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Notice of Preparation

March 21, 2019

To: Reviewing Agencies

Re: Biogas Renewable Generation Project
SCH# 2017081062

Attached for your review and comment is the Notice of Preparation (NOP) for the Biogas Renewable Generation Project draft Environmental Impact Report (EIR).

Responsible agencies must transmit their comments on the scope and content of the NOP, focusing on specific information related to their own statutory responsibility, within 30 days of receipt of the NOP from the Lead Agency. This is a courtesy notice provided by the State Clearinghouse with a reminder for you to comment in a timely manner. We encourage other agencies to also respond to this notice and express their concerns early in the environmental review process.

Please direct your comments to:

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Glendale, City of
633 East Broadway, Rm 103
Glendale, CA 91206

with a copy to the State Clearinghouse in the Office of Planning and Research at state.clearinghouse@opr.ca.gov. Please refer to the SCH number noted above in all correspondence concerning this project on our website: <https://ceqanet.opr.ca.gov/2017081062/2>.

If you have any questions about the environmental document review process, please call the State Clearinghouse at (916) 445-0613.

Sincerely,

Scott Morgan
Director, State Clearinghouse

cc: Lead Agency

NOP Distribution List

County: Los Angeles

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Notice of Completion & Environmental Document Transmittal

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For Hand Delivery/Street Address: 1400 Tenth Street, Sacramento, CA 95814

SCH #2017081062**Project Title:** Biogas Renewable Generation ProjectLead Agency: City of GlendaleContact Person: Erik KrauseMailing Address: 633 East Broadway, Room 103Phone: (818) 548-2115City: GlendaleZip: 91206County: Glendale**Project Location:** County: Los AngelesCity/Nearest Community: GlendaleCross Streets: Figueroa Street and Colorado BoulevardZip Code: 90041Longitude/Latitude (degrees, minutes and seconds): 34 ° 09 ' 22.35" N / 118 ° 11 ' 33.79" W Total Acres: 2.2Assessor's Parcel No.: 5666-002-901Section: 24Twp.: 1 NRange: 13 WBase: SBBMWithin 2 Miles: State Hwy #: 134Waterways: Eagle Rock ReservoirAirports: N/ARailways: N/ASchools: Dahila Heights ES**Document Type:**CEQA: ☒ NOP☐ Early Cons☐ Neg Dec☐ Mit Neg Dec☐ Draft EIR☐ Supplement/Subsequent EIR

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Other: _____

NEPA: ☐ NOI☐ EA☐ Draft EIS☐ FONSIOther: ☐ Joint Document☐ Final Document☐ Other: _____

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Local Action Type:☐ General Plan Update☐ General Plan Amendment☐ General Plan Element☐ Community Plan☐ Specific Plan☐ Master Plan☐ Planned Unit Development☐ Site Plan☐ Rezone☐ Prezone☒ Use Permit☐ Land Division (Subdivision, etc.)

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STATE CLEARINGHOUSE

☐ Annexation☐ Redevelopment☐ Coastal Permit☒ Other: Design Approval**Development Type:**☐ Residential: Units _____

Acres _____

☐ Office: Sq.ft. _____

Acres _____

Employees _____

☐ Commercial: Sq.ft. _____

Acres _____

Employees _____

☐ Industrial: Sq.ft. _____

Acres _____

Employees _____

☐ Educational: _____☐ Recreational: _____☐ Water Facilities: Type _____

MGD _____

☐ Transportation: Type _____☐ Mining: Mineral _____☒ Power: Type Gas firedMW 12☐ Waste Treatment: Type _____

MGD _____

☐ Hazardous Waste: Type _____☐ Other: _____**Project Issues Discussed in Document:**☒ Aesthetic/Visual☒ Agricultural Land☒ Air Quality☒ Archeological/Historical☒ Biological Resources☐ Coastal Zone☒ Drainage/Absorption☐ Economic/Jobs☐ Fiscal☒ Flood Plain/Flooding☒ Forest Land/Fire Hazard☒ Geologic/Seismic☒ Minerals☒ Noise☒ Population/Housing Balance☒ Public Services/Facilities☒ Recreation/Parks☒ Schools/Universities☒ Septic Systems☒ Sewer Capacity☒ Soil Erosion/Compaction/Grading☒ Solid Waste☒ Toxic/Hazardous☒ Traffic/Circulation☒ Vegetation☒ Water Quality☒ Water Supply/Groundwater☒ Wetland/Riparian☒ Growth Inducement☒ Land Use☒ Cumulative Effects☒ Other: Energy & Tribal**Present Land Use/Zoning/General Plan Designation:**Recreation/Open Space/ Special Recreation**Project Description:** (please use a separate page if necessary)

The Proposed Project includes construction and operation of an approximately 12 megawatt power generation facility that would utilize landfill gas as fuel to generate renewable energy. The proposed approximately 2.2-acre power generation facility would be located on a portion of an approximately 95-acre site owned by Los Angeles County within the City of Glendale's land use and zoning jurisdiction. The Proposed Project would beneficially use the landfill gas and would provide environmental and economic benefits regardless of ultimate capacity of the landfill. The Proposed Project would include the plant facility, natural gas pipeline, water pipeline and two water tanks.