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**NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY**

**DRAFT NOISE & VIBRATION AND TRAFFIC & TRANSPORTATION SECTIONS OF
THE FINAL STAFF ASSESSMENT
FOR THE CARRIZO ENERGY SOLAR FARM PROJECT
APPLICATION FOR CERTIFICATION 07-AFC-8**

This notice is to inform interested persons of the availability of the draft (1) Noise & Vibration and (2) Traffic & Transportation sections of the Final Staff Assessment (FSA) for the Carrizo Energy Solar Farm (CESF) Project Application for Certification (07-AFC-8). Since publication of the Preliminary Staff Assessment (PSA) on November 21, 2008, staff requested and the applicant provided draft mitigation plans to address significant adverse impacts identified by staff in the PSA. The draft FSA sections contain the California Energy Commission staff's engineering and environmental evaluation of the CESF project for these two technical areas.

Staff also intends to issue draft FSA sections in the coming weeks for the following four additional technical areas that have been subject to substantive changes since the publication of the PSA: (3) Alternatives, (4) Soil and Water Resources, (5) Visual Resources, and (6) Biological Resources. Staff intends to schedule a workshop to present its updated analyses on these six technical areas. While the workshop will provide opportunity for brief oral comments, staff encourages parties interested in commenting to do so in writing by the date of the workshop. The workshop is yet to be scheduled, but is expected to be held in late July or August, and will be noticed separately.

These Noise & Vibration and Traffic & Transportation draft FSA sections are available for review at the following local libraries:

San Luis Obispo County Library
995 Palm Street
San Luis Obispo, CA 93401

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9630 Murphy Avenue
Santa Margarita, CA 93453

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Simmler, CA 93453

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Paso Robles, CA 93446-2534

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Atascadero, CA 93422-4123

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Creston, Ca 93432

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Taft, CA 93268-2310

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These draft FSA sections are also available on the Internet (see below). If you would like a paper copy or CD, please fill out the enclosed form and return it to California Energy Commission, Attention: Hilarie Anderson, Siting Project Secretary, at (916) 651-0479, or by e-mail at handerso@energy.state.ca.us.

If you desire information on how to participate in the Energy Commission's review of the project, please contact the Energy Commission Public Adviser, Elena Miller, at (916) 654-4489 or toll free in California at (800) 822-6228, or by email at publicadviser@energy.state.ca.us. Technical or project schedule questions should be directed to John Kessler, Energy Commission Project Manager, at (916) 654-4679 or at jkessler@energy.state.ca.us. The status of the project, an electronic copy of the Application for Certification, the PSA, draft FSA sections, copies of notices, and other relevant documents are also available on the Energy Commission's web site at www.energy.ca.gov/siting_cases/carrizo/index.html.

If you need reasonable accommodation in terms of assistance or for language translation, please contact Lourdes Quiroz of the Administrative Services Division at (916) 654-5146, or e-mail Lourdes at lquiroz@energy.state.ca.us. News media inquiries should be directed to Assistant Executive Director, Susanne Garfield, at (916) 654-4989.

Sincerely,

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Please send me a paper copy / CD (circle one) of the California Energy Commission staff's draft Noise & Vibration and Traffic & Transportation sections of the Final Staff Assessment for the Carrizo Energy Solar Farm (CESF) Project Application for Certification (07-AFC-8).

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