NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The Kern County Planning Commission will hold a hearing on Thursday, June 13, 2013, at 7:00 p.m. (or as soon as possible thereafter as the matter may be heard) to consider the request listed below. Anyone wishing to give pertinent testimony may appear and be heard. Location of the hearing is:

Chambers of the Board of Supervisors

First Floor - Kern County Administrative Center

1115 Truxtun Avenue (corner of Truxtun and "N"), Bakersfield, California

Free parking is available in the parking structure located south of the Administrative Center. If parking fees are being charged for an event, inform the parking attendant you are attending the Planning Commission hearing, and you will not be charged.

Applicant: Hydrogen Energy International, LLC by Manatt, Phelps, and Phillips, LLP (PP12328)

Location: West of Tupman Road, south of Adohr Road, west of Interstate 5, northwest of Tupman area; Supervisorial District 4 - Couch

Proposal: Cancellation of an approximate 72-acre portion of an existing Williamson Act Land Use Contract within Agricultural Preserve No. 3. This project qualifies as a special situation and does not require preparation of further environmental documents pursuant to Section 15271 of the State CEQA Guidelines.

If you have comments about this proposal you are encouraged to send them in writing. We encourage the submittal of written comments by <u>May 29, 2013</u>, so that those comments may be considered when Staff formulates its recommendation; however, written comments may be submitted anytime prior to, or at, the public hearing. Correspondence should be sent to:

Kern County Planning and Community Development Department 2700 "M" Street, Suite 100 Bakersfield, CA 93301

Please make reference to the file number: Cancellation #13-01, Map #120

If you have questions regarding this project, telephone the Kern County Planning and Community Development Department and speak to:

Janice K. Mayes, Planner 2 ((661) 862-8793)

If you challenge the action taken on this request in court, you may be limited to raising only those issues you or someone else raised at this public hearing, or in written correspondence delivered to the Planning and Community Development Department at, or prior to, the public hearing.











