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*IN THE MATTER OF:**2023 Integrated Energy Policy Report (2023
IEPR)*

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NOTICE OF REMOTE-ACCESS WORKSHOP

RE: California's Economic Outlook

Notice of Commissioner Workshop on California's Economic Outlook

January 31, 2023

10:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Remote Access Only:
See Attendance Instructions

The California Energy Commission (CEC) will host a remote-access workshop to solicit comments on California's evolving economic and demographic landscape. The workshop provides an opportunity for commissioners, energy demand forecasters, CEC staff, and stakeholders to obtain further insight on possible state economic outcomes. The information gained from this workshop will enhance the 2023 California Energy Demand Forecast.

This workshop is part of the 2023 Integrated Energy Policy Report (IEPR) proceeding. Commissioner Patty Monahan is the CEC's Lead Commissioner for the 2023 IEPR. A quorum of commissioners may participate, but no votes will be taken.

The public can participate consistent with the attendance instructions below. The CEC aims to begin promptly at the start time posted and the end time is an estimate based on the proposed agenda. The hearing may end sooner or later than the posted end time.

Attendance Instructions

- **To use Zoom's online platform**, click on <https://energy.zoom.us/j/81136317597?pwd=RWhzbG1XVFZWMDM1QnVtOUt1b1N6UT09> or log in via Zoom™ at <https://zoom.us/>, enter the **Webinar/Meeting ID: 811 3631 7597** and **Webinar/Meeting passcode: 2023**, and follow all prompts.

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- If you experience difficulties joining, contact Zoom at (888) 799-9666 ext. 2, or the Public Advisor at publicadvisor@energy.ca.gov, or by phone at (916) 957-7910.

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Agenda

The workshop will include two panels of experts, the first will discuss California’s economic and demographic outlook and the second will address the market outlook for electrification technology. A moderator will pose questions to each panel regarding major economic and demographic issues.

The morning session will include a panel comprised of demographers and economists with both state and regional expertise. The panelists will discuss California’s economic projections and California’s changing population.

The afternoon session will include a panel of experts in electrification and decarbonization technology markets. Such technologies include zero-emission vehicles, heat pumps, battery storage, and carbon capture. Topics could span the availability and advancement of technologies, impacts from the Inflation Recovery Act and other incentives, manufacturing, and supply chains.

There will be an opportunity for public comment at the end of the workshop.

Background

California Public Resources Code Section 25301 requires the CEC to prepare an IEPR every two years that includes assessments and forecasts of energy industry supply, production, transportation, delivery and distribution, demand, and prices. The CEC develops these assessments and forecasts of the state’s electricity and pipeline gas markets, including statewide and regional electricity and gas demand, incorporating factors leading to future demand growth, such as changes in economic activity, population growth, urban development, industrial expansion and energy intensity, growth in different building types, and energy and environmental policies.

Public Comment

The CEC encourages use of its electronic commenting system. Visit the [e-commenting page](https://efiling.energy.ca.gov/Ecomment/Ecomment.aspx?docketnumber=23-IEPR-03), at <https://efiling.energy.ca.gov/Ecomment/Ecomment.aspx?docketnumber=23-IEPR-03>, which links to the comment page for this docket. Enter your contact information and a comment title describing the subject of your comment(s). Comments may be included in the “Comment Text”

box or attached as a downloadable, searchable document consistent with title 20 of the California Code of Regulations, section 1208.1. The maximum file size allowed is 10 MB.

Oral comments will be accepted at the end of the workshop. Comments may be limited to three minutes or less per speaker and one person per organization. Depending on the number of members of the public seeking to make a comment, the facilitator may adjust the total time allotted for public comment and the time allotted for each comment. To comment via Zoom, use the “raise hand” feature so the administrator can announce your name and unmute you. To comment via telephone, press *9 to “raise your hand” and *6 to mute/unmute.

A workshop administrator will call on you by the last three digits of your phone number. Unmute your phone before introducing yourself and sharing your comment.

The Public Advisor may, upon the request of public participants who may be absent during the workshop when a matter of interest to them is being discussed, neutrally and publicly read those participant comments into the record during the public comment period. If you are interested in this service, please email concise comments, specifying your main points, before the start of the workshop to the Public Advisor at publicadvisor@energy.ca.gov. Comments submitted after the workshop starts or that cannot be read within a three-minute timeframe will be filed in the workshop docket.

Written comments must be submitted to the Docket Unit by 5:00 p.m. on **February 14 2023**.

Written comments may also be submitted by email. Include docket number **23-IEPR-03** and “Economic Outlook” in the subject line and email to docket@energy.ca.gov.

If preferred, a paper copy may be sent to:

California Energy Commission
Docket Unit, MS-4
Docket No. 23-IEPR-03
715 P Street
Sacramento, California 95814-5512

Written and oral comments, attachments, and associated contact information (including address, phone number, and email address) will become part of the public record of this proceeding with access available via any internet search engine.

Contacts

Public Advisor. The CEC’s Public Advisor assists the public with participation in CEC proceedings. To request assistance, interpreting services, or reasonable modifications and accommodations, call (916) 957-7910 or email publicadvisor@energy.ca.gov as soon as possible but at least five days in advance of the workshop. The CEC will work diligently to meet all requests based on availability.

Direct media inquiries to mediaoffice@energy.ca.gov or (916) 654-4989.

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Direct general inquiries regarding the IEPR proceeding to Raquel Kravitz at raquel.kravitz@energy.ca.gov or (916) 907-4284.

Availability of Documents

Documents and presentations for this meeting will be available online at [docket 23-IEPR-03](https://efiling.energy.ca.gov/Lists/DocketLog.aspx?docketnumber=23-IEPR-03), at <https://efiling.energy.ca.gov/Lists/DocketLog.aspx?docketnumber=23-IEPR-03>.

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