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**Subject: STATUS REPORT #6 FOR THE SAN JOSE CITY DATA CENTER SMALL POWER PLANT EXEMPTION (19-SPPE-04)**

In its May 12, 2020 order (Committee Scheduling Order), the Committee ordered all parties to file and serve a Status Report on the 15th of each month, beginning with May 15, 2020.

Since staff filed Status Report #5 on August 17, 2020, staff has continued with its environmental analysis and preparation of the Notice of Preparation of an Environmental Impact Report ("EIR") for the project. During staff's coordination meetings with the City of San Jose ("City"), staff learned about city-specific thresholds of significance and requirements for projects proposed in the City which, if included in staff's environmental analysis would enable the City to rely on the Commission's EIR. Therefore, in addition to the vehicle miles traveled analysis for transportation which is necessary for a CEQA analysis, staff will include a local transportation analysis using a traffic count and level of service methodology required by the City. Staff has notified the applicant of this requirement for a local transportation analysis.