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U.S. DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY
EERE PROJECT MANAGEMENT CENTER
NEPA DETERMINATION



RECIPIENT: County of Sacramento

STATE: CA

PROJECT TITLE : SREA

Funding Opportunity Announcement Number	Procurement Instrument Number	NEPA Control Number	CID Number
DE-FOA-0000013	DE-EE0000900	GFO-0000900-003	0

Based on my review of the information concerning the proposed action, as NEPA Compliance Officer (authorized under DOE Order 451.1A), I have made the following determination:

CX, EA, EIS APPENDIX AND NUMBER:

Description:

B5.23 Electric vehicle charging stations

The installation, modification, operation, and removal of electric vehicle charging stations, using commercially available technology, within a previously disturbed or developed area. Covered actions are limited to areas where access and parking are in accordance with applicable requirements (such as local land use and zoning requirements) in the proposed project area and would incorporate appropriate control technologies and best management practices.

Rational for determination:

The U.S. Department of Energy (DOE) provided funding to the County of Sacramento under DOE's American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 Energy Efficiency and Conservation Block Grant Program (EECBG). The County of Sacramento proposes to provide \$12,360 in EECBG funding to the Sacramento Regional Energy Alliance (SREA) to install five electric vehicle (EV) charging stations at County facilities.

The proposed project would include assembly of pedestal mounts, installing mounting hardware, charger installation, and electrical work and testing for networking requirements.

All work would be conducted at existing parking lots. Three stations would be installed at the downtown parking garage (725 7th Street, Sacramento, California 95814). No ground disturbance would be required for the installation of these EV stations. Two stations would be located at the Branch Center 2 motor pool area (3800 Branch Center Road, Sacramento, California 95872). Minimal ground disturbance would be required for installation including a 2 ft X 2 ft pedestal pad and approximately 20 feet of trench for electrical conduit.

Based on this information, DOE has determined the work outlined is consistent with activities identified in categorical exclusion B5.23 (installation of electric vehicle charging stations).

NEPA PROVISION

DOE has made a final NEPA determination for this award

Insert the following language in the award:

If you intend to make changes to the scope or objective of your project you are required to contact the Project Officer identified in Block 11 of the Notice of Financial Assistance Award before proceeding. You must receive notification of approval from the DOE Contracting Officer prior to commencing with work beyond that currently approved.

Note to Specialist :

Cristina Tyler 1.23.2012

SIGNATURE OF THIS MEMORANDUM CONSTITUTES A RECORD OF THIS DECISION.

NEPA Compliance Officer Signature: Kymberly Ke
NEPA Compliance Officer

Date: 1/27/2012

FIELD OFFICE MANAGER DETERMINATION

Field Office Manager review required

NCO REQUESTS THE FIELD OFFICE MANAGER REVIEW FOR THE FOLLOWING REASON:

- Proposed action fits within a categorical exclusion but involves a high profile or controversial issue that warrants Field Office Manager's attention.
- Proposed action falls within an EA or EIS category and therefore requires Field Office Manager's review and determination.

BASED ON MY REVIEW I CONCUR WITH THE DETERMINATION OF THE NCO :

Field Office Manager's Signature: _____
Field Office Manager

Date: _____