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SCH #: _____

Project Title: Kiefer Landfill Gas Utilization Project

Lead Agency: Sacramento County

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Project Location: Rancho Cordova (*City*) Sacramento (*County*)

Project Description (Proposed actions, location, and/or consequences).

Kiefer Landfill Generating III, LLC is proposing to construct a renewable natural gas (RNG) plant with a capacity of 8,000 standard cubic feet per minute (scfm) at Kiefer Landfill and a pipeline connecting the plant to existing Pacific Gas & Electric (PG&E) natural gas pipelines in Sacramento County. The RNG plant would process landfill gas to meet air quality standards and produce pipeline-quality natural gas (i.e., primarily methane) by removing moisture and impurities. Pipeline Routes would be located within the public rights-of-way and/or private easements and run northwest from Kiefer Landfill along Kiefer Boulevard either to the intersection of Kiefer Boulevard/Rancho Cordova Parkway or to the intersection of Kiefer Boulevard/Sunrise Boulevard, then north along Sunrise Boulevard where it would terminate in the vicinity of the intersection of Sunrise Boulevard/Douglas Road. Either a compressor station would be constructed near the intersection of Douglas Road and Sunrise Boulevard to connect existing Pacific Gas & Electric (PG&E) distribution and transmission pipelines or a metering and regulating (M&R) station may be constructed in the vicinity of the PG&E interconnect on Douglas Boulevard depending on the pipeline route.

Identify the project's significant or potentially significant effects and briefly describe any proposed mitigation measures that would reduce or avoid that effect.

The project has potentially significant impacts on Air Quality, Biological Resources, Cultural Resources, Geology and Soils, Noise, and Tribal Cultural Resources.
Mitigation Measures AQ-1 when implemented would reduce construction generated fugitive dust
Mitigation Measures BIO-1 through Bio-# requires compliance with the South Sacramento Habitat Conservation Plan (HCP) and any applicable Avoidance and Minimization Measures for any HCP covered species. there are additional survey and avoidance measures for specific species such as Crotch's Bumble Bee, Monarch Butterfly, and Burrowing Owl.
Mitigation Measures CUL-1 and CUL-2 provides reporting requirements if Cultural Resources or Human Remains are located as part of construction of the project.
Mitigation Measure GEO-1 provides reporting requirements if Paleontological Resources are located during construction of the project.
Mitigation Measure N-1 requires construction of a sound barrier for pipeline alignment 2B to reduce noise impacts on the surrounding residences.
Mitigation Measure TCR-1 requires a paid Tribal Monitor to monitor pipeline construction for Tribal Cultural Resources. per the request of the consulting tribe.

If applicable, describe any of the project's areas of controversy known to the Lead Agency, including issues raised by agencies and the public.

No known controversy associated with the project.

Provide a list of the responsible or trustee agencies for the project.

City of Rancho Cordova
PG&E
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