



COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT  
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September 2020

**NOTICE OF INTENT  
TO ADOPT A NEGATIVE DECLARATION  
FOR THE BERT CRANE SOLAR FACILITY PROJECT**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the City of Atwater is circulating for public review an Initial Study/Negative Declaration (IS/ND) in accordance with the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) for the proposed Bert Crane Solar Facility Project.

**PROJECT LOCATION:** The Bert Crane Solar Facility project is proposed to be located at the City of Atwater Wastewater Treatment Plant (WWTP) Facility, 6205 S Bert Crane Road, Atwater, CA 95301.

**PROJECT DESCRIPTION:** The Bert Crane Solar Facility Project proposes the construction of two (2) solar photovoltaic ground-mount systems by ENGIE North America, Inc. to offset energy consumption and electrical bills at the City of Atwater WWTP Facility. These systems will comprise one (1) 1.860 MW Net Energy Metering solar array and one (1) 1.728 MW Renewable Energy Bill-Credit Transfer array, occupying approximately 13.5 acres of the existing WWTP.

**PUBLIC REVIEW:** The City of Atwater is making the proposed IS/ND available to interested agencies and members of the public for review and comment. A 20-day public review period will begin on **September 11, 2020** and conclude on **October 1, 2020**.

**DOCUMENT AVAILABILITY:** The IS/ND is available for review during regular business hours at the City of Atwater City Hall, Community Development Department at 750 Bellevue Road, Atwater, CA 95391 and on the City of Atwater website, [www.atwater.org/public-notices](http://www.atwater.org/public-notices). Written comments may be submitted to Greg Thompson at the above address prior to the end of the public review period.

A public hearing date for this project has not been determined.

For additional information, please contact Greg Thompson, Public Works/Community Development Director at (209) 357-6342.

**For reviewing agencies:** The City of Atwater requests that you review the materials and provide any appropriate comments related to your agency's area of responsibility. The space below may be used to indicate that your agency has no comments or to state brief comments.

Distribution:

- No comments provided
- Comments noted below
- Comments provided in a separate letter

COMMENTS
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