

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
FEDERAL ENERGY REGULATORY COMMISSION

Sacramento Municipal Utility District

Project No. 2101-084
California

Pacific Gas & Electric Company

Project No. 2155-024
California

NOTICE OF INTENT TO HOLD A PUBLIC MEETING TO DISCUSS THE DRAFT
ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT STATEMENT FOR THE UPPER AMERICAN RIVER
HYDROELECTRIC PROJECTS

(October 15, 2007)

On September 21, 2007, the Commission issued the Upper American River Hydroelectric Project and Chili Bar Hydroelectric Project Draft Environmental Impact Statement (draft EIS) and mailed it to resource and land management agencies, interested organizations, and individuals.

The Environmental Protection Agency noticed the draft EIS in the Federal Register on September 28, 2007 (72 FR 55201); comments are due November 13, 2007. The draft EIS evaluates the environmental consequences and developmental benefits of issuing new licenses for operating and maintaining the Upper American River Project and the Chili Bar Project, which are located in El Dorado and Sacramento Counties, California. Besides evaluating the projects as they now operate, the draft EIS evaluates the projects with the Settlement Agreement and with staff-recommended measures.

The public meeting, which will be recorded by an official stenographer, is scheduled as follows.

DATE : Monday, November 5, 2007
TIME : 7:00 - 9:30 p.m. (PST)
PLACE : Best Western Placerville Inn
6850 Green Leaf Drive
Placerville, CA, 95667-6228
Phone: 530-622-9100

At the meeting, resource agency personnel and other interested persons will have the opportunity to provide oral and written comments and recommendations regarding the draft EIS for the Commission's public record.

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