

# Notice of Completion & Environmental Document Transmittal

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SCH # **2019099105**

**Project Title:** Path 46 Transmission Line Clearance Project

Lead Agency: Los Angeles Department of Water and Power (LADWP) Contact Person: Brian Gonzalez  
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 City: Los Angeles Zip: 90012 County: Los Angeles

**Project Location:** County: San Bernardino City/Nearest Community: Victorville, Barstow, and Baker  
 Cross Streets: numerous Zip Code: numerous  
 Longitude/Latitude (degrees, minutes and seconds): \_\_\_\_\_ ° \_\_\_\_\_ ' \_\_\_\_\_ " N / \_\_\_\_\_ ° \_\_\_\_\_ ' \_\_\_\_\_ " W Total Acres: 12 acres  
 Assessor's Parcel No.: numerous Section: \_\_\_\_\_ Twp.: \_\_\_\_\_ Range: \_\_\_\_\_ Base: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Within 2 Miles: State Hwy #: SR 247, SR 127 Waterways: Mojave River, Riggs Wash  
 Airports: Barstow-Daggett Airport Railways: BNSF Schools: Silver Valley Ed. Center

**Document Type:**

CEQA:  NOP  Draft EIR NEPA:  NOI Other:  Joint Document  
 Early Cons  Supplement/Subsequent EIR  EA  Final Document  
 Neg Dec (Prior SCH No.) \_\_\_\_\_  Draft EIS  Other: \_\_\_\_\_  
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**Local Action Type:**

General Plan Update  Specific Plan  Rezone  Annexation  
 General Plan Amendment  Master Plan  Prezone  Redevelopment  
 General Plan Element  Planned Unit Development  Use Permit  Coastal Permit  
 Community Plan  Site Plan  Land Division (Subdivision, etc.)  Other: board approval

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**Development Type:**

Residential: Units \_\_\_\_\_ Acres \_\_\_\_\_  Transportation: Type \_\_\_\_\_  
 Office: Sq.ft. \_\_\_\_\_ Acres \_\_\_\_\_ Employees \_\_\_\_\_  Mining: Mineral \_\_\_\_\_  
 Commercial: Sq.ft. \_\_\_\_\_ Acres \_\_\_\_\_ Employees \_\_\_\_\_  Power: Type maintenance MW n/a  
 Industrial: Sq.ft. \_\_\_\_\_ Acres \_\_\_\_\_ Employees \_\_\_\_\_  Waste Treatment: Type \_\_\_\_\_ MGD \_\_\_\_\_  
 Educational: \_\_\_\_\_  Hazardous Waste: Type \_\_\_\_\_  
 Recreational: \_\_\_\_\_  Other: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Water Facilities: Type \_\_\_\_\_ MGD \_\_\_\_\_

**Project Issues Discussed in Document:**

Aesthetic/Visual  Fiscal  Recreation/Parks  Vegetation  
 Agricultural Land  Flood Plain/Flooding  Schools/Universities  Water Quality  
 Air Quality  Forest Land/Fire Hazard  Septic Systems  Water Supply/Groundwater  
 Archeological/Historical  Geologic/Seismic  Sewer Capacity  Wetland/Riparian  
 Biological Resources  Minerals  Soil Erosion/Compaction/Grading  Growth Inducement  
 Coastal Zone  Noise  Solid Waste  Land Use  
 Drainage/Absorption  Population/Housing Balance  Toxic/Hazardous  Cumulative Effects  
 Economic/Jobs  Public Services/Facilities  Traffic/Circulation  Other: \_\_\_\_\_

**Present Land Use/Zoning/General Plan Designation:**

Resource Conservation; Regional Industrial

**Project Description:** (please use a separate page if necessary)

The Los Angeles Department of Water and Power (LADWP) is proposing the Path 46 Transmission Line Clearance Project to restore ground-to-conductor clearances that are out of compliance with transmission line safety and reliability standards. The project is located along three existing overhead transmission line alignments in San Bernardino County near Victorville, Barstow, and Baker, California: the 500 kilovolt McCullough-Victorville Lines 1 and 2 and the 287 kilovolt Mead-Victorville Line 1. LADWP proposes to comply with the code clearances by grading underneath transmission lines at 68 work areas and installing barricades at two locations. The total acreage of grading would be 7.8 acres. In two locations where grading is infeasible, LADWP would raise existing transmission towers, resulting in an additional 3.7 acres of temporary disturbance.

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**Local Public Review Period (to be filled in by lead agency)**

Starting Date October 7, 2019 Ending Date November 7, 2019

**Lead Agency (Complete if applicable):**

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