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APPLICATION FOR SMALL POWER PLANT  
EXEMPTION FOR THE:

**LAURELWOOD DATA CENTER**

**Docket No. 19-SPPE-01**

**NOTICE OF CALIFORNIA ENERGY COMMISSION HEARING ON  
REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION**

On February 4, 2020, the California Energy Commission (CEC) approved the Small Power Plant Exemption (SPPE) for the Laurelwood Data Center (Laurelwood).<sup>1</sup> On March 5, 2020, Intervenor Robert Sarvey filed a Request for Reconsideration (Request) of that decision.<sup>2</sup>

**PLEASE TAKE NOTICE** that on April 8, 2020, the CEC will hold a public hearing to consider whether to grant or deny the Request.

**WEDNESDAY, APRIL 8, 2020  
The Business Meeting Begins at 10:00 a.m.**

**(Remote Access Only)**

***The CEC's April 8, 2020 Business Meeting 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 social distancing in order to slow the spread of COVID-19. The public will be able to participate and/or observe the meeting consistent with the direction in these Executive Orders.***

***To participate remotely, see the instructions below under the section "PARTICIPATE BY TELEPHONE OR REMOTELY"***

Members of the public and the parties to the Laurelwood SPPE may participate and offer oral and written comments at the hearing. The CEC invites the public, agencies, and parties to file written comments on the Request in advance of the hearing. For information about how to file comments before the hearing, please see instructions

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<sup>1</sup> TN 231950. <https://efiling.energy.ca.gov/getdocument.aspx?tn=231950>.

<sup>2</sup> TN 232325. <https://efiling.energy.ca.gov/getdocument.aspx?tn=232325>.

below under “Agency and Public Participation.”

## **PURPOSE OF CEC HEARING**

The purpose of this hearing is to consider whether the CEC should grant or deny Intervenor Sarvey’s Request. Any party may file a request for reconsideration within 30 days after a final determination or decision.<sup>3</sup> If the CEC denies the request, then the original determination stands. If the CEC grants the request, then it will determine the procedure by which to resolve any matter being reconsidered, including, but not limited to, referring the matter back to the Committee or reopening the evidentiary record.

## **PARTY COMMENTS**

The parties are invited to submit comments on the Request. Please submit comments no later than April 3, 2020.

## **AGENCY AND PUBLIC PARTICIPATION**

Local, state, federal, and tribal governmental agencies and members of the public are welcome to observe and offer oral or written comments on the Request remotely, either before or during the Business Meeting. It is not necessary to be an Intervenor to participate in the public process. Comments may be submitted electronically to:

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For all comments, please include the docket number and proceeding name “**Docket No. 19-SPPE-01, Laurelwood Data Center SPPE**” in the subject line and on the cover page.

**Please note:** Your written and oral comments, attachments, and associated contact information (e.g., your address, phone, e-mail, etc.) become part of the viewable public record. Additionally, this information may become available via search engines such as Google and Yahoo.

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<sup>3</sup> Pub. Resources Code, § 25530.

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## **OTHER CEC CONTACTS**

Questions of a procedural nature should be directed to Susan Cochran, Hearing Officer, by e-mail at [susan.cochran@energy.ca.gov](mailto:susan.cochran@energy.ca.gov) or (916) 654-3965.

Technical questions concerning the Laurelwood Data Center SPPE should be addressed to Lisa Worrall, Project Manager, at [lisa.worrall@energy.ca.gov](mailto:lisa.worrall@energy.ca.gov) or at (916) 654-4545.

## **AVAILABILITY OF DOCUMENTS**

Information regarding the status of the project, as well as notices and other relevant documents pertaining to this proceeding, may be viewed on the CEC's web page at <https://ww2.energy.ca.gov/sitingcases/laurelwood/>

Dated: March 25, 2020

### ***APPROVED BY:***

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