



ENERGY FACILITY SITING COUNCIL

Energy Facility Siting Council Meeting Notice and Agenda

Oregon Department of Energy WebEx Teleconference

Friday April 22, 2022 at 8:30 AM

WebEx Webinar Information:

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Please Note: Every effort will be made to consider items as they are indicated. However, the Council agenda and the order of agenda items are subject to change.

Roll Call and Opening Remarks

- A. Consent Calendar (Action Item & Information Item)** – Approval of minutes; Council Secretary Report; and other routine Council business.
- B. Public Comments Portal Update (Information Item)** – Wally Adams, ODOE Operations and Policy Analyst will present and show a demo of the new web portal for submitting and viewing public comments on projects under the Council’s jurisdiction.
- C. Protected Areas, Scenic Resources, and Recreation Standards Rulemaking (Action Item)** – Christopher M. Clark, ODOE Senior Siting Analyst and EFSC Rules Coordinator will request Council’s authorization to issue a Notice of Proposed Rulemaking and initiate formal proceedings to adopt proposed amendments to the Protected Areas, Scenic Resources, and Recreation Standards and associated rules.
- D. Public Comments Period** – This time is reserved for the public to address the Council regarding any item within Council jurisdiction that is not otherwise closed for comment, which includes the Boardman to Hemingway Transmission Line Proposed Order.

- E. **2022 Carbon Dioxide Emissions Standards Rulemaking (Action Item)** – Christopher M. Clark, ODOE Senior Siting and EFSC Rules Coordinator, will request Council’s authorization to issue a Notice of Proposed Rulemaking and initiate formal rulemaking proceedings to implement the new standards for fossil-fueled power plants established by HB 2021 (2021 Session) and update the Council’s existing carbon dioxide emissions standards and associated rules.
- F. **Letter of Credit and Bond Claims Process and Bond Template Review (Action Item)** – Sisily Fleming, ODOE Fiscal Analyst will provide Council with an overview of the processes for drawing on a Letter of Credit and claiming a Bond, and present proposed changes to the Bond Template for Council review.
- G. **Industry Renewable Project Timelines (Information Item)** – Max Greene, Deputy Director, and Diane Brandt, Oregon Policy Manager with Renewable Northwest will provide Council an overview of the steps, requirements and timelines associated with renewable energy projects outside of the EFSC process and how those align with the steps in the EFSC process.
- H. **West End Solar Energy Project Hearing Officer Appointment (Action Item)** – Kellen Tardaewether, ODOE Senior Siting Analyst. Council will consider appointment of Allison Greene Webster, Oregon Office of Administrative Hearings Senior Administrative Law Judge, in accordance with ORS 469.470, as the Hearing Officer for proceedings on the Application for Site Certificate for the West End Solar.

Anticipated Adjournment at 2:30 p.m.

Anticipated Future Energy Facility Siting Council Meetings:

- **May 26-27, 2022**
- **June 23-24, 2022**

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