

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Notice is hereby given pursuant to California Government Code section 4217.10 et seq., the San Rafael City Schools (SRCS) has completed the review of proposals from contractors in response to the Request for Proposals for the SRCS District-Wide Solar Photovoltaic (PV) Power Purchase Agreement (PPA) Project (Project). The Project consists of the design, construction, commissioning, and maintenance of new solar PV arrays at five SRCS-owned sites, including Bahia Vista Elementary School, Davidson Middle School, San Rafael High School, Terra Linda High School, and Venetia Valley K-8.

Notice is further given that pursuant to California Government Code section 4217.12, the SRCS Governing Board will hold a public hearing to consider awarding PPAs to REC Solar, Inc. for the Project. The public hearing will be held on or after April 15, 2024 at 6:00 pm PT, or as soon thereafter as practicable, in the SRCS District Office at 310 Nova Albion Way, San Rafael, CA 94903. All interested persons may appear and be heard at the public hearing.

At such time the testimony of all interested persons for or against the proposed PPAs will be heard. Any protest pertaining to the regularity or sufficiency of the proceedings shall be in writing and shall clearly set forth the irregularities and defects to which the objection is made. Any written protest shall be filed with the Clerk of SRCS on or before the time set for the hearing. SRCS may waive any irregularities in the form or content of any written notice and at the hearing may correct minor defects in the proceedings. Written protests may be withdrawn, in writing, at any time before the conclusion of the hearing.

In order to make the award of the PPAs, the SRCS Governing Board is required to make findings that the cost to SRCS to implement the energy related improvements per the PPAs will be less than the anticipated marginal cost to SRCS of thermal, electrical, or other energy that would have been consumed by SRCS in absence of purchasing the energy improvements under the PPAs.

Copies of the PPAs, Governing Board resolution, and other supporting documents will be available online at the time of the SRCS Governing Board meeting: https://srcs.org/22637_2 and also available at the public hearing.