

# Monterey County Renewable Energy Permitting Forum February 23, 2009



The Monterey County Business Council, the County of Monterey, and  
the C2 Green Building Committee Present:



**MONTEREY  
COUNTY  
BUSINESS  
COUNCIL**

## MONTEREY COUNTY RENEWABLE ENERGY PERMITTING FORUM

Monday, February 23, 2009

8:00 AM - 12 noon

UC Cooperative Extension

Ag Center Conference Room, Salinas



### AGENDA

- 8:00 AM CHECK-IN**  
- Coffee, tea, juice, water, fresh fruit, and pastries will be provided.
- 8:15 AM Welcome**  
- Mary Ann Leffel, President, Monterey County Business Council  
- Supervisor Lou Calcagno, County of Monterey, District 2
- 8:30 AM Streamlining the County of Monterey's permitting process & Zoning**  
- Tim McCormick, Building Services Director, County of Monterey  
- Alana Knaster, Deputy Director of Resource Management Agency, County of Monterey
- 8:50 AM Solar permit fee study and ICC-TUCC approved residential solar PV plan guidelines**  
- Kurt Newick, Solar Advocate, Horizon Energy Systems
- 9:05 AM Solar Energy Panel - Q&A**  
- *Moderator:* Pete Scudder, Scudder Roofing  
- *Panelists:* John Kuehl, Chief of Inspection Services/Building Official, City of Monterey;  
Captain Mark Mondragon, Fire Marshal, Cal Fire's Cypress District;  
Anthony Tersol, Partner, Applied Solar Energy
- 9:35 AM CSI, distributed generation & local governments, training, incentives, 2009 Outlook**  
- Chuck Hornbrook, Senior Manager, Solar and Customer Generation, PG&E
- 9:55 AM Solar PV Fire Training, Guidelines**  
- Fire training video (by F/E Matt Paiss, San Jose Fire)
- 10:10 AM BREAK**
- 10:30 AM Wind Turbine Panel - Q&A**  
- *Moderator:* Diane Ross-Leech, Director of Environmental Stewardship, PG&E  
- *Panelists:* John Roitz, Projects Director, Salinas Valley Wind Power;  
Christopher J. Diel, Fish & Wildlife Biologist, US Fish & Wildlife Service;  
Kelly Sorenson, Executive Director, Ventana Wildlife Society
- 11:15 AM Funding Sources for Renewable Energy Projects**  
- Cisco DeVries, President, Renewable Funding LLC  
- Phil Brown, US Dept of Agriculture
- 11:45 AM Closing Remarks - Mary Ann Leffel**

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