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NOTICE OF REMOTE-ACCESS WORKSHOP

RE: Energy Reliability

Notice of IEPR Joint Agency Workshop on Summer 2021 Electric and Natural Gas Reliability

Thursday and Friday, July 8 and 9, 2021

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The workshop will be held remotely, consistent with Executive Order N-08-21 to continue to help California respond to, recover from, and mitigate the impacts of the COVID-19 pandemic. The public can participate in the workshop consistent with the direction in these executive orders.

The workshop will be held in four sessions over two days as follows:

Thursday, July 8, 2021

- 10:00 a.m. Session 1: [Hydro Resources and Drought](#)
Webinar ID: **923 4663 4518**
Webinar Passcode: **IEPR2021**
- 2:00 p.m. Session 2: [Imports, Demand Response, and Multi-year Outlook](#)
Webinar ID: **990 5616 5091**
Webinar Passcode: **IEPR2021**

Friday, July 9, 2021

- 10:00 a.m. Session 3: [Gas Reliability Issues and Polar Vortex Impacts & Implications](#)
Webinar ID: **926 5264 6460**
Webinar Passcode: **IEPR2021**
- 2:00 p.m. Session 4: [Aliso Canyon Reliability Impacts](#)
Webinar ID: **969 0666 4368**

Webinar Passcode: **IEPR2021**

Remote Attendance

Remote access is available by both internet or call-in options. Participants may join any or all scheduled panel sessions by clicking on the links above or by logging in via [Zoom™](#) at <https://zoom.us/>, entering the unique Webinar ID and Passcode for the session(s) of choice, and following all prompts.

To participate by telephone, call toll-free at (888) 475-4499 or at (669) 219-2599. When prompted, enter the Webinar ID and Passcode for the session of your choice.

If you experience difficulties joining, contact Zoom at (888) 799-9666 ext. 2, or the Public Advisor's Office at publicadvisor@energy.ca.gov, or by phone at (916) 654-4489, or toll-free at 800-822-6228.

Agenda

This workshop looks to have an informed discussion on the different elements to consider as we plan for near- and mid-term goals and reliability. Key considerations to be discussed will be ongoing monitoring and evaluation of summer 2021 reliability, and uncertainties presented by hydro power, imports, and demand response. Day two will cover the relationship between the natural gas and electric systems. This includes the short- and mid-term considerations that will inform planning for the natural gas system, including Aliso Canyon, and electric reliability.

A detailed [meeting schedule/agenda](#) will be posted prior to the workshop at <https://www.energy.ca.gov/data-reports/reports/integrated-energy-policy-report/2021-integrated-energy-policy-report/2021-iepr>.

Background

This two-day workshop builds on the May 4, 2021, Joint Agency IEPR Workshop on Summer 2021 Reliability. These combined workshops support the final root cause analysis published by the California ISO, CPUC, and CEC on January 13, 2021, to identify the causes of the August 2020 rotating power outages. The final root cause analysis identified a series of activities to improve energy reliability in summer 2021, including emergency procurements and market enhancements. The [Final Root Cause Analysis](#) is available at <http://www.caiso.com/Documents/Final-Root-Cause-Analysis-Mid-August-2020-Extreme-Heat-Wave>.

Public Comment

Oral comments will be accepted at the end of each day. 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.

If participating via Zoom's online platform, use the "raise hand" feature to alert the administrator that you would like to make a comment after the lead commissioner opens the floor for public comment.

If participating by 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 and you should unmute your phone before introducing yourself and sharing your comment.

Written comments must be submitted to the Docket Unit by 5:00 p.m. on **July 23, 2021**.

The CEC encourages use of its electronic commenting system. Visit the [e-commenting page](https://efiling.energy.ca.gov/Ecomment.aspx?docketnumber=21-IEPR-04) at <https://efiling.energy.ca.gov/Ecomment.aspx?docketnumber=21-IEPR-04> 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 in Microsoft® Word or Adobe® Acrobat®. The maximum file size allowed is 10 MB.

Written comments may be submitted by email. Include docket number **21-IEPR-04** and **Summer 2021 Electric and Natural Gas Reliability** 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. 21-IEPR-04
1516 Ninth 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

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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, IEPR Project Manager, at raquel.kravitz@energy.ca.gov or (916) 776-0810.

Availability of Documents

Documents and presentations for this meeting will be available on the CEC's webpage titled [2021 IEPR Workshops, Notices and Documents](https://www.energy.ca.gov/data-reports/reports/integrated-energy-policy-report/2021-integrated-energy-policy-report/2021-iepr), at [https://www.energy.ca.gov/ data-reports/reports/integrated-energy-policy-report/2021-integrated-energy-policy-report/2021-iepr](https://www.energy.ca.gov/data-reports/reports/integrated-energy-policy-report/2021-integrated-energy-policy-report/2021-iepr) or on the CEC's dockets page [21-IEPR-04](https://efiling.energy.ca.gov/Lists/DocketLog.aspx?docketnumber=21-IEPR-04) at <https://efiling.energy.ca.gov/Lists/DocketLog.aspx?docketnumber=21-IEPR-04>.

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Dated: Monday, June 28, 2021, at Sacramento, California

List Servers: electricity, natural gas, energypolicy