

4.0 FACILITY CLOSURE

After 25-years of commercial operation, Orange Grove Energy will convey the plant to San Diego Gas and Electric (SDG&E). The plant is expected to continue to provide a viable power supply as long as certain components are refurbished or replaced per manufacturer's specifications.

Closure of the power plant is not expected during its operational life. In the event of premature or unexpected cessation of operations, the facility will be maintained in a manner that will protect public health and safety and the environment. In the event that Orange Grove Energy determines the facility will close temporarily or permanently, the Plant Manager will notify the County of San Diego Certified Unified Program Agency (CUPA) of the circumstances and expected duration of closure. If it is determined that closure will occur for an extended term without continued maintenance of containment, safety, and emergency response systems, then hazardous materials will be removed from the Site. Hazardous materials removed from the Site will be managed in accordance with laws, ordinances, regulations and standards (LORS) identified in Section 6.14 and 6.15 of this Application.