RE Meeting to discuss solar in Santa Fe County (134)



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From: Rebecca Halford [mailto:rebecca.halford@aes.com]

Sent: Monday, May 2, 2022 9:29 AM

To: Adeline Murthy subject: RE: Meeting to discuss solar in Santa Fe County

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Hi Adeline,

Here is a bit of information about the facility:

- Rancho Viejo Solar 96 MW solar facility, not for the community solar program. This is a utility-scale project in response to a previous PNM
 procurement event.
- 2. We have two 5 MW solar facilities in the desktop planning stages that are intended to participate in the community solar procurement event by PNM, later this year.
 - a. These projects will be in the same area as the larger, Rancho Viejo project
 - b. We do NOT have anchor tenants aligned with those projects yet
 - c. AES will either promote participation into the facilities directly, or will rely on a local partner to facilitate the customers.
- 3. Permitting and interconnection status Rancho Viejo Solar is still early in the development stages and the team is working with partners to complete environmental and site studies, which will determine the final details of the project. Once those studies are complete, the team will pursue permits and as a result will conduct broader Open House style community meetings.
- 4. The development team is meeting with the Rancho San Marcos HOA in advance of applying for permits and hosting a community meeting in an effort to inform and collaborate we are still planning the project. We want to be good neighbors and hear their questions, concerns, and requests and adjust our project planning where necessary.

If you are available to meet in-person with me and two members of the Development Team, please let me know if any time during May 16 – 18 works for you.

Thanks, Rebecca

Rebecca Halford

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Hello Adeline,

My name is Rebecca Halford and I'm reaching out to you in hopes of scheduling a meeting to discuss a solar facility that our team has in early development stages. The Project would be located in south Santa Fe County off of Hwy 14, a preliminary map is attached. A few of us from the project development team will be in Santa Fe during the week of May 16 to meet with the Rancho San Marcos HOA Board. While in town I was hoping to meet with you and any others on your team to discuss the project and to hear from you about your thoughts on solar development in the area and what the opinions and questions from the community might be. Would you be available to meet sometime May 16, 17 or 18?

Thank you, Rebecca Halford

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