

Marin CCA Renewable Energy Generation Workshop
Marin County Civic Center, Room 328
Oct. 11, 2007, 11:00 AM - 3 PM
Agenda

Purpose: Provide policymakers with a comprehensive introduction and overview to the commercial availability and potential for renewable power. Answer key questions raised by policymakers investigating Community Choice Aggregation including:

- Can Marin obtain (through purchased power and ownership) renewable generation to serve 50% (120 MW) or more of Marin's electricity load within 5 years?
- What amount of Marin's electric load could be expected to come from renewable generation under the status quo (current state policies and utility compliance?)
- How will a CCA's increased investment in renewable energy reduce greenhouse gases beyond the status quo?

11:00-11:15: Welcome, Introductions– Supervisor Charles McGlashan

11:15-12:15: Introduction to Marin CCA and Renewable Energy Resources

11:15-11:25: Overview of CCAs, Marin CCA draft business plan – Kirby Dusel

11:25-11:45: Introduction to Renewable Energy Resources – Peter Asmus (introduction to technologies), Roy Philips (customer PV), Marilyn Nemzer (geothermal)

11:45-11:55: Local Renewable Resources Potential- Jody London

11:55-12:10: Q & A

12:10-12:30: Box lunch

12:30-1:30: Technical & economic potential for renewable energy generation

12:30-12:40: Overview of potential renewable resource supply and demand (through 2020) - Ray Dracker (Technical Director, Center for Resource Solutions)

12:40-1:30: Panel Discussion on the renewable power industry – Moderator: Tim Rosenfeld; Panelists: Steven Kelly (Independent Power Producers Association), Diane Fellman (FPLE, Wind, Central Solar Power), Ray Dracker (Millenium Solar/CRS, Central Solar Power), Wally McOuat (HMH Resources, Biomass/Cogen/Central PV), Carol Bruton (LLNL, Geothermal), Frank De Rosa (PG&E, Dir., Renewable Supply), Kirby Dusel (Navigator)

1:30-2:30: Market, regulatory, political issues affecting resource availability

1:30-1:45: Overview of California's Renewable Policy Initiatives: Renewable Portfolio Standard, Climate Protection, Energy Action Plan – Dr. Jan Hamrin (President, Center for Resource Solutions)

1:45-2:30: Panel Discussion on market, regulatory and political issues for renewable resources – Moderator: Jan Hamrin; Panelists: Jan Smutny Jones (Independent Power Producers Association), Diane Fellman (FPLE), Ray Dracker (Millenium Solar/CRS), Wally McOuat (HMH Resources), Carol Bruton (LLNL)

2:30-2:45: Q & A

2:45- Wrap up