

Notice to all Parties

California American Water Co. Application A.12-04-019: Monterey

Peninsula Water Supply Project (MPWSP)

MPWSP EIR/EIS Schedule

California-American Water Co. (Cal-Am) applied to the California Public Utilities Commission (Commission) for approval to build and operate a desalination plant, and related facilities, on the Monterey peninsula. This project is known as the Monterey Peninsula Water Supply Project (MPWSP). The Commission's Energy Division is conducting environmental review of the MPWSP under the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA). In September 2015, the Commission decided to revise and recirculate the Draft Environmental Impact Report (EIR) as a joint state/federal document in coordination with the Monterey Bay National Marine Sanctuary. On March 14, 2016, CalAm submitted an amended application with a revised project description which will be included in the draft EIR/EIS. The coordinated EIR/Environmental Impact Study (EIS) and amended application, among other events, have led to a revised schedule, as set forth below. These dates are subject to change in the event of unforeseen circumstances.

Task	Completion Date
Preparation of the draft EIR/EIS	-----
Draft EIR/EIS Issued for Public Comment	December 21, 2016
End of the 45 day Public Review/Comment Period	February 4, 2017
Final EIR/EIS Distributed	September 25, 2017
30 Day Review Federal Review Period	October 25, 2017
EIR/EIS Certification plus Notice Of Determination and Record Of Decision	November 8, 2017

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