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RE: City of Anaheim AB 2514 Energy Storage Systems Procurement Target

Dear Ms. MacDonald:

Pursuant to the requirements of Assembly Bill (AB) 2514 (Skinner, Chapter 469, Statutes of 2010), the City of Anaheim (Anaheim) hereby submits its Updated Energy Storage System Plan.

On August 12, 2014, the Anaheim City Council determined, consistent with the Anaheim Public Utilities Department's (APU) evaluation, that the adoption of procurement targets for ES systems for either 2016 or 2021 was not appropriate due to lack of cost-effective energy storage system options.

On September 26, 2017, based on APU's re-evaluation, the Anaheim City Council set an ES procurement target of (a) 1 MW for a pilot project to be completed by December 31, 2021; and (b) up to 10 MW to be completed by December 31, 2026 depending on the results of the pilot project and future ES technologies, subject to City Council authorization.

APU has continually evaluated ES technologies for their viability, availability, and cost effectiveness. On August 25, 2020 and based on APU's recommendation, the Anaheim City Council approved Resolution 2020-099 which set a new ES procurement target of (a) 0 MW of energy storage by December 31, 2021; and (b) up to 50 MW of energy storage by December 31, 2026, subject to City Council authorization. The Updated Energy Storage System Plan, City Council Resolution, and Staff Report are attached for your reference.

Please contact Wei Tsao ([wtsao@anaheim.net](mailto:wtsao@anaheim.net), 714-765-4453), with any questions about Anaheim's Updated Energy Storage System Plan or procurement target determinations.

Sincerely,

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Attachment:

1. APU Energy Storage System Plan Update dated July 22, 2020
2. City Council Resolution 2020-099
3. Staff Report