

ENERGY FACILITY SITING COUNCIL

Energy Facility Siting Council Meeting Notice and Agenda

Oregon Department of Energy – Meitner Conference Room 550 Capitol St SE Salem, OR 97301

Friday, October 25, 2019 at 10:00 a.m.

Please Note: Every effort will be made to consider items as they are indicated. However, the Council agenda and the order of agenda items are subject to change.

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Roll Call and Opening Remarks

- **A. Consent Calendar** Approval of minutes; Council Secretary Report; and other routine Council business.
- B. Shepherds Flat Central Request for Amendment 2 Council Final Decision (Action Item) Chase McVeigh-Walker, Senior Siting Analyst. The Council will review the Proposed Order on Request for Amendment 2 of the Shepherds Flat Central site certificate. Request for Amendment 2 seeks approval to upgrade or repower two existing turbines (Turbine numbers 368 and 370), existing turbine blades with longer blades, and the replacement and modification to associated machinery including the rotor upgrade (replacing the hub casting), modification to existing nacelles roof, and installation of a new gearbox and bedplate in the nacelle. The longer turbine blades would increase the blade-tip height and rotor diameter for the two turbines, remaining within the parameters allowed by the site certificate. The longer turbine blades would lower the minimum allowed blade tip clearance for the two turbines from 25 meters to 21.5 meters. The amendment request also seeks approval to utilize previously approved areas of temporary and permanent disturbance (access roads and crane paths). The amendment request is being reviewed under the Type B amendment review.
- C. Rulemaking Consideration of Proposed Amendment Rules (Action Item) Christopher Clark, Rules Coordinator. The Council will consider rulemaking advice received from stakeholders on what permanent rules should replace the temporary rules governing the site certificate amendment process adopted at the Council's August meeting. After considering the advice, the Council will review draft proposed rules prepared by staff and consider issuing a Notice of Proposed Rulemaking.
- **D. Public Comment Period** This time is reserved for the public to address the Council regarding any item within the Council's jurisdiction that is not otherwise closed for comment.

Adjourn

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- November 21-22, 2019 location to be determined
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