Mikayla Vaba

From: Mikayla Vaba

Sent: Friday, July 30, 2021 3:46 PM

To: Mikayla Vaba

Subject: RE: SMUD Solano 4 Wind Project Response to Comments

From: Ammon Rice <Ammon.Rice@smud.org>

Sent: Friday, July 30, 2021 2:07 PM

To: Scott Morgan < Scott. Morgan@OPR.CA.GOV >

Subject: SMUD Solano 4 Wind Project Response to Comments

Dear Mr. Morgan,

Thank you for reviewing and providing comments on the Draft Environmental Impact Report (EIR) for the SMUD Solano 4 Wind Project (Project).

Pursuant to Public Resources Code Section 21092.5, enclosed is a copy of your comment letter and a written response that is included in the Final EIR prepared for the Project. Please consider this a written response to your agency's comments on the Draft EIR pursuant to CEQA Guidelines Section 15088(b). An electronic copy of the complete Final EIR is available on SMUD's CEQA Reports webpage located at the following URL:

https://www.smud.org/ceqa

The SMUD Board of Directors is scheduled to hear the Project at the SMUD Policy Committee Meeting on August 11, 2021 at 5:30 p.m. and take action on the Project at the SMUD Board Meeting on August 19, 2021, at 5:30 p.m. The meetings will be held virtually and can be accessed at the following URL:

https://www.smud.org/en/Corporate/About-us/Company-Information/Board-Meetings/Watch-or-Listen-online

Please contact me at (916) 732-7466 if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Ammon Rice

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Director

September 6, 2019

Ammon Rice Sacramento Municipal Utility District 6201 S Street, MS H201 Sacramento, CA 95817

Subject: Solano 4 Wind Project Environmental Impact Report

SCH#: 2019012016

Dear Ammon Rice:

The State Clearinghouse submitted the above named EIR to selected state agencies for review. The review period closed on 9/5/2019, and the comments from the responding agency (ies) is (are) available on the CEQA database for your retrieval and use. If this comment package is not in order, please notify the State Clearinghouse immediately. Please refer to the project's ten-digit State Clearinghouse number in future correspondence so that we may respond promptly.

Please note that Section 21104(c) of the California Public Resources Code states that:

"A responsible or other public agency shall only make substantive comments regarding those activities involved in a project which are within an area of expertise of the agency or which are required to be carried out or approved by the agency. Those comments shall be supported by specific documentation."

Check the CEQA database for submitted comments for use in preparing your final environmental document: https://ceqanet.opr.ca.gov/2019012016/2. Should you need more information or clarification of the comments, we recommend that you contact the commenting agency directly.

This letter acknowledges that you have complied with the State Clearinghouse review requirements for draft environmental documents, pursuant to the California Environmental Quality Act. Please contact the State Clearinghouse at (916) 445-0613 if you have any questions regarding the environmental review process.

Sincerely.

Scott Morgan

Director, State Clearinghouse

cc: Resources Agency

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Scott Morgan, Director

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September 6, 2019 Response

L6-1 <u>Letter of Acknowledgement from the State Clearinghouse</u>. The commenter states that this letter acknowledges that SMUD has complied with the State Clearinghouse review requirements for draft environmental documents, pursuant to CEQA.

> SMUD notes the acknowledgement from the State Clearinghouse that they have complied with the State Clearinghouse's review requirements for draft environmental documents, pursuant to CEQA. No response is required.