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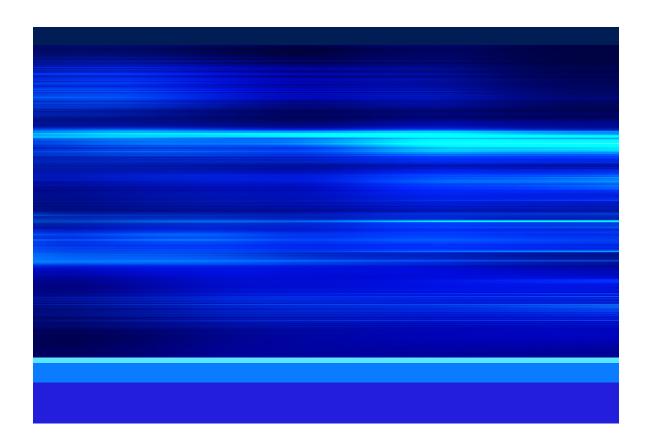
Revised General Arrangement Refinement

Submitted to California Energy Commission

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Introduction

Black Rock Geothermal LLC¹ (Applicant) is submitting this project refinement to the California Energy Commission (CEC), which consists of an updated general arrangement drawing for the Black Rock Geothermal Project (BRGP) (23-AFC-03) Application for Certification (AFC).

The updated general arrangement drawing include shifting equipment around the project site to reduce material or construction costs. Equipment designs, physical parameters (height, width, lengths) and throughputs have not changed, with the exception of the cooling tower, which has increased from seven cells to nine cells. In addition, some well pads have been slightly altered in size and orientation but remain in the same proximate locations.

New or revised figures from the BRGP AFC will have "R" following the original number, indicating revision 1.

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Acronyms and Abbreviations

AFC Application for Certification

ANSI American National Standards Institute

ARMR Archaeological Resource Management Report

BHER BHE Renewables

CEC California Energy Commission

CCR California Code of Regulations

CDFW California Department of Fish and Wildlife

CEQA California Environmental Quality Act

CFR Code of Federal Regulations

CNEL Community Noise Equivalent Level

CPUC California Public Utilities Commission

DA Data Adequacy

EMF Electric and Magnetic Fields

ENGP Elmore North Geothermal Project

ESA Environmental Site Assessment

FAA Federal Aviation Administration

IEEE Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers

LORS laws, ordinances, regulations, and standards

NESC National Electrical Safety Code

NFPA National Fire Protection Association

NAHC Native American Heritage Commission

NPCA Notice of Proposed Construction or Alteration

PRC Public Resource Code

TLS&N Transmission Line Safety and Nuisance

USACE US Army Corps of Engineers

USFWS US Fish and Wildlife Service

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1. Project Description Refinements

The Applicant has identified refinements to the orientation, placement, number, and type of specific pieces of equipment on the BRGP site. The production or re-injection of geothermal fluid and the throughput of process equipment remain as proposed in the AFC.

The project description refinements are as follows:

- Reduced Number of Emergency Diesel Generators: The number of generators have been decreased from 4 to 3 due to updated operational electrical load information. The generators have been relocated nearer to the medium voltage bus to optimize the design and reduce quantities.
- Stormwater Retention Basin Relocated to be more central to the project site.
- Change to Storage of Hydrochloric acid (HCL): Increase the amount of hydrochloric acid (HCl) storage from 1,250 gallons of <37% HCl to one 300-gallon tank of dilute HCl (2.5%) and one 10,000-gallon tank of concentrated HCl (<37%). HCl scrubbing system included on concentrated HCl (<37%) tank.
- Addition of a 10,300 gallon tank of liquid lime (42-47% Calcium Hydroxide), used for pH adjustment of the filtrate from Horizontal Belt Filter.
- Horizontal Belt Filter Relocated the belt filter and optimized the truck hauling path to allow for a pull through parking (safer operation), which also reduces pipe rack and piping lengths.
- Combination of administration and warehouse buildings- The administration and control buildings
 were relocated to allow for stronger security control while allowing for public access and parking
 outside of the facility's fence line.
- Power Distribution Centers Optimized power distribution centers locations to support updated electrical load locations.
- Cooling Tower The cooling tower cells increased in number from seven to nine, while still fitting within the original cooling tower footprint.
- Primary/Secondary Clarifiers The clarifiers arrangements were optimized to reduce concrete, pipe rack, piping, and electrical quantities.
- High Pressure (HP) Separators, Standard Pressure (SP) and Low Pressure (LP) Crystallizers Optimized the centerlines (locations) of the HP separators to align with the crystallizers, which also reduced pipe rack quantities.
- Gas Removal System The gas removal system was relocated to below the steam turbine, which
 optimizes the space below the steam turbine.
- Thickener The thickener was relocated closer to the geothermal fluid handling process to reduce pipeline lengths and construction costs.
- Evapotranspiration Bed The evapotranspiration bed location was relocated closer to the control building.
- Chemical Storage Chemical storage locations were optimized for safe loading/unloading and pull through driving/delivery routes.

Based on these changes, the Applicant is submitting the following updated AFC figures by section.

Executive Summary 2.

The following revised BRGP Executive Summary figures are being submitted.

- Figure 1-3 Architectural RenderingFigure 1-4 Project Location

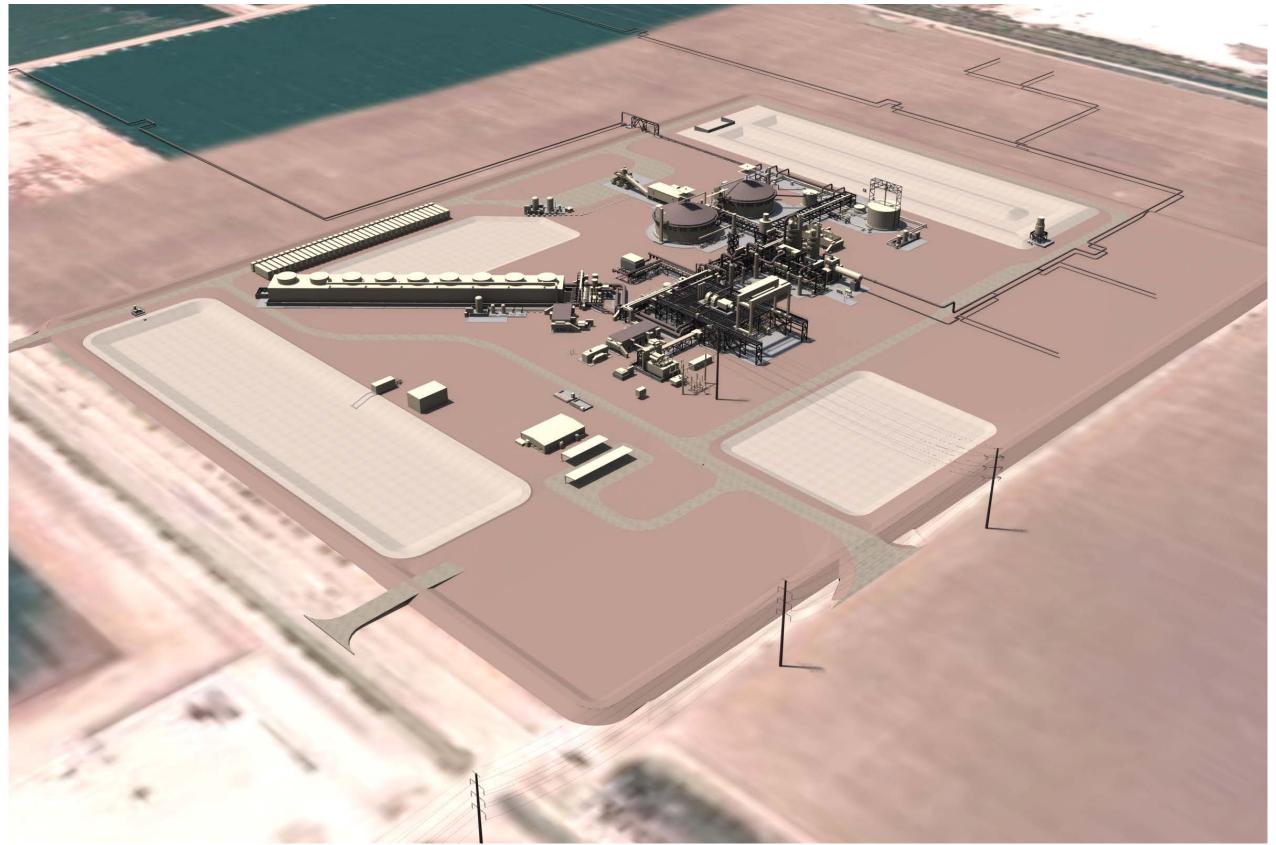
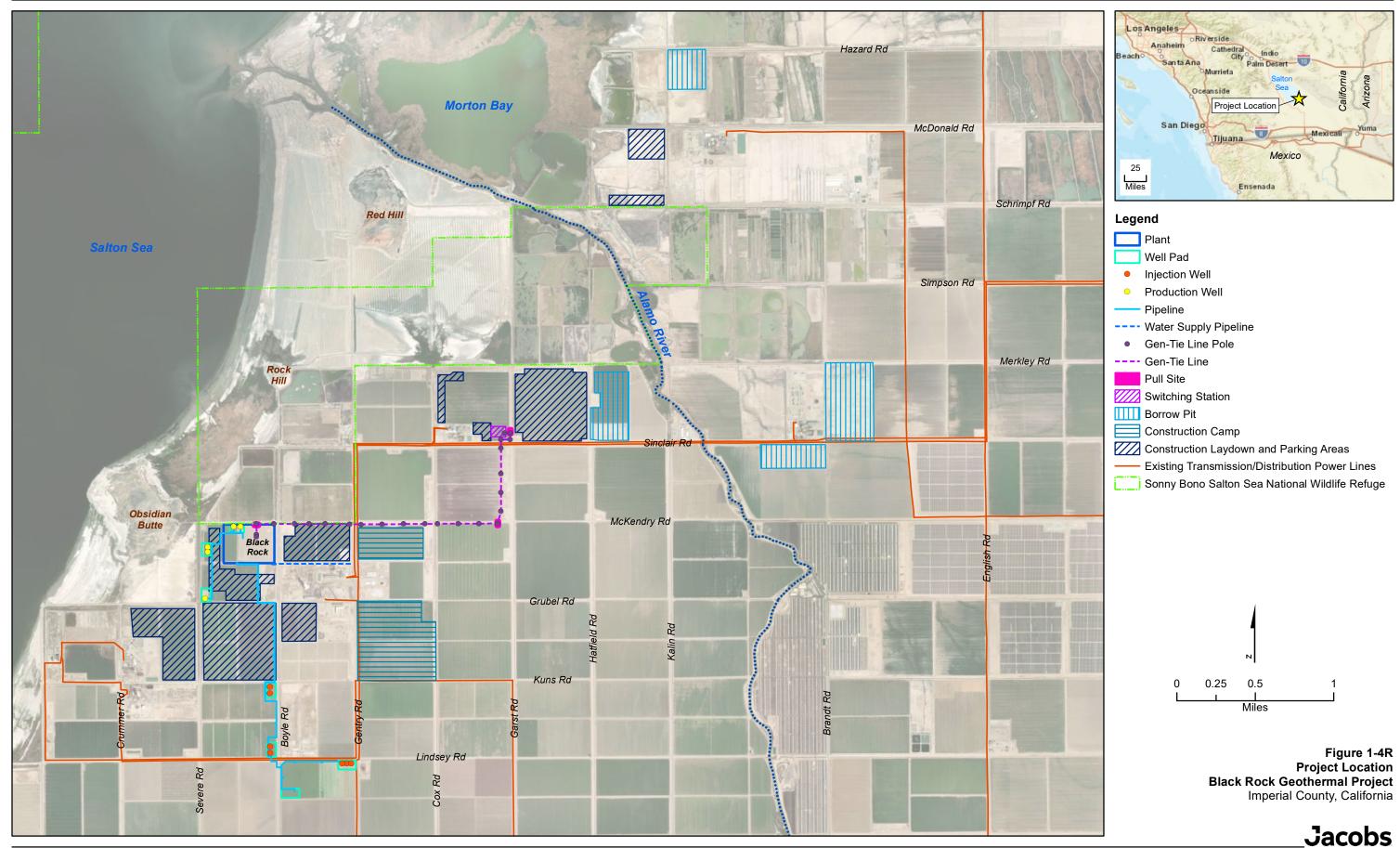


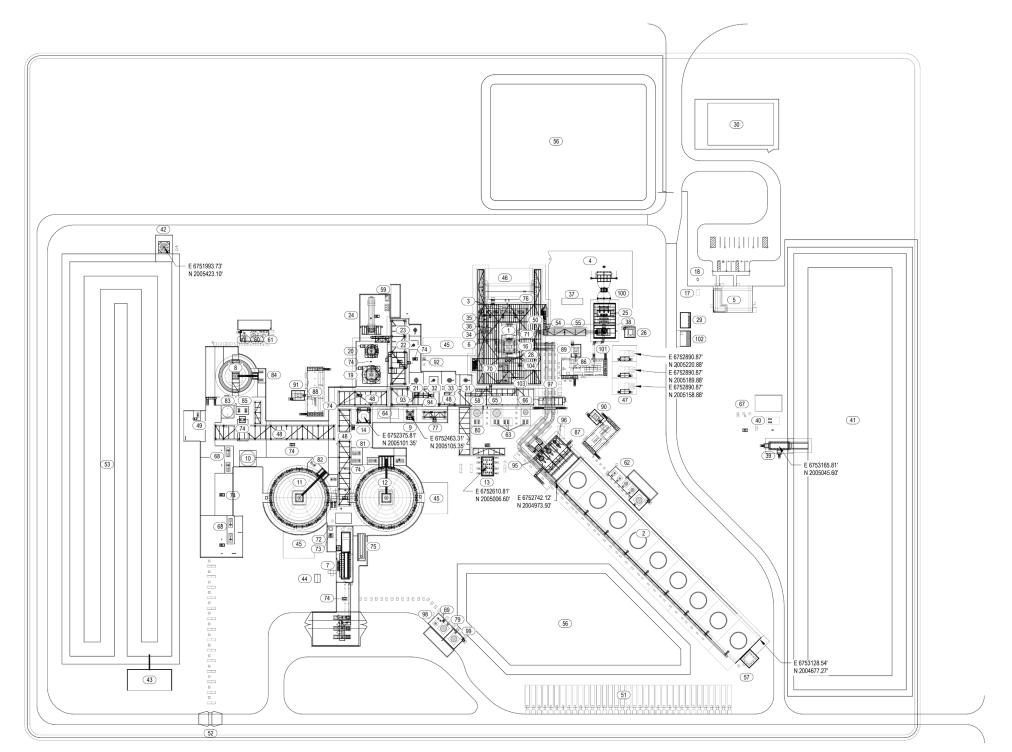
Figure 1-3R
Architectural Rendering,
Black Rock Geothermal Project
Imperial County, California



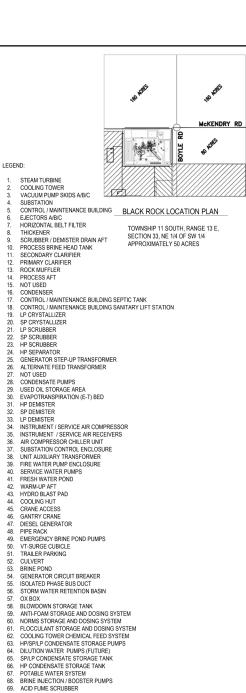
3. Project Description

The following revised BRGP Project Description figures are being submitted.

- Figure 2-1 General Arrangement
- Figure 2-4a Elevation View Looking North
- Figure 2-4b Elevation View Looking South
- Figure 2-4c Elevation View Looking East and West
- Figure 2-6b Post-Construction Drainage
- Figure 2-7a Depth of Excavation
- Figure 2-7b Depth of Excavation
- Figure 2-7c Depth of Excavation
- Figure 2-7d Depth of Excavation
- Figure DA4.0-1a Production Wells
- Figure DA4.0-1b Injection Wells







LEGEND:

88. BRINE MUSECTION / BOOSTER PUMPS
99. ACID FUME SCRUBBER
70. STG LUBE OIL MODULE
17. NEUTRAL GROUND ENCLOSURE
12. SERVICE WATER HOLDING TANK
13. SERVICE WATER BOOSTER PUMP AB
14. AREA SUMP / PUMP
15. HORIZONTAL BELT FILTER COOLER
16. SEAL WATER COOLER
17. SCRUBBER AND DEMISTER DRAINS SETTLING TANK
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78. ANTI-SCALANT REAGENT

79. HYDROCHLORIC ACID DOSING

80. CONDENSATE INJECTION WELL PUMPS

81. PRIMARY CLARIFIER SEED RECYCLE/TRANSFER PUMPS

82. SECONDARY CLARIFIER SEED RECYCLE/TRANSFER PUMPS

83. AERATED BRINE STORAGE TANK

84. THICKENER SEED RECYCLE/TRANSFER PUMPS

84. FEDER DRINE STORAGE TANK

84. THICKENER SEED RECYCLE/TRANSFER PUMPS

85. AERATED RDINE SPORTSEY (IN SECTION DIMPS

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93. SCRUBBIEN DRAIN PUMP
94. DEMISTED DRAIN PUMP
95. COOLING WATER PUMPS
97. CIRCULATING WATER PIPING
98. 2.5% HOT JAMK AND PUMPS
99. LIQUID LIME STORAGE TANK AND PUMPS
100. 230KU REPEAKER

100. 230kV BREAKER
101. NON-SEGREGATED PHASE BUS DUCT
102. NEW OIL STORAGE AREA
103. LUBE OIL COOLER
104. OIL PURIFIER

Figure 2-1R General Arrangement, **Black Rock Geothermal Project** Imperial County, California



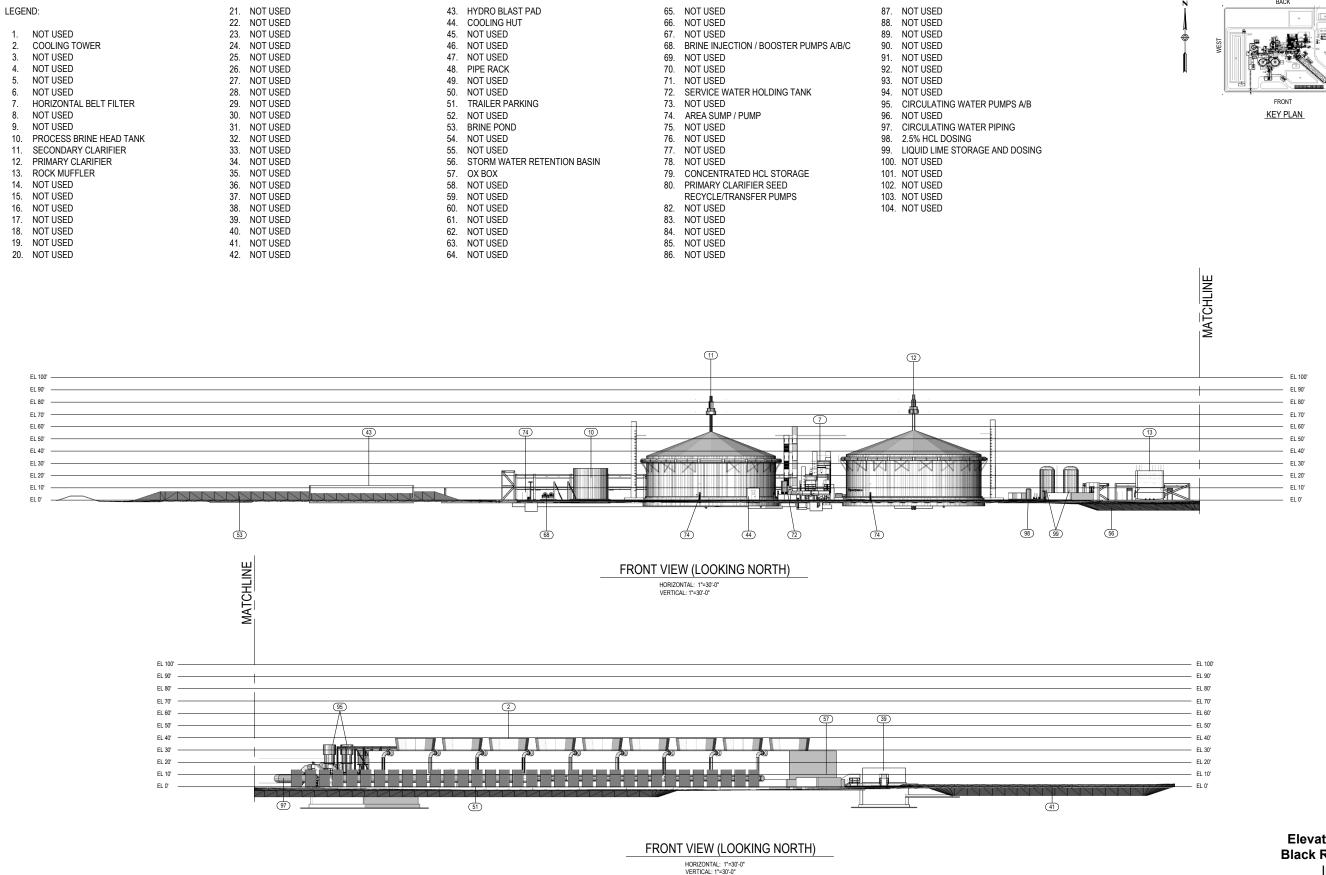
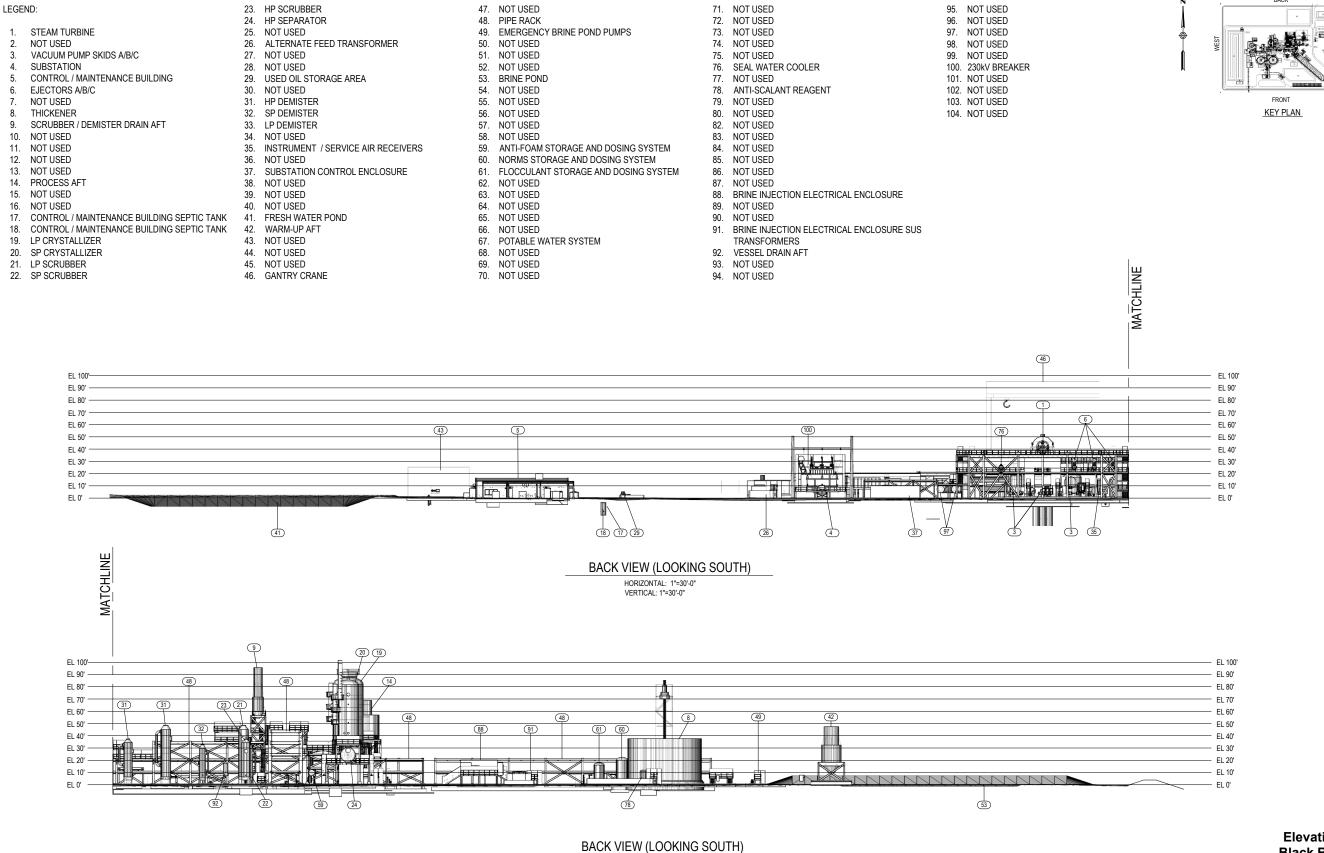


Figure 2-4aR
Elevation View Looking North,
Black Rock Geothermal Project
Imperial County, California

SCALE: 1" = 30'-0"





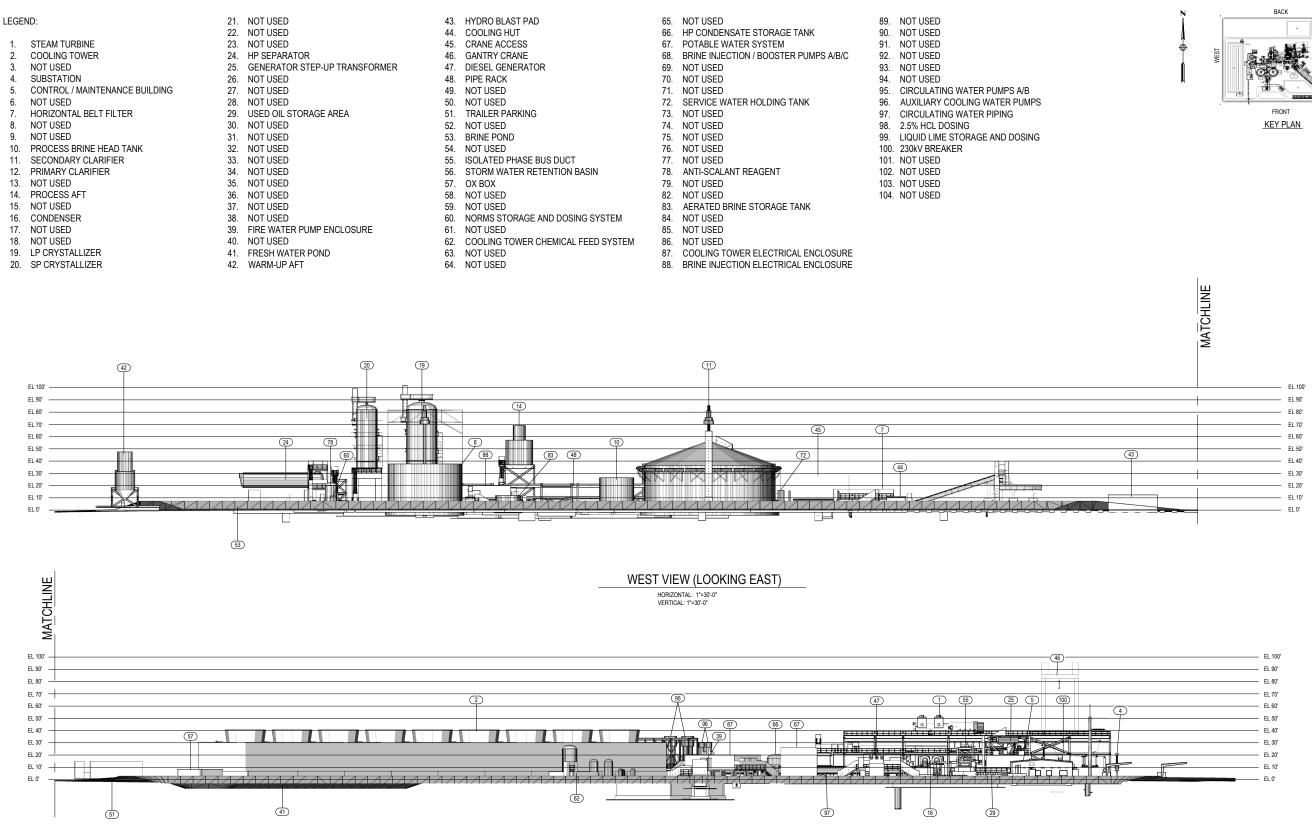
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VERTICAL: 1"=30'-0"

Figure 2-4bR
Elevation View Looking South,
Black Rock Geothermal Project
Imperial County, California

SCALE: 1" = 30'-0"



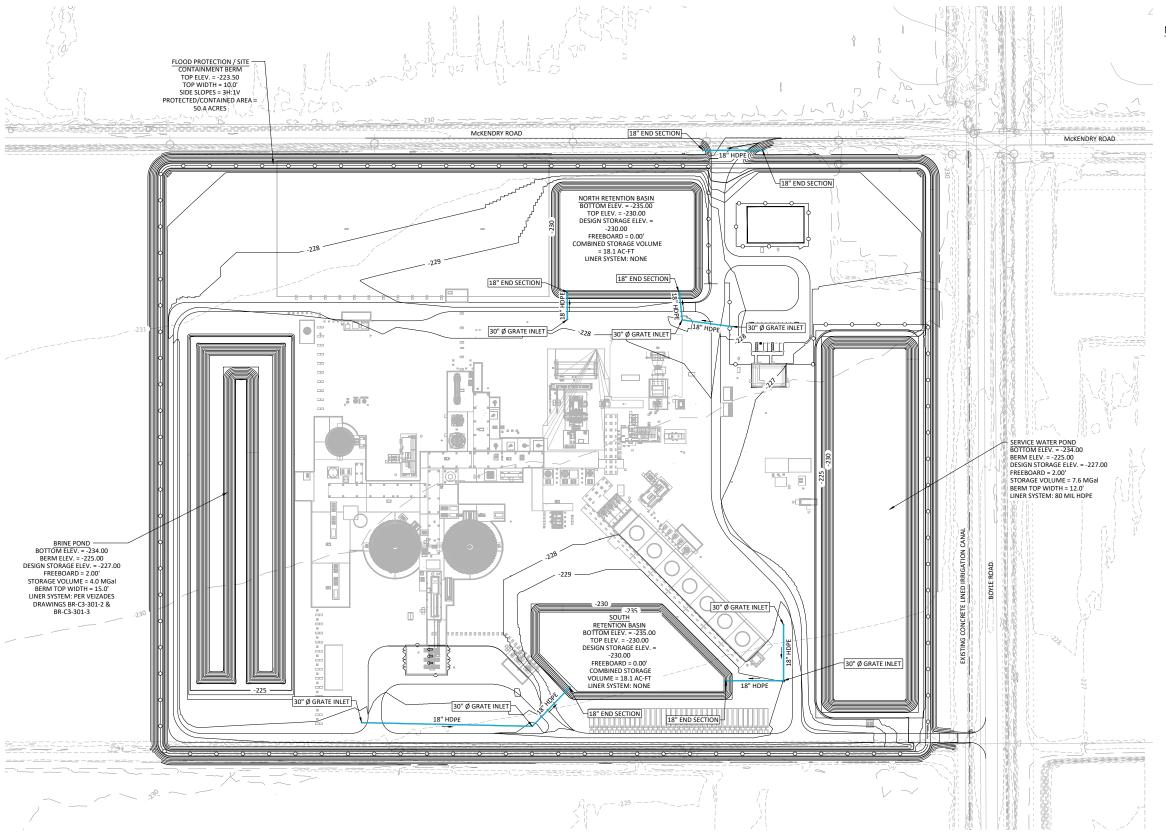


EAST VIEW (LOOKING WEST)

HORIZONTAL: 1"=30'-0" VERTICAL: 1"=30'-0" Figure 2-4cR
Elevation View Looking East and West,
Black Rock Geothermal Project
Imperial County, California

SCALE: 1" = 30'-0"





NOTES:

- PRELIMINARY EARTHWORK QUANTIT
 CUT = 67,746 CY
- BALANCE VOLUMES ARE FROM EXISTING GROUND TO FINISHED GRADE.
- 3. TOP OF CONCRETE IS -227.0 UNLESS SPECIFIED ON THE
- 4. REFER TO PLOT PLAN (PP-001) FOR EQUIPMENT LAYOUT.
- 5. SEE 20046788BR-CS-001 FOR OVERALL SURFACING PLAN.

6.	SITE STORM WATER QUANTITIES:		
	DESCRIPTION	QTY	UN
	18" HDPE	1,107	LF
	-18" HDPE (<5' DEPTH)	856	LF
	-18" HDPE (5'-15' DEPTH)	251	LF
	2.5' DIA INLET	7	EΑ
	-2.5' DIA INLET (<5' DEPTH)	7	EΑ
	18" FLARED END SECTION	6	FA

Figure 2-6bR Post-Construction Drainage, Black Rock Geothermal Project Imperial County, California



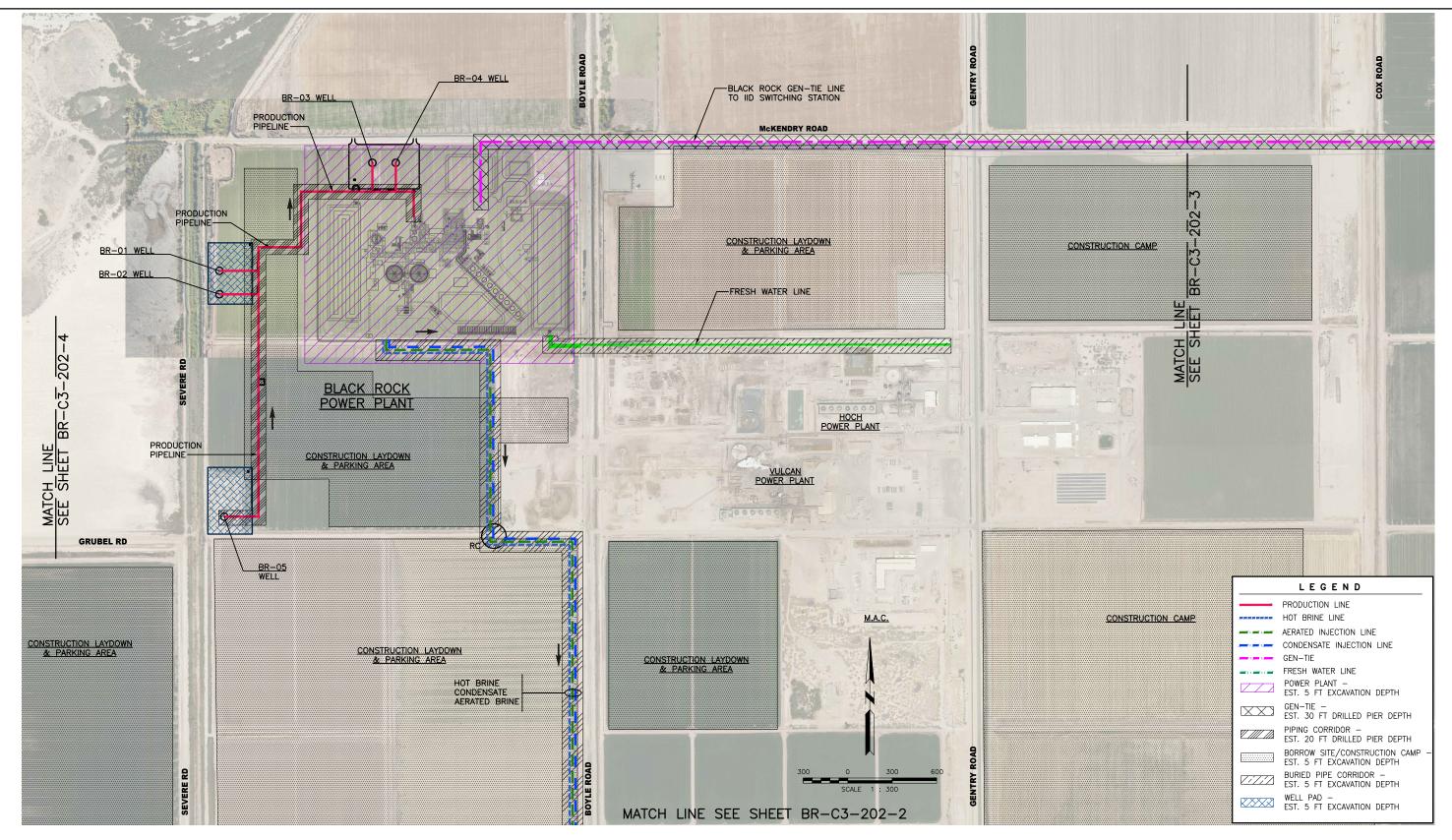


Figure 2-7aR
Depth of Excavation,
Black Rock Geothermal Project
Imperial County, California



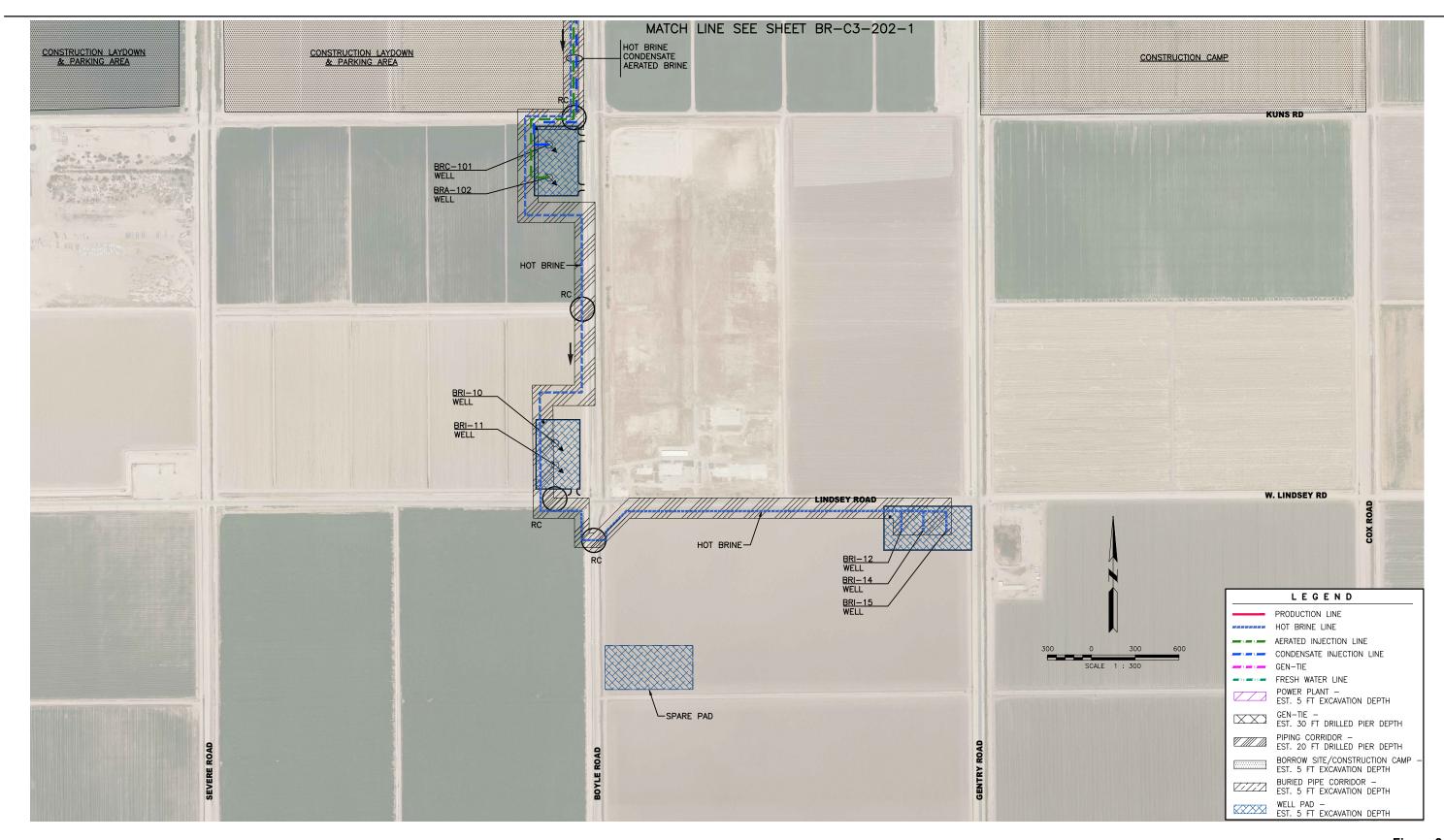


Figure 2-7bR
Depth of Excavation,
Black Rock Geothermal Project
Imperial County, California

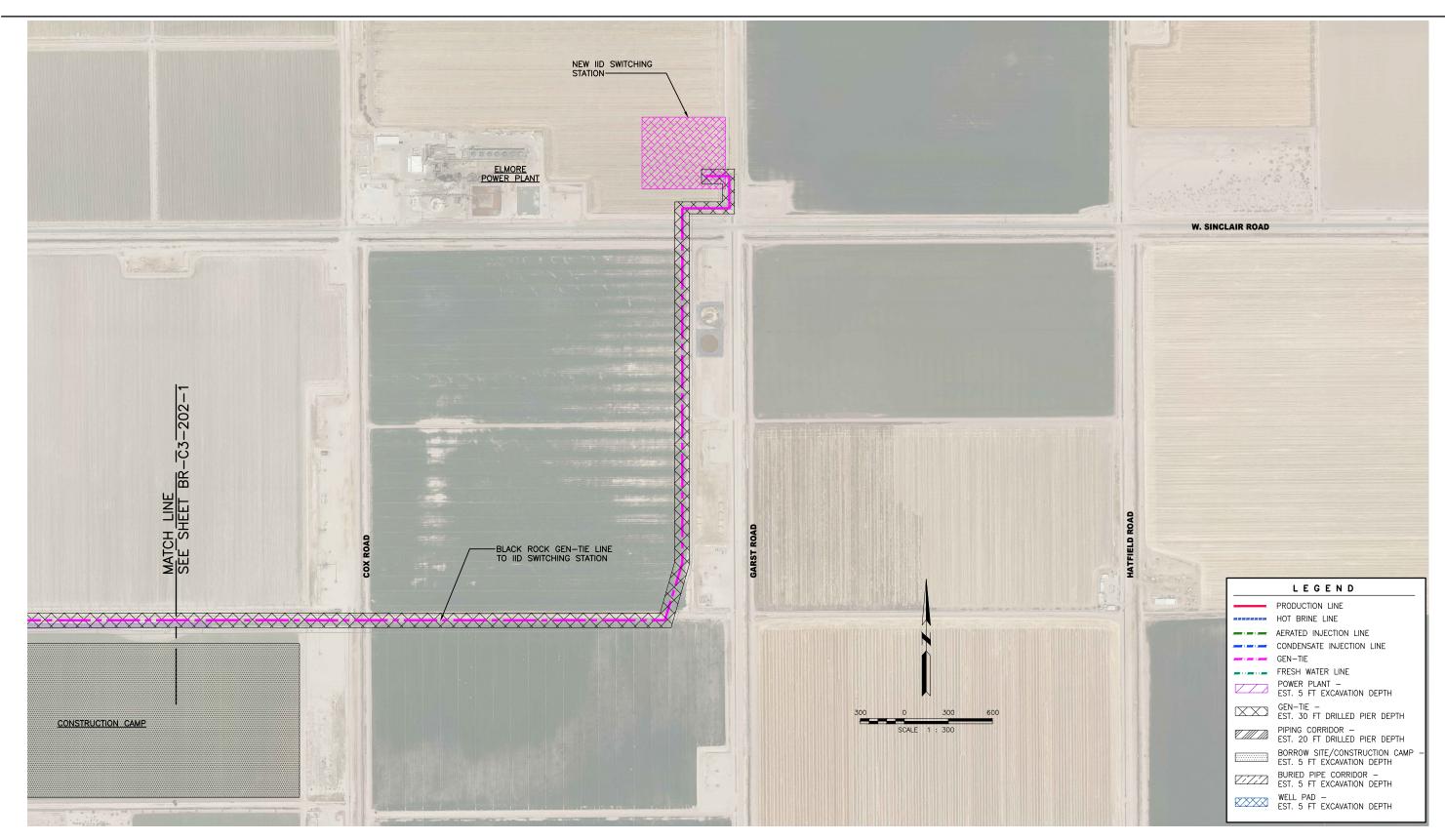


Figure 2-7c
Depth of Excavation,
Black Rock Geothermal Project
Imperial County, California

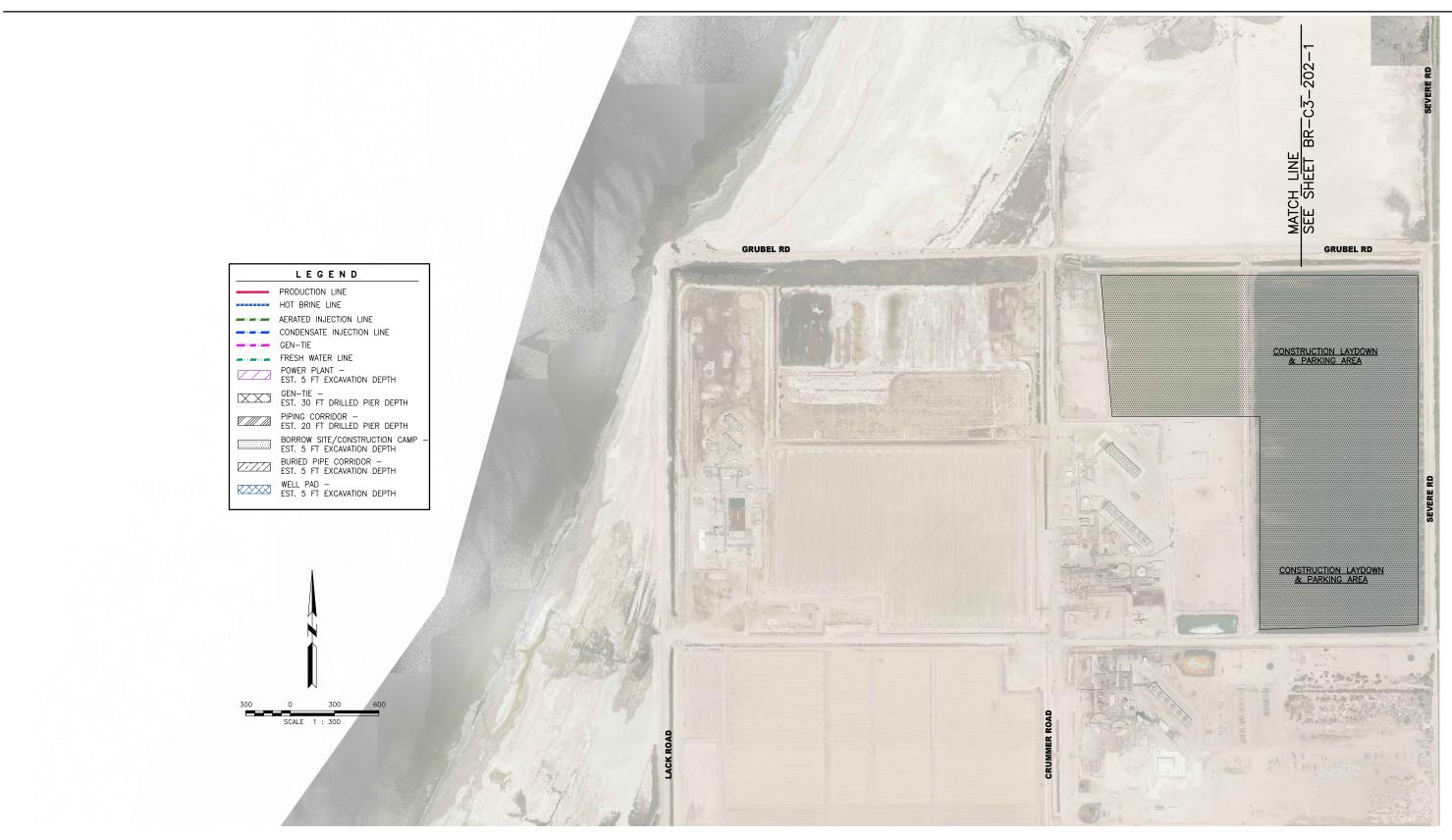
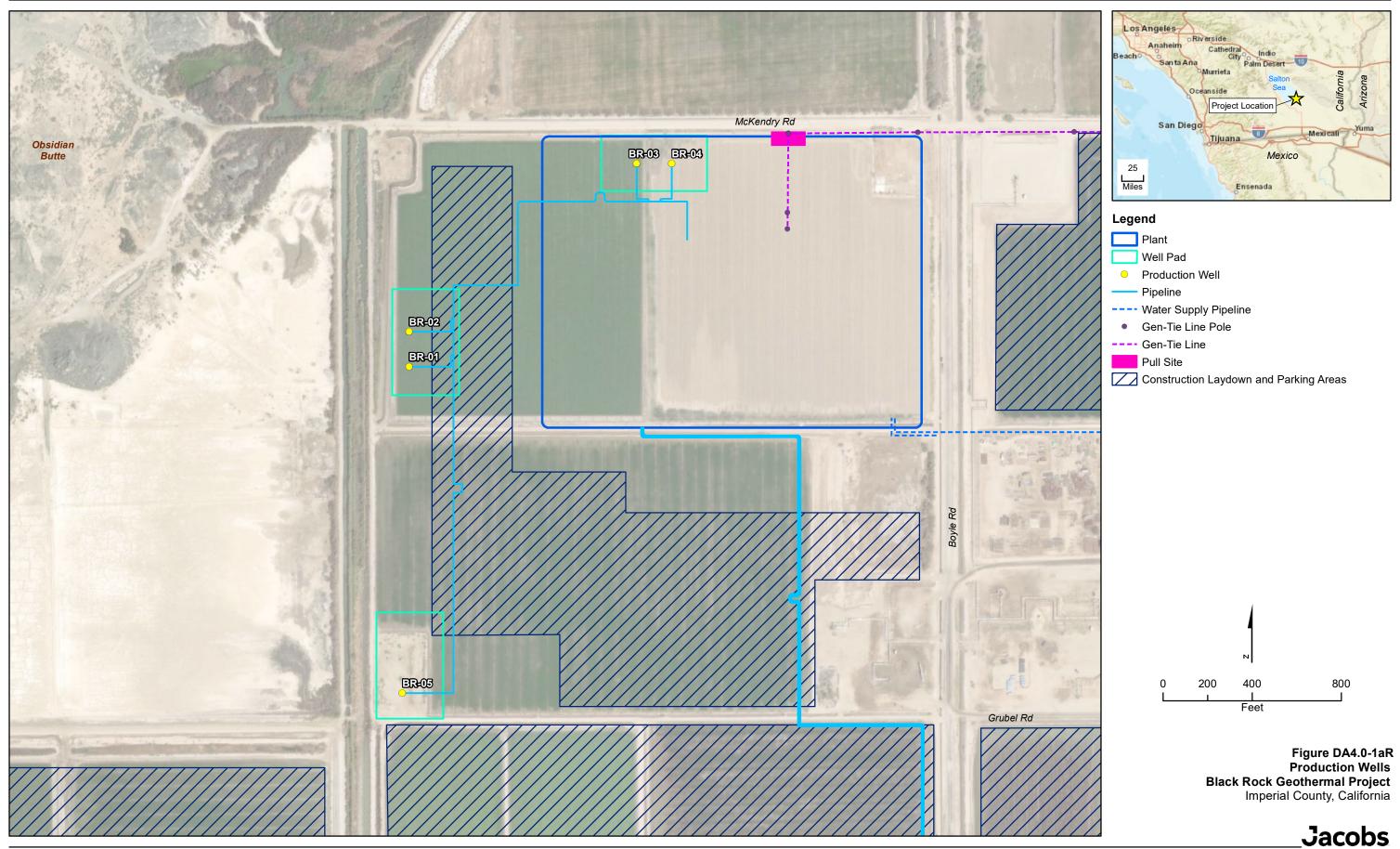


Figure 2-7d
Depth of Excavation,
Black Rock Geothermal Project
Imperial County, California







4. Air Quality

Air quality and public health figures, along with updated Air Quality and Public Health AFC sections, were provided as part of the Applicant responses to Data Request Set #1, which was submitted on November 10, 2023.

5. Hazardous Materials Handling

Amount of concentrated HCl and the use of a dilute HCl tank and liquid lime storage requires an update to AFC Table 5.5-1. An updated Table 5.5-1R below shows the changes (in boldface and underlined) to the project.

Table 5.5-1R. Use and Location of Hazardous Materials

Chemical ^a	Use	Maximum Quantity Onsite (gallons, lbs, tons)	Annual Quantity (gallons, lbs, tons)	Storage Location (General Arrangement Location Code)	State	Type of Storage
Chemical Treatment CL41	Oxidizing Biocide	1,000 gallons	3,250 gallons	Cooling Tower (62)	Liquid	Continuously onsite
ChemTreat CL456	Biodetergent	250 gallons	750 gallons	Cooling Tower (62)	Liquid	Continuously onsite
ChemTreat CL5428	Dispersant	250 gallons	750 gallons	Cooling Tower (62)	Liquid	Continuously onsite
ChemTreat CT775	Corrosion Inhibitor	250 gallons	750 gallons	Cooling Tower (62)	Liquid	Continuously onsite
ChemTreat CL2065	Nonoxidizing Biocide	500 gallons	1,500 gallons	Cooling Tower (62)	Liquid	Continuously onsite
HASA 12.5% Sodium Hypochlorite Solution	Oxidizing Biocide	3,000 gallons	18,000 gallons	Cooling Tower (62)	Liquid	Continuously onsite
ChemTreat C2187T	Oxidizing Biocide – H ₂ S Abatement	2,000 lbs	75,000 lbs	Cooling Tower (62)	Solid	Continuously onsite
ChemTreat C2184G	Oxidizing Biocide – H ₂ S Abatement	500 lbs	1,100 lbs	Cooling Tower (62)	Solid	Continuously onsite
NALCO GEO901	Norms Inhibitor	6,000 gallons	73,000 gallons	NORMS (60)	Liquid	Continuously onsite
NALCO N7471 Antifoam	Antifoaming Agent	900 gallons	6,570 gallons	HP Separator Area (59)	Liquid	Continuously onsite
NALCO 1720	Oxygen Scavenger	500 gallons	4,500 gallons	Clarifier (61)	Liquid	Continuously onsite
GE0912	Scale Inhibitor	3,000 gallons	14,600 gallons	HP Separator (25)	Liquid	Continuously onsite
NALCO N9907	Polymer/Flocculant	4,000 lbs	47,450 lbs	Clarifier (61)	Solid	Continuously onsite
Battery Electrolyte	UPS and Emergency Shutdown Battery Array	1,200 gallons	1,200 gallons	Battery Rooms (37)	Liquid	Continuously onsite
Diesel No. 2	Fuel for Onsite Equipment	1,000 gallons	21,000 gallons	Fire Water Pump AST (39)	Liquid	Continuously onsite

Chemical ^a	Use	Maximum Quantity Onsite (gallons, lbs, tons)	Annual Quantity (gallons, lbs, tons)	Storage Location (General Arrangement Location Code)	State	Type of Storage
Hydrochloric Acid <37%	<u>Filter Press Wash</u>	<u>10,000 gallons</u>	420,500 gallons	Filter Press (79)	<u>Liquid</u>	Continuously onsite
Hydrochloric Acid <2.5%	<u>Filter Press Wash</u>	300 gallons	<u>5,800,000 gallons</u>	Filter Press (98)	<u>Liquid</u>	Continuously onsite
<u>Liquid Lime</u>	Filter Press Wash	<u>10,300 gallons</u>	158,604 gallons	Filter Press (99)	<u>Liquid</u>	Continuously onsite
Sulfur Hexafluoride	Circuit Breakers/TET Test	300 lbs	300 lbs	Switchyards/Resources Test Unit (4, 54)	Gas	Continuously onsite
Anti-Freeze and Coolant	Portable Equipment in Shop	1,000 gallons	1,000 gallons	Maintenance Building (6)	Liquid	Continuously onsite
Naphtha	Portable Equipment in Shop	250 gallons	250 gallons	Maintenance Building (6)	Liquid	Continuously onsite
Hydraulic fluid	Portable Equipment in Shop/Shop/Equipment	2,000 gallons	2,000 gallons	Maintenance Building/Filter Press (6)	Liquid	Continuously onsite
Laboratory reagents	Geothermal Fluids/Filter Cake Laboratory Filter Cake Laboratory Analysis	5 gallons	5 gallons	Laboratory/chemical storage cabinets (5)	Liquid and Granular Solid	Continuously onsite
Turbine Lubrication Oil	Lubricate Rotating Equipment (e.g., steam turbine bearings, valves)	12,000 gallons	12,000 gallons	Lubricating oil reservoirs adjacent to the steam turbine and drum storage in lubricant storage shed/warehouse (63)	Liquid	Continuously onsite
Mineral Insulating Oil	Transformers	22,000 gallons	15,000 gallons	Transformers and drum storage in lubricant storage shed (38, 44, 6)	Liquid	Continuously onsite
Acetylene	Welding Gas	500 cubic feet	500 cubic feet	Maintenance building (6)	Gas	Continuously onsite

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Chemical ^a	Use	Maximum Quantity Onsite (gallons, lbs, tons)	Annual Quantity (gallons, lbs, tons)	Storage Location (General Arrangement Location Code)	State	Type of Storage
Oxygen	Welding Gas	500 cubic feet	500 cubic feet	Maintenance building (6)	Gas	Continuously onsite
Propane	Torch Gas	500 cubic feet	500 cubic feet	Maintenance building (6)	Gas	Continuously onsite
Alloy Mix Gas	Welding Gas	500 cubic feet	500 cubic feet	Maintenance building (6)	Gas	Continuously onsite
Lab Gas (Helium, Argon, Nitrogen, Air)	Laboratory	500 cubic feet	500 cubic feet	Laboratory (5)	Gas	Continuously onsite
Liquid Argon	Laboratory	300 gallons	300 gallons	Laboratory (5)	Liquid	Continuously onsite
Cleaning Chemicals	Cleaning	Varies (< 25 gallons of fluids or 100 lbs of solid for each chemical)	Varies (< 25 gallons of fluids or 100 lbs of solids for each chemical)	Control Room (5)	Liquid or Solid	Continuously onsite
Paint	Touch-up of Painted Surfaces	Varies (< 25 gallons of fluids or 100 lbs of solid for each chemical)	Varies (< 25 gallons of fluids or 100 lbs of solids for each chemical)	Control Room (5)	Liquid	Continuously onsite

Notes:

AST = aboveground storage tank

H₂S = hydrogen sulfide

HP = high pressure

lbs = pound(s)

UPS = uninterruptible power supply

^a Chemical vendor may be subject to change; however, chemical class will remain the same or similar.

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6. Visual Resources

The following revised BRGP Visual Resource figures are submitted.

- Figure 5.13-2b Visual Simulation from Rock Hill (KOP1)
- Figure 5.13-2d Visual Simulation from Red Hill (KOP2)
- Figure 5.13-2f Simulation from Sonny Bono Salton Sea National Wildlife Refuge (KOP3)



Figure 5.13-2bR
Visual Simulation from Rock Hill (KOP1)
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Figure 5.13-2dR Visual Simulation from Red Hill (KOP2) Black Rock Geothermal Project Imperial County, California





Figure 5.13-2fR
Visual Simulation from Sonny Bono Salton Sea
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