



Notice of Determination

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From: Los Angeles Department of Water and Power
111 North Hope Street, Room 1044
Los Angeles, CA 90012

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Subject: Filing of Notice of Determination in compliance with Section 21108 or 21152 of the Public Resources Code.

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Project Title: Scattergood Generating Station Unit 3 Repowering Project

Lead Agency Contact Person: Julie Van Wagner, (213) 367-5295

Project Location: Scattergood Generating Station (SGS) is located at 12700 Vista Del Mar in the City of Los Angeles. Primary access is off of Vista Del Mar on the western boundary of the SGS property. Secondary access is off of Grand Avenue, which divides the SGS property into northern and southern parcels. Dockweiler State Beach is located to the west of SGS and Vista Del Mar. The approximately 130-acre Hyperion Treatment Plant (HTP), which also services the City of Los Angeles, is located to the north of SGS. Residential neighborhoods are located to the northeast and east of SGS and a 1.5-square-mile Chevron Corporation oil refinery is located to the south.

Project Description: LADWP proposes to remove the existing SGS electrical generation Unit 3 from operation and replace its generating capacity with modern high-efficiency generation units constructed within the SGS property boundaries. Existing Unit 3 is a natural gas-fired steam boiler generation unit that was put into operation in 1974. It has a maximum gross generating capacity of 460 megawatts (MW). The generation units that would replace Unit 3 under the project would have a gross generating capacity of up to 590 MW, depending on the type and configuration of the units provided. As part of the project, LADWP would also physically and permanently derate (i.e., reduce the generating capacity of) the existing SGS generation Unit 1 by the necessary amount such that there would be no increase in the total gross generating capacity of the station. The project would also include associated cooling units, pollution control systems, and ancillary facilities necessary for the operation of the new generation units. Existing Unit 3 would also be demolished under the project.

This is to advise that LADWP as the Lead Agency has approved the above described project on September 18, 2012 and has made the following determinations regarding the project:

1. The project will have a significant effect on the environment.
2. An Environmental Impact Report was prepared for this project pursuant to CEQA.
3. Mitigation measures were made a condition of approval of the project.
4. A Mitigation Monitoring and Reporting Plan was adopted for this project.
5. A Statement of Overriding Considerations was adopted for this project.
6. Findings were made pursuant to CEQA.

This is to certify that the Final EIR with comments and responses and record of project approval, is available to the general public at the Los Angeles Department of Water and Power at 111 North Hope Street, Room 1044, Los Angeles, CA 90012.

Signature: Charles C. Holloway Date: 9/19/2012
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