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SCH #

Project Title: Landfill Gas to Energy Plant Project

Lead Agency: City of Newport Beach Contact Person: Joselyn Perez
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 City: Newport Beach Zip: 92660 County: Orange

Project Location: County: Orange City/Nearest Community: Newport Beach
 Cross Streets: Newport Coast Drive and San Joaquin Hills Road Zip Code: 92657

Longitude/Latitude (degrees, minutes and seconds): 33 ° 36 ' 47 " N / 117 ° 49 ' 20 " W Total Acres: 4.14

Assessor's Parcel No.: 478-03-071 Section: 00 Twp.: 6S Range: 9W Base: _____

Within 2 Miles: State Hwy #: SR-73 Waterways: San Joaquin Reservoir, Big Canyon Reservoir
 Airports: None Railways: None Schools: Sage Hill HS, Newport Coast ES and PS

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: _____

Development Type:

Residential: Units _____ Acres _____
 Office: Sq.ft. _____ Acres _____ Employees _____
 Commercial: Sq.ft. _____ Acres _____ Employees _____
 Industrial: Sq.ft. 38,500 Acres 0.88 Employees 3
 Educational: _____
 Recreational: _____
 Water Facilities: Type _____ MGD _____
 Transportation: Type _____
 Mining: Mineral _____
 Power: Type _____ MW _____
 Waste Treatment: Type _____ MGD _____
 Hazardous Waste: Type _____
 Other: _____

Project Issues Discussed in Document:

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

Present Land Use/Zoning/General Plan Designation:

General Plan Land Use Designation: Open Space (OS); Zoning Designation: Open Space (OS)

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

Biofuels Coyote Canyon Biogas (project applicant) proposes to develop the 4.14-acre project site with a new renewable natural gas (RNG) processing plant and a pipeline interconnection facility (collectively referred to as the RNG facility). The proposed RNG facility would have a total building footprint of 38,500 square feet (0.88 acres) composed of pipe racks, various vessels, a condensate tank, flare, thermal oxidizer, and other processing equipment. The first stage of primary treatment is covered by the existing landfill flaring facility on the project site operated by Orange County Waste and Recycling. Landfill gas (LFG) from the existing flare yard would be conveyed to the proposed RNG facility through a proposed underground LFG supply line for secondary and advanced treatment. The treated LFG would then be injected into SoCalGas infrastructure in the western part of the site via the proposed 6,000-square-foot pipeline interconnection facility. The interconnection facility would include a point of receipt (POR) skid to monitor the quality of the RNG and an 8-inch pipeline extension dedicated to transfer the RNG from the POR to the existing fossil natural gas pipeline tie-in point. Other project components include vehicular access, installation of a fire hydrant, a water tank on site, a septic tank for the proposed control room, and new underground power and telecommunication lines.

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<input type="checkbox"/> California Emergency Management Agency	<input type="checkbox"/> Parks & Recreation, Department of
<input type="checkbox"/> California Highway Patrol	<input type="checkbox"/> Pesticide Regulation, Department of
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Caltrans District # <u>12</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> Public Utilities Commission
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<input type="checkbox"/> Coachella Valley Mtns. Conservancy	<input type="checkbox"/> S.F. Bay Conservation & Development Comm.
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<input type="checkbox"/> Delta Protection Commission	<input type="checkbox"/> SWRCB: Clean Water Grants
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<input type="checkbox"/> Energy Commission	<input type="checkbox"/> SWRCB: Water Rights
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Fish & Game Region # <u>5</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> Tahoe Regional Planning Agency
<input type="checkbox"/> Food & Agriculture, Department of	<input type="checkbox"/> Toxic Substances Control, Department of
<input type="checkbox"/> Forestry and Fire Protection, Department of	<input type="checkbox"/> Water Resources, Department of
<input type="checkbox"/> General Services, Department of	<input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____
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<input type="checkbox"/> Housing & Community Development	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Native American Heritage Commission	

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

Starting Date 11/27/24 Ending Date 01/13/25

Lead Agency (Complete if applicable):

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