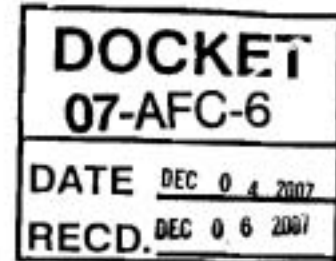


From: "Heather Blair" <HBlair@aspenerg.com>
To: "Marilyn Fluharty" <MFluharty@dfg.ca.gov>
CC: "Warren Wong" <WWong@dfg.ca.gov>, "Rick York" <Ryork@energy.state.ca...>
Date: 12/5/2007 11:32 AM
Subject: RE: Carlsbad Energy Center Project

Thank you.

—Original Message—

From: Marilyn Fluharty [mailto:MFluharty@dfg.ca.gov]
Sent: Tuesday, December 04, 2007 2:10 PM
To: Heather Blair
Cc: Warren Wong
Subject: RE: Carlsbad Energy Center Project



Hello Heather,
 Sorry it took so long to get back to you. We reviewed the document but do not have any substantial comments. The mitigation is appropriate and follows Carlsbad's MHCP.

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>>> "Heather Blair" <HBlair@aspenerg.com> 11/28/2007 11:23 AM >>>

Hi Marilyn,
 The CEC docket's office should've mailed a CD to you last Wednesday. Please confirm that you received it and after you've had a chance to review it, please give me a call to discuss or I will check in with you in the next few days. Thank you.

Heather Blair
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—Original Message—

From: Marilyn Fluharty [mailto:MFluharty@dfg.ca.gov]
Sent: Wednesday, November 14, 2007 4:10 PM
To: Heather Blair; Warren Wong
Subject: RE: Carlsbad Energy Center Project

Hi Heather,
 To date, I haven't received any documentation.

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>>> "Heather Blair" <HBlair@aspenerg.com> 11/13/2007 3:38 PM >>>

Hi Marilyn. Did you receive a copy of the AFC for the Carlsbad Energy Center Project at the Encina Power Station? I look forward to discussing this project with you and Warren when you've had a chance to review the AFC. Please let me know if you still have not received it and I will follow up.

Thanks,

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—Original Message—

From: Marilyn Fluharty [mailto:MFluharty@dfg.ca.gov]
Sent: Thursday, November 01, 2007 5:16 PM
To: Heather Blair; Warren Wong
Subject: Re: Carlsbad Energy Center Project

Hi Heather,
I rechecked our database and we have not received this project yet.

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>>> "Heather Blair" <HBlair@aspeneg.com> 11/1/2007 11:35 AM >>>
Hi Warren,

As a consultant to the California Energy Commission, I am preparing the biological resources section of the Preliminary Staff Assessment for the Carlsbad Energy Center Project. The proposed project is located at the existing Encina Power Station and adjacent to the Agua Hedionda Lagoon. Please see attached map for project location and CNDDDB results.

Generally, the project would occupy 23 acres and would require 10 acres of temporary disturbance and would consist of an air-cooled 540 MW combined-cycle generating facility and associated electric, natural gas, reclaimed water, and sanitary sewer interconnection. The project footprint, with the exception of the 3,700-foot reclaimed water pipeline, would be within the existing, disturbed and developed Encina Power Station.

Although most of the project footprint is within the existing Encina Power Station, there is a potential for adverse indirect impacts to biological resources in and around the Agua Hedionda Lagoon.

According to the Applicant's Records of Conversation, you were contacted

but hadn't received the AFC yet. Have you (and/or Marilyn) received it yet? You also stated that the CECP is well outside the Ecological Reserve and identified the need to analyze indirect effects to species/habitat inside and outside the ER. I'd appreciate the opportunity to discuss this project with you, including any concerns of CDFG. I am also working with Marci Koski (USFWS). I look forward to working with you and will give you a call later today.

Thank you,

Heather Blair

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