



BEFORE THE ENERGY RESOURCES CONSERVATION AND DEVELOPMENT
 COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA
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California Energy Commission

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**APPLICATION FOR CERTIFICATION FOR THE
 QUAIL BRUSH GENERATION PROJECT**

Docket No. 11-AFC-03

COMMITTEE ORDER GRANTING PETITION TO INTERVENE

Upon consideration of the Petition to Intervene filed by Sierra Club, San Diego Chapter (Petitioner), the Committee designated to conduct proceedings in this matter makes the following findings:

1. On October 31, 2012, a Petition to Intervene in the above-captioned proceeding was filed by:

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2. The Petition was timely filed and contains the information required by Section 1207 of the Commission's regulations (Cal. Code Regs., tit. 20, § 1207);
3. No opposition to said Petition has been filed; and
4. Petitioner's interests are relevant to the above-captioned proceeding.

THEREFORE, the Committee **ORDERS** that the Petition to Intervene in this matter be **GRANTED** and that Petitioner be placed upon the Proof of Service List as an Intervenor. Petitioner may exercise the rights and shall fulfill the obligations of a party as set forth in all Orders issued in this matter and Section 1712 of the Commission's regulations. (Cal. Code Regs., tit. 20, § 1712.)

The Energy Commission welcomes and values intervenor participation in its energy facility siting process. A link to the Commission's regulations describing intervenor participation is posted on the left hand side menu of the Quail Brush Generation Project webpage at <http://www.energy.ca.gov/sitingcases/quailbrush/>.

As an Intervenor, Petitioner is required to file and serve documents on other parties and to follow the Commission's procedures and orders regarding presenting witnesses and evidence. Requests for information to the parties (discovery) must be submitted by December 14, 2012.

Petitioner is further required to review and proceed in accord with the General Orders Regarding Electronic Document Formats, Filing and Service of Documents and Other Matters, found at http://www.energy.ca.gov/sitingcases/quailbrush/notices/2012-08-14_general_order_document_filing.pdf, the rules regarding filings, the rules of evidence that apply at the evidentiary hearings, the rules prohibiting off the record contacts with Commissioners or the Hearing Adviser about the merits of a project, and the rules about filing data requests. (Cal. Code Regs., tit. 20, §§ 1001 through 1217, 1712 et seq.)

PETITIONER'S FAILURE TO FULFILL THESE RESPONSIBILITIES MAY RESULT IN THE COMMITTEE LIMITING OR PRECLUDING PETITIONER'S PARTICIPATION IN THE PROCEEDINGS.

If Petitioner needs any help with participating in the siting process, contact the Public Adviser's Office at (916) 654-4489 or (800) 822-6228, or e-mail: publicadviser@energy.ca.gov.

Direct questions of a legal or procedural nature to Raoul Renaud, the Hearing Adviser, at (916) 651-2020, or e-mail: raoul.renaud@energy.ca.gov.

The Executive Director or his designee shall ensure that the Petitioner is immediately provided with a copy of the Application for Certification.

Dated: November 19, 2012 at Sacramento, California.

Original Signed By:

KAREN DOUGLAS
Commissioner and Presiding Member
Quail Brush Generation Project AFC Committee

Original Signed By:

ANDREW McALLISTER
Commissioner and Associate Member
Quail Brush Generation Project AFC Committee

CALIFORNIA ENERGY COMMISSION

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TO: *All Parties*

Date: November 19, 2012

RE: **QUAIL BRUSH GENERATION PROJECT**

Proof of Service List

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Attached is the ***newly revised*** Proof of Service List for the above-mentioned project, current as of November 19, 2012.

Note that the presumptions about e-mail only service of documents on the parties have changed. Formerly, you had to affirmatively indicate your willingness to accept e-mail only service. Now all parties are presumed to accept e-mail only service unless they specifically inform us that they wish to receive paper copies.

Pursuant to the “General Orders Regarding Electronic Document Formats, Filing and Service of Documents and Other Matters” adopted in this proceeding, until a party indicates to the Presiding Member or Hearing Adviser that it requires a hard copy, an e-mailed copy of all electronic documents of 5 megabytes maximum file size is sufficient for service in this proceeding. No hard copy of an e-mailed document need be provided. Where a party is designated on the Proof of Service List for this proceeding as “hard copy required” or similar words, parties shall deliver a paper copy of all written material they file in this proceeding in person or by first class mail, or other equivalent delivery service, with postage prepaid to the person so designated. Regardless whether a party has indicated a preference for hard copies, documents larger than 50 pages may alternatively be sent in the form of an electronic file recorded on a compact disk rather than as a paper copy, provided that the party is offered the opportunity to request a paper copy.

Unless otherwise specified in a regulation, all materials filed with the Commission must also be filed with the Docket Unit. (Cal. Code Regs., tit. 20, § 1209(d).) Some regulations require filing with the Commission’s Chief Counsel instead of the Docket Unit. For example, Section 1720 requires a petition for reconsideration to be filed with the Chief Counsel and served on the parties. Service on the attorney representing Commission staff does not satisfy this requirement. This Proof of Service form is not appropriate for use when filing a document with the Chief Counsel under Title 20, sections 1231 (Complaint and Request for Investigation) or 2506 (Petition for

Inspection or Copying of Confidential Records). The Public Advisor can answer any questions related to filing under these sections.

New addition(s) to the Proof of Service are indicated in **bold font** and marked with an asterisk (*).

Use this newly revised list for all future filings and submittals. This Proof of Service List will also be available on the Commission's project web site at:

<http://www.energy.ca.gov/sitingcases/quailbrush/index.html>

Please review the information and contact me at maggie.read@energy.ca.gov or (916) 654-3893, if you would like to be removed from the Proof of Service or if there are any changes to your contact information.

Original Signed By:

Maggie Read
Hearing Adviser's Office



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DECLARATION OF SERVICE

I, Maggie Read, declare that on November 19, 2012 I served and filed copies of the attached Committee Order Granting Petition to Intervene and All Parties Letter, dated November 19, 2012. This document is accompanied by the most recent Proof of Service list, located on the web page for this project at: <http://www.energy.ca.gov/sitingcases/quailbrush/index.html>.

The document has been sent to the other parties in this proceeding (as shown on the Proof of Service list) and to the Commission's Docket Unit or Chief Counsel, as appropriate, in the following manner:

(Check all that Apply)

For service to all other parties:

- Served electronically to all e-mail addresses on the Proof of Service list;
- Served by delivering on this date, either personally, or for mailing with the U.S. Postal Service with first-class postage thereon fully prepaid, to the name and address of the person served, for mailing that same day in the ordinary course of business; that the envelope was sealed and placed for collection and mailing on that date to those addresses marked ***"hard copy required"** or where no e-mail address is provided.

AND

For filing with the Docket Unit at the Energy Commission:

- by sending an electronic copy to the e-mail address below (preferred method); **OR**
- by depositing an original and 12 paper copies in the mail with the U.S. Postal Service with first class postage thereon fully prepaid, as follows:

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OR, if filing a Petition for Reconsideration of Decision or Order pursuant to Title 20, § 1720:

- Served by delivering on this date one electronic copy by e-mail, and an original paper copy to the Chief Counsel at the following address, either personally, or for mailing with the U.S. Postal Service with first class postage thereon fully prepaid:

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I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing is true and correct, that I am employed in the county where this mailing occurred, and that I am over the age of 18 years and not a party to the proceeding.

Original Signed By:

Maggie Read
Hearing Adviser's Office