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Subject: MISSION ROCK ENERGY CENTER (15-AFC-02) STATUS REPORT #18

Staff submits the following status report #18 for the Mission Rock Energy Center.

PSA Workshop

Staff had proposed to conduct a Preliminary Staff Assessment (PSA) Workshop on February 15 and 16, 2018. Staff did not notice the workshop due to two factors. First, February 15 and 16 turned out to be less than ideal for one of the key intervening parties, who were unable to participate in a mid-February PSA Workshop. Secondly, staff agrees with the applicant that the PSA Workshop would be more productive following the February 28, 2018 deadline to provide supplemental PSA information established by the Mission Rock Committee's January 19, 2018 Order Suspending Comment Period On Preliminary Staff Assessment Published November 27, 2017.

Upon further discussion with the applicant and intervenor, staff can report that late March, 2018 is the next best time to conduct a PSA Workshop when all parties are available to participate. It is still the intention of staff and the applicant that the PSA Workshop be held in the city of Santa Paula at the Santa Paula Community Center. Staff will send notice of the workshop as soon as the final dates are confirmed and all parties to the proceeding are confirmed.