

PUBLIC NOTICE

Jordan Cove Energy Project

Notice of Request for Comments on the Jordan Cove Energy Project Application for Exemption from a Site Certificate

Summary

Date Public Notice Issued: June 28, 2018

Proposal: The applicant seeks an exemption from the requirement to obtain a site certificate to construct and operate a high efficiency co-generation energy facility with a nominal generating capacity of greater than 50 MW.

Facility Location: Coos County, near North Bend

An oral public comment opportunity will occur at an upcoming Energy Facility Siting Council meeting:

Date: Thursday, September 27, 2018

Time: 2:00-5:00 p.m., 6:00 p.m.-

conclusion

Location: The Mill Casino,
Salmon Room East
3201 Tremont Ave.
North Bend, Oregon 97459

Written Comment Deadline: To be considered in the Proposed Order, comments must be received by the Department by August 13, 2018 at 5 p.m. PDT

Introduction

The Oregon Department of Energy, staff to the Energy Facility Siting Council, received an Application for Exemption from a Site Certificate from Jordan Cove Energy Project L.P. for a high efficiency co-generation energy facility on June 22, 2018.

Description of the Proposed Facility

Jordan Cove Energy Project, LP, a subsidiary of Pembina Pipeline Corporation, proposes to construct and operate three 30 MW Steam Turbine Generators (STG) to provide electrical power to a surrounding Liquid Natural Gas terminal. Steam for use by the STGs will be generated by five Heat Recovery Steam Generators using exhaust from the LNG refrigerant compression combustion turbine drivers. ORS 469.300(11)(a) defines "energy facilities" that are subject to EFSC jurisdiction to include "electric power generating plant[s] with a nominal electric generating capacity of 25 megawatts or more, including but not limited to (i) thermal power; (ii), combustion turbine power plant..." Because the Jordan Cove Energy Project meets this definition, it must seek from EFSC either a site certificate or an exemption from the requirement to obtain a site certificate prior to construction and operation of the facility. Jordan Cove Energy Project has applied for exemption from the requirement to obtain a site certificate under the "high efficiency co-generation facility" pathway, described at OAR 345-015-0350(3). Under Oregon statute and rule, certain energy facilities can seek EFSC approval for exemption from the requirement to obtain a site certificate. ORS 469.320 and OAR 345-015-0350 to -0380 describe the exemption requirements and procedures.

Location of Proposed Facility

The proposed energy generating components of the LNG terminal are located in the northeast portion of the terminal site, which is proposed to be located on the North Spit of Coos Bay, Oregon

approximately 3,800 feet north of the city limits of North Bend, Oregon.

Public Comment Period

Written comments must be received by the Department by August 13, 2018 at 5 p.m. PDT in order to be taken into consideration in staff's recommendation to Council in the Proposed Order. Please note that only comments which pertain to the application for exemption of the energy production components of the LNG terminal, under OAR 345-015-0350(3) can be considered by Council for their determination. Written comments may be submitted prior to the public comment deadline by mail, email, hand-delivery or fax to:

Sean Mole, Federal Projects Coordinator
Oregon Department of Energy
550 Capitol St NE.
Salem, OR 97301
Email: JordanCove.Comment@oregon.gov
Phone: 503-934-4005

Written or oral comments may also be provided at the September 27, 2018 Council meeting. Please note that only comments that pertain to the scope of this exemption request, which is limited to the energy production components of the LNG terminal, under OAR 345-015-0350(3) can be considered by Council for their determination.

All comments submitted to ODOE may be disclosed to the public, subject to Oregon Public Records Laws (ORS Chapter 192). Public comments will be attached to the Proposed Order.

The site certificate exemption process requires ODOE staff to review the request for completeness within 45 days and to have a recommendation to Council no later than 60 days after the request is deemed complete. In order to comply with these required timelines, the comment period cannot be extended. However, public comment will be accepted at the September Energy Facility Siting Council meeting.

EFSC Decision Process

Staff will issue a Proposed Order no later than September 13, 2018. Council will review the Proposed Order and public comments at its meeting on September 27-28, 2018. Following its deliberations, either at that meeting or at a subsequent meeting, the Council will approve or deny the application for exemption and issue a Final Order.

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2. You previously signed up to receive notices related to the South Dunes Power Plant. The South Dunes Power Plant was formerly proposed to be built in connection with the JCEP terminal, but in 2016 the applicant withdrew the application for site certificate.
3. You are on the mailing list for another state agency with a permit application in process related to the same facility.

Every person receiving this notice will automatically receive all future notices related to the application for exemption, unless you unsubscribe via GovDelivery or by contacting the Department.

More Information

Please contact Sean Mole, Project Coordinator, at the email address, phone number, or mailing address listed above. More information about the facility and updates on the review process is available using any of the options below.

1) ODOE's website

More details on Jordan Cove Energy Project, including the Application for Exemption from a Site Certificate and the Proposed Order, are

available online on at:

<https://www.oregon.gov/energy/facilities-safety/facilities/Pages/JCP.aspx>

2) Updates by email

Subscribe to GovDelivery for email updates on Jordan Cove Energy Project or other energy facilities under EFSC jurisdiction. GovDelivery is an automated email system that allows interested members of the public to receive information about ODOE projects and events. For more information, please visit: <http://tinyurl.com/EFSC-email>.

3) In hardcopy

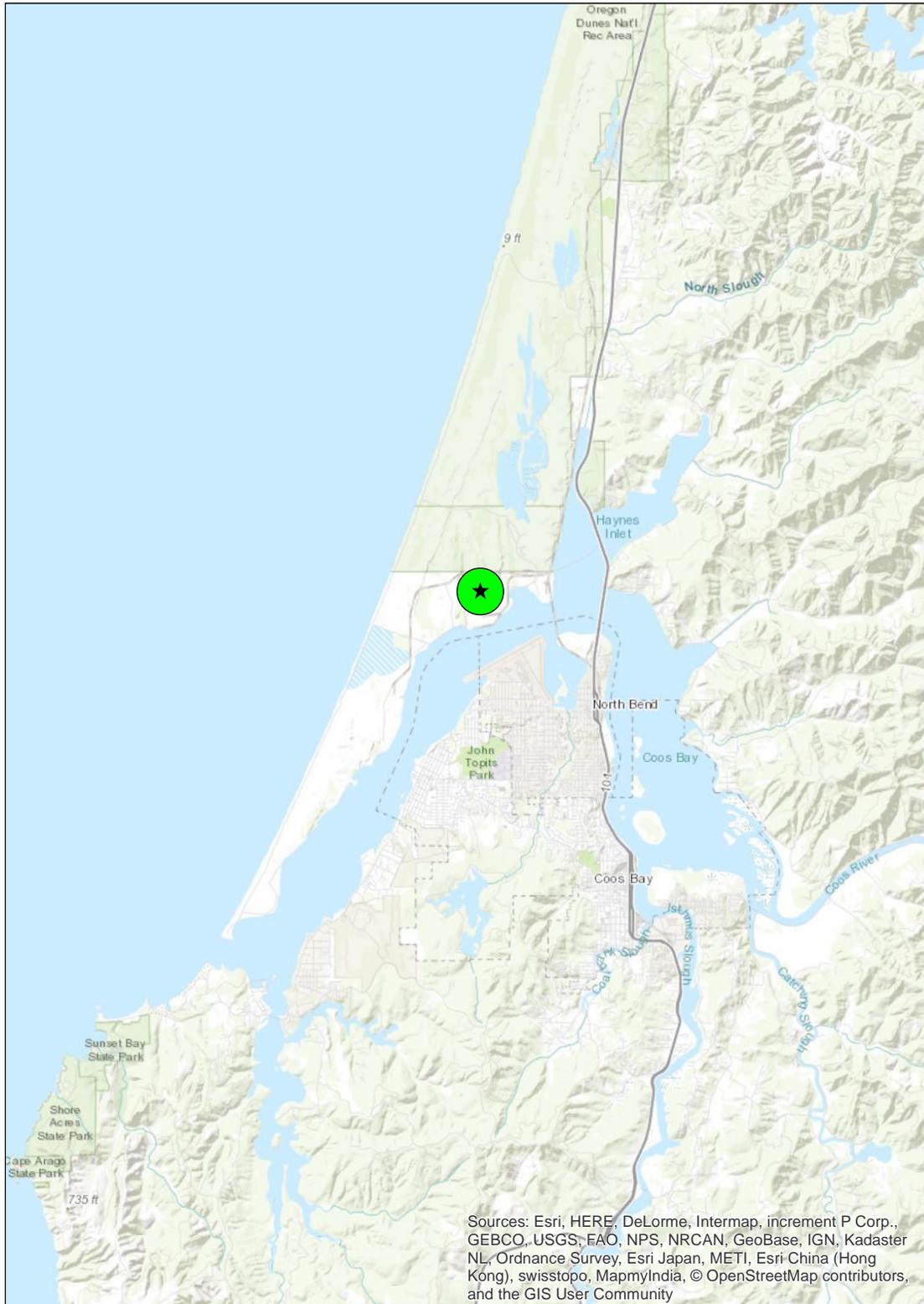
Copies of the Application for Exemption from Site Certificate are available for public inspection at:

Oregon Department of Energy
550 Capitol St NE
Salem, OR 97301

Coos Bay Public Library
525 Anderson Ave.
Coos Bay, OR 97420

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For a detailed facility map, please see the Application for Exemption posted to the ODOE website at:
<https://www.oregon.gov/energy/facilities-safety/facilities/Pages/JCP.aspx>.