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Subject: STATUS REPORT #3 FOR THE GREAT OAKS SOUTH BACKUP GENERATING FACILITY SMALL POWER PLANT EXEMPTION (20-SPPE-01)

In the *Committee Conference and Related Orders* filed on September 23, 2020, the Committee ordered "the parties to file a status report no later than the 10th of each month, beginning on September 10, 2020." In the *Committee Scheduling Order and Related Orders* filed on October 16, 2020, the Committee ordered staff to "include in its November 10, 2020 status report, a summary of the plan, if any, for onsite signage."

Staff received confirmation from City of San Jose staff that on October 8, 2020, the applicant installed four signs on the project site along the frontage roads consistent with City of San Jose's requirements. One sign is located along San Ignacio Avenue, one along Great Oaks Boulevard, and two are located along Via Del Oro. This comprises the three roads that bound the project parcels. The signs contain the following information: project description, project address, City project file number, council district, contact information for the City Planning Project Manager, and the City website address to obtain more project information and file comments. The signs also contain directions on how to obtain project information in Spanish and Vietnamese. The California Energy Commission (CEC) Public Advisor's Office (PAO) has requested that the City provide the PAO contact information to public inquirers so they know how to reach the CEC to learn about participation in the CEC's SPPE process.

Staff has received the final report from the applicant in response to Data Request number 49, associated with the literature search conducted for the Cultural Resources Assessment. And today, the applicant filed construction emissions data from the 21-kilovolt distribution line installation and street improvements required by the City of San Jose (sidewalk widening along the three frontages to 10 feet with tree wells).

As previously detailed in Staff's Status Report #2 on October 9, 2020, staff is waiting on responses associated with Data Request Set #2. Specifically, staff anticipates receiving a City Public Works-approved final Transportation Analysis report including a detailed vehicle

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miles traveled analysis, a Transportation Demand Management Plan, and a Local Transportation Analysis from the applicant.

Staff continues to work on the Environmental Impact Report (EIR) and has sent out the Notice of Preparation of an EIR to the responsible and trustee agencies, as well as the California Air Resources Board and Native American Heritage Commission. A Notice of Public Scoping Meeting was distributed on November 4, 2020. The meeting will be held on November 17, 2020, remotely via Zoom, beginning at 11:00 a.m.