



State of California Department of Toxic Substances Control



Public Comment Period: July 7, 2014 – August 21, 2014

Notice of Availability of a Draft Environmental Impact Report (EIR)

The California Department of Toxic Substances Control (DTSC) invites the public to provide comments on the Draft EIR for the **PG&E Topock Compressor Station Soil Investigation Project**. The PG&E Topock Compressor Station is located in the Mojave Desert approximately 12 miles southeast of the City of Needles, California.

The Project involves soil investigation activities including soil sampling and sample analysis, bench scale tests, pilot studies, geotechnical evaluations, and plant and biota sampling.

The Draft EIR identifies that the Project could result in significant biological resources, cultural resources, and noise impacts. Mitigation measures to reduce these impacts are described in the Draft EIR. After mitigation measures are applied, significant unavoidable cultural resources and noise impacts would continue to occur with Project implementation.

Attend upcoming public meetings to learn more about the project and provide comments on the environmental analysis presented in the Draft EIR.

MEETING LOCATIONS

Needles

Tuesday, July 22, 2014
Open House: 5:30 – 6:30 p.m.
Public Hearing: 6:30 – 8:00 p.m.
Needles Senior Citizens Center
1699 Bailey Ave.
Needles, CA 92363

Golden Shores

Wednesday, July 23, 2014
Open House: 5:30 – 6:30 p.m.
Public Hearing: 6:30 – 8:00 p.m.
Golden Shores Community Center
13136 Golden Shores Parkway
Golden Shores, AZ 86436

Comments may be submitted at public meetings, or mailed, faxed or emailed to:

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All comments must be postmarked or received by DTSC no later than 5 p.m., August 21, 2014, for consideration in the Final EIR.

For project details or information about accessing a copy of the Draft EIR, visit **www.dtsc-topock.com** or contact Aaron Yue, DTSC Project Manager, at (714) 484-5439 or aaron.yue@dtsc.ca.gov. A copy of the Draft EIR and project materials is available at Needles Branch Library, 1111 Bailey Ave., Needles, CA 92363, and Golden Shores/Topock Library, 13136 Golden Shores Parkway, Topock, AZ 86436, as well as other project repositories, as described on the website.

ACCOMMODATIONS FOR DISABLED AND INFORMATION FOR THE HEARING IMPAIRED: The meeting rooms are accessible to people with disabilities. If translation services are needed or if additional accommodations for the disabled are needed, please notify Stacey Lear at (714) 484-5354 or email to stacey.lear@dtsc.ca.gov no later than 10 business days before the scheduled event. TYY users may use the California Relay Service at 711 in state or 1-800-855-7100 outside California.



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