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**Subject: STAFF STATUS REPORT #9 FOR THE WILLOW ROCK ENERGY
STORAGE CENTER (21-AFC-02)**

In its *Fourth Revised Committee Scheduling Order* filed April 15, 2025 (TN 262690), the Willow Rock Energy Storage Center AFC Committee (Committee) on the Willow Rock Energy Storage Center (WRESC) project ordered the parties to "continue submitting monthly status reports no later than the 26th day of every month" and further clarified that "[s]tatus reports shall inform the Committee whether the case is progressing satisfactorily and bring potential delays and other relevant matters to the Committee's attention."

The Committee's *Fourth Revised Committee Scheduling Order* (TN 262690) directs CEC staff to file the complete Preliminary Staff Assessment (PSA) on April 30, 2025.

Staff is working diligently and is on track to file the complete PSA on or before April 30, 2025, which will be subject to a 45-day comment period.

Staff will continue to follow the directives of the Fourth Revised Committee Scheduling Order and provide regular updates to the Committee.