

Desert Renewable Energy Conservation Plan Stakeholder Committee Meeting

Agenda for March 23, 2010

- **9 a.m. – Welcome**
- **Introductions** – To help stakeholders get to know each other at this first meeting, please introduce yourself and speak briefly about your organization and your interest in the DRECP.
- **Purpose of the DRECP** and its dual goals to facilitate the development of renewable energy resources and create an NCCP and HCP(s) for the study area
- **Organization of the DRECP** project and the Renewable Energy Action Team, which serves as the Executive Steering Committee of the DRECP
- **Introduction to the stakeholder process** – Information about meetings, alternates, ground rules, public access, and outreach
- **DRECP planning goals and preliminary conservation objectives** – The DRECP was initiated by a planning agreement among the California Department of Fish and Game, the California Energy Commission, the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service and the Bureau of Land Management. The planning agreement calls out the DRECP goals and discusses preliminary conservation objectives as stated in the California Natural Community Conservation Planning Act. These preliminary goals and objectives will be discussed. Components of the DRECP and the Independent Science Advisor process will also be discussed.
- **Preliminary maps** developed by the Renewable Energy Action Team will be shown and discussed, and these maps will serve as a starting point for the stakeholder committee and the independent science advisors as the plan progresses.
- **Stakeholder comments** – Any stakeholders who have comments may make them at this point in the agenda.
- **Schedule next meeting**
- **Noon – Adjourn**