

# Regular Meeting of the Audit and Finance Committee of the Peninsula Clean Energy Authority (PCEA) AGENDA

Monday, June 12, 2023 8:30 a.m.

PLEASE NOTE: This meeting will be held in a hybrid format with both in-person and Zoom participation options for members of the public;

Board members shall appear in person.

In-Person Meeting Location:
PCEA Lobby, 2075 Woodside Road, Redwood City, CA 94061

Zoom, Virtual Meeting Link: <a href="https://pencleanenergy.zoom.us/j/88100966124">https://pencleanenergy.zoom.us/j/88100966124</a>
Meeting ID: 881-0096-6124 Passcode: 2075 Phone: +1(669) 444-9171

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#### **Public Participation**

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Members of the public can also attend this meeting physically at the **Peninsula Clean Energy Lobby** at 2075 Woodside Road, Redwood City, CA 94061.

Written public comments may be emailed to PCEA Board Clerk, Nelly Wogberg (<a href="mailto:nwogberg@peninsulacleanenergy.com">nwogberg@peninsulacleanenergy.com</a>) and such written comments should indicate the specific agenda item on which the member of the public is commenting.

Spoken public comments will be accepted during the meeting in the Board Room(s) or remotely through Zoom at the option of the speaker. Please use the "Raise Your Hand" function in the

Zoom platform, or press \*6 if you phoned into the meeting, to indicate that you would like to provide comment.

#### **ADA Requests**

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# CALL TO ORDER / ROLL CALL/ APPROVE TELECONFERENCE PARTICIPATION UNDER AB 2449

This item is reserved to approve teleconference participation request for this meeting by Director pursuant to Brown Act revisions of AB 2449 due to an emergency circumstance to be briefly described.

### **PUBLIC COMMENT**

This item is reserved for persons wishing to address the Committee on any PCEA-related matters that are not otherwise on this meeting agenda. Public comments on matters listed on the agenda shall be heard at the time the matter is called. Members of the public who wish to address the Committee are customarily limited to two minutes per speaker. The Committee Chair may increase or decrease the time allotted to each speaker.

#### **ACTION TO SET AGENDA**

#### REGULAR AGENDA

- 1. Chair Report (Discussion)
- 2. Staff Report (Discussion)
- 3. Recommend Approval of Fiscal Year 2023-2024 Budget (Action)
- 4. Discussion on Peninsula Clean Energy Investment Policy (Discussion)
- 5. Power Purchase Agreement Pre-Pay Presentation (Discussion)
- 6. Committee Members' Reports (Discussion)

#### **ADJOURNMENT**

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- Please mute your microphone when you are not speaking to minimize audio feedback
- If possible, utilize headphones or ear buds to minimize audio feedback
- If participating via videoconference, audio quality is often better if you use the dial-in option (Option 2 below) rather than your computer audio

#### **Options for Joining**

- A. Videoconference with Computer Audio see Option 1 below
- B. Videoconference with Phone Call Audio- see Option 2 below
- C. Calling in via Telephone/Landline see Option 3 below

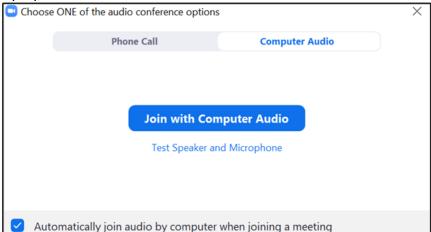
#### **Videoconference Options:**

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- 3. After the application opens, the pop-up screen below will appear asking you to choose ONE of the audio conference options. Click on the Phone Call option at the top of the pop-up screen.



- 4. Please dial +1 (253) 215-8782.
- 5. You will be instructed to enter the meeting ID: 821-7257-2134 followed by #.
- 6. You will be instructed to enter in your participant ID. Your participant ID is unique to you and is what connects your phone number to your Zoom account.
- 7. After a few seconds, your phone audio should be connected to the Zoom application on your computer.
- 8. In order to enable video, click on "Start Video" in the bottom left-hand corner of the screen. This menu bar is also where you can mute/unmute your audio.

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- 2. You will be instructed to enter the meeting ID: 821-7257-2134 followed by #.
- 3. You will be instructed to enter your **Participant ID** followed by #. If you do not have a participant ID or do not know it, you can press # to stay on the line.
- 4. You will be instructed to enter the meeting passcode 2075 followed by #.



# PENINSULA CLEAN ENERGY AUTHORITY JPA Board Correspondence

**DATE:** June 2, 2023

**COMMITTEE MEETING DATE:** June 12, 2023

**SPECIAL NOTICE/HEARING:** None

**VOTE REQUIRED:** Majority Vote

**TO:** Honorable Peninsula Clean Energy Authority Audit and Finance

Committee

**FROM:** Andy Stern, Chief Financial Officer

**SUBJECT:** Proposed Fiscal Year 2023-2024 Budget and 5-year Projections

#### **RECOMMENDATION:**

Recommend approval by the full Board of Directors of the Fiscal Year 2023-2024 (July 1, 2023, through June 30, 2024) budget at its meeting on June 22, 2023, with an amount of \$350,657,317 as a not-to-exceed amount of Total Operating Expenses.

#### **BACKGROUND:**

On May 16, 2023, Staff presented a draft Fiscal Year 2023-2024 budget to the Audit & Finance Committee in order to solicit comments and input. Staff presented the same draft budget to the full Board of Directors on May 25, 2023.

#### **DISCUSSION:**

Fiscal Year 2023-2024 (July 1, 2023, through June 30, 2024) budget presentation and details will be provided for review. The bottom-up budgeting approach included discussions with the department heads to develop their portions of the budget and PCE executives to include cross agency elements of the budget The final budget has been updated to reflect additional refinement of select revenue and expense categories.

The resolution for Board approval reflects a Not-to-Exceed level of Total Operating Expenses allowing for various categories to be above or below the planned level as long as the Total Operating Expenses do not exceed the requested level of \$350,657,317 for the full Fiscal Year 2023-2024.

#### **ATTACHMENTS:**

The final version of the proposed Fiscal Year 2023-2024 Budget and 5-year Projections will be distributed during the meeting.



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**TO:** Honorable Peninsula Clean Energy Authority Audit and Finance

Committee

FROM: Andy Stern, Chief Financial Officer

**SUBJECT:** Investment Strategy Discussion

## **DISCUSSION:**

Staff will present current status of investment management and solicit input from the Committee for potential modifications to strategy and policy.



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**TO:** Honorable Peninsula Clean Energy Authority Audit and Finance

Committee

**FROM:** Andy Stern, Chief Financial Officer

**SUBJECT:** Prepayment of Power Purchase Agreements Discussion and Education

### **DISCUSSION:**

Staff invited Garth Salisbury, CFO and Treasurer at MCE Clean Energy and Board Member/Controller at CA Community Choice Finance Authority, and an expert on financing options related to the Prepayment of PPAs for the Committee to provide overview and education.