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Description:	The workshop will be held in two sessions as follows: Tuesday, February 2, 2021•9:30 a.m.: Session 1 - California Economy Now and in the Future https://energy.zoom.us/j/96551603449?pwd=WDFoVnJycmFtVlhSNIN1dFB5M3lnQT09Webinar ID: 965 5160 3449Webinar Passcode:IEPR2021•1:00 p.m.: Session 2 - Post Covid-19 Transportation Future and California's Post Covid-19 Business Economy https://energy.zoom.us/j/92989638100?pwd=UjIXbDdqcllJSjlpOGZ1bXczM25GUT09Webinar ID: 929 8963 8100Webinar Passcode:IEPR2021
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**IN THE MATTER OF:**

*2021 Integrated Energy Policy Report
(2021 IEPR)*

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NOTICE OF REMOTE-ACCESS
WORKSHOP

RE: California's Evolving Economic
and Demographic Landscape

Notice of IEPR Commissioner Workshop on California's Evolving Economic and Demographic Landscape

The lead California Energy Commission (CEC) commissioner for the *2021 Integrated Energy Policy Report (2021 IEPR)*, J. Andrew McAllister, will host a remote-access workshop to solicit comments on California's evolving economic and demographic landscape.

A quorum of commissioners may participate but no votes will be taken.

The workshop will be held remotely, consistent with Executive Orders N-25-20 and N-29-20 and the recommendations from the California Department of Public Health to encourage physical distancing to slow the spread of COVID-19. The public can participate in the workshop consistent with the direction in these Executive Orders.

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<https://energy.zoom.us/j/96551603449?pwd=WDFoVnJycmFtVlhSNIN1dFB5M3lnQT09>
Webinar ID: **965 5160 3449**
Webinar Passcode: **IEPR2021**
- 1:00 p.m.: Session 2 - [Post Covid-19 Transportation Future and California's Post Covid-19 Business Economy](https://energy.zoom.us/j/92989638100?pwd=UjIXbDdqcllJSjlpOGZ1bXczM25GUT09)
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Remote Attendance

Remote access is available by both Internet or call-in options. Participants may join any or all scheduled panel sessions by clicking on the links above or by logging in via Zoom™ at <https://zoom.us/>, entering in the unique Webinar ID, Passcode, and following all prompts.

To participate by telephone, call Zoom toll-free at (888) 475-4499 or 669-219-2599. When prompted, input the unique Webinar ID and Passcode for the session of your choice.

If you experience difficulties joining, you may contact Zoom at (888) 799-9666 ext. 2, or the Public Advisor's Office at publicadvisor@energy.ca.gov, or by phone at (916) 654-4489.

Agenda

The February 2, 2021, workshop provides an opportunity for commissioners, energy demand forecasters, CEC staff, and stakeholders to obtain further insight on possible state economic outcomes. The information gained from this workshop will enhance the 2021 California Energy Demand Forecast. The workshop will present three panels of experts to discuss California's economic and demographic context, transportation future, and business climate. A moderator will pose questions regarding major economic and demographic issues to each of the panels.

The morning session will include a panel comprised of demographers and economists with both state and regional expertise. The panelists will discuss California's projected economy given COVID-19's impact and California's changing population characteristics.

The afternoon session will include the second and third panels. The second panel, comprised of transportation experts, will discuss the impact of stay-at-home orders and the post-pandemic transportation future. The third panel includes a diverse set of industry representatives from California who will explore the future of the state's industry sectors. A detailed meeting schedule will be posted prior to the workshop on the [IEPR web page](https://www.energy.ca.gov/2021iepr) at <https://www.energy.ca.gov/2021iepr>.

Background

California Public Resources Code Section 25301 requires the CEC to prepare an IEPR every two years that includes assessments and forecasts of all aspects of energy industry supply, production, transportation, delivery and distribution, demand, and prices. The CEC develops these assessments and forecasts of the state's electricity and pipeline gas markets, including statewide and regional electricity and gas demand, incorporating factors leading to future demand growth, such as changes in economic activity, population growth, urban development, industrial expansion and energy intensity, growth in different building types, and energy and environmental policies.

Public Comment

Oral comments will be accepted at the end of each session. Comments may be limited to three minutes or less per speaker and one person per organization. Depending on the number of members of the public seeking to make a comment, the facilitator may adjust the total time allotted for public comment and the time allotted for each comment.

If participating via Zoom's online platform, use the "raise hand" feature which will alert the administrator that you would like to make a comment once the lead commissioner opens the floor for public comment.

If participating by telephone, press *9 to "raise your hand" and *6 to mute/unmute. A workshop administrator will call on you by the last four digits of your phone number and you may need to open the microphone on your end before introducing yourself and sharing your comment.

Written comments must be submitted to the Docket Unit by 5:00 p.m. on **February 23, 2021**. The CEC encourages use of its electronic commenting system. Visit the [e-commenting page](https://efiling.energy.ca.gov/Ecomment.aspx?docketnumber=21-IEPR-03) (<https://efiling.energy.ca.gov/Ecomment.aspx?docketnumber=21-IEPR-03>) which links to the comment page for this docket. Enter your contact information and a comment title describing the subject of your comment(s). Comments may be included in the "Comment Text" box or attached as a downloadable, searchable document in Microsoft® Word or Adobe® Acrobat®. The maximum file size allowed is 10 MB.

Written comments may be submitted by email. Include docket number **21-IEPR-03** and **CA's Evolving Economic & Demographic Landscape** in the subject line and email to docket@energy.ca.gov.

If preferred, a paper copy may be sent to:

California Energy Commission
Docket Unit, MS-4
Docket No. 21-IEPR-03
1516 Ninth Street
Sacramento, California 95814-5512

Written and oral comments, attachments, and associated contact information (including address, phone number, and email address) will become part of the public record of this proceeding with access available via any internet search engine.

Contacts

The CEC's Public Advisor's Office provides the public with assistance in participating in CEC proceedings. For information on participation or to request interpreting services or reasonable accommodations, please contact Public Advisor Noemí O. Gallardo at publicadvisor@energy.ca.gov, by phone at (916) 654-4489, or toll free at (800) 822-6228. Requests for interpreting services and

reasonable accommodations should be made at least five days in advance. The CEC will work diligently to accommodate all requests.

Direct media inquiries to mediaoffice@energy.ca.gov or (916) 654-4989.

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Direct general inquiries regarding the IEPR proceeding to Raquel Kravitz, IEPR Project Manager, at raquel.kravitz@energy.ca.gov or (916) 651-8836.

Availability of Documents

Documents and presentations for this meeting will be available at [2021 IEPR Workshops, Notices and Documents \(ca.gov\)](https://efiling.energy.ca.gov/Lists/DocketLog.aspx?docketnumber=21-IEPR-03) at <https://efiling.energy.ca.gov/Lists/DocketLog.aspx?docketnumber=21-IEPR-03>

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Dated: Monday, January 11, 2021, at Sacramento, California

J. Andrew McAllister
Lead Commissioner for the 2021 IEPR

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