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Obed Meadow Solar and Gen-Tie Project CEC Hearing Route Tour Itinerary

The route tour will begin at the Little America Hotel, located at 2515 E Butler Avenue, Flagstaff, Arizona 86004. A chartered bus provided by Aurora Solar, LLC will transport attendees. The attached route tour map shows the route tour path and route stops that will be reviewed.

Start of Tour: August 9, 2023, at 9:00 am

Little America Hotel 2515 E Butler Avenue Flagstaff, Arizona 86004

Route Stop #1: Obed Road Crossing of Proposed Gen-Tie Route, East of Proposed Project Substation (34° 55′ 23.6″ N, 110° 19′ 25.6″ W)

From the Little America Hotel, the tour will turn left out of the parking lot and travel along East Butler Avenue for approximately 0.1 miles and the turn right onto the on ramp for I-40 East. The tour will then travel on I-40 East towards Joseph City. The tour will travel east on I-40 for 78.2 miles before taking Exit 277 toward I-40 BUS/Joseph City. The tour will turn left onto Main Street and continue north and west for approximately 1.7 miles. The tour will take a left onto Westover Avenue, travel approximately 0.3 miles before turning right onto 3rd S Avenue/Frontage Road and traveling 0.2 miles. The tour will turn left onto S Richards Avenue and travel approximately 0.8 miles to Obed Road. The tour will turn right and travel south on Obed Road for 1.4 miles and stop on the west side of Obed Road near the proposed Gen-Tie crossing location. Distance to Route Stop #1 is approximately 82.7 miles.

Route Stop #2: Joseph City Cemetery, View of Existing Cholla Substation (34° 57' 02.6" N, 110° 18' 50.9" W)

From route stop #1, the tour will turn around and travel north along Obed Road for approximately 1.4 miles and then turn left and travel along S Richards Avenue for 0.8 miles to 3rd S Avenue/Frontage Road. The tour will then travel on Frontage Road for approximately 1.5 miles to the Joseph City Community Cemetery. The tour will stop in the parking lot of the Joseph City Community Cemetery to view the Cholla Power Plant and substation and the general alignment of the proposed Gen-Tie route. Distance from Route Stop #1 to Route Stop #2 is approximately 3.7 miles.

Return to the Little America Hotel

From route stop #2, the tour will turn right out of the cemetery parking lot and travel along Frontage Road for 0.2 miles and then turn left and travel along Main Street for 0.2 miles to I-40 West on ramp. The tour will then travel on I-40 West towards Flagstaff. The tour will travel west on I-40 for 78.2 miles before taking Exit 198 for E Butler Avenue. The tour will continue east on E Butler Avenue for 0.3 miles before turning into the parking lot of the Little America Hotel. Distance of the return trip is approximately 78.9 miles.

Tour Distance and Time Summary

The total tour roundtrip distance is approximately 165.3 miles and anticipated time is approximately 4 hours.

