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In the matter of:)	Docket No. 11-ALT-01
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2012-2013 Investment Plan)	Meeting and Public Workshop
)	RE: 2012-2013 Investment Plan
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Notice of Advisory Committee Meeting and Public Workshop

The Staff and Lead Commissioner for Transportation of the California Energy Commission will conduct a meeting of the Advisory Committee for the Alternative Renewable Fuel and Vehicle Technology Program (ARFVT Program). The meeting will also serve as a public workshop, with opportunity for public questions and input. The Energy Commission staff will present a revised draft of the *2012-2013 Investment Plan Update for the Alternative and Renewable Fuel and Vehicle Technology Program*. This is the first annual investment plan to constitute an “update,” in accordance with recent statute. The Energy Commission staff and Lead Commissioner for Transportation are seeking input from the Advisory Committee, stakeholders, and the public regarding the information and recommendations contained in the revised draft investment plan update.

April 19, 2012
 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.
 CALIFORNIA ENERGY COMMISSION
 1516 Ninth Street
 1st Floor, Hearing Room A
 Sacramento, California
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Agenda

9:00 Introductions and Opening Remarks

Commissioner Carla Peterman, Lead Commissioner on Transportation

9:20 Program Status Update

Jim McKinney, Office Manager for the Emerging Fuels and Technologies Office

9:40 2012-2013 Investment Plan Update – Revised Staff Draft

Charles Smith, Project Manager for the 2012-2013 Investment Plan Update

10:00 Advisory Committee Discussion

Carla Peterman, Lead Commissioner on Transportation

Advisory Committee Members

11:30 Public Comment

Members of the Public

Background

Assembly Bill 118 (Núñez, Chapter 750, Statutes of 2007), created the ARFVT Program. The statute, subsequently amended by AB 109 (Núñez, Chapter 313, Statutes of 2008), authorizes the Energy Commission to develop and deploy alternative and renewable fuels and advanced transportation technologies to help attain the state's climate change policies. The Energy Commission has an annual ARFVT Program budget of approximately \$100 million to support projects that contribute to these goals. Assembly Bill 1314 (Wieckowski, Chapter 487, Statutes of 2011) requires the Energy Commission to annually update an investment plan that communicates the Energy Commission's strategic vision and determines the funding priorities and opportunities for the upcoming fiscal year, providing an analytical rationale for proposed expenditures. The investment plan update also highlights and explains the rationale for any year-to-year changes to the Energy Commission's ARFVT Program strategy and funding priorities. Projects funded by the Energy Commission under the Program must be consistent with the priorities established in the plan. As an update, the *2012-2013 Investment Plan Update* relies on analyses and discussions included in the ARFVT Program's three previous investment plans. The most recently published of these previous investment plans (the *2011-2012 Investment Plan*) is available online at <http://www.energy.ca.gov/2011publications/CEC-600-2011-006/CEC-600-2011-006-CMF.pdf>

The Energy Commission is also required to convene and consult with an Advisory Committee to help develop each investment plan update. The Advisory Committee is composed of representatives of fuel and vehicle technology consortia, labor organizations, environmental organizations, community-based justice and public health organizations, recreational boaters, consumer advocates, academic institutions,

workforce training groups, private industry, and state agencies. The investment plan update must be adopted at an Energy Commission Business Meeting and submitted to the Legislature concurrent with the submittal of the Governor's May Revision to the budget.

Public Comment

Energy Commission staff will accept oral comments during the meeting. Comments may be limited to three minutes per speaker. Any comments will become part of the public record in this proceeding.

Written comments should be submitted to the Dockets Unit by 1:00 p.m. on April 24, 2012. Please include the docket number 11-ALT-01 and indicate "2012-2013 Investment Plan" in the subject line.

The Energy Commission encourages comments by e-mail. Please include your name and any organization name. Send comments in Microsoft® Word format (.doc) or in Adobe® Acrobat® format (.pdf) to

docket@energy.ca.gov

If you prefer, you may send a paper copy of your comments to:

California Energy Commission
Dockets Office, MS-4
Re: Docket No. 11-ALT-01
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Sacramento, CA 95814-5512

Written comments will be also accepted at the meeting, however, the Commission may not have time to review them.

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