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Air District holds public hearing for input on proposed Hayward power plant

SAN FRANCISCO - The Bay Area Air Quality Management District is holding a public hearing on the revised permit for the Russell City Energy Center from 6:30 to 9:00 p.m. on Wednesday, Sept. 2, 2009, at the Hayward City Hall Council Chambers, 777 B Street, in Hayward.

Air District staff will be available to answer questions and talk to the public during an open house from 6:00 to 6:30 p.m. prior to the public hearing that same evening.

The project is a 600-megawatt, natural gas-fired, combined-cycle power plant proposed by Houston-based Russell City Energy Company, a Calpine Corporation affiliate. The planned location is 3862 Depot Road in Hayward, near the corner of Depot Road and Cabot Boulevard.

The public can also provide their input to the Air District by submitting written comments to Mr. Weyman Lee, BAAQMD, 939 Ellis Street, San Francisco, CA, 94109, or via email at weyman@baaqmd.gov. Written comments must be received by Sept. 16, 2009.

The Bay Area Air Quality Management District (www.baaqmd.gov) is the regional agency chartered with protecting air quality in the Bay Area.

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