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PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE
ENERGY, OCEAN RESOURCES, AND FEDERAL CONSISTENCY
DIVISION

The California Coastal Commission will consider the following Energy, Ocean Resources, and Coastal Development Permit item:

THURSDAY, MARCH 14, 2024, 9:00 A.M.

8. EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR'S REPORT.

a. Negative Determination No. ND-0008-24 (Federal Railroad Administration, Mendocino County)

Pending Negative Determination by the Federal Railroad Administration for approval of a Railroad Rehabilitation and Improvement Financing loan to Mendocino Railway for its Railroad Rehabilitation Project that, generally, includes re-opening a collapsed tunnel, replacing up to 34,000 railroad ties and lines, purchasing rolling stock, and rehabilitating bridges to bring into use an approximately 35-mile stretch of rail line between Willits and Fort Bragg that has been out of service since 2015, Mendocino County. (CT-SF)

Staff reports and staff recommendations. Staff reports and staff recommendations are available at www.coastal.ca.gov/mtgcurr.html. Click on the Thursday tab and scroll down to agenda item 8a. If you wish to receive a hard copy of a report, please contact the Commission's Energy, Ocean Resources and Federal Consistency Division at EORFC@coastal.ca.gov or (415) 904-5240.

How to provide written comments on an item. To submit written materials for review by the Commission, either email (via EORFC@coastal.ca.gov) or submit such materials to Commission staff no later than 5 pm on the Friday before the hearing. Staff will then distribute your materials to the Commission. Such materials received after this time will not be distributed to the Commission. Alternatively, you may also submit such materials directly to the Commissioners (a current list of Commissioner names and email addresses is available from Commission staff or from the Commission's website) as long as such materials are submitted to all Commissioners, all alternates for Commissioners, the three non-voting members of the Commission, and Commission staff. You are requested to summarize the reasons for your position in no more than two or three pages, if possible.

PLEASE NOTE THAT THIS WILL BE A HYBRID MEETING, WITH BOTH VIRTUAL AND IN-PERSON PARTICIPATION ALLOWED. Please see the Coastal Commission's Hybrid Hearing Procedures, posted on the Coastal Commission's webpage

at www.coastal.ca.gov for details on the procedures of this hearing. If you would like to receive a paper copy of the Coastal Commission's Hybrid Hearing Procedures, please call (415) 904-5202.

The in-person hearing will be held at **Holiday Inn Sacramento Downtown-Arena, 300 J Street, Sacramento CA 95814**. The Commission strongly encourages continued participation virtually through video and teleconferencing due to changing Covid-19 conditions.

When will my agenda item be heard? The items listed above will be considered by the Commission at a meeting at which other items are also scheduled. It is not possible to specify the exact time at which each matter will be heard, or to guarantee that an item will not be postponed. No one can predict how quickly the Commission will complete agenda items or how many will be postponed to a later date. The Commission begins each session at the time listed and considers each item in order, except in extraordinary circumstances.

Questions? Questions regarding this agenda item and/or this hearing should be directed to EORFC@coastal.ca.gov or (415) 904-5240.