Notice of Staff Data Response & Issue Resolution Workshop for Orange Grove Energy (08-AFC-4)

The California Energy Commission will conduct a Data Response and Issue Resolution Workshop for the Orange Grove Project on September 11, 2008. The purpose of the workshop is to discuss Orange Grove Energy, LP's responses to the Energy Commission staff's data requests and to facilitate the resolution of related issues and concerns. All interested agencies and members of the public are invited to participate. The workshop will be held:

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 11, 2008
1:00 P.M.
FALLBROOK PUBLIC UTILITIES DISTRICT
990 EAST MISSION ROAD
FALLBROOK, CA 92028
Wheelchair Accessible
(Map Attached)

Purpose
The Energy Commission is currently reviewing Orange Grove Energy, LP’s Application for Certification for the proposed development of the Orange Grove Project. To facilitate its review of the Application for Certification, the Energy Commission published data requests on August 5, 2008 for the following technical areas: air quality, alternatives, biological resources, cultural resources, hazardous materials management, public health, socioeconomics, soil and water resources, transmission system engineering, waste management, and worker safety/fire protection.

The September 11, 2008 Data Response and Issue Resolution Workshop will focus on Orange Grove Energy, LP's responses to staff's data requests, and the resolution of related issues and concerns. Following the workshop, staff will consider the responses and comments it receives, and publish a Final Staff Assessment containing an analysis of issues, recommendations for mitigation of impacts and conditions of certification.
Background
On June 19, 2008, Orange Grove Energy, LP filed an Application for Certification with the Energy Commission for the Orange Grove Project. Orange Grove Energy, LP is seeking Energy Commission approval to construct and operate a 96 megawatt (MW) generating facility in unincorporated northern San Diego County, under the Commission's standard 12-month power plant licensing process. The proposed generating facility would consist of natural gas-fired electric generation equipment and ancillary systems including electric and gas transmission lines, water and wastewater distribution and collection systems. If approved, the generating facility would be built on an 8.5-acre abandoned orchard site located 5 miles east of the town of Fallbrook.

Public Participation
The Energy Commission’s Public Adviser’s Office provides the public with assistance in participating in Commission activities. If you want information on how to participate in this proceeding, please contact the Public Adviser’s Office at (916) 654-4489, toll free at (800) 822-6228, by FAX at (916) 654-4493, or by e-mail at pao@energy.state.ca.us. If you have a disability and require assistance to participate, please contact Lou Quiroz at (916) 654-5146 at least five days in advance.

Questions
General information about the proposed generating facility and related documents are available on the Energy Commission’s website at www.energy.ca.gov/sitingcases/orangegrovepeaker/index.html.

Please direct all news media inquiries to the Energy Commission’s media office at (916) 654-4989 or e-mail at mediaoffice@energy.state.ca.us. For technical questions on the subject matter, please contact Felicia Miller, Project Manager at (916) 654-4640 or by e-mail at fmiller@energy.state.ca.us. If you are unable to attend the workshop, written comments may be sent to the Project Manager electronically or to the Energy Commission’s street address shown on the letterhead of this notice.

Date: 8/25/08

Terrence O’Brien, Deputy Director
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Proof of Service List
Mail Lists: 7245, 7246, 7247, 4248
From Interstate 15 (I-15):

Exit I-15 at Mission Road (Exit 51) towards Fallbrook, turn left onto East Mission Road, then proceed approximately 8.5 miles to 990 East Mission Road.
APPLICATION FOR CERTIFICATION
ORANGE GROVE POWER
PLANT PROJECT

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PROOF OF SERVICE
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INSTRUCTIONS: All parties shall either (1) send an original signed document plus 12 copies or (2) mail one original signed copy AND e-mail the document to the address for the Docket as shown below, AND (3) all parties shall also send a printed or electronic copy of the document, which includes a proof of service declaration to each of the individuals on the proof of service list shown below:

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DECLARATION OF SERVICE

I, April Albright, declare that on August 28, 2008, I deposited copies of the attached Notice of Staff Data Response & Issue Resolution Workshop for Orange Grove Energy (08-AFC-4) (English & Spanish version) in the United States mail at Sacramento, CA with first-class postage thereon fully prepaid and addressed to those identified on the Proof of Service list above.

OR

Transmission via electronic mail was consistent with the requirements of California Code of Regulations, title 20, sections 1209, 1209.5, and 1210. All electronic copies were sent to all those identified on the Proof of Service list above.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

April Albright