility shall be fueled only with ultra-low sulfur diesel, which contains no more than 15 ppm sulfur. b. All diesel-fueled engines used in the construction of the facility shall have clearly visible tags issued by the on-site AQCMM showing that the engine meets the conditions set forth herein. c. All construction diesel engines, which have a rating of 100 hp or more, shall meet, at a minimum, the Tier 2 California Emission Standards for Off-Road Compression-Ignition Engines as specified in California Code of Regulations, Title 13, section 2423(b)(1) unless certified by the on-site AQCMM that such engine is not available for a particular item of equipment. In the event a Tier 2 engine is not available for any off-road engine larger than 100 hp, that engine shall be equipped with a Tier 1 engine. In the event a Tier 1 engine is not available for any off-road engine larger than 100 hp, that engine shall be equipped with a catalyzed diesel particulate filter (soot filter), unless certified by engine manufacturers or the on-site AQCMM that the use of such devices is not practical for specific engine types. For purposes of this condition, the use of such devices is "not practical" if, among other reasons: 1. There is no available soot filter that has been certified by either the California Air Resources Board or U.S. Environmental Protection Agency for the engine in question; or 2. The construction equipment is intended to be on-site for ten (10) days or less. 3. The CPM may grant relief from this requirement if the AQCMM can demonstrate that they have made a good faith effort to comply with this requirement and that compliance is not possible.	A summary of all actions taken to maintain compliance with this condition, copies of all diesel fuel purchase records, a list of all heavy equipment used on site during that month, including the owner of that equipment and a letter from each owner indicating that equipment has been properly maintained, and any other documentation deemed necessary by the CPM and AQCMM to verify compliance with this condition. Such information may be provided via electronic format or disk at the project owner's discretion.	Appendix B

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	d. The use of a soot filter may be terminated immediately if one of the following conditions exists, provided that the CPM is informed within ten (10) working days of the termination: 1. The use of the soot filter is excessively reducing normal availability of the construction equipment due to increased downtime for maintenance, and/or reduced power output due to an excessive increase in backpressure. 2. The soot filter is causing or is reasonably expected to cause significant engine damage. 3. The soot filter is causing or is reasonably expected to cause a significant risk to workers or the public. 4. Any other seriously detrimental cause which has the approval of the CPM prior to the termination being implemented. e. All heavy earthmoving equipment and heavy duty construction related trucks with engines meeting the requirements of (c) above shall be properly maintained and the engines tuned to the engine manufacturer's specifications. f. All diesel heavy construction equipment shall not remain running at idle for more than five minutes, to the extent practical. Verification: **The project owner shall include in the MCR:** 1. a summary of all actions taken to maintain compliance with this condition, 2. copies of all diesel fuel purchase records, 3. a list of all heavy equipment used on site during that month, including the owner of that equipment and a letter from each owner indicating that equipment has been properly maintained, and 4. any other documentation deemed necessary by the CPM and AQCMM to verify compliance with this condition. Such information may be provided via electronic format or disk at the project owner's discretion.		
BIO-2	The project owner shall ensure that the Designated Biologist performs the following during any site (or related facilities) mobilization, ground disturbance, grading, construction, operation, and closure activities. The Designated Biologist may be assisted by the approved biological monitor(s), but remains the contact for the project owner and CPM. The Designated Biologist shall: 1. advise the project owner's construction and operation managers on the implementation of the biological resources Conditions of Certification; 2. consult on the preparation of the Biological Resources Mitigation Implementation and Monitoring Plan (BRMIMP), to be submitted by the project owner; 3. be available to supervise, conduct, and coordinate mitigation, monitoring, and other biological resources compliance efforts, particularly in areas requiring avoidance or containing sensitive biological resources, such as special-status species or their habitat; 4. clearly mark sensitive biological resource areas and inspect these areas at appropriate intervals for compliance with regulatory terms and conditions; 5. inspect active construction areas where animals may have become trapped prior to construction commencing each day. At the end of the day, inspect for the installation of structures that prevent entrapment or allow escape during periods of construction inactivity. Periodically inspect areas with high vehicle activity (i.e., parking lots) for animals in harm's way; 6. notify the project owner and the CPM of any noncompliance with any biological resources condition of certification; 7. respond directly to inquiries of the CPM regarding biological resource issues; 8. maintain written records of the tasks specified above and those included in the BRMIMP. **Summaries of these records shall be submitted in the monthly compliance report** and the annual report; and 9. train the biological monitors as appropriate, and ensure their familiarity with the BRMIMP, worker environmental awareness program (WEAP) training, and all permits. Verification: **The Designated Biologist shall submit in the monthly compliance report to the CPM copies of all written reports and summaries that document biological resources activities.** If actions may affect biological resources during operation, a Designated Biologist shall be available for monitoring and reporting. During project operation, the Designated Biologist shall submit record summaries in the annual compliance report unless their duties are ceased as approved by the CPM.	Biological Monitoring Reports and Biological Resource Monitoring Summary	Biological Monitoring Reports and Biological Monthly Compliance Monitoring Summary included in Appendix B
BIO-5	The project owner shall develop and implement a CPM-approved worker environmental awareness program (WEAP) in which each of its employees, as well as employees of contractors and subcontractors who work on the project site or any related facilities during site mobilization, ground disturbance, grading, construction, operation and closure, are informed about sensitive biological resources associated with the project. The WEAP must: ▪ be developed by or in consultation with the Designated Biologist and consist of an onsite or training center presentation in which supporting written material and electronic media are made available to all participants; ▪ discuss the locations and types of sensitive biological resources on the project site and adjacent areas; ▪ present the reasons for protecting these resources; ▪ present the meaning of various temporary and permanent habitat protection measures; ▪ identify whom to contact if there are further comments and questions about the material discussed in the program; and ▪ include a training acknowledgment form to be signed by each worker indicating that they received training and shall abide by the guidelines.	Biological WEAP Training Tracker	WEAP presentation, brochure handout, and WEAP script included in MCR-1. WEAP Training Tracker (BIO-5, CUL-5, PAL-4, TRANS-4) included in Appendix A

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	The specific program can be administered by a competent individual(s) acceptable to the Designated Biologist. Verification: At least 60 days prior to the start of any site (or related facilities) mobilization, the project owner shall provide to the CPM two (2) copies of the proposed WEAP and all supporting written materials and electronic media prepared or reviewed by the designated biologist and a resume of the person(s) administering the program. **The project owner shall provide in the monthly compliance report the number of persons who have completed the training in the prior month and a running total of all persons who have completed the training to date.** At least 10 days prior to site and related facilities mobilization submit two copies of the CPM approved materials. The signed training acknowledgement forms from construction shall be kept on file by the project owner for a period of at least six months after the start of commercial operation. During project operation, signed statements for active project operational personnel shall be kept on file for six months following the termination of an individual's employment.		
BIO-8	Any time the project owner modifies or finalizes the project design, it shall incorporate all feasible measures that avoid or minimize impacts to the local biological resources. The project owner shall: 1. design, install, and maintain transmission line poles, access roads, pulling sites, and storage and parking areas to avoid identified sensitive resources; 2. design, install, and maintain transmission lines and all electrical components in accordance with the Suggested Practices for Raptor Protection on Power Lines: The State of the Art in 2006 (APLIC 2006) to reduce the likelihood of electrocutions of large birds; 3. eliminate any California exotic pest plants of concern List A species as defined by the California Exotic Pest Plant Council from landscaping plans; 4. prescribe a road sealant that is nontoxic to wildlife and plants; and 5. design, install, and maintain facility lighting to prevent side casting of light toward wildlife habitat. Verification: **All mitigation measures and their implementation methods shall be included in the BRMIMP. Implementation of the measures shall be reported in the monthly compliance reports by the Designated Biologist.** Within thirty (30) days after completion of project construction, the project owner shall provide to the CPM, for review and approval, a written construction termination report identifying how measures have been completed.	Implementation of BRMIMP measures will be reported in the monthly compliance reports by the Designated Biologist.	Monthly compliance implementation of BRMIMP measures included in Appendix B
BIO-9	The project owner shall implement the following measures to manage its construction site, and related facilities, in a manner to avoid or minimize impacts to the local biological resources. To minimize and avoid impacts to San Joaquin kit foxes, the following measures shall be implemented. These were extracted directly from the federal Biological Opinion, issued August 27, 2007 (USFWS 2007b): 1. ~~Impacts to kit fox habitat will be offset through a contribution to a local conservation bank. Pursuant to discussions with Service, total compensation has been determined based on the area permanently impacted (5.6), SPM will purchase 6 conservation credits. This contribution will occur at Kreyenhagen Hills conservation bank. This contribution will occur at Kreyenhagen Hills conservation bank, or by fee title acquisition or purchase of a conservation easement on a service-approved parcel, following all the requirements in Selected Review Criteria for Conservation Banks and Section 7 Offsite Compensation April 11, 2006 (enclosed).~~ 2. Project-related vehicles shall observe a 20-mph speed limit in all project areas, except on county roads and State and Federal highways; this is particularly important at night when kit foxes are most active. To the extent possible, night-time construction should be minimized. Off-road traffic outside of designated project areas should be prohibited. 3. To prevent inadvertent entrapment of kit foxes or other animals during the construction phase of a project, all excavated, steep- walled holes or trenches more than 2 feet deep shall be covered at the close of each working day by plywood or similar materials, or provided with one or more escape ramps constructed of earth fill or wooden planks. Before such holes or trenches are filled, they should be thoroughly inspected for trapped animals. If at any time a trapped or injured kit fox is discovered, the procedures under number 13 of this section must be followed. 4. Kit foxes are attracted to den-like structures such as pipes and may enter stored pipe becoming trapped or injured. All construction pipes, culverts, or similar structures with a diameter of 4-inches or greater that are stored at a construction site for one or more overnight periods shall be thoroughly inspected for kit foxes before the pipe is subsequently buried, capped, or otherwise used or moved in any way. If a kit fox is discovered inside a pipe, that section of pipe should not be moved until the Service has been consulted. if necessary, and under the direct supervision of the biologist, the pipe may be moved once to remove it from the path of construction activity, until the fox has escaped. 5. All food-related trash items such as wrappers, cans, bottles, and food scraps shall be disposed of in closed containers and removed at least once a week from a construction or project site. 6. No firearms shall be allowed on the project site. 7. To prevent harassment, mortality of kit foxes or destruction of dens by dogs or cats, no pets will be permitted on project sites. 8. Use of rodenticides and herbicides in project areas will be restricted. This is necessary to prevent primary or secondary poisoning of kit foxes and the depletion of prey populations on which they depend. All uses of such compounds should observe label and other restrictions mandated by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, California Department of Food and Agriculture, and other State and Federal legislation, as well as additional project-related restrictions deemed necessary by the Service, if rodent control must be conducted, zinc phosphide should be used because of proven lower risk to kit fox. 9. A representative shall be appointed by the project proponent who will be the contact source for any employee or contractor who might inadvertently kill or injure a kit fox or who finds a dead, injured or entrapped individual. The representative will be identified during the employee education program. The representative's name and telephone number shall be provided to the Service.	Implementation of BRMIMP measures will be reported in the monthly compliance reports by the Designated Biologist.	Monthly compliance implementation of BRMIMP measures included in Appendix B

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	10. An employee education program shall be conducted. The program will consist of a brief presentation by persons knowledgeable in kit fox biology and legislative protection to explain endangered species concerns to contractors, their employees, and military and agency personnel involved in the project. The program will include the following: a description of the kit fox and its habitat needs; a report of the occurrence of kit fox in the project area; an explanation of the status of the species and its protection under the Endangered Species Act; and a list of measures being taken to reduce impacts to the species during project construction and implementation. A fact sheet conveying this information should be prepared for distribution to the above-mentioned people and anyone else who may enter the project site. The program will be conducted in languages other than English, as appropriate. 11. Upon completion of the project, all areas subject to temporary ground disturbances, including storage and staging areas, temporary roads, pipeline corridors, etc. will be re-contoured if necessary, and revegetated to promote restoration of the area to pre-project conditions. An area subject to "temporary" disturbance means any area that is disturbed during the project, but that after project completion will not be subject to further disturbance and has the potential to be revegetated. Appropriate methods and plant species used to revegetate such areas should be determined on a site-specific basis in consultation with the Service, California Department of Fish and Game (CDFG), and revegetation experts. 12. In the case of trapped animals, escape ramps or structures should be installed immediately to allow the animal(s) to escape, or the Service should be contacted for advice. 13. Any contractor, employee, or military or agency personnel who inadvertently kills or injures a San Joaquin kit fox shall immediately report the incident to their representative. This representative shall contact the CDFG and the Service immediately in the case of a dead, injured or entrapped kit fox. The CDFG contact for immediate assistance is State Dispatch at (916) 445-0045. They will contact the local warden or biologist. 14. The Sacramento Fish and Wildlife Office and CDFG will be notified in writing within three working days of the accidental death or injury to a San Joaquin kit fox during project related activities. Notification must include the date, time, and location of the incident or of the finding of a dead or injured animal and any other pertinent information. The Service contact is the Chief of the Division of Endangered Species, at the addresses and telephone numbers given below. The CDFG contact is Mr. Ron Schlorff at Street, Sacramento, California 95814, (916) 654-4262. 15. Limits of grading and construction activities should be clearly delineated so that no vegetation outside the delineated grading limits would be disturbed by construction personnel or equipment. Project personnel will drive only on existing roads outside of construction limits. 16. SPM will implement the Best Management Practices identified in the project specific Storm Water Pollution Prevention Plan (SWPPP). 17. In order to comply with the Migratory Bird Treaty Act and relevant sections of the CDFG Code (e.g., 3503, 3503.4, 3504, 3505, et seq.), any vegetation clearing would take place outside of the typical avian nesting season (i.e., February 1st — August 31st), to the maximum extent practical. If this is not possible, prior to ground-disturbing activities, construction, and so forth within the study area, a qualified biologist will conduct and submit a migratory nesting bird and raptor survey report. A qualified biologist is an individual with sufficient education and field experience in local California ecology and biology to adequately identify local plant and wildlife species. The survey shall occur not more than 72 hours prior to initiation of Project activities and any occupied passerines and/or raptor nests occurring within or adjacent to the study area will be delineated. To the maximum extent practicable, a minimum buffer zone from occupied nests will be maintained during physical ground-disturbing activities. Once nesting has been determined to cease, the buffer may be removed. 18. SPM will retain the services of a Biological Monitor who will be responsible for overseeing project environmental protection measures. All encounters with listed species will be reported to the Biological Monitor, who will record the following information: species name; location (narrative and maps) and dates of observations; general condition and health, including injuries and state of healing; diagnostic markings, including identification numbers or markers; and locations moved from and to (if appropriate). Verification: All mitigation measures and their implementation methods shall be included in the BRMIMP. **Implementation of the measures will be reported in the monthly compliance reports by the Designated Biologist.** Within thirty (30) days after completion of project construction, the project owner shall provide to the CPM, for review and approval, a written construction termination report identifying how measures have been completed.		
CUL-5	Prior to and for the duration of preconstruction site mobilization, construction ground disturbance, construction grading, boring and trenching, and construction, the project owner shall provide Worker Environmental Awareness Program (WEAP) training to project managers, construction supervisors, foremen, and general workers who are involved with or operate ground disturbing equipment or tools. The training shall be prepared by the CRS, may be conducted by any member of the archaeological team, and may be presented in the form of a video. The CRS shall be available (by telephone or in person) to answer questions posed by employees. The training shall include: 1. A discussion of applicable laws and penalties under the law; 2. Samples or visuals of artifacts that might be found in the project vicinity; 3. Instruction that the CRS, alternate CRS, and CRMs have the authority to halt construction in the area of a Discovery to an extent sufficient to ensure that the resource is protected from further impacts, as determined by the CRS; 4. Instruction that employees are to halt work on their own in the vicinity of a potential cultural resources Discovery and shall contact their supervisor and the CRS or CRM, and that redirection of work would be determined by the construction supervisor and the CRS; 5. An informational brochure that identifies reporting procedures in the event of a Discovery; 6. An acknowledgement form signed by each worker indicating that he/she has received the training; and 7. A sticker that shall be placed on hard hats indicating that environmental training has been completed.	Cultural WEAP Training Tracker	WEAP presentation, brochure handout, and WEAP script included in MCR-1. WEAP Training Tracker (BIO-5, CUL-5, PAL-4, TRANS-4) found in Appendix A

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	No preconstruction site mobilization, construction ground disturbance, construction grading, boring and trenching, and construction, shall occur prior to implementation of the WEAP program, unless specifically approved by the CPM. Verification: At least 30 days prior to the beginning of pre-construction site mobilization, the CRS shall provide the training program draft text and graphics and the informational brochure to the CPM for review and approval, and the CPM will provide to the project owner a WEAP Training Acknowledgement form for each WEAP-trained worker to sign. **On a monthly basis, the project owner shall provide in the Monthly Compliance Report (MCR) the WEAP Training Acknowledgement forms of persons who have completed the training in the prior month and a running total of all persons who have completed training to date.**		
CUL-6	The project owner shall ensure that the CRS, alternate CRS, or CRMs shall monitor preconstruction site mobilization, construction ground disturbance, construction grading, boring and trenching, and construction full time at the project site and linear facilities, and ground disturbance full time at laydown areas or other ancillary areas, to ensure there are no impacts to undiscovered resources and to ensure that known resources are not impacted in an unanticipated manner (Discovery). Specifically, the CRS, alternate CRS, or CRMs shall monitor: the initial soil stripping and any grading of the plant site; the excavation of structural foundations, of trenches for the natural gas and water pipelines, and of the 25,000 square-foot evaporation pond; and the drilling of the 1,500-foot-deep well, if this alternate water source is necessary. Full-time archaeological monitoring for this project shall be the archaeological monitoring of all native-soil–removing activities on the construction site or along the linear facility routes for as long as the activities are ongoing. Full-time archaeological monitoring shall require at least one monitor per excavation area where machines are actively removing native soils. If an excavation area is too large for one monitor to effectively observe the soil removal, one or more additional monitors shall be retained to observe the area. In the event that the CRS determines that the current level of monitoring is not appropriate in certain locations, a letter or e-mail detailing the justification for changing the level of monitoring shall be provided to the CPM for review and approval prior to any change in the level of monitoring. The research design in the CRMMP shall govern the collection, treatment, retention/disposal, and curation of any archaeological materials encountered. On forms provided by the CPM, CRMs shall keep a daily log of any monitoring and other cultural resources activities and any instances of non-compliance with the Conditions and/or applicable LORS. **Copies of the daily logs shall be provided to the CPM by the CRS as directed by the CPM. From these logs, the CRS shall compile a monthly monitoring summary report to be included in the MCR. If there are no monitoring activities, the summary report shall specify why monitoring has been suspended.** The CRS or alternate CRS shall report daily to the CPM on the status of cultural resources-related activities at the construction site, unless reducing or ending daily reporting is requested by the CRS and approved by the CPM. The CRS, at his or her discretion, or at the request of the CPM, may informally discuss cultural resources monitoring and mitigation activities with Energy Commission technical staff (Staff). Cultural resources monitoring activities are the responsibility of the CRS. Any interference with monitoring activities, removal of a monitor from duties assigned by the CRS, or direction to a monitor to relocate monitoring activities by anyone other than the CRS shall be considered noncompliance with these Conditions. Upon becoming aware of any incidents of non-compliance with the Conditions and/or applicable LORS, the CRS and/or the project owner shall notify the CPM by telephone or e-mail within 24 hours. The CRS shall also recommend corrective action to resolve the problem or achieve compliance with the Conditions. **When the issue is resolved, the CRS shall write a report describing the issue, the resolution of the issue, and the effectiveness of the resolution measures. This report shall be provided in the next MCR for the review of the CPM.** A Native American monitor shall be obtained to monitor ground disturbance in areas where Native American artifacts are discovered. Informational lists of concerned Native Americans and guidelines for monitoring shall be obtained from the Native American Heritage Commission. Preference in selecting a monitor shall be given to Native Americans with traditional ties to the area that shall be monitored. **Verification:** At least 30 days prior to the start of preconstruction site mobilization; construction ground disturbance; construction grading, boring and trenching; and construction, the CPM will provide to the CRS an electronic copy of a form to be used as a daily monitoring log. **While monitoring is on-going, the project owner shall include in each MCR a copy of the monthly summary report of cultural resources-related monitoring prepared by the CRS.** Daily, the CRS shall provide a statement that "no cultural resources over 50 years of age were discovered" to the CPM as an e-mail, or in some other form acceptable to the CPM. If the CRS concludes that daily reporting is no longer necessary, a letter or e-mail providing a detailed justification for the decision to reduce or end daily reporting shall be provided to the CPM for review and approval at least 24 hours prior to reducing or ending daily reporting. At least 24 hours prior to implementing a proposed change in monitoring level, documentation justifying the change shall be submitted to the CPM for review and approval.	Cultural Resource Monitoring Summary and Monitoring Logs	Monthly compliance monitoring summary included in Appendix B
GEN-2	Prior to submittal of the initial engineering designs for CBO review, the project owner shall furnish to the CPM and to the CBO a schedule of facility design submittals, a Master Drawing List and a Master Specifications List. The schedule shall contain a list of proposed submittal packages of designs, calculations and specifications for major structures and equipment. To facilitate audits by Energy Commission staff, the project owner shall provide specific packages to the CPM when requested. Verification: At least 60 days (or project owner and CBO approved alternative timeframe) prior to the start of rough grading, the project owner shall submit to the CBO and to the CPM the schedule, the Master Drawing List and the Master Specifications List of documents to be submitted to the CBO for review and approval. These documents shall be the pertinent design documents for the major structures and equipment listed in Facility Design Table 2 below. Major structures and equipment shall be added to or deleted from the table only with CPM approval. **The project owner shall provide schedule updates in the Monthly Compliance Report.**	Schedule	Appendix B

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GEN-3	The project owner shall make payments to the CBO for design review, plan check and construction inspection based upon a reasonable fee schedule to be negotiated between the project owner and the CBO. These fees may be consistent with the fees listed in the 2001 CBC [Chapter 1, Section 107 and Table 1-A, Building Permit Fees; Appendix Chapter 33, Section 3310 and Table A-33-A, Grading Plan Review Fees; and Table A- 33-B, Grading Permit Fees], adjusted for inflation and other appropriate adjustments; may be based on the value of the facilities reviewed; may be based on hourly rates; or may be as otherwise agreed by the project owner and the CBO. Verification: The project owner shall make the required payments to the CBO in accordance with the agreement between the project owner and the CBO. **The project owner shall send a copy of the CBO's receipt of payment to the CPM in the next Monthly Compliance Report indicating that the applicable fees have been paid.**	CBO's receipt of payment to the CPM	Included in MCR-3
GEN-6	Prior to the start of an activity requiring special inspection, the project owner shall assign to the project, qualified and certified special inspector(s) who shall be responsible for the special inspections required by the 2001 CBC, Chapter 17 [Section 1701, Special Inspections; Section 1701.5, Type of Work (requiring special inspection)]; and Section 106.3.5, Inspection and observation program. All transmission facilities (lines, switchyards, switching stations and substations) are handled in conditions of certification in the Transmission System Engineering section of this document. The special inspector shall: 1. Be a qualified person who shall demonstrate competence, to the satisfaction of the CBO, for inspection of the particular type of construction requiring special or continuous inspection; 2. Observe the work assigned for conformance with the approved design drawings and specifications; 3. Furnish inspection reports to the CBO and RE. All discrepancies shall be brought to the immediate attention of the RE for correction, then, if uncorrected, to the CBO and the CPM for corrective action [2001 CBC, Chapter 17, Section 1701.3, Duties and Responsibilities of the Special Inspector]; and 4. Submit a final signed report to the RE, CBO, and CPM, stating whether the work requiring special inspection was, to the best of the inspector's knowledge, in conformance with the approved plans and specifications and the applicable provisions of the applicable edition of the CBC. A certified weld inspector, certified by the American Welding Society (AWS), and/or American Society of Mechanical Engineers (ASME) as applicable, shall inspect welding performed on-site requiring special inspection (including structural, piping, tanks and pressure vessels). Verification: At least 15 days (or project owner and CBO approved alternative timeframe) prior to the start of an activity requiring special inspection, the project owner shall submit to the CBO for review and approval, with a copy to the CPM, the name(s) and qualifications of the certified weld inspector(s), or other certified special inspector(s) assigned to the project to perform one or more of the duties set forth above. **The project owner shall also submit to the CPM a copy of the CBO's approval of the qualifications of all special inspectors in the next Monthly Compliance Report.** If the special inspector is subsequently reassigned or replaced, the project owner has five days in which to submit the name and qualifications of the newly assigned special inspector to the CBO for approval. The project owner shall notify the CPM of the CBO's approval of the newly assigned inspector within five days of the approval.	CBO's approval of the qualifications of all special inspectors	Included in MCR-3
GEN-7	If any discrepancy in design and/or construction is discovered in any engineering work that has undergone CBO design review and approval, the project owner shall document the discrepancy and recommend the corrective action required [2001 CBC, Chapter 1, Section 108.4, Approval Required; Chapter 17, Section 1701.3, Duties and Responsibilities of the Special Inspector; Appendix Chapter 33, Section 3317.7, Notification of Noncompliance]. The discrepancy documentation shall be submitted to the CBO for review and approval. The discrepancy documentation shall reference this condition of certification and, if appropriate, the applicable sections of the CBC and/or other LORS. Verification: **The project owner shall transmit a copy of the CBO's approval of any corrective action taken to resolve a discrepancy to the CPM in the next Monthly Compliance Report.** If any corrective action is disapproved, the project owner shall advise the CPM, within five days, of the reason for disapproval and the revised corrective action to obtain CBO's approval.	CBO's approval of any corrective action taken to resolve a discrepancy to the CPM	Not applicable
GEN-8	The project owner shall obtain the CBO's final approval of all completed work that has undergone CBO design review and approval. The project owner shall request the CBO to inspect the completed structure and review the submitted documents. The project owner shall notify the CPM after obtaining the CBO's final approval. The project owner shall retain one set of approved engineering plans, specifications and calculations (including all approved changes) at the project site or at another accessible location during the operating life of the project [2001 CBC, Section 106.4.2, Retention of Plans]. Electronic copies of the approved plans, specifications, calculations and marked-up as-builts shall be provided to the CBO for retention by the CPM. Verification: **Within 15 days of the completion of any work, the project owner shall submit to the CBO, with a copy to the CPM, in the next Monthly Compliance Report, (a) a written notice that the completed work is ready for final inspection, and (b) a signed statement that the work conforms to the final approved plans.** After storing final approved engineering plans, specifications and calculations as described above, the project owner shall submit to the CPM a letter stating that the above documents have been stored and indicate the storage location of such documents. Within 90 days of the completion of construction, the project owner shall provide to the CBO three sets of electronic copies of the above documents at the project owner's expense. These are to be provided in the form of "read only" adobe PDF 6.0 files, with restricted printing privileges (i.e. password protected), on archive quality compact discs.	(a) a written notice that the completed work is ready for final inspection, and (b) a signed statement that the work conforms to the final approved plans. After storing final approved engineering plans, a letter stating that the above documents have been stored and indicate the storage location of such documents.	Not applicable

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CIVIL-1	The project owner shall submit to the CBO for review and approval the following: 1. Design of the proposed drainage structures and the grading plan; 2. An erosion and sedimentation control plan; 3. Related calculations and specifications, signed and stamped by the responsible civil engineer; and 4. Soils Report, Geotechnical Report or Foundation Investigations Report required by the 2001 CBC [Appendix Chapter 33, Section 3309.5, Soils Engineering Report; Section 3309.6, Engineering Geology Report; and Chapter 18, Section 1804, Foundation Investigations]. Verification: At least 15 days (or project owner and CBO approved alternative timeframe) prior to the start of site grading the project owner shall submit the documents described above to the CBO for design review and approval. **In the next Monthly Compliance Report following the CBO's approval, the project owner shall submit a written statement certifying that the documents have been approved by the CBO.**	written statement certifying that the documents have been approved by the CBO	Not applicable
CIVIL-3	The project owner shall perform inspections in accordance with the 2001 CBC, Chapter 1, Section 108, Inspections; Chapter 17, Section 1701.6, Continuous and Periodic Special Inspection; and Appendix Chapter 33, Section 3317, Grading Inspection. All plant site-grading operations, for which a grading permit is required, shall be subject to inspection by the CBO. If, in the course of inspection, it is discovered that the work is not being performed in accordance with the approved plans, the discrepancies shall be reported immediately to the resident engineer and the CBO [2001 CBC, Appendix Chapter 33, Section 3317.7, Notification of Noncompliance]. The project owner or resident engineer shall prepare a written report, with copies to the CBO and the CPM, detailing all discrepancies, non-compliance items, and the proposed corrective action. Verification: Within five days of the discovery of any discrepancies, the project owner or resident engineer shall transmit to the CBO and the CPM a Non-Conformance Report (NCR), and the proposed corrective action for review and approval. Within five days of resolution of the NCR, the project owner shall submit the details of the corrective action to the CBO and the CPM. **A list of NCRs, for the reporting month, shall also be included in the following Monthly Compliance Report.**	A list of NCRs, for the reporting month	Not applicable
CIVIL-4	After completion of finished grading and erosion and sedimentation control and drainage work, the project owner shall obtain the CBO's approval of the final grading plans (including final changes) for the erosion and sedimentation control work. The civil engineer shall state that the work within his/her area of responsibility was done in accordance with the final approved plans [2001 CBC, Section 3318, Completion of Work]. Verification: Within 30 days (or project owner and CBO approved alternative timeframe) of the completion of the erosion and sediment control mitigation and drainage work, the project owner shall submit to the CBO, for review and approval, the final grading plans (including final changes) and the responsible civil engineer's signed statement that the installation of the facilities and all erosion control measures were completed in accordance with the final approved combined grading plans, and that the facilities are adequate for their intended purposes, with a copy of the transmittal letter to the CPM. **The project owner shall submit a copy of the CBO's approval to the CPM in the next Monthly Compliance Report.**	CBO's approval to the CPM	Not applicable
STRUC-1	Prior to the start of any increment of construction of any major structure or component listed in Facility Design Table 2 of Condition of Certification GEN-2, above, the project owner shall submit to the CBO for design review and approval the proposed lateral force procedures for project structures and the applicable designs, plans and drawings for project structures. Proposed lateral force procedures, designs, plans and drawings shall be those for the following items (from Table 2, above): 1. Major project structures; 2. Major foundations, equipment supports and anchorage; and 3. Large field fabricated tanks. Construction of any structure or component shall not commence until the CBO has approved the lateral force procedures to be employed in designing that structure or component. The project owner shall: 1. Obtain approval from the CBO of lateral force procedures proposed for project structures; 2. Obtain approval from the CBO for the final design plans, specifications, calculations, soils reports and applicable quality control procedures. If there are conflicting requirements, the more stringent shall govern (i.e., highest loads, or lowest allowable stresses shall govern). All plans, calculations and specifications for foundations that support structures shall be filed concurrently with the structure plans, calculations and specifications [2001 CBC, Section 108.4, Approval Required]; 3. Submit to the CBO the required number of copies of the structural plans, specifications, calculations and other required documents of the designated major structures prior to the start of on-site fabrication and installation of each structure, equipment support, or foundation [2001 CBC, Section 106.4.2, Retention of plans; and Section 106.3.2, Submittal documents]; 4. Ensure that the final plans, calculations and specifications clearly reflect the inclusion of approved criteria, assumptions and methods used to develop the design. The final designs, plans, calculations and specifications shall be signed and stamped by the responsible design engineer [2001 CBC, Section 106.3.4, Architect or Engineer of Record]; and 5. Submit to the CBO the responsible design engineer's signed statement that the final design plans conform to the applicable LORS [2001 CBC, Section 106.3.4, Architect or Engineer of Record].	copy of a statement from the CBO that the proposed structural plans, specifications and calculations have been approved and are in compliance with the requirements set forth in the applicable engineering LORS	Appendix B

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	Verification: At least 60 days (or project owner and CBO approved alternative timeframe) prior to the start of any increment of construction of any structure or component listed in Facility Design Table 2 of Condition of Certification GEN-2 above, the project owner shall submit to the CBO the above final design plans, specifications and calculations, with a copy of the transmittal letter to the CPM. **The project owner shall submit to the CPM, in the next Monthly Compliance Report a copy of a statement from the CBO that the proposed structural plans, specifications and calculations have been approved and are in compliance with the requirements set forth in the applicable engineering LORS.**		
STRUC-3	The project owner shall submit to the CBO design changes to the final plans required by the 2001 CBC, Chapter 1, Section 106.3.2, Submittal documents and Section 106.3.3, Information on plans and specifications, including the revised drawings, specifications, calculations, and a complete description of, and supporting rationale for, the proposed changes, and shall give to the CBO prior notice of the intended filing. Verification: On a schedule suitable to the CBO, the project owner shall notify the CBO of the intended filing of design changes, and shall submit the required number of sets of revised drawings and the required number of copies of the other above-mentioned documents to the CBO, with a copy of the transmittal letter to the CPM. **The project owner shall notify the CPM, via the Monthly Compliance Report, when the CBO has approved the revised plans.**	Notification to the CPM of CBO approval of the revised plans	No approvals in March
STRUC-4	Tanks and vessels containing quantities of toxic or hazardous materials exceeding amounts specified in Chapter 3, Table 3-E of the 2001 CBC shall, at a minimum, be designed to comply with the requirements of that Chapter. Verification: At least 30 days (or project owner and CBO approved alternate timeframe) prior to the start of installation of the tanks or vessels containing the above specified quantities of toxic or hazardous materials, the project owner shall submit to the CBO for design review and approval final design plans, specifications and calculations, including a copy of the signed and stamped engineer's certification. **The project owner shall send copies of the CBO approvals of plan checks to the CPM in the following Monthly Compliance Report. The project owner shall also transmit a copy of the CBO's inspection approvals to the CPM in the Monthly Compliance Report following completion of any inspection.**	CBO approvals of plan checks to the CPM also a copy of the CBO's inspection approvals to the CPM following completion of any inspection.	Not applicable
MECH-1	The project owner shall submit, for CBO design review and approval, the proposed final design, specifications and calculations for each plant major piping and plumbing system listed in Facility Design Table 2, Condition of Certification GEN-2, above. Physical layout drawings and drawings not related to code compliance and life safety need not be submitted. The submittal shall also include the applicable QA/QC procedures. Upon completion of construction of any such major piping or plumbing system, the project owner shall request the CBO's inspection approval of said construction [2001 CBC, Section 106.3.2, Submittal Documents; Section 108.3, Inspection Requests; Section 108.4, Approval Required; 2001 California Plumbing Code, Section 103.5.4, Inspection Request; Section 301.1.1, Approval]. The responsible mechanical engineer shall stamp and sign all plans, drawings and calculations for the major piping and plumbing systems subject to the CBO design review and approval, and submit a signed statement to the CBO when the said proposed piping and plumbing systems have been designed, fabricated and installed in accordance with all of the applicable laws, ordinances, regulations and industry standards [Section 106.3.4, Architect or Engineer of Record], which may include, but are not limited to: ▪ American National Standards Institute (ANSI) B31.1 (Power Piping Code); ▪ ANSI B31.2 (Fuel Gas Piping Code); ▪ ANSI B31.3 (Chemical Plant and Petroleum Refinery Piping Code); ▪ ANSI B31.8 (Gas Transmission and Distribution Piping Code); ▪ Title 24, California Code of Regulations, Part 5 (California Plumbing Code); ▪ Title 24, California Code of Regulations, Part 6 (California Energy Code, for building energy conservation systems and temperature control and ventilation systems); ▪ Title 24, California Code of Regulations, Part 2 (California Building Code); and ▪ Specific City/County code. The CBO may deputize inspectors to carry out the functions of the code enforcement agency [2001 CBC, Section 104.2.2, Deputies]. Verification: **At least 30 days (or project owner and CBO approved alternative timeframe) prior to the start of any increment of major piping or plumbing construction listed in Facility Design Table 2, Condition of Certification GEN-2 above, the project owner shall submit to the CBO for design review and approval the final plans, specifications and calculations, including a copy of the signed and stamped statement from the responsible mechanical engineer certifying compliance with the applicable LORS, and shall send the CPM a copy of the transmittal letter in the next Monthly Compliance Report.** **The project owner shall transmit to the CPM, in the Monthly Compliance Report following completion of any inspection, a copy of the transmittal letter conveying the CBO's inspection approvals.**	copy of the transmittal letter conveying the CBO's inspection approvals	Not applicable

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MECH-2	For all pressure vessels installed in the plant, the project owner shall submit to the CBO and California Occupational Safety and Health Administration (Cal-OSHA), prior to operation, the code certification papers and other documents required by the applicable LORS. Upon completion of the installation of any pressure vessel, the project owner shall request the appropriate CBO and/or Cal-OSHA inspection of said installation [2001 CBC, Section 108.3, Inspection Requests]. The project owner shall: 1. Ensure that all boilers and fired and unfired pressure vessels are designed, fabricated and installed in accordance with the appropriate section of the American Society of Mechanical Engineers (ASME) Boiler and Pressure Vessel Code, or other applicable code. Vendor certification, with identification of applicable code, shall be submitted for prefabricated vessels and tanks; and 2. Have the responsible design engineer submit a statement to the CBO that the proposed final design plans, specifications and calculations conform to all of the requirements set forth in the appropriate ASME Boiler and Pressure Vessel Code or other applicable codes. Verification: At least 30 days (or project owner and CBO approved alternative timeframe) prior to the start of on-site fabrication or installation of any pressure vessel, the project owner shall submit to the CBO for design review and approval, the above listed documents, including a copy of the signed and stamped engineer's certification, with a copy of the transmittal letter to the CPM. **The project owner shall transmit to the CPM, in the Monthly Compliance Report following completion of any inspection, a copy of the transmittal letter conveying the CBO's and/or Cal-OSHA inspection approvals.**	copy of the transmittal letter conveying the CBO's and/or Cal-OSHA inspection approvals	Not applicable
ELEC-1	Prior to the start of any increment of electrical construction for electrical equipment and systems 480 volts and higher, listed below, with the exception of underground duct work and any physical layout drawings and drawings not related to code compliance and life safety, the project owner shall submit, for CBO design review and approval, the proposed final design, specifications and calculations [CBC 2001, Section 106.3.2, Submittal documents]. Upon approval, the above listed plans, together with design changes and design change notices, shall remain on the site or at another accessible location for the operating life of the project. The project owner shall request that the CBO inspect the installation to ensure compliance with the requirements of applicable LORS [2001 CBC, Section 108.4, Approval Required, and Section 108.3, Inspection Requests]. All transmission facilities (lines, switchyards, switching stations and substations) are handled in conditions of certification in the Transmission System Engineering section of this document. A. Final plant design plans to include: 1. one-line diagrams for the 13.8 kV, 4.16 kV and 480 V systems; and 2. system grounding drawings. B. Final plant calculations to establish: 1. short-circuit ratings of plant equipment; 2. ampacity of feeder cables; 3. voltage drop in feeder cables; 4. system grounding requirements; 5. coordination study calculations for fuses, circuit breakers and protective relay settings for the 13.8 kV, 4.16 kV and 480 V systems; 6. system grounding requirements; and 7. lighting energy calculations. C. The following activities shall be reported to the CPM in the Monthly Compliance Report: 1. Receipt or delay of major electrical equipment; 2. Testing or energization of major electrical equipment; and 3. A signed statement by the registered electrical engineer certifying that the proposed final design plans and specifications conform to requirements set forth in the Energy Commission Decision. Verification: At least 30 days (or project owner and CBO approved alternative timeframe) prior to the start of each increment of electrical construction, the project owner shall submit to the CBO for design review and approval the above listed documents. **The project owner shall include in this submittal a copy of the signed and stamped statement from the responsible electrical engineer attesting compliance with the applicable LORS, and shall send the CPM a copy of the transmittal letter in the next Monthly Compliance Report.**	report on the following: 1. Receipt or delay of major electrical equipment; 2. Testing or energization of major electrical equipment; and 3. A signed statement by the registered electrical engineer certifying that the proposed final design plans and specifications conform to requirements set forth in the Energy Commission Decision. copy of the signed and stamped statement from the responsible electrical engineer attesting compliance with the applicable LORS	Not applicable

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PAL-4	Prior to ground disturbance and for the duration of construction activities involving ground disturbance, the project owner and the PRS shall prepare and conduct weekly CPM-approved training for the following workers: project managers, construction supervisors, foremen, and general workers who are involved with or operate ground disturbing equipment or tools. Workers shall not excavate in sensitive units prior to receiving CPM- approved worker training. Worker training shall consist of an initial in- person PRS training during the project kick-off for those mentioned above. Following initial training, a CPM-approved video or in-person training may be used for new employees. The training program may be combined with other training programs prepared for cultural and biological resources, hazardous materials, or any other areas of interest or concern. No ground disturbance shall occur prior to CPM approval of the WEAP, unless specifically approved by the CPM. The Worker Environmental Awareness Program (WEAP) shall address the potential to encounter paleontological resources in the field, the sensitivity and importance of these resources, and the legal obligations to preserve and protect such resources. The training shall include: 1. A discussion of applicable laws and penalties for violation of the laws; 2. Depictive photographs or physical examples of vertebrate fossils shall be provided for project sites containing units of high paleontologic sensitivity; 3. Information discussing the authority of the PRS or PRM to halt or redirect construction in the event of a discovery or unanticipated impact to a paleontological resource; 4. Instruction directing employees to halt or redirect work in the vicinity of a find and to contact their supervisor and the PRS or PRM; 5. An informational brochure that identifies reporting procedures in the event of a paleontological discovery; 6. A Certification of Completion of WEAP form signed by each worker indicating that he/she has received the training; and 7. A sticker for employees to place on hard hats indicating that environmental training has been completed. Verification: At least 30 days prior to ground disturbance, the project owner shall submit the proposed WEAP including the brochure with the set of reporting procedures the workers are to follow. At least 30 days prior to ground disturbance, the project owner shall submit the script and final video to the CPM for approval if the project owner is planning on using a video for interim training. If the owner requests an alternate paleontological trainer, the resume and qualifications of the trainer shall be submitted to the CPM for review and approval prior to installation of an alternate trainer. Alternate trainers shall not conduct training prior to CPM authorization. **In the Monthly Compliance Report (MCR) the project owner shall provide copies of the WEAP Certification of Completion forms with the names of those trained and the trainer or type of training (in-person or video) offered that month. The MCR shall also include a running total of all persons who have completed the training to date.**	Paleontological WEAP Training Tracker	WEAP presentation, brochure handout, and WEAP script are included in MCR-1. WEAP Training Tracker (BIO-5, CUL-5, PAL-4, TRANS-4) included in Appendix A
PAL-5	The project owner shall ensure that the PRS and PRM(s) monitor consistent with the PRMMP all construction-related grading, excavation, trenching, and augering in areas where potentially fossil-bearing materials have been identified, both at the site and along any constructed linear facilities associated with the project. In the event that the PRS determines full time monitoring is not necessary in locations that were identified in the PRMMP as potentially fossil-bearing, the project owner shall notify and seek the concurrence of the CPM. The project owner shall ensure that the PRS and PRM(s) have the authority to halt or redirect construction if paleontological resources are encountered. The project owner shall ensure that there is no interference with monitoring activities unless directed by the PRS. Monitoring activities shall be conducted as follows: 1. Any change of monitoring different from the accepted schedule presented in the PRMMP shall be proposed in a letter or email from the PRS and the project owner to the CPM prior to the change in monitoring. These changes should also be included in the Monthly Compliance Report. The letter or email shall state the justification for the change in monitoring and be submitted to the CPM for review and approval; 2. The project owner shall ensure the PRM(s) keeps a daily log of monitoring of paleontological resource activities. The PRS may informally discuss paleontological resource monitoring and mitigation activities with the CPM at any time; 3. The project owner shall ensure the PRS immediately notifies the CPM within 24 hours of the occurrence of any incidents of non- compliance with any paleontological resources Conditions of Certification. The PRS shall recommend corrective action to resolve the issues or achieve compliance with the Conditions of Certification; 4. For any significant paleontological resources encountered, either the project owner or the PRS shall notify the CPM within 24 hours or Monday morning in the case of a weekend when construction has been halted due to a paleontological find. **The project owner shall ensure the PRS prepares a summary of the monitoring and other paleontological activities which will be placed in the Monthly Compliance Reports (MCR).** The summary will include the name(s) of PRS or PRM(s) active during the month, general descriptions of training and monitored construction activities and general locations of excavations, grading, etc. A section of the report shall include the geologic units or subunits encountered; descriptions of sampling within each unit; and a list of identified fossils. A final section of the report will address any issues or concerns about the project relating to paleontologic monitoring including any incidents of non-compliance and any changes to the monitoring plan approved by the CPM. If no monitoring took place during the month, the report shall include an explanation in the summary as to why monitoring was not conducted. Verification: **The project owner shall ensure the PRS submits the summary of monitoring and paleontological activities in the MCR.** When feasible, the CPM shall be notified 10 days in advance of any proposed changes in monitoring different from the plan identified in the PRMMP. If there is any unforeseen change in monitoring, the notice shall be given as soon as possible prior to implementation of the change.	Paleontological Resource Monitoring Summary	Paleontological monthly compliance monitoring summary included in Appendix B

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TRANS-4	Prior to site mobilization, the project owner shall develop and Implement a Worker Traffic Safety Program (WTSP) focusing on awareness of school buses and school children in the vicinity of the project. The plan shall include, as a minimum, the following: ▪ A discussion of all applicable motor vehicle laws and penalties under the law; safe driving practices, potential road conditions (e.g., school bus stops, children who are walking to or from a bus stop, children boarding or exiting buses, ground fog, horses/livestock, slow vehicles, etc.) along the expected travel corridor (i.e., Panoche Road), ▪ Required commute work travel times, ▪ Expected school bus travel times, and ▪ A discussion of consequences in the event a worker is found driving in an unsafe manner. The training shall be provided on a weekly basis to all new employees (including all contractors and subcontractors) at the start of ground disturbance, and continue for the duration of construction. The training may be presented in the form of a video. Verification: The project owner shall provide a copy of the WTSP to the CPM for review and approval 30 days prior to site mobilization. The training may be presented in the form of a video, if the video has been approved by the CPM. The video shall be provided to the CPM for review and approved 30 days prior to site mobilization. **The project owner shall provide the WTSP certification of completion for persons who have completed the training in the prior month, and a running total of all persons who have completed training to date in the monthly compliance report.**	WTSP Training Tracker	WEAP presentation, brochure handout, and WEAP script is included in MCR-1. WEAP Training Tracker (BIO-5, CUL-5, PAL-4, TRANS-4) found in Appendix A
WASTE-3	The project owner shall obtain a hazardous waste generator identification number from the Department of Toxic Substances Control prior to generating any hazardous waste during construction and operations. Verification: **The project owner shall keep its copy of the identification number on file at the project site and notify the CPM via the relevant Monthly Compliance Report of its receipt.**	identification number	Not applicable, Peaker plant site already has ID number
SOIL & WATER-2	Prior to site mobilization, the project owner shall obtain CPM approval for a site-specific drainage, erosion, and sedimentation control plan (DESCP) that ensures protection of water quality and soil resources of the project site and all linear facilities for both the construction and operation phases of the project. This plan shall address appropriate methods and actions, both temporary and permanent, for the protection of water quality and soil resources, demonstrate no increase in off-site flooding potential, meet local requirements, and identify all monitoring and maintenance activities. Monitoring activities shall include routine measurement of the volume of accumulated sediment in the stormwater retention basin. Maintenance activities must include removal of accumulated sediment from the retention basin when an average depth of 0.5 feet of sediment has accumulated in the retention basin. The plan shall be consistent with the grading and drainage plan as required by Condition of Certification CIVIL-1 and may incorporate by reference any storm water pollution prevention plan developed in conjunction with any NPDES permit. The DESCP shall contain the following elements: ▪ Vicinity Map – A map shall be provided indicating the location of all project elements with depictions of all significant geographic ▪ features to include watercourses, washes, irrigation and drainage canals, and sensitive areas. ▪ Site Delineation – The site and all project elements shall be delineated showing boundary lines of all construction areas and the location of all existing and proposed structures, pipelines, roads, and drainage facilities. ▪ Watercourses and Critical Areas – The DESCP shall show the location of all nearby watercourses including washes, irrigation and drainage canals, and drainage ditches, and shall indicate the proximity of those features to the construction site. ▪ Drainage – The DESCP shall provide a topographic site map showing all existing, interim, and proposed drainage systems. drainage area boundaries and watershed sizes in acres, and the hydraulic analysis to support the selection of best management practices (BMPs) to divert off-site drainage around or through the site and laydown areas. Spot elevations shall be required where relatively flat conditions exist. The spot elevations and contours shall be extended off site for a minimum distance of 100 feet in flat terrain. ▪ Clearing and Grading – The plan shall provide a delineation of all areas to be cleared of vegetation and areas to be preserved. The plan shall provide elevations, slopes, locations, and extent of all proposed grading as shown by contours, cross sections, or other means. The locations of any disposal areas, fills, or other special features shall also be shown. Existing and proposed topography tying in proposed contours with existing topography shall be illustrated. The DESCP shall include a statement of the quantities of material excavated or filled for each element of the project (for example, project site, transmission corridors, and pipeline corridors), whether such excavations or fill is temporary or permanent, and the amount of such material to be imported or exported or a statement explaining that there will be no clearing and/or grading conducted for each element of the project. ▪ Project Schedule – The DESCP shall identify on the topographic site map the location of the site-specific BMPs to be employed during each phase of construction (initial grading, project element excavation and construction, and final grading/stabilization). Separate BMP implementation schedules shall be provided for each project element for each phase of construction. ▪ Best Management Practices – The DESCP shall show the location, timing, and maintenance schedule of all erosion- and sediment- control BMPs to be used prior to initial grading, during project element excavation and construction, during final grading/stabilization, and after construction. BMPs shall include measures designed to control dust and stabilize construction access roads and entrances. The maintenance schedule shall include post-construction maintenance of treatment-control BMPs applied to disturbed areas following construction. ▪ Erosion Control Drawings – The erosion-control drawings and narrative shall be designed and sealed by a professional engineer or erosion-control specialist.	Drainage, Erosion, and Sedimentation Control Plan (DESCP) Monthly Summary Report	Not applicable

Condition	Requirements	Documentation	Location within this MCR
	Verification: No later than 90 days prior to start of site mobilization, the project owner shall submit a copy of the plan to Fresno County for review and comment. A copy shall be submitted to the CPM no later than 60 days prior to the start of site mobilization for review and approval. The CPM shall consider comments received from Fresno County. During construction, **the project owner shall provide an analysis in the monthly compliance report on the effectiveness of the drainage-, erosion- and sediment-control measures and the results of monitoring and maintenance activities**. Once operational, the project owner shall provide in the annual compliance report information on the results of monitoring and maintenance activities.		
WORKER SAFETY-3	The project owner shall provide a site Construction Safety Supervisor (CSS) who, by way of training and/or experience, is knowledgeable of power plant construction activities and relevant LORS, is capable of identifying workplace hazards relating to the construction activities, and has authority to take appropriate action to assure compliance and mitigate hazards. The CSS shall: ▪ Have over-all authority for coordination and implementation of all occupational safety and health practices, policies, and programs; ▪ Assure that the safety program for the project complies with Cal/OSHA and federal regulations related to power plant projects; ▪ Assure that all construction and commissioning workers and supervisors receive adequate safety training; ▪ Complete accident and safety-related incident investigations, emergency response reports for injuries, and inform the CPM of safety-related incidents; and ▪ Assure that all the plans identified in conditions of certification WORKER SAFETY-1 and -2 are implemented. Verification: At least 30 days prior to the start of site mobilization, the project owner shall submit to the CPM the name and contact information for the Construction Safety Supervisor (CSS). The contact information of any replacement (CSS) shall be submitted to the CPM within one business day of starting in the position. **The CSS shall submit in the Monthly Compliance Report a monthly safety inspection report** to include: ▪ Record of all employees trained for that month (all records shall be kept on site for the duration of the project); ▪ Summary report of safety management actions and safety-related incidents that occurred during the month; ▪ Report of any continuing or unresolved situations and incidents that may pose danger to life or health; and ▪ Report of accidents and injuries that occurred during the month.	monthly safety inspection report	Appendix B

4 Project Compliance Requirements

4.1 Reporting Period

Consistent with the Compliance-6 Requirement 4,[5] Table 2 contains a list of conditions which have been satisfied during the reporting period, and a description or reference to the actions which satisfied the condition, date of CEC submittal is also noted.

Table 2 Compliance Requirements Completed for March 2026 Reporting Period

Condition	Submittal Type	Date
AQ-SC3	Summary of Compliance and Complaints (AQCMM)	Appendix B
AQ-SC5	Summary of Compliance (Fuel and Equipment)	Appendix B
BIO-2	Biological resource monitoring logs and summaries.	Logs: 3/9, 3/10, 3/11, 3/12, 3/13, 3/16, 3/17, 3/18, 3/19, 3/23, 3/24, 3/25, and 3/26 Appendix B
BIO-5	Worker Environmental Awareness Program	WEAP Training Tracker provided in Appendix A
CUL-5	Worker Environmental Awareness Program	WEAP Training Tracker provided in Appendix A
CUL-6	Monthly summary report and logs	Logs: 3/9, 3/10, 3/11, 3/12, 3/13, 3/16, 3/17, 3/18, 3/19, 3/23, 3/24, 3/25, and 3/26. Appendix B
PAL-4	Worker Environmental Awareness Program	WEAP Training Tracker provided in Appendix A
PAL-5	Summary of paleontological activities	Logs: 3/10, 3/11, 3/12, 3/13, 3/16, 3/18, 3/19, 3/23, 3/24, 3/25, and 3/26 Appendix B
TRANS-4	Worker Traffic Safety Program (WTSP)	WTSP included in WEAP Training Tracker provided in Appendix A
STRUC-1	CBO's approval of structural design plans	Appendix B
WORKER SAFETY-3	Worker Safety Monthly Summary	Appendix B

4.2 Missed Submittals

Consistent with Compliance-6 Requirement 5,[6] no missed submittals occurred in March 2026.

4.3 Two Month Look Ahead

Table 3 contains a projection of Project compliance activities scheduled to be completed within the next two months per Compliance-6 Requirement 8.[7]

[5] Compliance-6 Requirement 4 states: "This report shall contain a list of conditions that have been satisfied during the reporting period, and a description or reference to the actions that satisfied the condition."
[6] Compliance-6 Requirement 5 states: "This report shall contain a list of any submittal deadlines that were missed, accompanied by an explanation and an estimate of when the information will be provided."
[7] Compliance-6 Requirement 8 states: "This report shall contain a projection of project compliance activities scheduled during the next two months. The project owner shall notify the CPM as soon as any changes are made to the project construction schedule that would affect compliance with conditions of certification."

Table 3 Compliance Requirements for April 2026 – May 2026

Condition	Submittal Type	Date/Location
AQ-SC3	Summary of Compliance and Complaints (AQCMM)	Appendix B
AQ-SC5	Summary of Compliance (Fuel and Equipment)	Appendix B
BIO-2	Biological resource monitoring logs and summaries.	Appendix B; Monthly
BIO-5	Worker Environmental Awareness Program	WEAP Training Tracker provided in Appendix A
CUL-5	Worker Environmental Awareness Program	WEAP Training Tracker provided in Appendix A
CUL-6	Monthly summary report and logs	Monthly
PAL-4	Worker Environmental Awareness Program	WEAP Training Tracker provided in Appendix A
PAL-5	Summary of paleontological activities	Appendix B; Monthly
TRANS-4	Worker Traffic Safety Program (WTSP)	WTSP included in WEAP Training Tracker provided in Appendix A
WORKER SAFETY-3	Worker Safety Monthly Summary	Appendix B

4.4 Filing or Permits Issued by Other Governmental Agencies

Consistent with Complinace-6 Requirement 7,[8] no new filings or permits were issued by other governmental agencies.

[8] Compliance-6 Requirement 7 states: "This report shall contain a listing of any filings submitted to, or permits issued by, other governmental agencies during the month."

5 Delinquent Submittals

Consistent with Compliance-6 Requirement 10,[9] no complaints, notices of violation, official warnings, and citations were received during this reporting period.

[9] Compliance-6 Requirement 10 states: "This report shall contain a listing of complaints, notices of violation, official warnings, and citations received during the month, a description of the resolution of the resolved actions, and the status of any unresolved actions."

6 Changes to CoCs

Consistent with Compliance-6 Requirement 6,[10] there are currently no changes to the CoCs.

[10] Compliance -6 Requirement 6 states: "This report shall contain a cumulative listing of any approved changes to conditions of certification."

7 Compliance File

Consistent with Compliance-6 Requirement 9,[11] no additions have been made to the on-site compliance file.

[11] Compliance-6 Requirement 9 states: "This report shall contain a listing of the month's additions to the on-site compliance file."

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Appendix A

Worker Environmental Awareness Program (WEAP) Training

24-16970 Midway Pond Lining and BESS Interconnection Project

Worker Environmental Awareness Program (WEAP) Training

Sign-in Sheet

	Name	Company	Phone	Email	Date
1	Dan Johnson	Patch Services	707-592-9493	djohnson@patchservices.com	6/5/2025
2	Ryan Wardle	Rincon Consultants	775-636-4066	rwardle@rinconconsultants.com	6/11/2025
3	Melanie Jensen	Rincon Consultants	559-425-9670	mjensen@rinconconsultants.com	6/11/2025
4	Dan Mocodean	NAES/MRP	619-753-3829	dmocodean@mrpgenco.com	6/12/2025
5	Dave Overstreet	LightHouse Electric.	559-653-7841	doverstreet@lighthouseelec.com	6/12/2025
6	Russ Fidler	Performance Grading	559-999-4065	russf.pgi@gmail.com	6/11/2025
7	Omar Hernandez	Performance Grading	559-519-1849		6/12/2025
8	Jonathan Rodriguez	Performance Grading	559-412-0147		6/12/2025
9	Jose Ramos Cisneros	Performance Grading	559-720-5774		6/12/2025
10	Genaro Esparza-Gomez	Performance Grading	559-216-6622		6/12/2025
11	Chris Luis	Performance Grading	559-318-7087	performancegradinginc@gmail.com	6/12/2025
12	Jaime Cortes	Performance Grading	559-475-2932		6/13/2025
13	John Clingenpeel	NAES/MRP	619-279-0992	jclingenpeel@mrpgenco.com	6/13/2025
14	Wayne Cockream	TTS Construction	530-852-1815	wcockream@ttsconstruction.com	6/13/2025
15	Stephen Wait	TTS Construction	541-505-1146	Swait@ttsconstruction.com	6/13/2025
16	Luis Cortez	TTS Construction	209-747-3815	Lcortez@ttsconstruction.com	6/13/2025
17	Matt Tuckness	Performance Grading	559-240-6505	mtuckness.pgi@gmail.com	6/13/2025
18	Stephen Ashburn	Performance Grading	559-433-5446		6/13/2025
19	Jose Angel Guerrero	TTS Construction	209-648-3944	angel.guerrero0466@gmail.com	6/14/2025
20	Lindsey Younger	Rincon Consultants	(559)317-7344	Lyounger@rinconconsultants.com	6/14/2025

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Sign-in Sheet

	Name	Company	Phone	Email	Date
21	Emma Kirschten	Rincon Consultants	(916) 803 7116	ekirschten@rinconconsultants.com	6/15/2025
22	Katerina Alexis-Konstantinidis	Bargas Enviromental	(860) 305-5156	kalexiskonstantinidis@bargasconsulting.com	6/16/2025
23	Javier Urbina Silvera	NAES/MRP	(559) 396-6909	jsilvera@mrpgenco.com	6/16/2025
24	Gerardo Guerra Ventura	D&E Construction Inc	559-967-9409		6/16/2025
25	Osvaldo Contreras	D&E Construction Inc	559-397-6449		6/16/2025
26	Fabian Alverado	D&E Construction Inc	559-882-8209		6/17/2025
27	Juan Carona Ventura	D&E Construction Inc	559-754-4956		6/17/2025
28	Jose Alvarado	D&E Construction Inc	714-421-9166		6/17/2025
29	Efrain Aguirre	D&E Construction Inc	559-824-3090		6/17/2025
30	Ernesto Alvarado	D&E Construction Inc	559-805-4008	ernesto@deconst.net	6/17/2025
31	Pedro Mejia	D&E Construction Inc	559-931-3375		6/17/2025
32	Alejandro Sanchez	D&E Construction Inc	559-731-9325		6/17/2025
33	Martin Guerra Perez	D&E Construction Inc	559-516-1523		6/17/2025
34	Fernando Ortiz	D&E Construction Inc	915-923-9692		6/17/2025
35	Cynthia Martinson	Rincon Consultants	831-207-3756	cmartinson@rinconconsultants.com	6/19/2025
36	Angel Perez	Cen-Cal pumps inc	559-474-6531	cencalpumpsinc@gmail.com	6/20/2025
37	Christian Ursua	Cen-Cal pumps inc	209-500-8350		6/20/2025
38	Joshua Soto	Lighthouse Electric.	559-991-6160	Jsoto@lighthouseelc.com	6/25/2025
39	Leonel Chavez JR	Performance Grading	559-618-1539		6/25/2025

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Sign-in Sheet

	Name	Company	Phone	Email	Date
40	leonel Chavez	Performance Grading	559-217-4708		6/25/2025
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42	Vance Cantu	Lighthouse Electric.	559-614-3760	vcantu@lighthouseelec.com	6/25/2025
43	Brian Jimenez	GPRS	408-529-3332	Brian.jimenez@gprsinc.com	6/25/2025
44	Morgan Craig	Rincon Consultants	559-341-3777	mcraig@rinconconsultants.com	7/1/2025
45	Sabdy Braathen	Rincon Consultants	559-205-4503	sbraathen@rinconconsultants.com	7/7/2025
46	Michael Salazar	RavenVolt		michael.salazar@ravenvolt.com	7/24/2025
47	William Gallaher	RavenVolt		william.gallaher@ravenvolt.com	7/24/2025
48	Sarah Barnes	RavenVolt		sarah.barnes@ravenvolt.com	7/24/2025
49	Ashley Handson	RavenVolt		ashley.hanson@ravenvolt.com	7/24/2025
50	Nathan Jones	RavenVolt		nathan.jones@ravenvolt.com	7/24/2025
51	Samuel Retzloff	RavenVolt	408-438-3055	samuel.retzloff@ravelvolt.com	7/24/2025
52	Nathaniel Acosta	Lighthouse electric	559-344-2134		7/31/2025
53	Robert Guardado	Rincon Consultants	909-472-2264	rguardado@rinconconsultants.com	8/4/2025
54	Robbert Thompson	lighthouse electrical	252-259-1294	rthompson@lighthouseelec.com	8/4/2025
55	John Cordaway	Teichert	760-996-0236	Jcordaway@teichert.com	8/19/2025
56	Ted Coffin	Teichert	442-243-7139	Tcoffin@teichert.com	8/18/2025
57	Thomas Villarreal	RavenVolt	956-408-6755	Thomas.villarreal@ravenvolt.com	8/14/2025
58	Julian	Lighthouse Electrical	559-943-3816		8/14/2025
59	Wesley Sims	Contra Costa Electric	661-859-9169	wsims@emcor.net	8/28/2025

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Sign-in Sheet

	Name	Company	Phone	Email	Date
60	Fred Mason	De Novo Pacific	559-936-3695	fred@masongeoscience.com	9/8/2025
61	David Moreno	De Novo Pacific	559-804-9179	Morenodavid264@gmail.com	9/8/2025
62	Steve Cunnigham	RavenVolt			1/12/2026
63	Fabian Beltran	RavenVolt			1/12/2026
64	Miguel Lopez	RavenVolt			1/12/2026
65	Pedro Esteves	RavenVolt			1/12/2026
66	Nathan Jones	RavenVolt			1/12/2026
67	Casy Teague	RavenVolt			1/12/2026
68	Sarah Barnes	RavenVolt			1/12/2026
69	William Gallaher	RavenVolt			1/12/2026
70	Ted Cuffin	RavenVolt			1/12/2026
71	Kevin Zelaya	RavenVolt			1/12/2026
72	Todd Bachman	RavenVolt			1/12/2026
73	Arnold Sutherlin	RavenVolt			1/12/2026
74	Gerin Brison	RavenVolt			1/12/2026
75	Eduardo Herrera	RavenVolt			1/12/2026
76	Gustavo Ferrer	RavenVolt			1/12/2026
77	William Francone	Contra Costa Electric			2/2/2026
78	Richard Ege	Contra Costa Electric			2/2/2026
79	Ricardo Cardoso III	Contra Costa Electric			2/2/2026

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Sign-in Sheet

	Name	Company	Phone	Email	Date
80	Daniel Flores	Teichert			3/2/2026
81	Mike Gillard	Teichert			3/2/2026
82	Jake Severin	Teichert			3/2/2026
83	Matt Hernandez	Teichert			3/2/2026
84	Chad Richards	Teichert			3/2/2026
85	Jose Ascencio	Teichert			3/2/2026
86	Jamar Turner	Teichert			3/2/2026
87	Mason Wilkins	Teichert			3/2/2026

Appendix B

Required Midway Monthly Compliance Report Documentation

Required Midway MCR Documentation

Appendix	Documentation	CoC(s)
B1	Chief Building Official (CBO) schedule updates	GEN-2
B2	Biological Monitoring Reports and Biological Resource Monthly Monitoring Summary for March 2026	BIO-2, BIO-6, BIO-8, BIO-9
B3	Cultural Resources Monthly Monitoring Summary Report	CUL-6
B4	Paleontological Resources Monthly Monitoring Summary Report	PAL-5
B5	Monthly summary, copies of complaints with air district, and other documents. Worker Safety Monthly Summary Report	AQ-SC3, AQ-SC5, WORKER SAFETY-3
B6	CBO's approval of Structural Plans	STRUC-1

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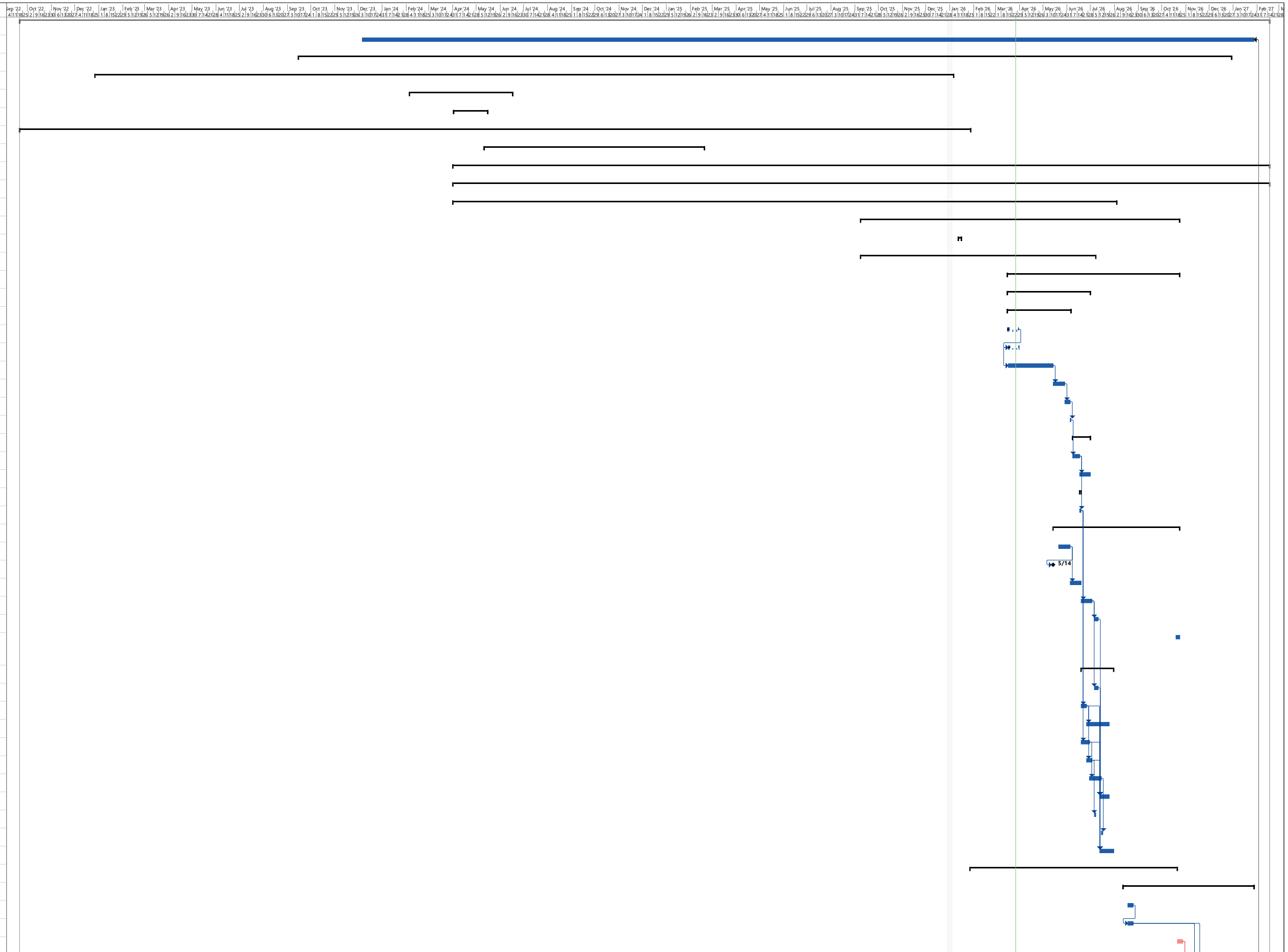
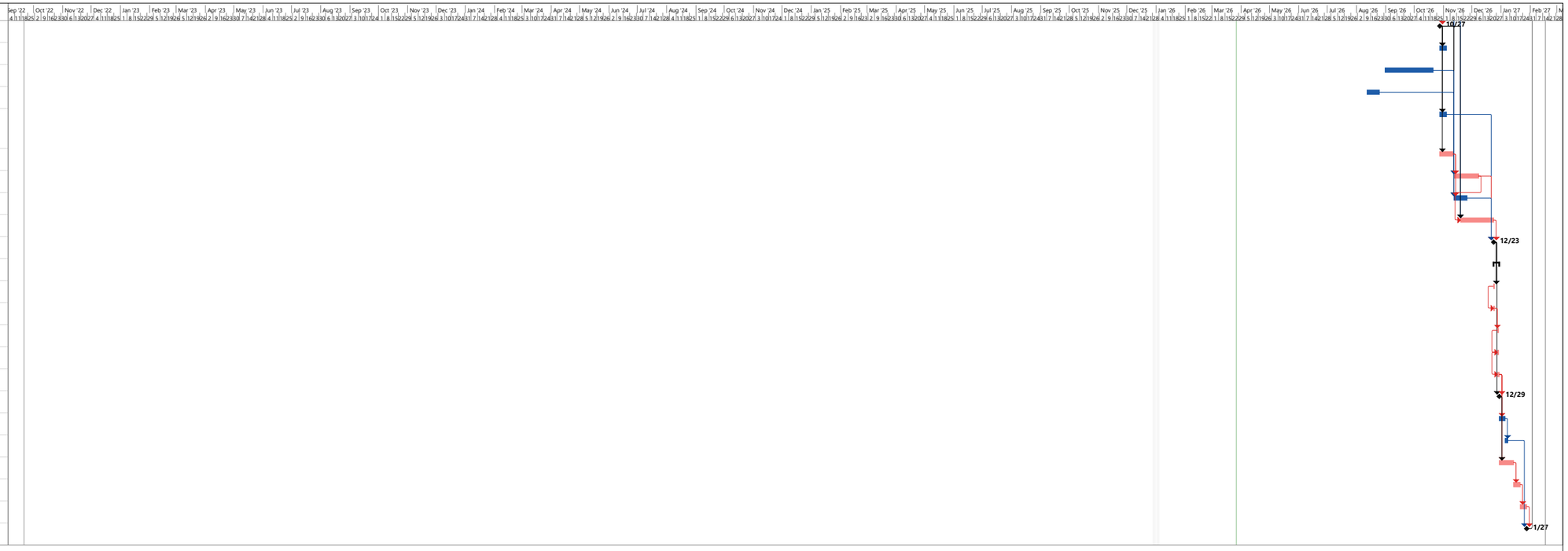
Appendix B1

Chief Building Official (CBO) schedule updates (GEN-2)

ID	Outline Level	Task Name	Duration	Baseline2 Start
0	**0**	**Midway BESS Current Schedule (3/19 Update)**	**1127 days**	**Wed 9/21/22**
1	1	Midway BESS Current Schedule (3/19 Update)	798 days	Tue 11/28/23
2	**1**	**Interconnection**	**836 days**	**Fri 9/15/23**
14	**1**	**Owner Permitting - CUP**	**777 days**	**Tue 12/27/22**
32	**1**	**EPC Contracting**	**95 days**	**Mon 2/5/24**
39	**1**	**LNTP**	**32 days**	**Tue 4/2/24**
43	**1**	**Owner Pre-Construction**	**861 days**	**Wed 9/21/22**
68	**1**	**Owner Supplied Equipment**	**202 days**	**Fri 5/10/24**
84	**1**	**Contractor**	**729 days**	**Tue 12/27/22**
85	**2**	**Project Milestones**	**729 days**	**Tue 12/27/22**
150	**2**	**Pre-Construction**	**594 days**	**Mon 4/1/24**
237	**2**	**Construction**	**279 days**	**Mon 9/8/25**
238	**3**	**Site Mobilization**	**4 days**	**Tue 12/2/25**
243	**3**	**Site Civil - Earth Work**	**202 days**	**Mon 9/8/25**
273	**3**	**Peaker Plant**	**157 days**	**Tue 2/17/26**
274	**4**	**Civil and Structural**	**76 days**	**Wed 2/25/26**
275	**5**	**Underground Work - Midway**	**59 days**	**Wed 2/25/26**
276	6	Raceway to GSU Tapline - Trenching	3 days	Wed 3/11/26
277	6	Underground Raceway to GSU Tapline - Installati	3 days	Wed 3/18/26
278	6	Remaining float until PG&E-required work impact	42 days	NA
279	6	Raceway to BESS Yard - Trenching	10 days	Wed 2/25/26
280	6	Underground Raceway to BESS Yard - Installation	5 days	Wed 3/11/26
281	6	Ground Grid Tie-in	1 day	Wed 3/18/26
282	**5**	**Equipment Foundation - Midway**	**17 days**	**Wed 2/25/26**
283	6	Metering Switchgear Platform Footer	7 days	Wed 2/25/26
284	6	Platform Installation	10 days	Fri 3/6/26
285	**5**	**Place & Set - Midway**	**2 days**	**Thu 3/26/26**
286	6	Install Metering Switchgear	2 days	Thu 3/26/26
287	**4**	**Thermal Units (Telemetry)**	**114 days**	**Tue 2/17/26**
288	5	Configuration and testing CAISO Rig	10 days	Tue 2/24/26
289	5	Reconfiguration of CAISO SCADA Rack (By MRP)	0 days	Tue 2/17/26
290	5	Comissioning CAISO Rig	10 days	Tue 3/10/26
291	5	Wiring Metering Switchgear	10 days	Mon 3/30/26
292	5	GSU Telemetry (POI)	5 days	Mon 4/13/26
293	5	Estimated switch over for new Battery Container & PCS equipment	5 days	Thu 9/10/26
294	**4**	**Electrical Installation - Midway**	**29 days**	**Mon 3/30/26**
295	5	Install BOP Equipment - Control House(Existing)	5 days	Mon 4/13/26
296	5	Install MV Equipment	5 days	Mon 3/30/26
297	5	Install Breaker	20 days	Mon 4/6/26
298	5	Pull Power Cables	7 days	Mon 3/30/26
299	5	Pull Communication	5 days	Mon 4/6/26
300	5	Terminate Power Cable	10 days	Wed 4/8/26
301	5	Terminate Communications Cable	10 days	Mon 4/20/26
302	5	QA/QC - Communication Cables	2 days	Mon 4/13/26
303	5	QA/QC - Meggering Power Cables	2 days	Wed 4/22/26
304	5	GSU Dress out (POI)	14 days	Mon 4/20/26
305	**3**	**BESS Yard**	**187 days**	**Mon 12/22/25**
380	**2**	**Startup and Commissioning - Project Closeout**	**115 days**	**Fri 7/17/26**
381	3	PG&E Point to Point Inspection Peaker Plant (PEI)	5 days	Wed 8/26/26
382	3	Fractal EMS Point to Point Testing - Midway (PEI)	5 days	Thu 9/10/26
383	3	Pre-Parallel Inspection	5 days	NA



ID	Outline Level	Task Name	Duration	Baseline2 Start
384	3	PTO Sync Approval Letter (Energization)	0 days	Wed 10/21/26
385	3	Peaker Plant Shut-Down Period - Midway	5 days	NA
386	3	Cold Commissioning - Battery/PCS	36 days	Fri 7/17/26
387	3	Cold Commissioning - Transformer	9 days	Wed 7/22/26
388	3	Hot Commissioning - Switchgear and Balance of Plant (Right after Energization)	5 days	Thu 10/22/26
389	3	CAISO Synchronization Approval	10 days	NA
390	3	Hot Commissioning - Battery/PCS	16 days	Thu 10/22/26
391	3	Hot Commissioning - Transformers	10 days	Thu 10/22/26
392	3	Hot Commissioning - EMS	23 days	Thu 10/22/26
393	3	Hot Commissioning Complete	0 days	Wed 11/18/26
394	**3**	**Site Performance Testing**	**3 days**	**Thu 11/19/26**
395	4	Discharge Capacity Test	1 day	NA
396	4	Charge Capacity Test	1 day	NA
397	4	Reactive Power Test	1 day	NA
398	4	Data Resolution Test	1 day	NA
399	4	AGC Test	2 days	NA
400	3	**Substantial Completion**	**0 days**	Wed 11/18/26
401	3	PG&E Final Witness Testing - Midway	3 days	NA
402	3	PG&E 72-Hour Telemetry Check - Midway	3 days	NA
403	3	As-builts	10 days	Mon 12/7/26
404	3	O&M Manuals	5 days	Mon 12/21/26
405	3	Training	5 days	Wed 1/13/27
406	3	Final acceptance	0 days	Wed 1/20/27



Appendix B2

Biological Monitoring Reports and Biological Resource Monthly Monitoring Summary for March 2026 (BIO-2, BIO-6, BIO-8, and BIO-9)

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April 14, 2026
Project No: 25-18267

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Subject: Biological Resources Mitigation Implementation and Monitoring Plan (BRMIMP) Monthly Compliance Monitoring Summary for the Midway BESS Interconnection Project within APN 027-060-91S (Docket No. 06-AFC-10C and Post Certification Amendments) Unincorporated Fresno County, California

The following is a summary of the biological monitoring activities conducted by the Designated Biologist(s) and Approved Biological Monitor(s) for activities between March 1, 2026, and March 31, 2026. Should you have any questions regarding the information contained in this summary, please contact Rincon's project manager, Ryan Wardle, at (775) 636-4066 or rwardle@rinconconsultants.com.

Total Daily Monitoring Logs: 13

Non-compliance Events: 0

Preconstruction Survey:

A biological preconstruction survey was conducted on February 26, 2026, in advance of the start of construction. A summary of survey methodology and results is included in Attachment 1.

Monitoring Activity Occurring this Month:

The Designated Biologists and Biological Monitors (biologists) conducted full-time biological monitoring during all ground disturbance, as well as conducted morning and evening checks of all open excavations per Conditions of Certification (COCs) BIO-2, BIO-8, and BIO-9 as well as the monitoring requirements outlined within the BRMIMP (BIO-6). The biologists surveyed the entire project site (Figure 1) and a 200-foot buffer for sensitive biological resources focusing on the active work area, laydown area, and staged equipment. The biologists also surveyed for active or potentially suitable burrows and sign of potential special status species within the project area and buffer. All open trenches or excavations were ensured to be fully covered or have wildlife escape ramps installed to prevent wildlife entrapment at the end of work each day. Open excavations 24-inches and less did not have temporary fencing installed given low risk of wildlife entrapment, consistent with guidance in "Standardized Recommendations for Protection of SJKF Prior to or During Ground Disturbance" (USFWS 1999).

Construction activities were not completed during March 2026 and will continue into April 2026.

Biological Monitoring results are summarized in Table 1. Daily Monitoring logs are included in Attachment 2.

Work occurring this month included:

- Hydrovac and potholing activities
- Trenching and excavation for gen-tie installation
- Installation of concrete runs
- Gravel removal, placement, backfill, and compaction

- Staging and installation of gen-tie casing

Biological resources observed and related mitigation measures implemented this month included:

- A potential house finch (*Haemorrhous mexicanus*; HOFI) nest was identified on March 9, 2026, during pre-construction surveys, and a temporary avoidance buffer was established. Subsequent assessment on March 10, 2026, by designated biologist determined that no active nesting behavior was present and the buffer was removed.
- Common raven (*Corvus corax; CORA*) nesting activity was observed on a utility pole near the project area. Early in the month, individuals were observed carrying nesting material to a historical nest, indicating nest building behavior. By March 24, 2026, the nest was confirmed active and in the incubation stage, and was monitored throughout the remainder of the month. The nest was located at a sufficient height and distance from active work areas such that no avoidance buffer was required, and no impacts were anticipated. CORA adults were observed to have behavioral tolerance to work on the gen-tie with no observation of a change in behavior or delay in nesting activity related to the work.
- Additional observations included nesting attempts by HOFI within equipment, which were determined to be inactive (no eggs present) and nesting material was removed to deter nest building within equipment.
- No special-status species were observed during monitoring activities.
- No impacts to biological resources occurred during this month and no compliance issues were observed.

Table 1 Biological Monitoring Results

Date	Monitor	Violation	Location	Activities Monitored
March 9, 2026	Grace Myers	No	Midway Peaker Plant	Surveyed work area, 200-ft buffer, and laydown yard. No work occurred.
March 10, 2026	Ryan Wardle	No	Midway Peaker Plant	Surveyed work area, 200-ft buffer, and laydown yard. Gravel removal work.
March 11, 2026	Melanie Jensen	No	Midway Peaker Plant	Surveyed work area, 200-ft buffer, and laydown yard. Hydrovac and potholing activities
March 12, 2026	Emma Kirschten	No	Midway Peaker Plant	Surveyed work area, 200-ft buffer, and laydown yard. Hydrovac and potholing activities
March 13, 2026	Emma Kirschten	No	Midway Peaker Plant	Surveyed work area, 200-ft buffer, and laydown yard. Hydrovac and potholing activities
March 16, 2026	Emma Kirschten	No	Midway Peaker Plant	Surveyed work area, 200-ft buffer, and laydown yard. Hydrovac and potholing activities
March 17, 2026	Emma Kirschten	No	Midway Peaker Plant	Surveyed work area, 200-ft buffer, and laydown yard. No work occurred.
March 18, 2026	Emma Kirschten	No	Midway Peaker Plant	Surveyed work area, 200-ft buffer, and laydown yard. Excavating and gravel placement.

Date	Monitor	Violation	Location	Activities Monitored
March 19, 2026	Emma Kirschten	No	Midway Peaker Plant	Surveyed work area, 200-ft buffer, and laydown yard. Excavating, concrete runs installation, and backfill.
March 23, 2026	Emma Kirschten	No	Midway Peaker Plant	Surveyed work area, 200-ft buffer, and laydown yard. Excavating and concrete runs installation.
March 24, 2026	Cynthia Martinson	No	Midway Peaker Plant	Surveyed work area, 200-ft buffer, and laydown yard. Excavating and gravel placement.
March 25, 2026	Melanie Jensen	No	Midway Peaker Plant	Surveyed work area, 200-ft buffer, and laydown yard. Excavating, gravel placement, and staging.
March 26, 2026	Grace Myers	No	Midway Peaker Plant	Surveyed work area, 200-ft buffer, and laydown yard. Excavating, concrete runs installation, and backfill.

Attachments and Figures

Figure 1 Interconnection Work Area

Attachment 1 Biological Preconstruction Survey

Attachment 2 Daily Biological Monitoring Logs

Figure 1 Interconnection Work Area

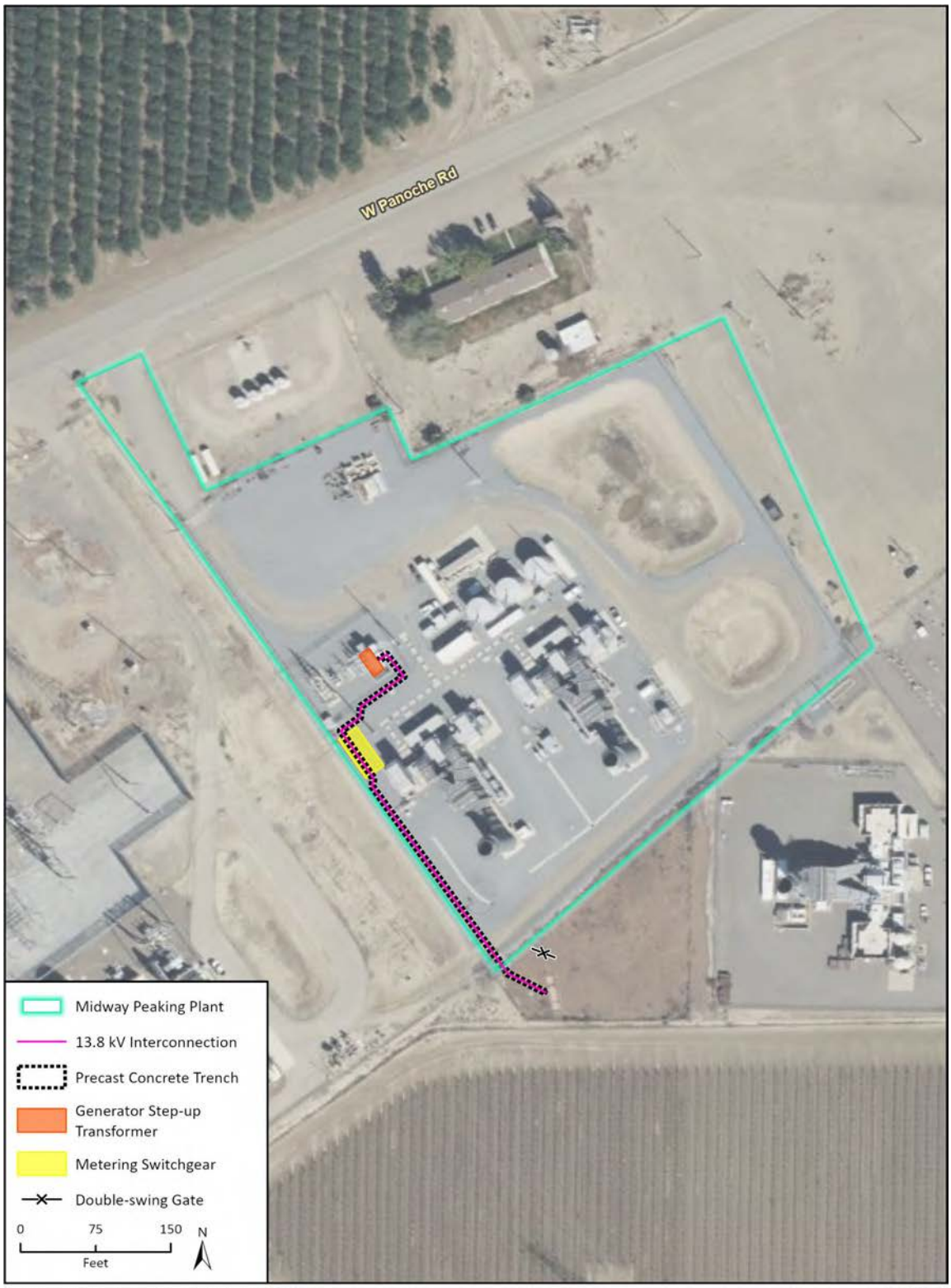

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Figure X Midway BESS 13.8 kV Interconnection Project

Attachment 1

Biological Preconstruction Survey

April 13, 2026
Project No: 25-18267

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Subject: Preconstruction Biological Survey Report, Midway BESS Interconnection Project, 43627 West Panoche Road, Firebaugh, California 93622

Dear Ms. Eddy,

This memorandum documents the results of the biological pre-construction survey completed for Midway BESS LLC's Midway Battery Energy Storage System (BESS) Interconnection Project (Project). No special status species, active special-status species nests, or other sensitive biological resources were observed within the Project site during this survey. Survey background, methodology, and results are discussed below. The pre-construction survey log is included as Attachment 1.

Background

This survey was conducted pursuant to the Conditions of Certification (CoC) issued by the California Energy Commission (CEC) as part of licensing and subsequent amendments (Docket No. 06-AFC-10 and Post-Certification Amendments). CEC COC BIO-6 requires the preparation of a Biological Resources Mitigation Implementation and Monitoring Plan (BRMIMP) and compliance with all approved measures within the BRMIMP. BRMIMP Section 6.1 states:

Pre-construction surveys for special status species (e.g., state and federal protected species, nesting passerines, and raptors) and their habitats will be conducted no less than 14 days, and no more than 30 days prior to commencement of surface-disturbing activities; during construction, operation and maintenance of the Project. Pre-construction surveys will include the following areas:

- *Project site;*
- *Laydown and employee parking areas; and*
- *Other areas subject to physical ground disturbance, to the maximum extent practical.*

Pre-construction survey results will be included in the Monthly Biological Monitoring Report that will be sent to the CEC. A summary of these reports will also be included in the Post-construction Compliance Report. The pre-construction survey report will include descriptions of the following:

- *Survey methods;*
- *Flagging and signage of Project site, construction area, and roads;*
- *Flagging of avoidance areas;*
- *Sensitive biological resources observed; and*
- *Impact avoidance measures implemented.*

This pre-construction survey report is intended to comply with the BRMIMP preconstruction survey and reporting conditions.

Survey Methodology

The pre-construction pedestrian survey was conducted throughout the Project footprint plus a 200-foot buffer (survey area) as safety and access permitted. The biologist utilized a high-quality pair of binoculars and spotting scope to survey for special status wildlife species, active nests, and other sensitive biological resources. The survey was focused on potential special status wildlife species, their nests, burrows, or other sign, along with active nests and any other sensitive biological resources. Special status species included San Joaquin kit fox (*Vulpes macrotis mutica*), burrowing owl (*Athene cunicularia*), and Swainson's hawk (*Buteo swainsoni;* SWHA).

The survey was conducted by Rincon Biologist. Cynthia Martinson, a CEC approved Designated Biologist, on February 26, 2026, starting at 0900 and completing at 1100. Weather conditions are outlined in Table 1 below.

Table 2 Weather Conditions

Time	Weather Conditions
0900	64 F, WS: 2 MPH, 20% cloud cover, partly cloudy, no precipitation, good visibility
1100	68 F, WS: 3 MPH, 20% cloud cover, partly cloudy, no precipitation, good visibility

Survey Results

No special status wildlife species, their nests, burrows, or signs of the species were observed within the survey area. There is a small amount of low-quality foraging habitat for Swainson's hawk present in the bare soil and ruderal vegetation areas surrounding the project site within the buffer but given the level of disturbance from the surrounding Peaker plants, and agricultural activity, Swainson's hawk foraging is not expected. Suitable nest sites exist in the transmission towers, plant facilities, and other infrastructure, though no SWHA nests were observed.

There was no suitable nesting or denning habitat for burrowing owl or San Joaquin kit fox as no burrows of suitable size were present within the survey area. There were no burrowing mammals such as California ground squirrel (*Ottospermophilus beeyechi*) present within the survey area, and no indication of burrowing activity by kit fox. It is possible that either species may transiently enter the site or excavate a burrow, but this is not anticipated given the developed nature of the work area and surrounding level of disturbance. Very small amounts of foraging habitat were present in ruderal vegetation patches surrounding the facility, but of such small size as to be negligible for foraging for either species. It is not expected that any special status wildlife species will be present within the survey area during construction.

One active raptor nest, belonging to a pair of red-tailed hawks (*Buteo jamaicensis*), was observed on a transmission tower with a nesting pair of red-tailed hawks perched above. The nest was located approximately 0.45 miles southwest of the Substation along Panoche Road and outside of the survey area, however adults associated with this nest were observed soaring over the project site. No other active nests (raptor or passerine) were observed within the survey area. Additionally, no sign of nesting behavior such as carrying of nest material, food carries to nestlings, or copulations were observed.

A previously active common raven (*Corvus corax*) nest was present within the survey area in an electrical pole to the west of the retention pond work area, though it was not active during the pre-construction survey.

No sensitive biological resource areas were identified, and therefore, no avoidance areas were established within the survey area.

Other species were observed during this survey and are documented in Table 2, below.

Table 3 Species Compendium

Scientific Name	Common Name
Buteo jamaicensis	red-tailed hawk
Corvus brachyrhynchos	America crow
Corvus corax	common raven
Haemorrhous mexicanus	house finch
Mimus polyglottos	northern mockingbird
Streptopelia decaocto	Eurasian collared dove
Sturnus vulgaris	European starling
Zenaida macroura	mourning dove

Please contact Rincon Consultants, Inc. with any questions about this notification or other matters related to our services for this Project.

Sincerely,
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Designated Biologist/Project Manager

Ashley Quackenbush
Senior Environmental Planner/Project Manager

Christopher Julian
Principal Regulatory Specialist

Attachments

Attachment A Survey Log

Attachment A

Project Name: Midway BESS Interconnection Project	**Location:** Firebaugh	
Monitor(s): Cynthia Martinson	**Date:** February 27, 2026	
Start Time: 09:00	**Stop Time:** 11:00	**Total Hours Worked:** 2.00
Temp (F): 64/68 **Start / Stop**	**Cloud Cover (%):** 20/20 **Start / Stop**	**Wind (mph):** 2/3 **Start / Stop**

Environmental Education Provided: ☑ No ☐ Yes
Summary of Day's Activities and Progress of Work Completed To Date: General biological pre-activity survey.
Upcoming Planned Construction Activities' Forecast: Gen-tie installation.
Important Communications:
Critical Action Items To Follow Up On: Some pipe/support coverings have come off and need to be reattached.
Compliance Measures:
Special-Status Species Observations: None
Nesting Bird Observations: Nesting pair of red-tailed hawk (*Buteo jamaicensis*; RTHA) observed with nesting material and sitting on nest – location outside of project area (approx. 0.45 mile southwest of Substation along Panoche Road). Historic corvid nest is still present within the Peaker plant with no evidence of current occupation. Work scope is unlikely to cause adverse effects on the nest. Previously noted Swainson's hawk (*Buteo swainsoni*; SWHA) nest is still present in the desiccated orchard in the 0.5-mi buffer north of work area; no nesting activity was observed in the vicinity and no SWHA were observed.
Wildlife Observations: Common raven, European starling, house finch, Eurasian-collared dove, red-tailed hawk, American crow, mourning dove, and northern mockingbird
Wildlife Relocations: None
Additional Pertinent Notes: No new special status species or sensitive resources, including burrows over 3" in diameter or nesting birds were observed.
Daily Activities in Time – Activity Format:
08:55 – Biologist observed RTHA pair sitting on nest in transmission tower along Panoche Road (flushed upon approach).
09:00 – Biologist signed in at main office.
09:10 - Biologist began surveying the Peaker plant and gen-tie work area.
09:50 - Biologist completed survey of the Peaker plant and gen-tie work area and mobilized to assess status of previously noted stick nests.
10:45 – Biologist observed the same RTHA pair sitting on the transmission tower with a stick nest along Panoche road.
11:00 - Biologist demobilized.

Overview of laydown area

Overview of origin point for gen-tie

Gen-tie tie-in location

Overview of gen-tie excavation route

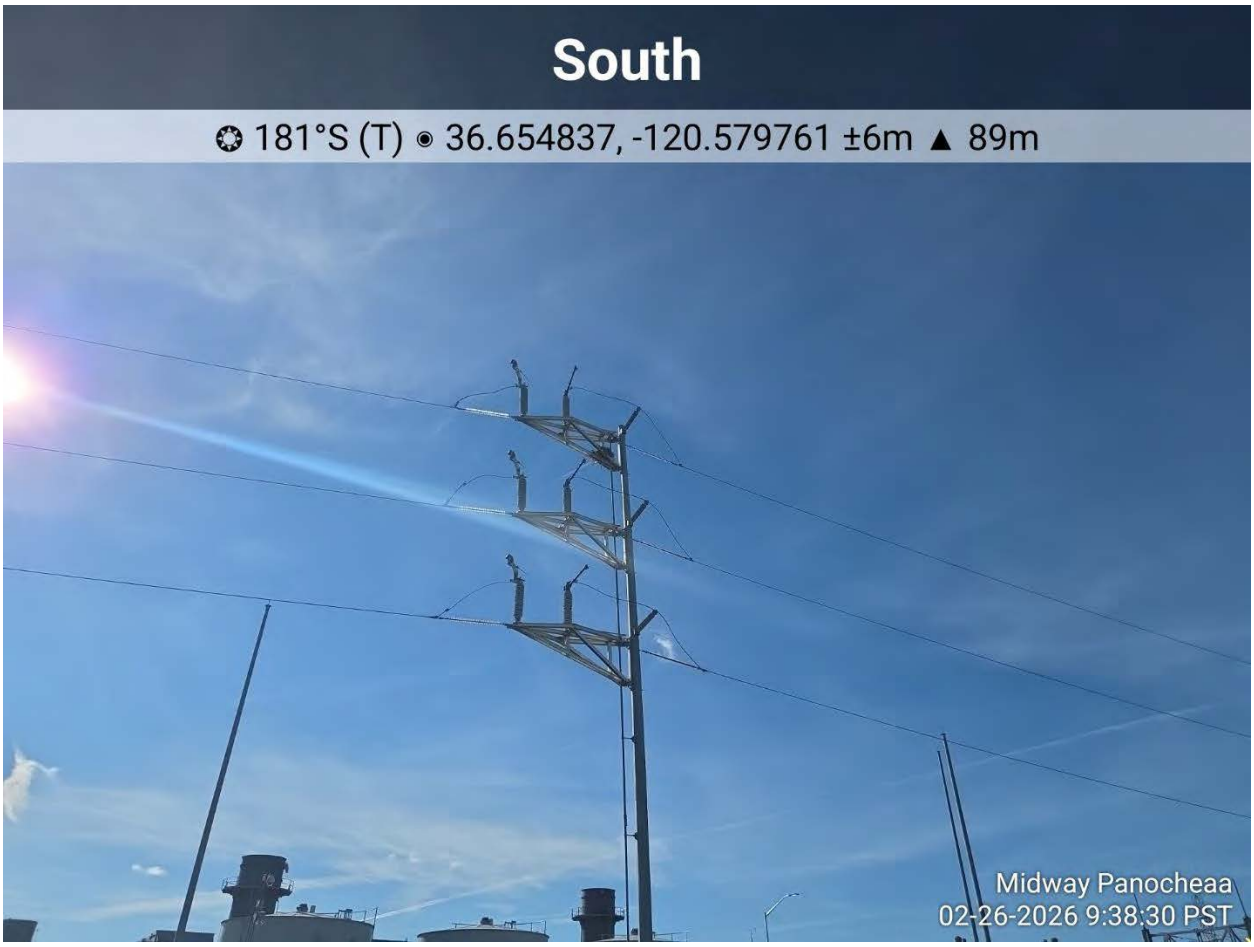
Partially uncovered pipe supports

View of laydown area

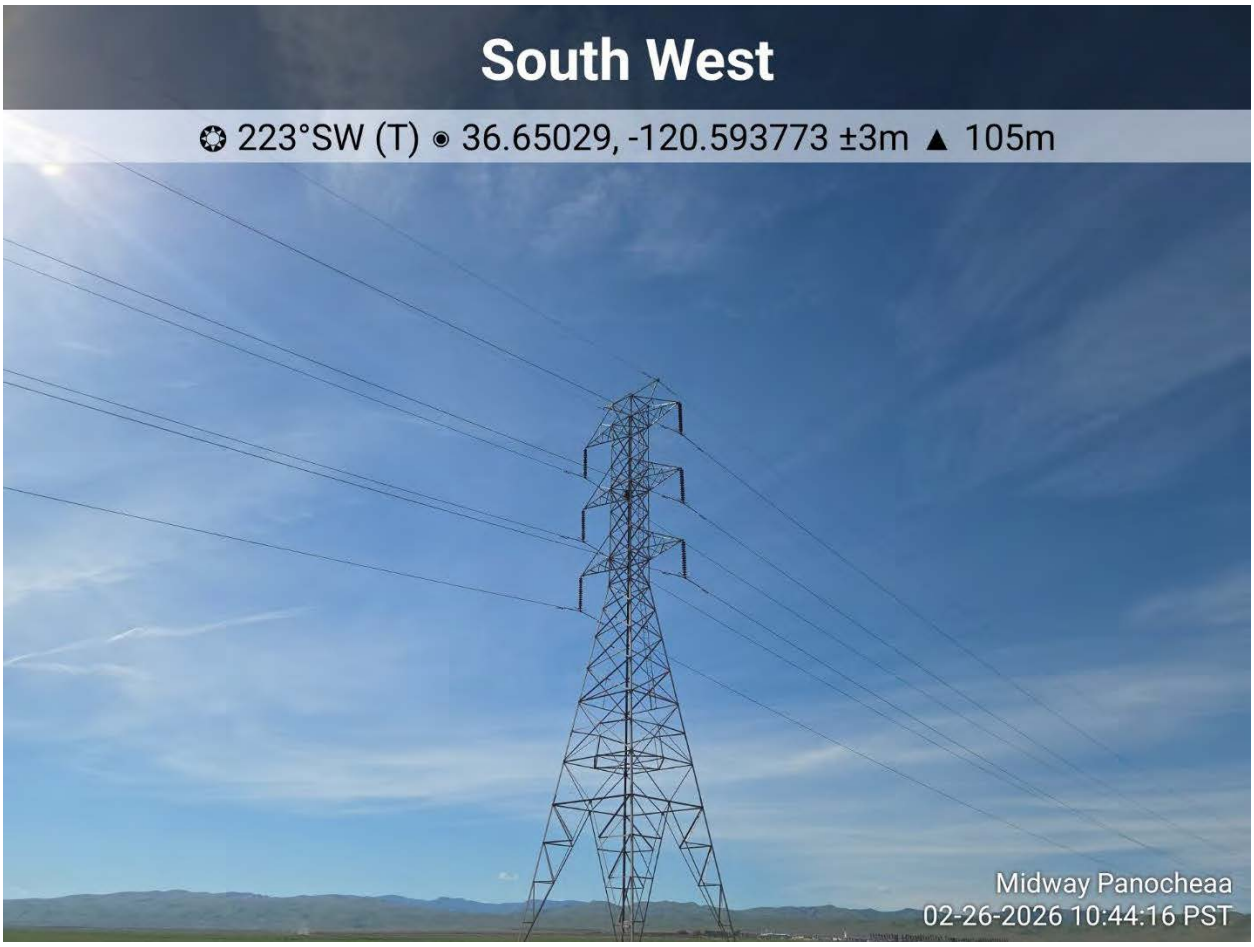
Trays to be installed in the excavation

No sensitive biological resources were observed.

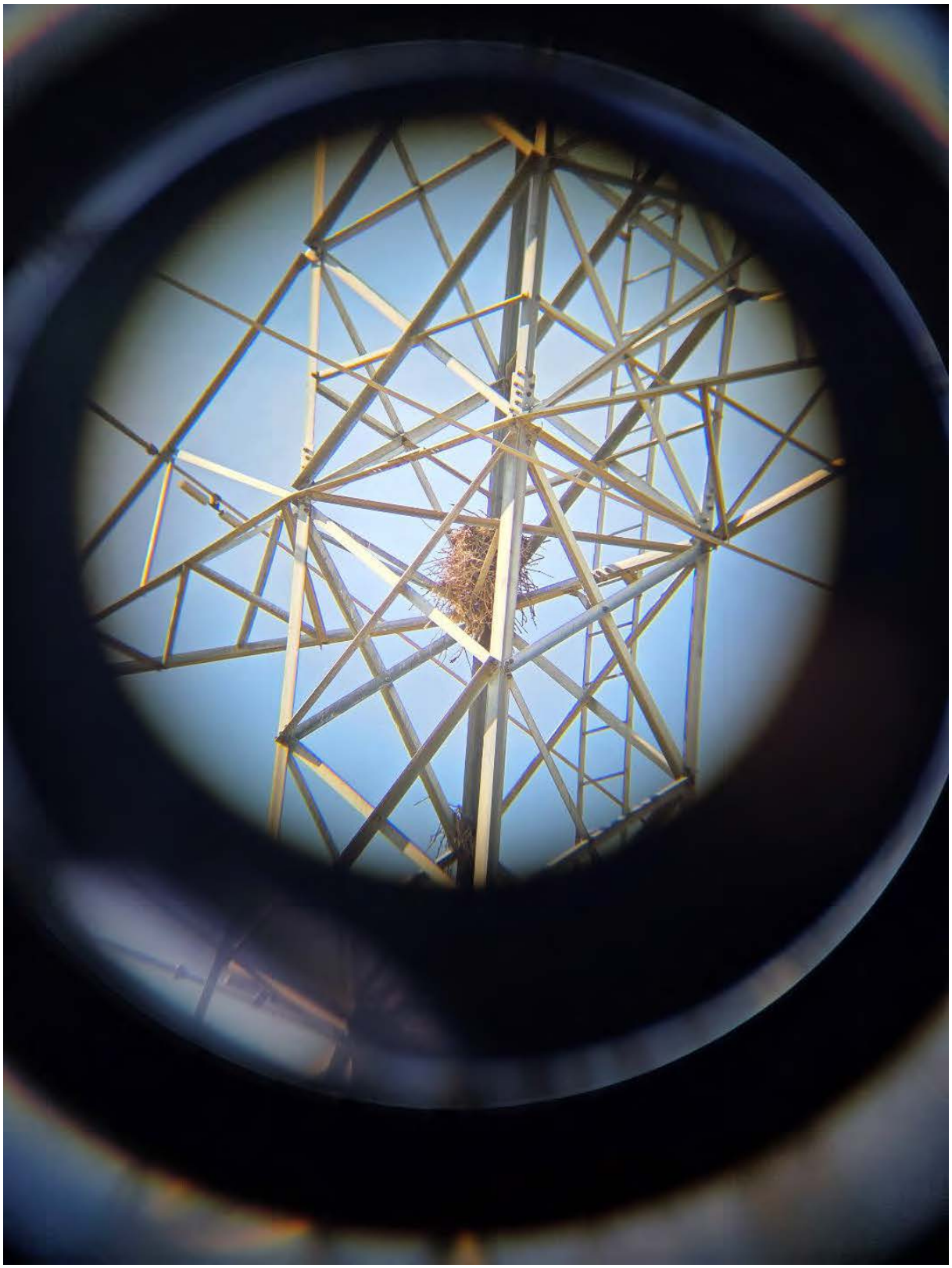
View of fenceline



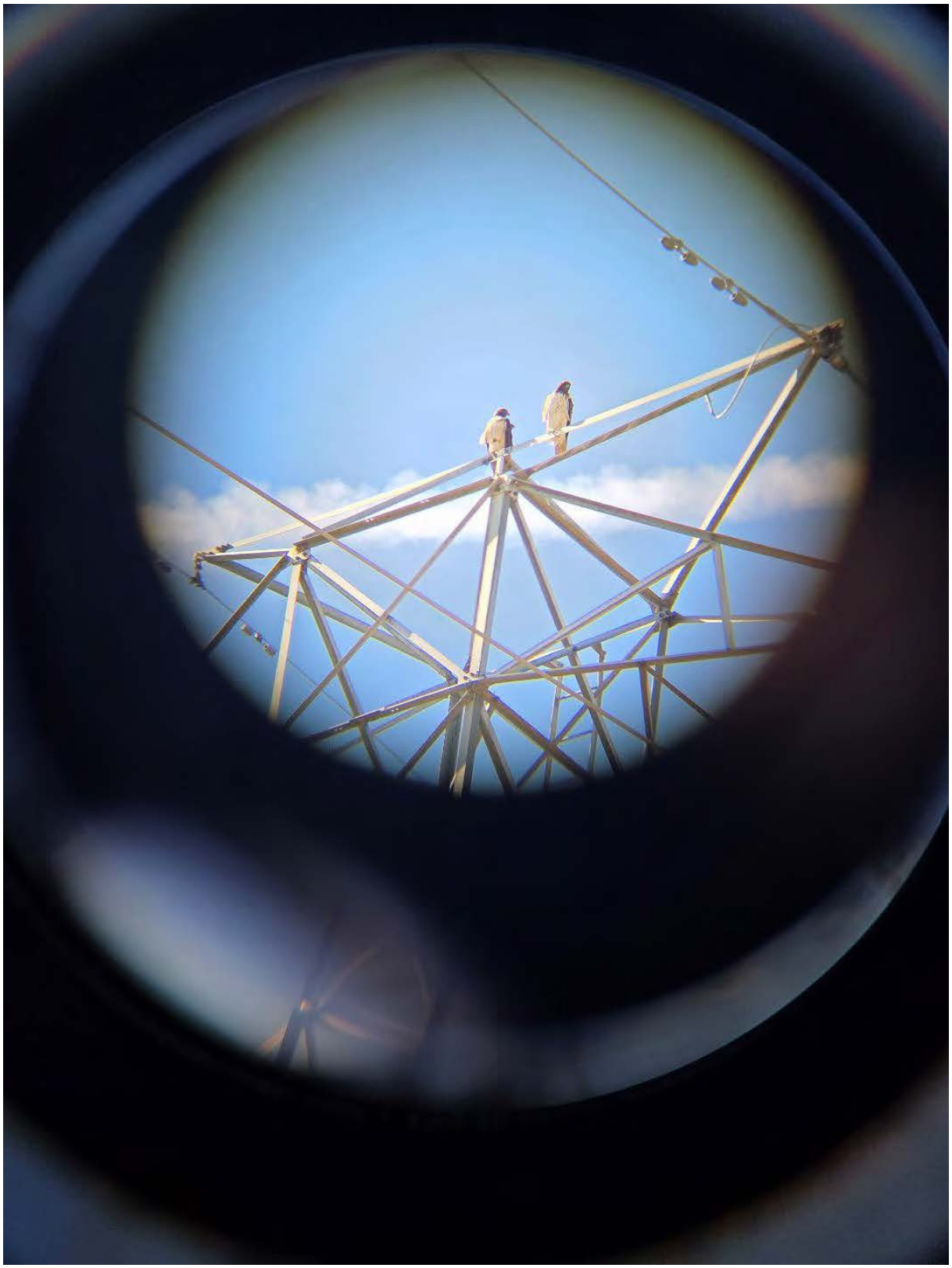
Overview of unoccupied historic corvid stick nest.



Overview of RTHA nest location



Red-tailed hawk stick nest



Nesting pair of red-tailed hawks

Attachment 2

Daily Monitoring Logs

Daily Monitoring Report

Project Name: Midway BESS Interconnection Project	**Location:** Midway Peaker Plant	
Monitor(s): Grace Myers	**Date:** March 9, 2026	
Start Time: 06:40	**Stop Time:** 10:40	**Total Hours Worked:** 4
Temp (F): 50/62 **Start / Stop**	**Cloud Cover (%):** 5/0 **Start / Stop**	**Wind (mph):** 5/2 **Start / Stop**

Environmental Education Provided: ☑ No ☐ Yes

Summary of Day's Activities and Progress of Work Completed To Date: Work was rescheduled to start on 3/10/26.

Upcoming Planned Construction Activities' Forecast: Gravel moving, fence removal, hydrovac

Important Communications: Concerns were communicated to the Project Manager and client regarding the established active nest buffer during project activities, by biological monitors on-site.

Critical Action Items To Follow Up On: Nest buffer status and behavior was communicated to project Designated Biologist, Ryan Wardle, and recommended additional follow-up.

Compliance Measures: No work buffer was put in place surrounding potentially active house finch (*Haemorrhous mexicanus*; HOFI) nest.

Special-Status Species Observations: N/A

Nesting Bird Observations: House finch

Wildlife Observations: Common raven, house finch, European starling, mourning dove, red-winged blackbird, black phoebe

Wildlife Relocations: N/A

Additional Pertinent Notes: N/A

Daily Activities in Time – Activity Format:

06:40 - Biological monitor arrived on site and completed a pre-construction walk with John Clingenpeel (plant manager) and biological sweep of the area, where work would occur.

07:00 - Paleo and cultural monitors arrived on site. Crew was still not present so biological monitor went back to set up nest buffer around HOFI nests and monitor for nesting activity. One HOFI individual was observed carrying nesting material into the nesting area with the substation.

07:40 - Monitoring staff was told they needed FR clothing. Biological monitor contacted the Project Manager to discuss further steps.

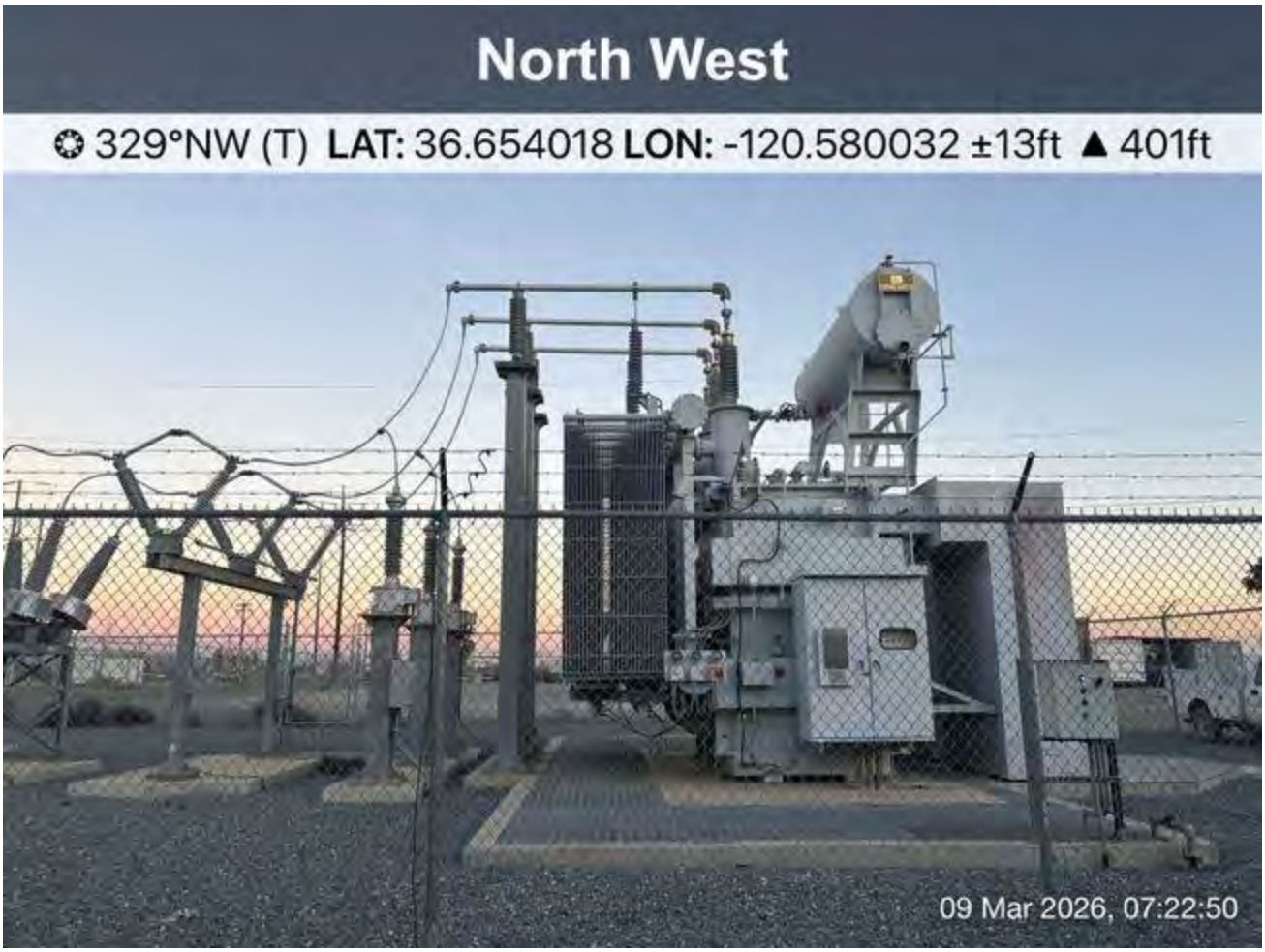
08:00 - Monitoring staff was made aware that crew would not be working today. Monitors instead attended RavenVolt and Power Plant safety presentation.

09:00 - Biological monitor showed RavenVolt staff the nest buffer area.

10:00 - Per RavenVolts request, the biological monitor identified the species that inhabited the nest on the eastern side of the site. Biologist then observed the nest for 10-15 minutes.

10:20 - Biological monitor observed the HOFI nests. Two more individuals were seen carrying nesting material into the area. Nest buffer status and behavior was communicated to project Designated Biologist, Ryan Wardle, and recommended additional follow-up.

10:40 - No work occurred and the buffer was maintained adequately in place. Biological monitor left the site. No compliance concerns observed.



Transformer in center of photo is where potential nests are located.

View of transformer (nesting area) with nest buffer (cones) in place.

Daily Monitoring Report

Project Name: Midway BESS Interconnection Project	**Location:** Midway Peaker Plant	
Monitor(s): Ryan Wardle	**Date:** March 10, 2026	
Start Time: 07:00	**Stop Time:** 17:00	**Total Hours Worked:** 10
Temp (F): 53/72 **Start / Stop**	**Cloud Cover (%):** 0/0 **Start / Stop**	**Wind (mph):** 2/5 **Start / Stop**

Environmental Education Provided: ☐ No ☑ Yes

Summary of Day's Activities and Progress of Work Completed To Date: RavenVolt crews removed rock base from trenchline path within substation and outside substation in midway peaker plant.

Upcoming Planned Construction Activities' Forecast: Gravel moving, fence removal, hydrovac

Important Communications: Biologist communicated to MRP and Ravenvolt personnel that house finch (*Haemorrhous mexicanus*; HOFI) nest within substation equipment was not confirmed as active as no direct observation of active nest behaviors were observed and the buffer was being removed. Crews indicated safety concerns for using pole mounted cameras or other equipment to try and inspect nests.

Critical Action Items To Follow Up On: Monitors are to wear FR clothing moving forward.

Compliance Measures: Biological monitoring was present during work activities including a nesting bird survey of the work area. No trenches or holes were left open at the end of day so no wildlife entrapment concerns were present.

Special-Status Species Observations: N/A

Nesting Bird Observations: None.

Wildlife Observations: common raven, black phoebe, killdeer, house finch, white-crowned sparrow, American kestrel, cotton tail rabbit, Eurasian-collared dove, northern mockingbird, red-tailed hawk.

Wildlife Relocations: N/A

Additional Pertinent Notes: N/A

Daily Activities in Time – Activity Format:

0700 - Rincon biologist Ryan Wardle arrived on site at Midway Peaking plant office. Biologist attended the crew's daily tailboard meeting with MRP construction manager, Steve Cunningham, plant manager, John Clingenpeel, and Ravenvolt foreman Nathan. Cultural and Paleo monitors were also present. All crew members had received applicable WEAP training prior to commencing work on site. During the tailboard meeting, the biologist provided additional WEAP reminders and discussed potential HOFI nest in GSU observed day before.

0715 - The biologist and crew inspected the GSU and previously identified potential HOFI nest. Direct inspection using pole-mounted cameras was not feasible due to arc-flash risk and safety constraints associated with energized equipment. The potential nest was located on the opposite side of a large equipment block, within a noisy and disturbed area, and visually shielded from the active work area. Multiple old or partial nests were observed; however, no nest construction, incubation, or other active nesting behaviors were detected. As no active nest could be confirmed, the biologist authorized crews to proceed with rock removal using shovels and handheld tools. The biologist recommended reassessment during the scheduled outage the following week, when nests could be safely inspected and any inactive nests removed, and planned continued observation from a safe distance.

1015 - The biologist returned to the substation and surveyed potential HOFI nests within the heat sinks. Approximately 10 nests of varying age and condition were observed within two heat shields; however, due to limited visibility, nest density, and species-specific nesting behavior, no active nesting (construction, incubation, or confirmed feeding) could be verified. The observed nests are considered potential and may represent multiple years of prior use. Direct inspection using pole-mounted cameras was not feasible due to arc-flash risk while equipment remained

energized. Crew reported a planned system outage scheduled for the following week, during which time the biologist recommended safe inspection of all nests and removal of any confirmed inactive nests to deter future nesting. Heat shields were located approximately 25-35 feet from active work areas and were visually screened by equipment; a safety-driven exclusion zone of approximately 15 feet from the heat sinks was already in place. Given the absence of confirmed active nests, physical separation from work activities, and safety-based buffers, the biologist did not recommend establishment of additional nesting buffers at this time but advised reassessment during the scheduled outage.

1030 - An American crow pair was observed at a nest on a transmission pole near the retention pond. One adult was present in the nest while the other perched nearby. Sustained incubation was not observed, and nest status could not be confirmed due to height limitations; however, behavior suggested the nest may become active in the near future.

1300 - Biologist noted pair of killdeer in the gravel road around detention pond, may be worth following up for potential nests, but none currently present given lack of broken-wing display or other agitation while searching area.

1345 - Biologist removed buffer around potential HOFI nest in substation and relayed removal of buffer and inactive status to Steve Cunningham.

1700 - Biologist confirmed work was over for day. Crews demobilized from site, biologist and monitors demobilized from site. No compliance concerns observed.

Photo 1: Heat sinks in substation where potential HOFI nests were located.

Photo 2: View of substation with installed safety buffer (red tape) and crews working to remove rock base.

Photo 3: View of substation with rock removed.

Daily Monitoring Report

Project Name: Midway BESS Interconnection Project	**Location:** Midway Peaker Plant	
Monitor(s): Melanie Jensen	**Date:** March 11, 2026	
Start Time: 06:45	**Stop Time:** 16:30	**Total Hours Worked:** 9.75
Temp (F): 50/74 **Start / Stop**	**Cloud Cover (%):** 10/0 **Start / Stop**	**Wind (mph):** 1/4 **Start / Stop**

Environmental Education Provided: ☐ No ☑ Yes

Summary of Day's Activities and Progress of Work Completed To Date: Hydrovac work activities

Upcoming Planned Construction Activities' Forecast: Hydrovac and trenching work activities to continue for remainder of week.

Important Communications: potential common raven nest in pole details (in report) was conveyed to Steve C. (MRP).

Critical Action Items To Follow Up On: N/A

Compliance Measures: N/A

Special-Status Species Observations: N/A

Nesting Bird Observations: American crow observed carrying nesting material to historical stick nest in electrical pole on-site. Biologist unable to deem nest active as no nesting behavior observed and pole being too tall. No buffer established as pole taller than buffer limit and located at a far enough distance from gen-tie work area that no impacts are anticipated.

Wildlife Observations: house finch, house sparrow, American crow, killdeer, European starling, Eurasian collared dove, mourning dove, black phoebe, common raven.

Wildlife Relocations:

Additional Pertinent Notes: One hydrovac crew worker received WEAP presentation (video) in office prior to commencement of work activities. Confirmation of training documented through virtual sign in sheet.

Daily Activities in Time – Activity Format: N/A

06:45 - Biologist arrived on site and immediately noticed common raven carrying nesting material to historic stick nest in electrical pole on site. More information in report under nesting bird information.

07:00 - Biologist attended the daily tailboard and safety meeting. Biologist conducted pre-construction sweep for biological resources, no special status observed. One hydrovac crew member received WEAP presentation (video) in office prior to work commencing. During the tailboard meeting, the biologist provided additional WEAP reminders for crew.

09:15 - Hydrovac truck arrived on site for work activities.

09:30 - Hydrovac work activities occurred, including hydrovac truck and handheld tools to shovel gravel to the side.

11:00 - Biologist conducted sweep of project site for biological resources, no special status species observed.

12:30 - Hydrovac work activities continued.

15:45 - Hydrovac work activities continued.

16:30 - Work concluded, biologist conducted end of day sweep for biological resources, no special status species observed. Adequate ramp in trench and no compliance concerns observed. Crew and biologist demobilized off site.

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Biologist conducted pre-construction sweep of work area for biological resources, no special status observed

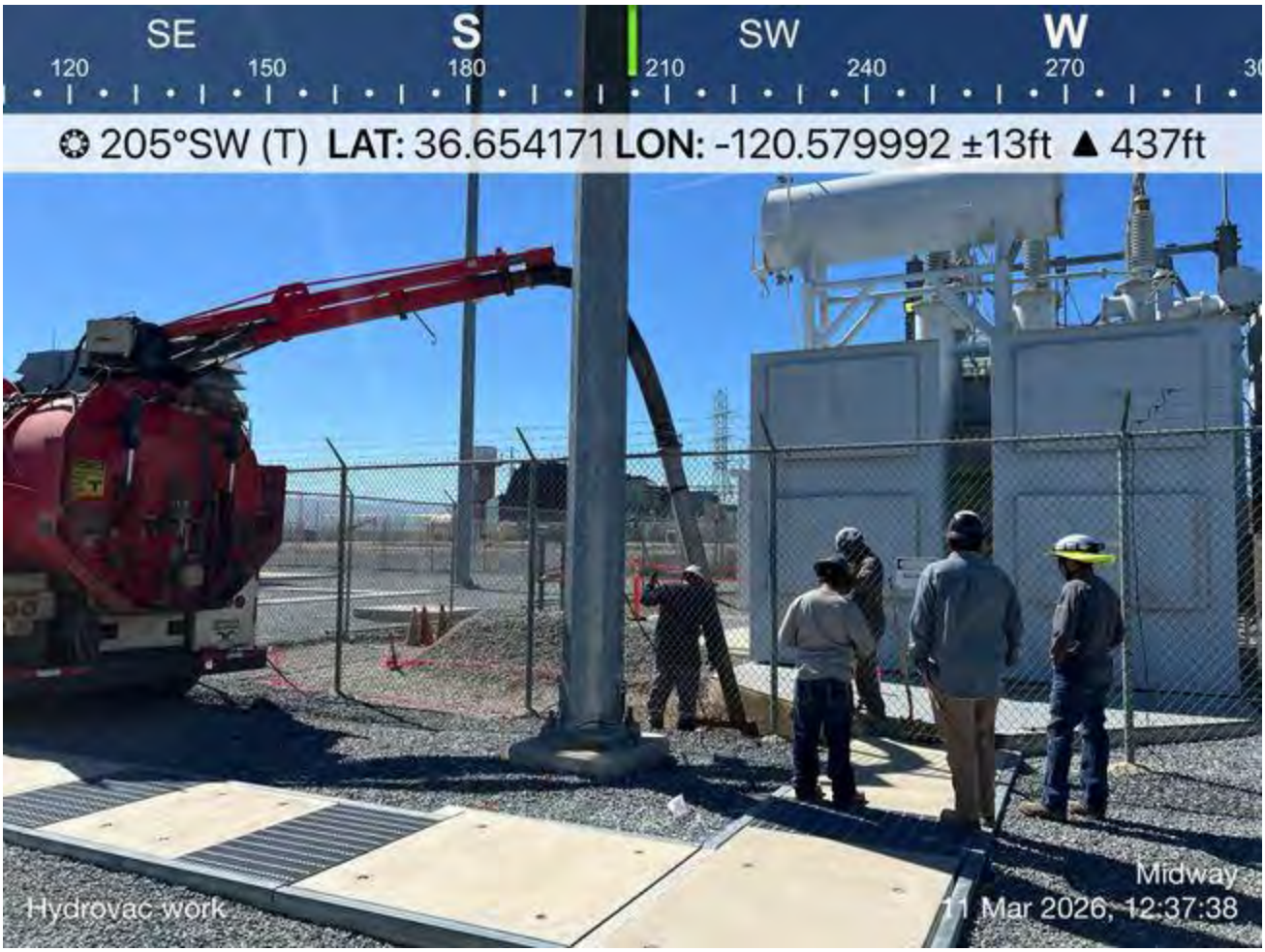
Daily Monitoring Report

Biologist conducted pre-construction sweep of project site for biological resources, no special status observed. Common raven observed carrying nesting bird material to electrical pole (red circle).

Common raven stick nest observed in electrical pole.

Hydrovac truck arriving on site.

Hydrovac work activities, including hydrovac truck and handheld tools to shovel gravel to the side.



Hydrovac work activities continued.

Hydrovac work activities continued.

Adequate ramp in trench.

Daily Monitoring Report

Project Name: Midway BESS Interconnection Project	**Location:** Chaney Ranch	
Monitor(s): Emma Kirschten	**Date:** March 12, 2026	
Start Time: 06:55	**Stop Time:** 17:00	**Total Hours Worked:** 10.08
Temp (F): 53/74 **Start / Stop**	**Cloud Cover (%):** 40/20 **Start / Stop**	**Wind (mph):** 4/4 **Start / Stop**

Environmental Education Provided: ☑ No ☐ Yes

Summary of Day's Activities and Progress of Work Completed To Date: Hydrovac work and materials delivered in Midway Peaker Plant

Upcoming Planned Construction Activities' Forecast: continued Hydrovac work activities.

Important Communications: N/A

Critical Action Items To Follow Up On: N/A

Compliance Measures: earthen escape ramp installed in trench.

Special-Status Species Observations: N/A

Nesting Bird Observations: Common raven bringing nesting material to a previously mapped nest in a utility pole

Wildlife Observations: Common raven

Wildlife Relocations: N/A

Additional Pertinent Notes: N/A

Daily Activities in Time – Activity Format:

06:55 - Biologist arrived onsite and attended the morning tailboard and safety meeting.

07:25 - Morning tailboard completed. Biologist conducted the morning sweep of biological resources of the site, looking for any sensitive resources. None observed.

08:00 - Biologist began monitoring Hydrovac activities.

17:00 - Hydrovac work concluded for the day and biologist completed a final sweep of the site, and confirmed there was a wildlife escape ramp installed in the open trench. Biologist and crews demobilized from the site. No compliance concerns observed.

Daily Monitoring Report

Morning check of trench with earthen wildlife ramp

Daily Monitoring Report

Hydrovac works begins

Daily Monitoring Report

Continued hydrovac work

Delivery of materials in peaker plant

Excavation at end of day with adequate wildlife ramp

Daily Monitoring Report

Project Name: Midway BESS Interconnection Project	**Location:** Chaney Ranch	
Monitor(s): Emma Kirschten	**Date:** March 13, 2026	
Start Time: 06:45	**Stop Time:** 15:30	**Total Hours Worked:** 8.45
Temp (F): 53/77 **Start / Stop**	**Cloud Cover (%):** 30/50 **Start / Stop**	**Wind (mph):** 4/5 **Start / Stop**

Environmental Education Provided: ☑ No ☐ Yes

Summary of Day's Activities and Progress of Work Completed To Date: Hydrovac activites in the Midway Peaker Plant.

Upcoming Planned Construction Activities' Forecast: Continued hydrovac work next week

Important Communications: N/A

Critical Action Items To Follow Up On: N/A

Compliance Measures: N/A

Special-Status Species Observations: N/A

Nesting Bird Observations: N/A

Wildlife Observations: American crow, house finch, killdeer, house sparrow

Wildlife Relocations: N/A

Additional Pertinent Notes: N/A

Daily Activities in Time – Activity Format:

06:45 - Biologist arrived onsite.

07:00 - Biologist attended morning tailboard and safety meeting.

07:20 - Biologist began morning sweep of the hydrovac work area. Trench was inspected and ramped. No sensitive resources observed.

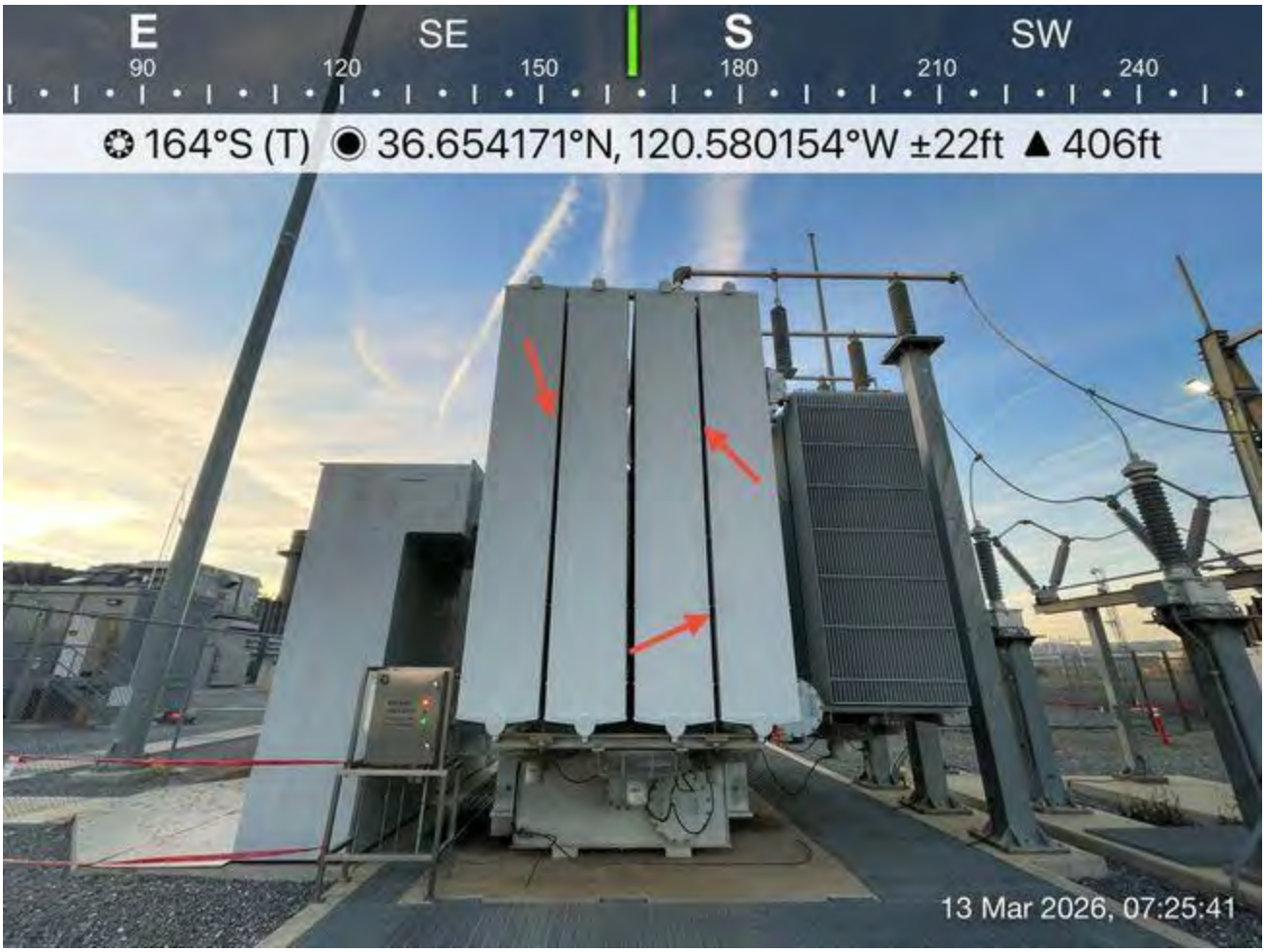
07:40 - Hydrovac work began and biologist monitored work.

15:30 - Hydrovac work was completed for the day. Biologist conducted a final sweep of the worksite and demobilized. No compliance concerns observed.

Daily Monitoring Report

Morning sweep of open trench

Daily Monitoring Report



Multiple inactive nests found in the transformer. Will continue to monitor.

Daily Monitoring Report

Continued hydrovac work

Daily Monitoring Report

End of day check of open trench with earthen wildlife escape ramp

Daily Monitoring Report

Project Name: Midway BESS Interconnection Project	**Location:** Chaney Ranch	
Monitor(s): Emma Kirschten	**Date:** March 16, 2026	
Start Time: 06:40	**Stop Time:** 14:40	**Total Hours Worked:** 8
Temp (F): 58/81 **Start / Stop**	**Cloud Cover (%):** 20/10 **Start / Stop**	**Wind (mph):** 4/3 **Start / Stop**

Environmental Education Provided: ☑ No ☐ Yes

Summary of Day's Activities and Progress of Work Completed To Date: Hydrovac potholing within the Midway Peaker Plant

Upcoming Planned Construction Activities' Forecast: N/A

Important Communications: N/A

Critical Action Items To Follow Up On: N/A

Compliance Measures: Potholes were covered with plywood to prevent wildlife entrapment.

Special-Status Species Observations: N/A

Nesting Bird Observations: N/A

Wildlife Observations: house finch, killdeer, mourning dove

Wildlife Relocations: N/A

Additional Pertinent Notes: N/A

Daily Activities in Time – Activity Format:

06:40 – Biologist arrived onsite.

07:00 - Attended morning tailboard and safety meeting. Discussed work plans.

09:00 - Biologist entered the Midway Plant and conducted a morning sweep of the worksite before work could begin. No sensitive resources observed.

09:30 - Biologist began monitoring potholing activities.

14:40 - Potholing work was completed for the day. Biologist conducted a final sweep of the worksite and demobilized. No compliance concerns observed.

Daily Monitoring Report

Sweep of open trench in the morning before work began

Daily Monitoring Report

Sweep of future pot holing locations

Daily Monitoring Report

Hydrovac potholing activities

Daily Monitoring Report

Holes adequately covered at end of day.

Daily Monitoring Report

Project Name: Midway BESS Interconnection Project	**Location:** Chaney Ranch	
Monitor(s): Emma Kirschten	**Date:** March 17, 2026	
Start Time: 06:40	**Stop Time:** 10:50	**Total Hours Worked:** 4.17
Temp (F): 61/76 **Start / Stop**	**Cloud Cover (%):** 5/5 **Start / Stop**	**Wind (mph):** 4/3 **Start / Stop**

Environmental Education Provided: ☑ No ☐ Yes

Summary of Day's Activities and Progress of Work Completed To Date: No ground disturbing work occurring today for the Gen-Tie. Bio conducted a trench/ pothole check and a morning sweep of the worksite. Work will continue tomorrow.

Upcoming Planned Construction Activities' Forecast: Continued digging for the Gen-Tie

Important Communications: N/A

Critical Action Items To Follow Up On: N/A

Compliance Measures: potholes were covered with plywood to prevent wildlife entrapment.

Special-Status Species Observations: N/A

Nesting Bird Observations: None

Wildlife Observations: house finch, mourning dove, European starling

Wildlife Relocations: N/A

Additional Pertinent Notes: N/A

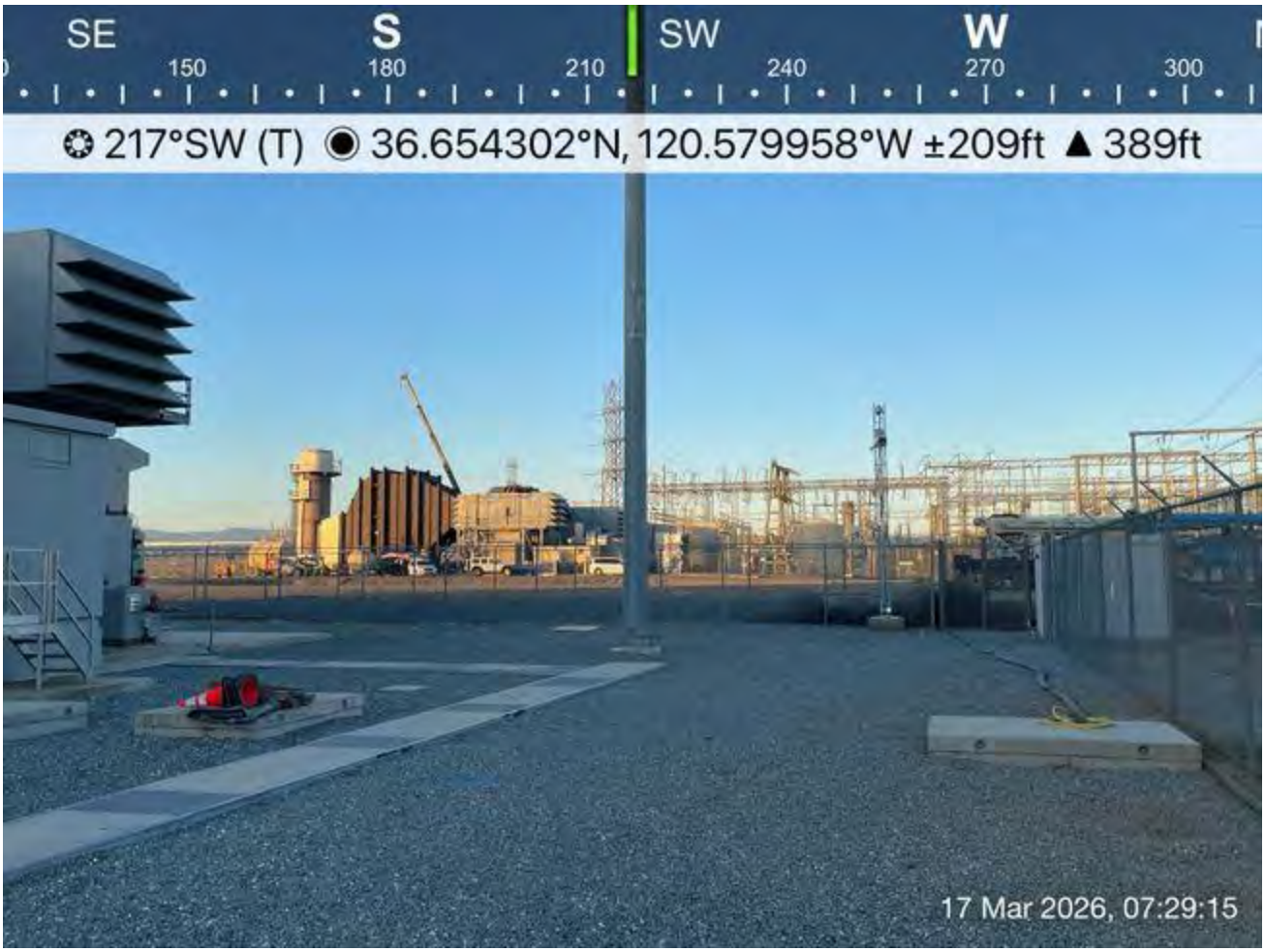
Daily Activities in Time – Activity Format:

06:40 - Biologist arrived onsite.

07:00 - Biologist attended the morning tailboard and safety meeting. It was discussed that no ground disturbing work will be taking place today, but that some equipment may be staged near the work area in preparation for tomorrow.

07:30 - Biologist conducted a check of the open trench, a check of the covered potholes, and a sweep of the worksite where equipment may be staged. No compliance issues or wildlife entrapment concerns were observed.

Daily Monitoring Report



Overview of morning sweep of worksite

Daily Monitoring Report

Trench check

Daily Monitoring Report

Covered potholes

Daily Monitoring Report

Project Name: Midway BESS Interconnection Project	**Location:** Chaney Ranch	
Monitor(s): Emma Kirschten	**Date:** March 18, 2026	
Start Time: 05:40	**Stop Time:** 16:15	**Total Hours Worked:** 10.58
Temp (F): 61/90 **Start / Stop**	**Cloud Cover (%):** 10/0 **Start / Stop**	**Wind (mph):** 3/3 **Start / Stop**

Environmental Education Provided: ☑ No ☐ Yes

Summary of Day's Activities and Progress of Work Completed To Date: Excavation and gravel spread in the Midway Peaker Plant

Upcoming Planned Construction Activities' Forecast: Further excavation work

Important Communications: N/A

Critical Action Items To Follow Up On: N/A

Compliance Measures: N/A

Special-Status Species Observations: N/A

Nesting Bird Observations: N/A

Wildlife Observations: house finch, house sparrow

Wildlife Relocations: N/A

Additional Pertinent Notes: N/A

Daily Activities in Time – Activity Format:

06:40 - Biologist arrived onsite.

07:00 - The biologist attended the morning tailboard and safety meeting.

07:30 - Biologist conducted a morning sweep of the work site before work activities began. No sensitive resources observed.

08:45 - Work involved using an excavator for trenching activities and handheld tools for shoveling gravel.

16:15 - Work was completed for the day, and bio completed a final sweep of the worksite. No resource concerns observed.

Daily Monitoring Report

Morning sweep of the worksite and trench check. Adequate ramp in place.

Section of fence removed and small excavator brough within the fenceline.

Daily Monitoring Report

Continued excavation

Gravel placement

Daily Monitoring Report

Gravel spread along the trench

Daily Monitoring Report

Excavation spoils

Daily Monitoring Report

Trench ramped at end of day

Daily Monitoring Report

Project Name: Midway BESS Interconnection Project	**Location:** Chaney Ranch	
Monitor(s): Emma Kirschten	**Date:** March 19, 2026	
Start Time: 05:45	**Stop Time:** 10:40	**Total Hours Worked:** 4.92
Temp (F): 62/79 **Start / Stop**	**Cloud Cover (%):** 0/0 **Start / Stop**	**Wind (mph):** 4/5 **Start / Stop**

Environmental Education Provided: ☑ No ☐ Yes

Summary of Day's Activities and Progress of Work Completed To Date: Excavation, gravel delivery, placing concrete runs, and backfill.

Upcoming Planned Construction Activities' Forecast: Further excavation

Important Communications: N/A

Critical Action Items To Follow Up On: N/A

Compliance Measures: N/A

Special-Status Species Observations: N/A

Nesting Bird Observations: N/A

Wildlife Observations: House sparrow, house finch, Eurasian-collared dove

Wildlife Relocations: N/A

Additional Pertinent Notes: N/A

Daily Activities in Time – Activity Format:

06:45 - Biologist arrived onsite.

07:00 - Morning tailboard and safety meeting.

07:30 - Biologist conducted a morning spot check of the site. No resource concerns observed. Biologist began monitoring excavation activities and other work.

09:00 - Excavation work activities complete. Crews working on spreading soil and gravel in the trench and compacting it, then placing concrete runs.

10:40 - Biologist was informed that no further ground disturbing activites would take place for the day, and demobilized from the site. No compliance concerns observed.

Daily Monitoring Report

Morning trench check

Daily Monitoring Report

Continued excavation work activities.

Daily Monitoring Report

Excavation completed. Earthern ramp installed

Gravel spread within trench

Placement of concrete runs

Progress within the trench

Daily Monitoring Report

Project Name: Midway BESS Interconnection Project	**Location:** Chaney Ranch	
Monitor(s): Emma Kirschten	**Date:** March 23, 2026	
Start Time: 06:50	**Stop Time:** 15:00	**Total Hours Worked:** 8.17
Temp (F): 58/73 **Start / Stop**	**Cloud Cover (%):** 15/5 **Start / Stop**	**Wind (mph):** 5/3 **Start / Stop**

Environmental Education Provided: ☑ No ☐ Yes

Summary of Day's Activities and Progress of Work Completed To Date: Excavation, gravel spread, and concrete run installation

Upcoming Planned Construction Activities' Forecast: Excavation work

Important Communications: N/A

Critical Action Items To Follow Up On: N/A

Compliance Measures: N/A

Special-Status Species Observations: N/A

Nesting Bird Observations: house finch attempted to nest on a forklift. Biologist was alerted and assessed that no eggs had been laid. Biologist dismantled the nesting material. Forklift was set to be removed from the site by end of day.

Wildlife Observations: house finch, mourning dove

Wildlife Relocations: N/A

Additional Pertinent Notes: N/A

Daily Activities in Time – Activity Format:

06:50 - The biologist arrived onsite and waited for crew members to arrive.

07:30 - Biologist attended the morning tailboard and safety meetings.

07:50 - Biologist conducted a morning sweep of the worksite. Potholes were properly covered, trench was clear, and no other resource concerns were observed.

08:20 - Biologist monitored excavation work.

10:00 - Crew alerted the biologist to HOFI putting nesting material in a forklift present within the Midway plant. Biologist confirmed no eggs had been laid and dismantled the nest. Forklift to be moved by end of day

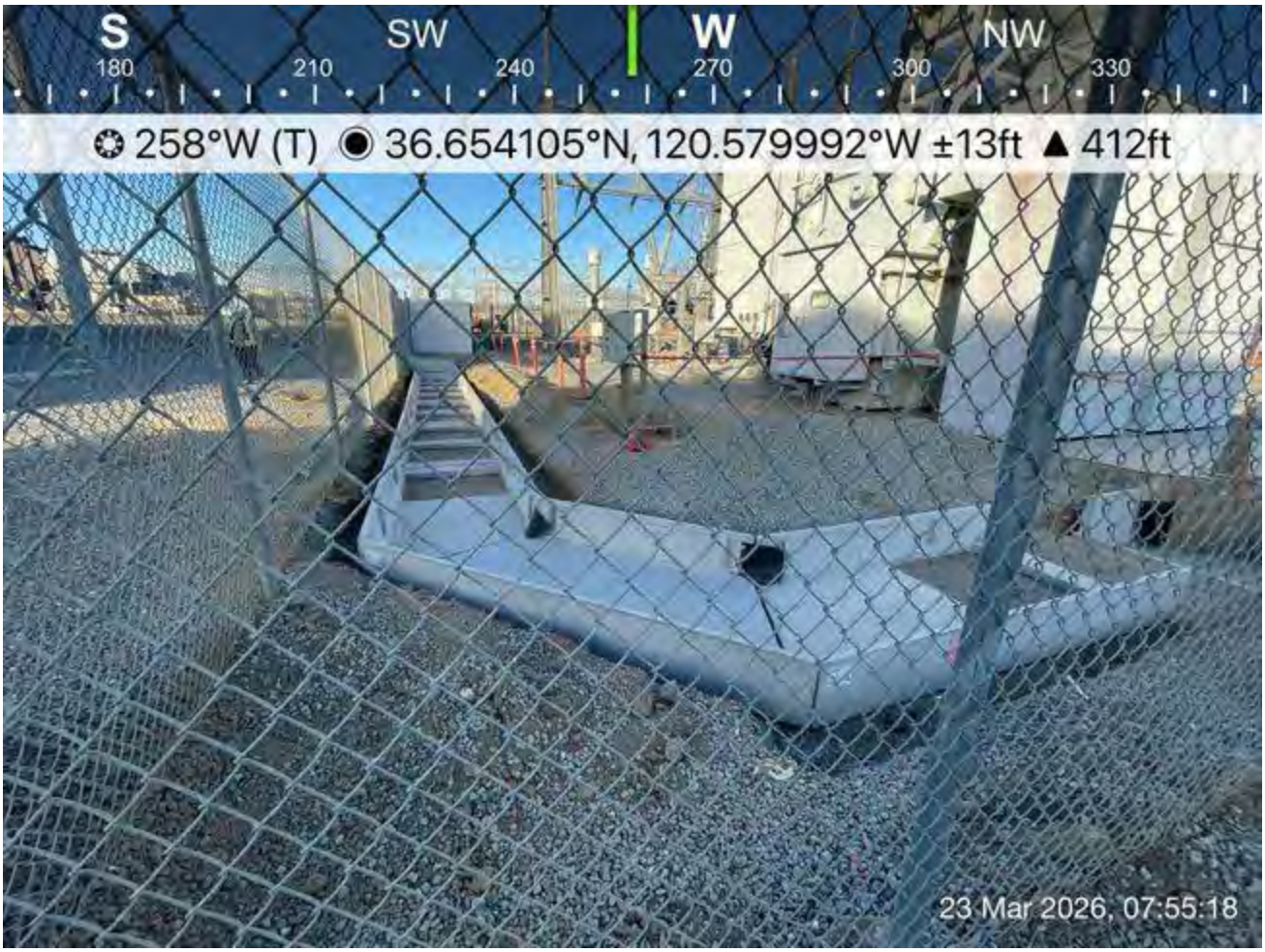
14:30 - Excavation within the plant is complete for the day. Crews began backfilling using shovels around the concrete runs.

15:00 - Biologist finished a final sweep of the site and demobilized. No compliance concerns observed.

Daily Monitoring Report

Morning sweep of the site that will be excavated

Daily Monitoring Report



Progress on the concrete run installation

Daily Monitoring Report

Nesting material in forklift parked within the plant

Daily Monitoring Report

Active excavation

Trench with earthen wildlife escape ramp installed

Daily Monitoring Report

Project Name: Midway BESS Interconnection Project	**Location:** Gen-Tie	
Monitor(s): Cynthia Martinson	**Date:** March 24, 2026	
Start Time: 07:00	**Stop Time:** 16:30	**Total Hours Worked:** 9.5
Temp (F): 55/84 **Start / Stop**	**Cloud Cover (%):** 25/15 **Start / Stop**	**Wind (mph):** 0/1 **Start / Stop**

Environmental Education Provided: ☑ No ☐ Yes

Summary of Day's Activities and Progress of Work Completed To Date: Excavation for concrete runs installation along gen-tie in Peaker plant.

Upcoming Planned Construction Activities' Forecast: Continue excavation of the trench for the concrete runs installation.

Important Communications: CORA nest is in active incubation. Ravenvolt safety rep Hal asked if covering PCS equipment may also help deter nesting.

Critical Action Items To Follow Up On: N/A

Compliance Measures: No non compliance observed.

Special-Status Species Observations: None

Nesting Bird Observations: American crow (*Corvus brachyrhynchos*; AMCR) in incubation stage near pond. Heavy HOFI activity in transformer; closer inspection not conducted due to safety concern

Wildlife Observations: common raven, American crow, house finch, house sparrow, black phoebe, mourning dove, Eurasian-collared dove, killdeer

Wildlife Relocations: None

Additional Pertinent Notes: N/A

Daily Activities in Time – Activity Format:

07:00 - Biologist attended daily morning tailboard with teichert crew, John Clingpeel, Hal with Ravenvolt, and Rincon staff Lindsey Younger and Brooke Boyd.

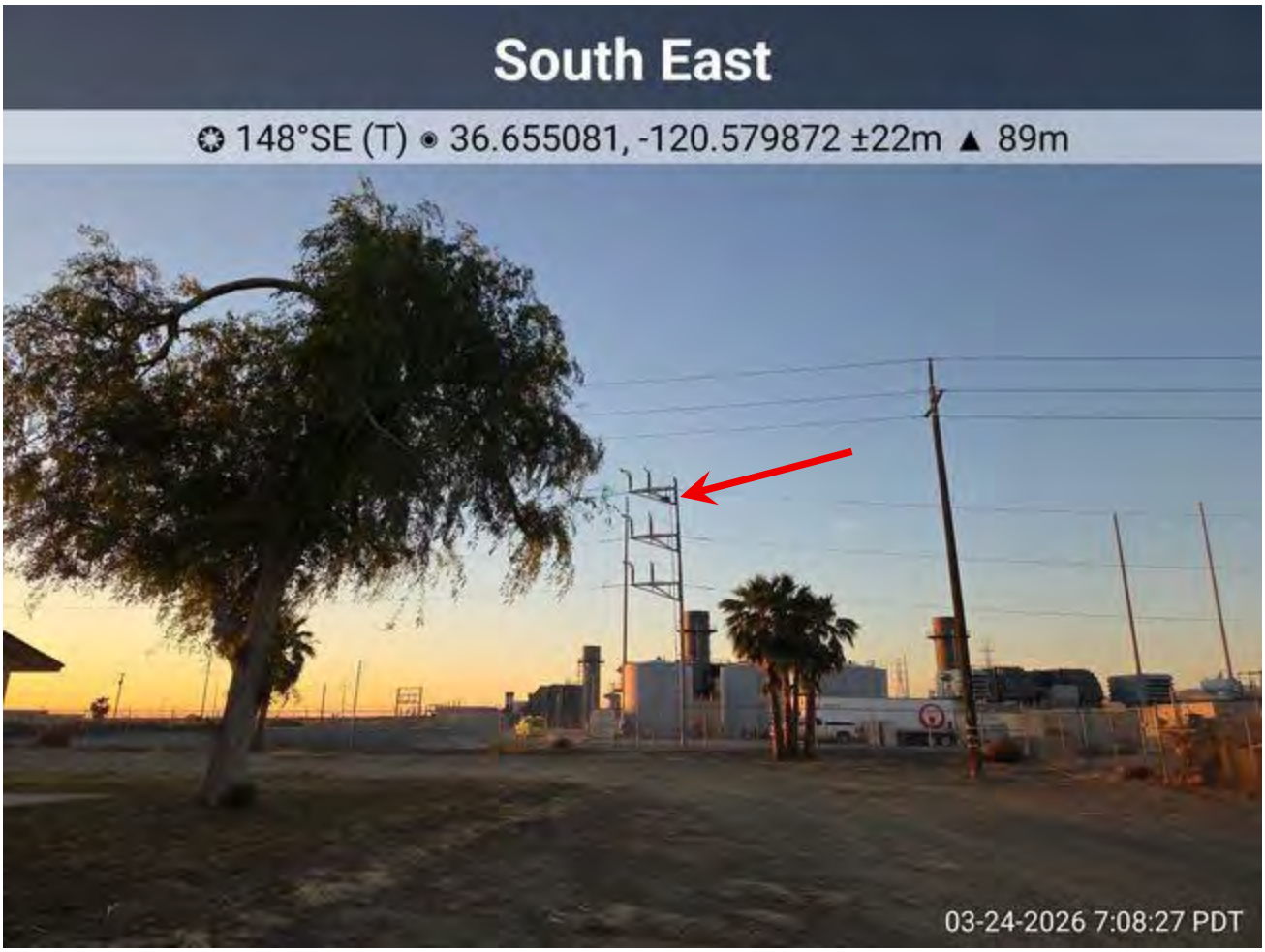
07:30 - crew begins mobilization of equipment for gen-tie trench excavation using mini excavator.

12:30 - Crew breaks for lunch.

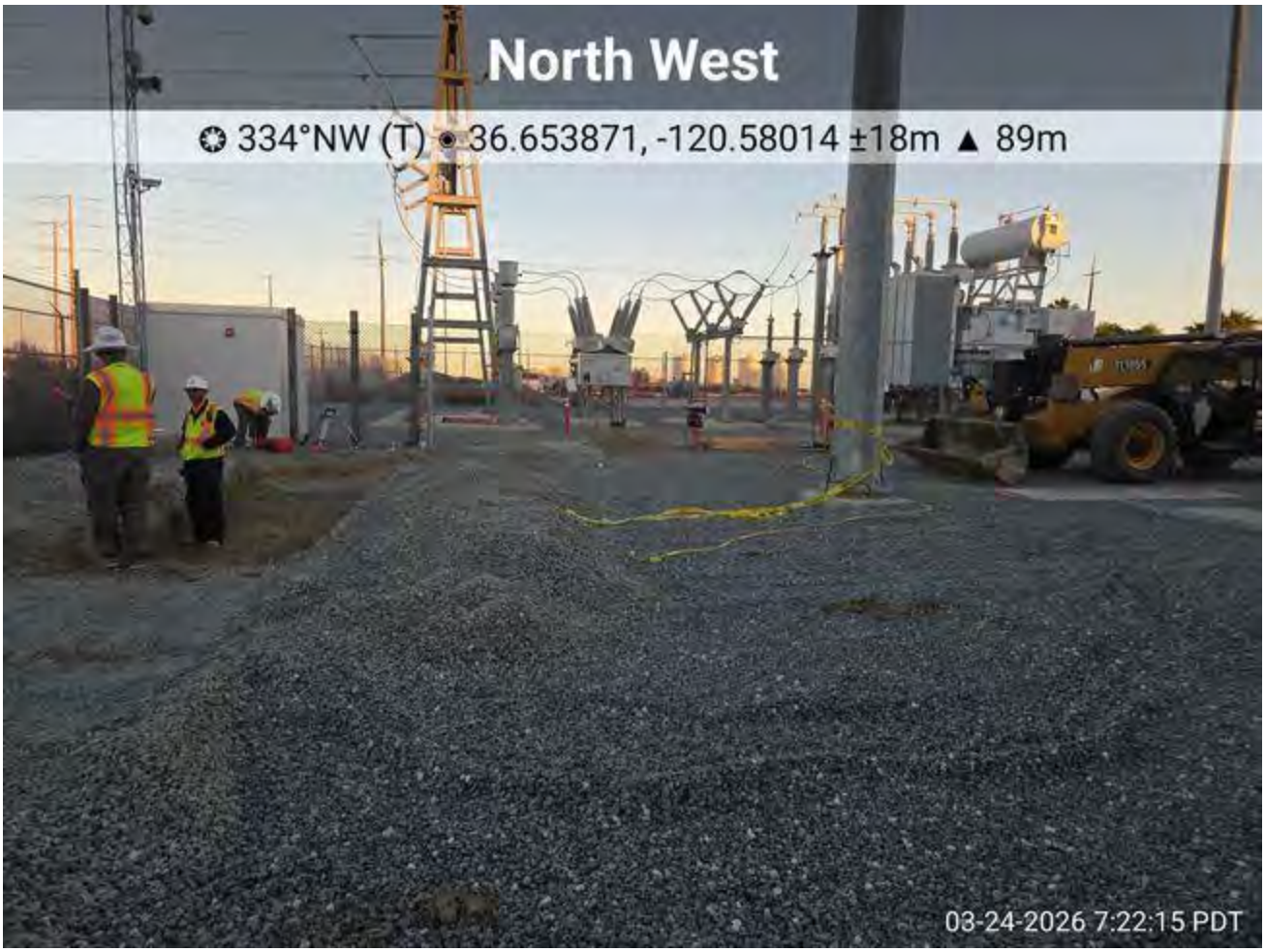
17:10 - Biologist conducts post-construction sweep of all work areas.

16:00 - Crew begins demobilization; biologist conducts post construction sweep of the site. No new concerns were observed.

16:30 - All crew and biologist demobilized offsite. No compliance concerns were observed.

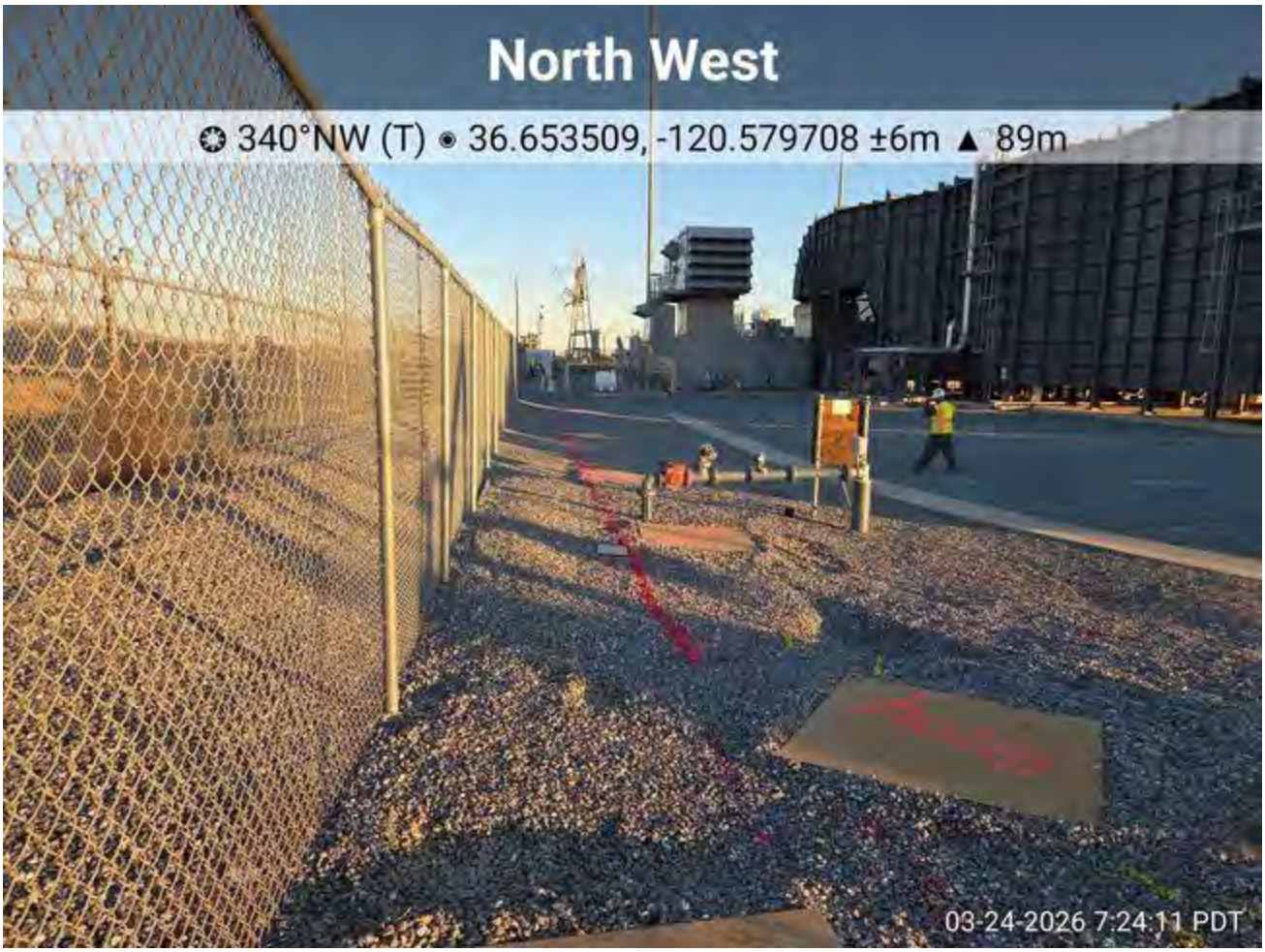


American crow nest (red arrow).



Gen tie excavation work activities began.

Daily Monitoring Report



Gen tie alignment

Daily Monitoring Report

American crow nest in utility pole.

Daily Monitoring Report

Excavation work activities continued.

Lowering of concrete runs in trench.

Daily Monitoring Report

Post-construction sweep.

Daily Monitoring Report

Project Name: Midway BESS Interconnection Project	**Location:** Midway Peaker Plant	
Monitor(s): Melanie Jensen	**Date:** March 25, 2026	
Start Time: 06:45	**Stop Time:** 16:45	**Total Hours Worked:** 10
Temp (F): 54/84 **Start / Stop**	**Cloud Cover (%):** 20/10 **Start / Stop**	**Wind (mph):** 1/2 **Start / Stop**

Environmental Education Provided: ☑ No ☐ Yes

Summary of Day's Activities and Progress of Work Completed To Date: Trenching excavation earthwork continues, dirt hauling, and staging of concrete runs.

Upcoming Planned Construction Activities' Forecast: Trenching earthworks expected to continue.

Important Communications: N/A

Critical Action Items To Follow Up On: N/A

Compliance Measures: N/A

Special-Status Species Observations: N/A

Nesting Bird Observations: Biologist checked in on active American crow (*Corvus brachyrhynchos*; AMCR) stick nest in utility pole. Incubation behavior observed and nest is far enough off ground. No buffer established and AMCR does not appear disturbed by biologist standing under nest. Crew is aware of nest.

Wildlife Observations: American crow, house finch, house sparrow, Eurasian-collared dove, California scrub jay, northern mockingbird, mourning dove, turkey vulture, red-tailed hawk.

Wildlife Relocations: N/A

Additional Pertinent Notes: N/A

Daily Activities in Time – Activity Format:

07:00 - Biologist attended daily tailboard meeting and confirmed all crew members have received WEAP training and aware of active AMCR nest. Biologist conducted pre-construction sweep for biological resources. No special status species observed.

07:45 - Biologist checked in on the active AMCR nest on site in utility pole. Incubation behavior observed and nest is far enough off ground. No buffer established and AMCR does not appear disturbed by biologist standing under nest.

08:00 - Crew started trenching earthworks, continuing from where they left off the day prior. Top layer gravel was moved using handheld tools (shovels). Excavator trenched along west fence line, moving dirt directly onto truck onsite. Truck hauled dirt off site.

12:00 - Crew went on lunch break, continuing work at 12:30PM.

12:50 - Water truck was observed for dust control, watering the access roads within peaker plant.

13:15 - Forklift was observed staging concrete runs near trenching activities.

15:10 - Trenching earthworks continued, utilizing a mini excavator, and relocating dirt directly onto truck. A telehandler was also observed for gravel placement, having workers shovel gravel into bucket of telehandler, to be stockpiled onsite.

16:45 - Crew completed work for the day. Biologist conducted end of day inspection. Adequate ramps in trenches and holes covered for wildlife entrapment prevention. Crew and biologist demobilized site. No compliance concerns observed.

Daily Monitoring Report

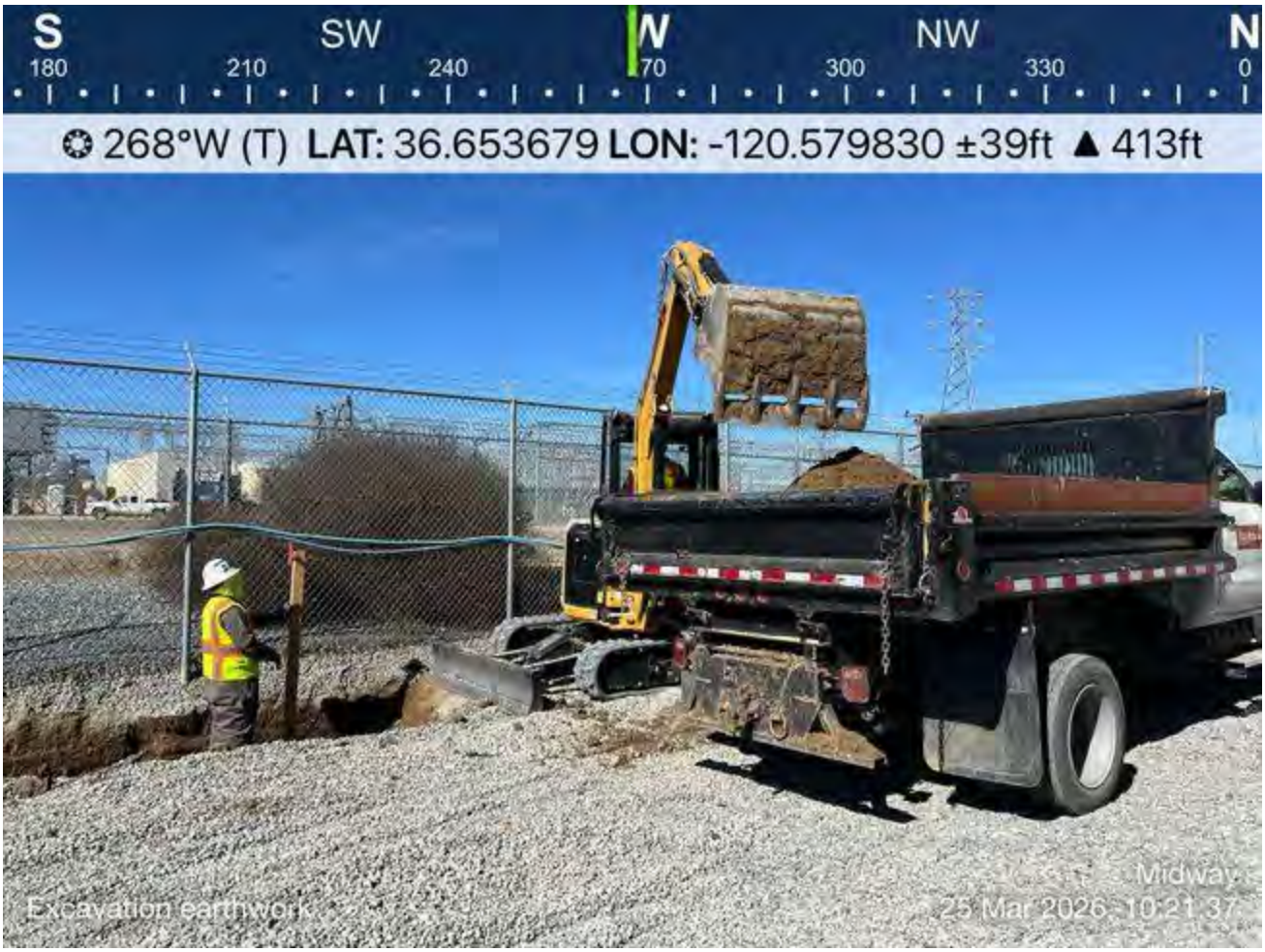
Pre-construction sweep of work areas for biological resources. No special status species observed. Trench was adequately ramped for wildlife entrapment prevention.

Daily Monitoring Report

All holes were adequately covered, no gaps observed, for wildlife entrapment prevention.

Daily Monitoring Report

Biologist checked on active AMCR in utility pole. Incubation behavior observed with tail of AMCR visible (red arrow). Nesting details in report.



Trenching earthwork activities using a mini excavator, excavating directly onto truck for hauling.

Daily Monitoring Report

Water truck observed for dust control onsite.

Forklift utilized for concrete run staging.

Trenching earthwork activities continued.

Gravel placement occurring near recently installed concrete runs.

End of day sweep. Adequate ramp in trench and hole covered for wildlife entrapment prevention.

Daily Monitoring Report

End of day sweep. Adequate ramp in trench for wildlife entrapment prevention.

Daily Monitoring Report

Project Name: Midway BESS Interconnection Project	**Location:** Midway peaker plant	
Monitor(s): Grace Myers	**Date:** March 26, 2026	
Start Time: 06:45	**Stop Time:** 12:15	**Total Hours Worked:** 5.5
Temp (F): 54/80 **Start / Stop**	**Cloud Cover (%):** 10/0 **Start / Stop**	**Wind (mph):** 1/4 **Start / Stop**

Environmental Education Provided: ☑ No ☐ Yes

Summary of Day's Activities and Progress of Work Completed To Date: Trenching and staging of gen-tie casings

Upcoming Planned Construction Activities' Forecast: Laying the casing in the trench for the gen-tie lines and continued trenching

Important Communications: N/A

Critical Action Items To Follow Up On: N/A

Compliance Measures: N/A

Special-Status Species Observations: None

Nesting Bird Observations: American crow, red-tailed hawk, and common raven

Wildlife Observations: northern mockingbird, black phoebe, American kestrel, killdeer, raccoon, California scrub jay, European starling, house sparrow, American crow, red-tailed hawk, Eurasian-collared dove, mourning dove.

Wildlife Relocations: N/A

Additional Pertinent Notes: N/A

Daily Activities in Time – Activity Format:

06:45 - Biologist arrived onsite and met with Brett of Teichert and confirmed that all personnel on site are WEAP trained.

07:00 - Biologist conducted a biological sweep of the work area. No biological issues of concern observed.

07:15 - Crew began working in trench with small excavator and hand tools (shovels).

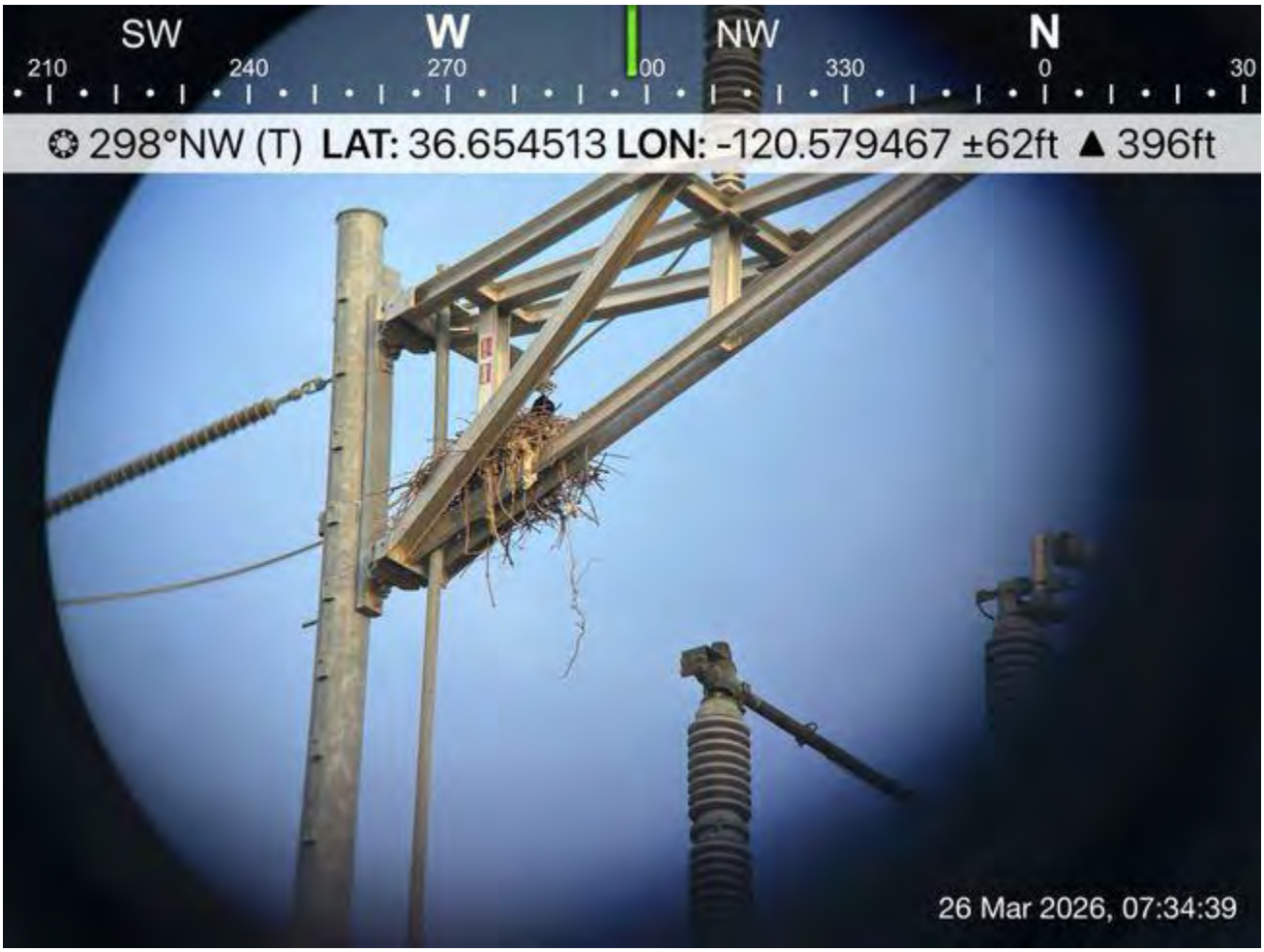
07:30 - Biologist checked AMCR nest. Female was on the nest and male perched near nest after a few minutes to feed the female. Female stayed on nest.

07:50 - Biologist checked in northern portion of buffer for nesting birds. A pair of CORA and RTHA were observed perched on and around stick nests in transmission towers. The RTHA pair appears to be in the nest building stage as the nest is not fully formed. These observations were outside of work area and outside of needed buffers.

10:45 - Crew finished excavating and stopped work but is unsure if depth is correct of if they need to dig deeper. Brett to confirm and inform the monitors.

12:00 - Monitors were informed that work was complete for the day and they could leave the site. Biological monitor conducted a final bio sweep prior to departing.

12:15 - Escape ramps were placed in trench once work was complete. No compliance issues observed. Biological monitor departed the site.



AMCR on nest in project area

Work area during bio sweep of site. All ramps in trench were appropriate for wildlife to escape, if necessary.

Daily Monitoring Report

RTHA pair on transmission tower. One is seen perched and the other is seen building the nest (to the east on a lower tower).

Wildlife escape ramp placed in trench.

Additional wildlife ramp placed in trench.

Appendix B3

Cultural Resources Monthly Monitoring Summary Report (CUL-6)

Rincon Consultants, Inc.
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April 14, 2026
Project No: 25-18267

Rena Eddy, Compliance Project Manager
California Energy Commission
715 P Street
Sacramento, California, 95814
Via email: Rena.Eddy@energy.ca.gov

Subject: Cultural Resources Monitoring Report, March 2026, Midway BESS Interconnection Project within APN 027-060-91S in Unincorporated Fresno County, California (Docket No. 06-AFC-10C and Post Certification Amendments)
43627 West Panoche Road, Firebaugh, California 93622

Dear Ms. Eddy:

Rincon Consultants, Inc. (Rincon) was retained by Midway Battery Energy Storage System (BESS), LLC to provide cultural resources monitoring services for the Midway BESS Interconnection Project (Project), located within the existing Midway Peaking Power Plant (MPP) property at 43627 West Panoche Road in an unincorporated area of western Fresno County, California (Attachment 1). The project must comply with the California Energy Commission's Conditions of Certification for the project, including CUL-3 through CUL-7. Construction for the Midway Pond Lining component was completed on August 27, 2025. Construction of the Midway BESS Interconnection component commenced in March 2026.

Worker Environmental Awareness Program

In accordance with CUL-5, the project owner shall provide the Worker Environmental Awareness Program (WEAP) Training Acknowledgement forms of personnel who have completed the training and a running total of all personnel who have completed training to date. The cumulative list of all employees WEAP trained using the pre-recorded video has been included in Appendix A of the monthly compliance report.

Monitoring Methods and Results

In accordance with CUL-6, Rincon's on-site Cultural Resource Monitor (CRM) Sabdy Braathen, BA, conducted archaeological monitoring on March 9-13, and March 16-20, 2026, and CRM Lindsey Younger, BA, conducted archaeological monitoring on March 23-26, 2026. The Rincon CRMs were present during project-related, ground-disturbing activities, including potholing, and trench excavation activities associated with the monitoring for construction of the BESS interconnection system component. During ground-disturbing activities, the monitors examined exposed soils for precontact artifacts (e.g., chipped stone tools and production debris, stone milling tools), historic period debris (e.g., metal, glass, ceramics), or soil discoloration that might indicate the presence of an archaeological feature. The CRMs documented field observations on Daily Monitoring Logs (Attachment 1). No cultural resources were identified during the month of March.

Conclusions

A cultural resource monitor was present for thirteen days of scheduled ground disturbance in accordance with CUL-6 of the project's Conditions of Certification for the month of March 2026. No artifacts, archaeological deposits, or archaeological features were identified during the monitoring of ground-disturbing construction activities, and no non-compliances occurred during monitoring. Based on the

results of the monitoring effort, the ground-disturbing activities that occurred on March 9-13, March 16-20, and 23-26, 2026, did not impact cultural resources. Any future excavations within previously undisturbed/native soils associated with the project will require full-time archaeological monitoring.

Please do not hesitate to contact me at 951-405-2351 or kabdo@rinconconsultants.com if you have any questions regarding this monitoring effort.

Sincerely,
Rincon, Inc.

Kholood Abdo, MA, RPA
Midway BESS Interconnection Project
Cultural Resource Specialist

Attachments

Attachment 1 Daily Monitoring Logs

Daily Monitoring Report

Project Number: 25-18267		**Project Name:** Midway BESS Interconnection Project
Monitor: Sabdy Braathen		
Date: March 9, 2026	**Start Time (24 hour):** 06:50	**Stop Time (24 hour):** 09:20
Weather (Temperature, wind speed, cloud cover, precipitation): 78 ° F, 1-5 mph mph, 0 %, None		
Start Location: Zone 10S 716341E 4059367N		

Worker Environmental Education Program provided: ☑ **Yes** ☐ **No**

Daily activities and compliance summary in format of Time – Activity (i.e., 07:00 – Arrived at project site):

06:50 – Arrived at project site

07:00 Preconstruction briefing and safety talk

07:15 – 09:15 site safety trainings

09:20 – left project site

Type of Monitoring: Other

Additional Notes: Construction rescheduled to start on 3/10/26

Location: 10S 716338E 4059372N

Depth of Ground Disturbance: N/A

Soils/Lithology Description: NA

09:02 Facing east
Speaking with OMT about work expectations

Summary of project related communications:
Construction Manager stated that the crew will be onsite tomorrow and moving gravel and fencing. OMT John said Fire Resistant (FR) clothing are required for crew scheduled to conduct work at the plant. We watched site safety training videos.

☑ **COMPLIANCE** ☐ **REMEDIATION ACTION NEEDED** (see Non-Compliance Report)

See final page for additional notes regarding non-compliances, if any.

Daily Monitoring Report

Native American Monitor present? ☐ Yes ☑ No

Archaeological Discovery Made? ☐ Yes ☑ No

Safety Concerns? ☑ Yes ☐ No
Concerns: Fire Safety: FR clothing and safety vests are required at the Midway Peaking Plant.
Corrective Actions: Notifying safety. Safety training and FR clothing and vest provided to CRM.

Daily Monitoring Report

Project Number: 25-18267		**Project Name:** Midway BESS Interconnection Project
Monitor: Sabdy Braathen		
Date: March 10, 2026	**Start Time (24 hour):** 07:00	**Stop Time (24 hour):** 16:30
Weather (Temperature, wind speed, cloud cover, precipitation): 73 ° F, 2-10 mph mph, 0 %, None		
Start Location: 10S 716301E 4059348N		

Worker Environmental Education Program provided: ☐ **Yes** ☑ **No**

Daily activities and compliance summary in format of Time – Activity (i.e., 07:00 – Arrived at project site):

06:50 – Arrived at project site

07:00- Preconstruction briefing and safety talk

07:30 – 12:00 - Gravel removal with shovels

12:00 – 12:30 – lunch

12:30 – 16:30 – Manua removal of gravel base to prepare for trenching

16:30 – left project site

Type of Monitoring: Continuous Monitoring

Additional Notes: Topsoil consist of imported gravel

Location: 10S 716308E 4059238N

Depth of Ground Disturbance: 4 inches in topsoil

Soils/Lithology Description: NA

07:38 Facing northeast
GSU safety meeting

08:42 - Moving gravel

Type of Monitoring: Continuous Monitoring

Additional Notes: Digging out all imported gravel with shovels

Location: 10S 716304E 4059239N

Depth of Ground Disturbance: 4 inches

Daily Monitoring Report

Soils/Lithology Description: Imported gravel

08:42 Facing north
Site overview: Site preparation

15:18 - Possible excavation

Type of Monitoring: Continuous Monitoring

Additional Notes: Crew removed gravel ground cover prior to hydrovac and trench

Location: 10S 716301E 4059348N

Depth of Ground Disturbance: 4 inches

Soils/Lithology Description: Imported gravel

15:18 Facing west
Gravel removal west side of site

Summary of project related communications:
Pre briefing safety talk was discussed at beginning of workday.

☑ **COMPLIANCE** ☐ **REMEDIATION ACTION NEEDED** (see Non-Compliance Report)

See final page for additional notes regarding non-compliances, if any.

Native American Monitor present? ☐ Yes ☑ No

Archaeological Discovery Made? ☐ Yes ☑ No

Safety Concerns? ☑ Yes ☐ No

Concerns: Possibility of electrocution and fire

Corrective Actions: Safety training, Fire Resistant Clothing

Daily Monitoring Report

Project Number: 25-18267		**Project Name:** Midway BESS Interconnection Project
Monitor: Sabdy Braathen		
Date: March 11, 2026	**Start Time (24 hour):** 06:50	**Stop Time (24 hour):** 16:30
Weather (Temperature, wind speed, cloud cover, precipitation): 73 ° F, 5-9 mph, 0 %, None		
Start Location: Zone 10S 716301E 4059348N		

Worker Environmental Education Program provided: ☐ **Yes** ☑ **No**

Daily activities and compliance summary in format of Time – Activity (i.e., 07:00 – Arrived at project site):

06:50 – Arrived at project site

07:00 – Preconstruction briefing and safety talk

07:30 – 12:00 – Trenching with hydrovac

12:00 – 12:30 – lunch

12:30 – 16:30 – Trenching with hydrovac

16:30 – left project site

Type of Monitoring: Continuous Monitoring

Additional Notes: Crew will excavate one pothole to locate grounding rod

Location: 10S 716308E 4059238N

Depth of Ground Disturbance: 3 feet

Soils/Lithology Description: Imported gravel

09:30 Facing southwest
Potholing

12:29 - Trenching

Type of Monitoring: Continuous Monitoring

Daily Monitoring Report

Additional Notes: Crew is trenching with hydrovac to reduce impacts to active electrical and gas lines.

Location: 10S 716304E 4059239N

Depth of Ground Disturbance: 3 feet

Soils/Lithology Description: Gravel and overburden disturbed soils

12:29 Facing west
Site overview

14:36 - Trenching with hydrovac

Type of Monitoring: Continuous Monitoring

Additional Notes: Trench measurements are 4 foot depth,

Location: 10S 716303E 4059238N

Depth of Ground Disturbance: 4 feet

Soils/Lithology Description: Previously disturbed sediments

14:36 Facing southwest
Trench overview

Summary of project related communications:
Contra Costa Electric and MRP gave safety pre briefing talk. Crew will pothole today to find grounding rods to plot out trenching site.

☑ **COMPLIANCE** ☐ **REMEDIATION ACTION NEEDED** (see Non Compliance Report)

See final page for additional notes regarding non-compliances, if any.

Native American Monitor present? ☐ Yes ☑ No

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Archaeological Discovery Made? ☐ Yes ☑ No

Safety Concerns? ☐ Yes ☑ No

Daily Monitoring Report

Project Number: 25-18267	**Project Name:** Midway BESS Interconnection Project	
Monitor: Sabdy Braathen		
Date: March 12, 2026	**Start Time (24 hour):** 06:50	**Stop Time (24 hour):** 17:00
Weather (Temperature, wind speed, cloud cover, precipitation): 78 ° F, 1-6 mph mph, 0 %, None		
Start Location: Zone 10S 716311E 4059246N		

Worker Environmental Education Program provided: ☐ **Yes** ☑ **No**

Daily activities and compliance summary in format of Time – Activity (i.e., 07:00 – Arrived at project site):

06:50 – Arrived at project site

07:00 Preconstruction briefing and safety talk

07:30 - Dumping spoils from potholing

07:45 – 12:00 – Trenching with hydrovac

12:00 – 12:30 – lunch

12:30 – 16:30 – Trenching with hydrovac

17:00 – left project site

Type of Monitoring: Continuous Monitoring

Additional Notes: All spoils are being placed in a 50 foot long by 20 foot wide pit, mixed with Panoche spoils.

Location: 10S 716481E 4058916N

Depth of Ground Disturbance: 0

Soils/Lithology Description: Previously disturbed sediments

07:36 Facing south
Spoils pit overview

08:15 - Potholing

Daily Monitoring Report

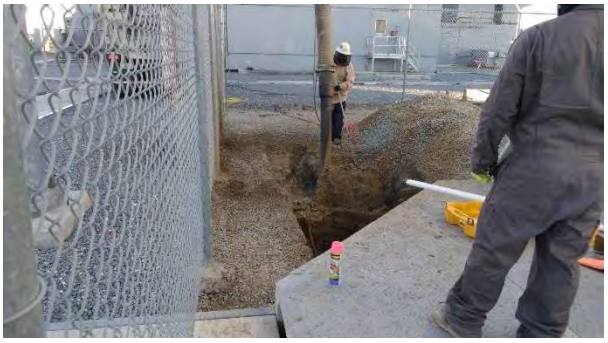
Type of Monitoring: Continuous Monitoring

Additional Notes: Crew is using hydrovac to trench to avoid damaging active electrical and gas lines.

Location: 10S 716303E 4059238N

Depth of Ground Disturbance: 3 feet

Soils/Lithology Description: Previously disturbed sediments



08:15 Facing south
Potholing in peaker plant

13:42 - Pot holing

Type of Monitoring: Continuous Monitoring

Additional Notes: Crew will use hydrovac to trench within the Peaker Plant

Location: 10S 716304E 4059238N

Depth of Ground Disturbance: 2 foot

Soils/Lithology Description: Previously disturbed sediments

13:42 Facing southwest
Trench overview

Summary of project related communications:
Contra Costa Electric and MRP gave safety briefing talk. Crew will be using hydrovac to trench to avoid damaging active electrical and gas lines in the peaker plant.

☑ **COMPLIANCE** ☐ **REMEDIATION ACTION NEEDED** (see Non-Compliance Report)

See final page for additional notes regarding non-compliances, if any.

Native American Monitor present? ☐ Yes ☑ No

Daily Monitoring Report

Archaeological Discovery Made? ☐ Yes ☑ No

Safety Concerns? ☐ Yes ☑ No

Daily Monitoring Report

Project Number: 25-18267		**Project Name:** Midway BESS Interconnection Project
Monitor: Sabdy Braathen		
Date: March 13, 2026	**Start Time (24 hour):** 07:00	**Stop Time (24 hour):** 15:00
Weather (Temperature, wind speed, cloud cover, precipitation): 80 ° F, 3 mph mph, 0 %, None		
Start Location: Zone 10S 716296E 4059250N		

Worker Environmental Education Program provided: ☐ **Yes** ☑**No**

Daily activities and compliance summary in format of Time – Activity (i.e., 07:00 – Arrived at project site):

06:50 – Arrived at project site

07:00 –Preconstruction briefing and safety talk

07:30 - Dumping spoils from potholing

07:45 – 12:00 – Trenching with hydrovac

12:00 – 12:30 – lunch

12:30 – 16:30 – Trenching with hydrovac

17:00 – left project site

Type of Monitoring: Continuous Monitoring

Additional Notes: Trench with hydrovac to avoid damaging electrical and gas lines

Location: 10S 716313E 4059232N

Depth of Ground Disturbance: 2 foot

Soils/Lithology Description: Previously disturbed sediments

Facing south
Trench overview

11:29 - Trenching

Type of Monitoring: Continuous Monitoring

Additional Notes: Crew is using hydrovac to trench to avoid damaging active electrical and gas lines.

Location: 10S 716312E 4059234N

Daily Monitoring Report

Depth of Ground Disturbance: 3 foot

Soils/Lithology Description: Previously disturbed sediments

Facing south
Potholing in peaker plant

14:57 - Trenching

Type of Monitoring: Continuous Monitoring

Additional Notes: Crew will use hydrovac to trench within the Peaker Plant

Location: 10S 716307E 4059232N

Depth of Ground Disturbance: 2 foot

Soils/Lithology Description: Previously disturbed sediments

Facing southwest
Trench overview

Summary of project related communications:
Contra Costa Electric and MRP gave safety pre briefing talk. Crew will be using hydrovac to trench to avoid damaging active electrical and gas lines in the peaker plant.

☑ **COMPLIANCE** ☐ **REMEDIATION ACTION NEEDED** (see Non-Compliance Report)

See final page for additional notes regarding non-compliances, if any.

Native American Monitor present? ☐ Yes ☑ No

Archaeological Discovery Made? ☐ Yes ☑ No

Daily Monitoring Report

Safety Concerns? ☐ Yes ☑ No

Daily Monitoring Report

Project Number: 25-18267		**Project Name:** Midway BESS Interconnection Project
Monitor: Sabdy Braathen		
Date: March 16, 2026	**Start Time (24 hour):** 06:50	**Stop Time (24 hour):** 14:30
Weather (Temperature, wind speed, cloud cover, precipitation): 85 ° F, 1-5 mph mph, 0 %, None		
Start Location: Zone 10S 716296E 4059250N		

Worker Environmental Education Program provided: ☑ **Yes** ☐ **No**

Daily activities and compliance summary in format of Time – Activity (i.e., 07:00 – Arrived at project site):

09:45 - Potholing

Type of Monitoring: Continuous Monitoring

Additional Notes: Potholing with hydrovac to locate gasket

Location: 10S 716317E 4059187N

Depth of Ground Disturbance: 4.6 foot

Soils/Lithology Description: Previously disturbed sediments

09:45 Facing southeast
Potholing at western most side of site

09:58 - Potholing

Type of Monitoring: Continuous Monitoring

Additional Notes: Crew is using hydrovac to trench to avoid damaging active electrical and gas lines.

Location: 10S 716323E 4059183N

Depth of Ground Disturbance: 4.6 foot

Soils/Lithology Description: Previously disturbed sediments with first foot being imported gravel

Daily Monitoring Report

09:58 Facing southeast
Pothole overview

13:17 - Potholing

Type of Monitoring: Continuous Monitoring

Additional Notes: Crew used hydrovac to pothole eight trenches within the Peaker Plant to locate the gaskets

Location: 10S 716341E 4059151N

Depth of Ground Disturbance: 5 foot

Soils/Lithology Description: Previously disturbed sediments with imported gravel within the first foot

13:17 Facing southwest
Site overview

Summary of project related communications:
Contra Costa Electric and MRP gave a safety briefing talk. Crew will be using hydrovac to pothole to find underground gaskets, to avoid damaging active electrical and gas lines in the Peaker Plant.

☑ **COMPLIANCE** ☐ **REMEDIATION ACTION NEEDED** (see Non Compliance Report)

See final page for additional notes regarding non-compliances, if any.

Native American Monitor present? ☐ Yes ☑ No

Archaeological Discovery Made? ☐ Yes ☑ No

Safety Concerns? ☐ Yes ☑ No

Daily Monitoring Report

Project Number: 25-18267	**Project Name:** Midway BESS Interconnection Project	
Monitor: Sabdy Braathen		
Date: March 17, 2026	**Start Time (24 hour):** 06:50	**Stop Time (24 hour):** 08:00
Weather (Temperature, wind speed, cloud cover, precipitation): 58 ° F, 2 mph mph, 0 %, None		
Start Location: Zone 10S 716296E 4059250N		

Worker Environmental Education Program provided: ☑ **Yes** ☐ **No**

Daily activities and compliance summary in format of Time – Activity (i.e., 07:00 – Arrived at project site):

07:29 - NA

Type of Monitoring: Continuous Monitoring

Additional Notes: No ground disturbance

Location: 10S 716346E 4059373N

Depth of Ground Disturbance: 0

Soils/Lithology Description: NA

07:29 Facing south
Preconstruction meeting

Summary of project related communications:
Contra Costa Electric and MRP gave safety preconstruction briefing talk. Crew will be adding slurry outside of project area, staging equipment onsite and, shooting points.

☑ **COMPLIANCE** ☐ **REMEDIATION ACTION NEEDED** (see Non Compliance Report)

See final page for additional notes regarding non-compliances, if any.

Native American Monitor present? ☐ Yes ☑ No

Archaeological Discovery Made? ☐ Yes ☑ No

Safety Concerns? ☐ Yes ☑ No

Daily Monitoring Report

Project Number: 25-18267		**Project Name:** Midway BESS Interconnection Project
Monitor: Sabdy Braathen		
Date: March 18, 2026	**Start Time (24 hour):** 05:50	**Stop Time (24 hour):** 16:00
Weather (Temperature, wind speed, cloud cover, precipitation): 58 ° F, 2 mph mph, 0 %, None		
Start Location: Zone 10S 716310E 4059231N		

Worker Environmental Education Program provided: ☑ **Yes** ☐ **No**

Daily activities and compliance summary in format of Time – Activity (i.e., 07:00 – Arrived at project site):

07:51 - Trenching

Type of Monitoring: Continuous Monitoring

Additional Notes: Trench within GSU measures 5 foot width, 20 foot in length

Location: 10S 716316E 4059234N

Soils/Lithology Description: Previously disturbed sediments

07:51 Facing west
Cleaning up trench

10:51 - Trenching

Type of Monitoring: Continuous Monitoring

Additional Notes: Mini excavator is trenching for gen tie

Location: 10S 716295E 4059210N

Depth of Ground Disturbance: 2 foot

Soils/Lithology Description: Previously disturbed sediments

Daily Monitoring Report

10:51 Facing northeast
Trenching in GSU

11:15 - Trenching

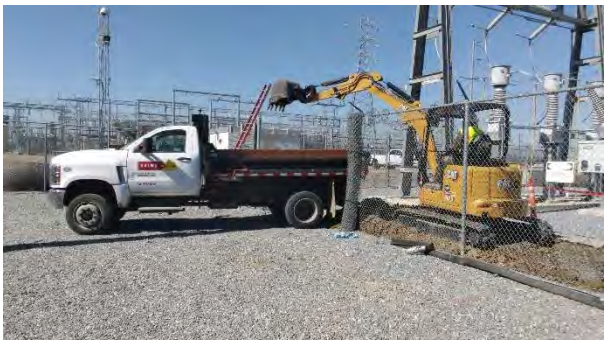
Type of Monitoring: Continuous Monitoring

Additional Notes: Trenching in GSU. Dumping spoils in small dump truck.

Location: 10S 716306E 4059219N

Depth of Ground Disturbance: 3 foot

Soils/Lithology Description: Imported sand, imported gravel and previously disturbed sediments.



11:15 Facing southwest
Overview

13:08 - Trenching

Type of Monitoring: Continuous Monitoring

Additional Notes: Sediments in trench are imported gravel from 0 to 1 foot, brown silty loam from 1 to 2.5 foot and, 2.5 - 3 foot is imported sand with the electrical lines.

Location: 10S 716303E 4059215N

Depth of Ground Disturbance: 3 foot

Soils/Lithology Description: Previously disturbed sediments. Brown Silty loam

Daily Monitoring Report

13:08 Facing west
Spoils pile

Summary of project related communications:
Contra Costa Electric and MRP gave safety pre briefing talk. Crew will be trenching, adding gravel, adding slurry and moving the fence in the GSU.

☑ **COMPLIANCE** ☐ **REMEDIATION ACTION NEEDED** (see Non Compliance Report)

See final page for additional notes regarding non-compliances, if any.

Native American Monitor present? ☐ Yes ☑ No

Archaeological Discovery Made? ☐ Yes ☑ No

Safety Concerns? ☐ Yes ☑ No

Daily Monitoring Report

Project Number: 25-18267		**Project Name:** Midway BESS Interconnection Project
Monitor: Sabdy Braathen		
Date: March 19, 2026	**Start Time (24 hour):** 05:50	**Stop Time (24 hour):** 10:26
Weather (Temperature, wind speed, cloud cover, precipitation): 70 ° F, 4 mph mph, 0 %, None		
Start Location: Zone 10S 716310E 4059231N		

Worker Environmental Education Program provided: ☐ **Yes** ☑ **No**

Daily activities and compliance summary in format of Time – Activity (i.e., 07:00 – Arrived at project site):

07:01 - Trenching

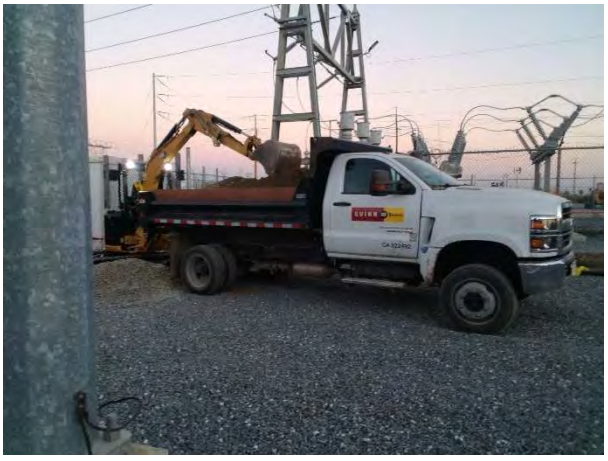
Type of Monitoring: Continuous Monitoring

Additional Notes: Trench within GSU measures 5 foot width, 20 foot in length

Location: 10S 716302E 4059208N

Depth of Ground Disturbance: 3 foot

Soils/Lithology Description: Previously disturbed sediments



07:01 Facing west
Trenching 45° out of GSU

07:49 - Trenching

Type of Monitoring: Continuous Monitoring

Additional Notes: Mini excavator is trenching for gen tie

Location: 10S 716295E 4059210N

Depth of Ground Disturbance: 3 foot

Soils/Lithology Description: Previously disturbed sediments, brown silty loam with imported gravel and imported sand

Daily Monitoring Report

07:49 Facing south
Spoils piles

08:49 - Trenching

Type of Monitoring: Continuous Monitoring

Additional Notes: Trenching out of GSU in 45°. Dumping spoils in small dump truck. 15 foot long trench was excavated today.

Location: 10S 716291E 4059211N

Depth of Ground Disturbance: 3 foot

Soils/Lithology Description: Imported sand, imported gravel and previously disturbed sediments.

08:49 Facing southeast
Trench overview

Summary of project related communications:
Contra Costa Electric and MRP gave safety pre briefing talk. Crew will be trenching out of GSU, adding gravel and backfilling.

☑ **COMPLIANCE** ☐ **REMEDIATION ACTION NEEDED** (see Non Compliance Report)

See final page for additional notes regarding non-compliances, if any.

Native American Monitor present? ☐ Yes ☑ No

Archaeological Discovery Made? ☐ Yes ☑ No

Safety Concerns? ☐ Yes ☑ No

Daily Monitoring Report

Project Number: 25-18267	**Project Name:** Midway BESS Interconnection Project	
Monitor: Lindsey Younger		
Date: March 23, 2026	**Start Time (24 hour):** 07:00	**Stop Time (24 hour):** 15:05
Weather (Temperature, wind speed, cloud cover, precipitation): 87 ° F, >1 mph mph, 0 %, None		
Start Location: Zone 10S 716299E 4059199N		

Worker Environmental Education Program provided: ☐ **Yes** ☑ **No**

Daily activities and compliance summary in format of Time – Activity (i.e., 07:00 – Arrived at project site):

11:26 - Trench excavation

Type of Monitoring: Continuous Monitoring

Additional Notes: Teichert used a CAT 303.5 excavator to remove gravel from the surface level. A 3-foot wide bucket attachment was used to excavte a 4 feet wide 2 feet deep trench.

Location: 10S 716295E 4059208N

Depth of Ground Disturbance: 2 Feet.

Soils/Lithology Description: Subangular gravel and brown sandy fill soil

11:26 Facing northwest
Teichert clearing gravel.

12:19 - Trench excavation

Type of Monitoring: Continuous Monitoring

Additional Notes: Teichert used a CAT 303.5 excavator to remove gravel from the surface level. A 3 ft wide bucket attachment was used to excavte a 4 feet wide 2 feet deep trench.

Location: 10S 716295E 4059208N

Depth of Ground Disturbance: 2 Feet

Soils/Lithology Description: Subangular gravel and brown sandy fill soil

Daily Monitoring Report

12:19 Facing east
Teichert excavating the trench.

14:25 - Trench excavation

Type of Monitoring: Continuous Monitoring

Additional Notes: Teichert used a CAT 303.5 excavator to remove gravel from the surface level. A 3 foot wide bucket attachment was used to excavate a 4 feet wide 2 feet deep trench.

Location: 10S 716295E 4059207N

Depth of Ground Disturbance: 2 Feet

Soils/Lithology Description: Subangular gravel and brown sandy fill soil

14:25 Facing northwest. End of the day overview.

Summary of project related communications:

☑ **COMPLIANCE** ☐ **REMEDIATION ACTION NEEDED** (see Non Compliance Report)

See final page for additional notes regarding non-compliances, if any.

Native American Monitor present? ☐ Yes ☑ No

Archaeological Discovery Made? ☐ Yes ☑ No

Safety Concerns? ☐ Yes ☑ No

Daily Monitoring Report

Project Number: 25-18267		**Project Name:** Midway BESS Interconnection Project
Monitor: Lindsey Younger		
Date: March 24, 2026	**Start Time (24 hour):** 07:00	**Stop Time (24 hour):** 16:25
Weather (Temperature, wind speed, cloud cover, precipitation): 86 ° F, 1-5 mph mph, 0 %, None		
Start Location: Zone 10S 716302E 4059199N		

Worker Environmental Education Program provided: ☐ **Yes** ☑ **No**

Daily activities and compliance summary in format of Time – Activity (i.e., 07:00 – Arrived at project site):

07:31 - Trench excavation

Type of Monitoring: Continuous Monitoring

Additional Notes: Teichert used a CAT 303.5 excavator to remove gravel from the surface level. A 3 foot wide bucket attachment was used to excavate a 4 feet wide 3 feet deep trench. Soil and gravel were hauled away in a dump truck.

Location: 10S 716295E 4059208N

Depth of Ground Disturbance: 3 Feet

Soils/Lithology Description: Subangular gravel and brown sandy fill soil

07:31 Facing west
Teichert clearing gravel.

09:16 - Trench excavation

Type of Monitoring: Continuous Monitoring

Additional Notes: Teichert used a CAT 303.5 excavator to remove gravel from the surface level. A 3 foot wide bucket attachment was used to excavte a 4 feet wide 3 feet deep trench. The trench zig zags away from the fence line and widens to approximately 8 foot wide in the transition area. Soil and gravel were hauled away in a dump truck.

Location: 10S 716295E 4059208N

Depth of Ground Disturbance: 3 Feet

Soils/Lithology Description: Subangular gravel and brown sandy fill soil

Daily Monitoring Report

09:16 Facing southwest
Teichert excavating the trench.

16:19 - Trench excavation

Type of Monitoring: Continuous Monitoring

Additional Notes: Teichert used a CAT 303.5 excavator to remove gravel from the surface level. A 3 foot wide bucket attachment was used to excavate a 4 feet wide 3 feet deep trench. Soil and gravel were hauled away in a dump truck.

Location: 10S 716295E 4059207N

Depth of Ground Disturbance: 3 Feet

Soils/Lithology Description: Subangular gravel and brown sandy fill soil

16:19 Facing south
End of the day overview of excavated trench

Summary of project related communications:

☑ **COMPLIANCE** ☐ **REMEDIATION ACTION NEEDED** (see Non Compliance Report)

See final page for additional notes regarding non-compliances, if any.

Native American Monitor present? ☐ Yes ☑ No

Daily Monitoring Report

Archaeological Discovery Made? ☐ Yes ☑ No

Safety Concerns? ☐ Yes ☑ No

Daily Monitoring Report

Project Number: 25-18267		**Project Name:** Midway BESS Interconnection Project
Monitor: Lindsey Younger		
Date: March 25, 2026	**Start Time (24 hour):** 07:00	**Stop Time (24 hour):** 16:30
Weather (Temperature, wind speed, cloud cover, precipitation): 85 ° F, 1-5 mph mph, 0 %, None		
Start Location: Zone 10S 716302E 4059199N		

Worker Environmental Education Program provided: ☐ **Yes** ☑ **No**

Daily activities and compliance summary in format of Time – Activity (i.e., 07:00 – Arrived at project site):

07:47 - Trench excavation

Type of Monitoring: Continuous Monitoring

Additional Notes: Teichert used a CAT 303.5 excavator to remove gravel from the surface level. A 3 foot wide bucket attachment was used to excavate a 4 feet wide 3 feet deep trench. Soil and gravel were hauled away in a dump truck.

Location: 10S 716295E 4059208N

Depth of Ground Disturbance: 3 Feet.

Soils/Lithology Description: Subangular gravel and brown sandy soil

07:47 Facing northwest
Teichert excavating the trench.

09:16 - Trench excavation

Type of Monitoring: Continuous Monitoring

Additional Notes: Teichert used a CAT 303.5 excavator to remove gravel from the surface level. A 3 foot wide bucket attachment was used to excavte a 4 feet wide 3 feet deep trench. Soil and gravel were hauled away in a dump truck.

Location: 10S 716295E 4059208N

Depth of Ground Disturbance: 3 Feet

Soils/Lithology Description: Subangular gravel and brown sandy soil

Daily Monitoring Report

09:16 Facing southeast
Teichert overview of completed section of trench.

16:19 - Trench excavation

Type of Monitoring: Continuous Monitoring

Additional Notes: Teichert used a CAT 303.5 excavator to remove gravel from the surface level. A 3 foot wide bucket attachment was used to excavate a 4 feet wide 3 feet deep trench. Soil and gravel were hauled away in a dump truck. An 8 foot long section of trench was left to separate the excavated sections as a platform for the excavator. This section will be excavated tomorrow.

Location: 10S 716295E 4059207N

Depth of Ground Disturbance: 3feet

Soils/Lithology Description: Subangular gravel and brown sandy soil

16:19 Facing northwest
End of the day overview of excavated trench.

16:20 - Trench excavation

Type of Monitoring: Continuous Monitoring

Additional Notes: Teichert used a CAT 303.5 excavator to remove gravel from the surface level. A 3 foot wide bucket attachment was used to excavate a 4 feet wide 3 feet deep trench. Soil and gravel were hauled away in a dump truck. An 8 ft long section of trench was left to separate the excavated sections as a platform for the excavator. This section will be excavated tomorrow.

Location: 10S 716327E 4059175N

Depth of Ground Disturbance: 3 Feet

Daily Monitoring Report

Soils/Lithology Description: Subangular gravel and brown sandy soil

16:20 Facing south
Soil excavated from the trench.

Summary of project related communications:

☑ **COMPLIANCE** ☐ **REMEDIATION ACTION NEEDED** (see Non Compliance Report)

See final page for additional notes regarding non-compliances, if any.

Native American Monitor present? ☐ Yes ☑ No

Archaeological Discovery Made? ☐ Yes ☑ No

Safety Concerns? ☐ Yes ☑ No

Daily Monitoring Report

Project Number: 25-18267		**Project Name:** Midway BESS Interconnection Project
Monitor: Lindsey Younger		
Date: March 26, 2026	**Start Time (24 hour):** 07:00	**Stop Time (24 hour):** 12:00
Weather (Temperature, wind speed, cloud cover, precipitation): 80 ° F, 1-5 mph mph, 0 %, None		
Start Location: Zone 10S 716302E 4059199N		

Worker Environmental Education Program provided: ☐ **Yes** ☑ **No**

Daily activities and compliance summary in format of Time – Activity (i.e., 07:00 – Arrived at project site):

07:26 - Trench excavation

Type of Monitoring: Continuous Monitoring

Additional Notes: Teichert used a CAT 303.5 excavator to remove gravel from the surface level. A 3 foot wide bucket attachment was used to excavate a 4 feet wide 3 feet deep trench to connect the ends of the trench. Soil and gravel were hauled away in a dump truck.

Location: 10S 716295E 4059208N

Depth of Ground Disturbance: 3 Feet

Soils/Lithology Description: Subangular gravel and brown sandy soil

07:26 Facing northwest
Teichert excavating the trench.

09:00 - Trench excavation

Type of Monitoring: Continuous Monitoring

Additional Notes: Teichert used a CAT 303.5 excavator to remove gravel from the surface level. A 3 foot wide bucket attachment was used to excavate a 4 feet wide 3 feet deep trench. Soil and gravel were hauled away in a dump truck.

Location: 10S 716295E 4059208N

Depth of Ground Disturbance: 3 Feet

Soils/Lithology Description: Subangular gravel and brown sandy soil

Daily Monitoring Report

09:00 Facing south
Teichert overview of completed section of trench.

09:17 - Trench excavation

Type of Monitoring: Continuous Monitoring

Additional Notes: Teichert used a CAT 303.5 excavator to remove gravel from the surface level. Teichert moved to the E end of the trench and began excavating a 5 feet wide 4 feet deep trench. Soil and gravel were hauled away in a dump truck.

Location: 10S 716295E 4059207N

Depth of Ground Disturbance: 4 Feet

Soils/Lithology Description: Subangular gravel and brown sandy soil

09:17 Facing southeast
Teichert excavating the E end of trench.

11:15 - Trench excavation

Type of Monitoring: Continuous Monitoring

Additional Notes: Teichert completed the trench up the access road. The maximum depth of the trench is 4 feet and the maximum width is 5 feet. The soil remained consistent throughout the trench.

Location: 10S 716327E 4059175N

Depth of Ground Disturbance: 4 feet.

Soils/Lithology Description: Subangular gravel and brown sandy soil

Daily Monitoring Report

11:15 Facing northwest
End of the day overview of excavated trench.

Summary of project related communications:
Excavation is expected to continue Wednesday 4/1 to be confirmed.

☑ **COMPLIANCE** ☐ **REMEDIATION ACTION NEEDED** (see Non Compliance Report)

See final page for additional notes regarding non-compliances, if any.

Native American Monitor present? ☐ Yes ☑ No

Archaeological Discovery Made? ☐ Yes ☑ No

Safety Concerns? ☐ Yes ☑ No