

Solar Forum –Agenda

DATE: Tuesday May 07, 2002

TIME: 1:30 to 4:30 pm **PLACE:** PG&E San Ramon Learning Center, 3301 Crow Canyon Road, San Ramon, CA 94583

Cost: FREE –though pre-registration is required. online at

www.californiasolarcenter.org/reg050702.html

register early to secure space. Thanks.

Parking: Ample parking available onsite. For maps and additional directions refer to

http://www.pge.com/009_about/009c1_san_ramon.shtml

1:30 Introduction Tor Allen (Rahus)

1:45 Net Metering Legislation – Extending Net metering for large systems – Kari Smith (Powerlight) A new legislative bill (AB 58) has been introduced in the Sacramento legislature to extend net metering for large systems (>10kW and for commercial, industrial, agricultural customers) beyond 1/1/2003. Without this legislation, net metering will sunset back to residential/small business only (<10kW) status. Your support is needed. Other related legislation will also be presented.

2:00 CEC Renewable Energy Investment Plan – Future Directions– Tim Tutt & Sandy Miller (CEC)

The Investment plan is a document outlining the Renewable Energy Program for the next 5-10 years. This program includes the buydown (aka rebates) for PV systems. The Plan requires enabling legislation (SB 530) to go into effect.

Tim/Sandy will discuss the differences between the new program and current one. A look into the future will be presented also.

2:30 Performance Based Incentives– Tor Allen (facilitate), Kari Smith, Tim Tutt, Marc Roper, ...YOU. How is the industry doing? Can we do better? It's been proposed before that performance-based incentives (paying per kWh produced) can provide a lot of positive benefits. This brainstorm session will be to discuss the pros and cons of a performance based incentive in California, along with the logistics of implementing such a program.

3:00 Break

3:10 Updates

CEC Consumer Education Program – Marija Krapceovich (CEC) – 10 min

Statewide Self Generation Program – John Galloway (CPUC) – 10 min

PIER PV Program – PV Systems Testing – Bill Brooks (Endecon Engr) 10 min

3:45 Inverter Status & Interconnection Issues – Chuck Whitaker (Endecon) An update on the inverter situation. Also related interconnection issues.

4:00 PV Project Presentation – Tony Jones (AquaSkye Ventures)

4:10 Adjourn

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