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Affidavit of Mailing & Publication

PROPOSAL NAME: CU-24-00003 Schnebly Coulee Solar Farm

NOTIFICATION OF: Re-Notice Notice of Application

NOTIFICATION MAIL DATE: August 6, 2024

I certify that the following documentation:

Re-Notice of Application for CU-24-00003 Schnebly Coulee Solar Farm, Conditional Use Permit Application and SEPA Checklist

has been mailed and/or emailed to the attached list of persons and participants, and that proper notification (as attached) has been published in the Legal Newspaper(s) of Record for Kittitas County.

Signature

Chace Pedersen

Planner I

Community Development Services

County of Kittitas State of Washington

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of August 2024

Steph Mifflin

Notary Public for the State of Washington residing

in Ellensburg.

My appointment expires: 12. 13-15

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544314	NOA: Schnebly Coulee	08/06/24	08/06/24	2	\$232.25

Payments:

Date Method Card Type Last 4 Digits Check Amount

 Discount:
 \$0.00
 Gross:\$232.25

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 \$0.00
 Paid Amount:\$0.00

 Credits:
 \$0.00

Amount Due: \$232.25

NOTICE OF APPLICATION RE-NOTICE

Project Name (File Number): Schnebly Coulee Solar Farm (CU-24-00003)

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Written Comments on this proposal can be submitted to CDS any time prior to 5:00 p.m. on August 21, 2024. This is a conditional use permit request and as such will involve a public hearing. Any person has the right to comment on this application and request a copy of the decision once made. Written comments submitted to the County regarding this applicationwill be included in the public record in their entirety.

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Required Permits: Conditional Use Permit, SEPA

Required Studies: Applicant submitted the following documents for review: Decommissioning Plan, Water Rights Retention Plan, Habitat Management Plan, Wetland and Other Waters Delineation Report, Wildlife and Habitat Survey Report, Vegetation Management Strategy, Stormwater Management Plan. All these documents are available for review on the CDS website (see above).

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Date: Tuesday, August 6, 2024 1:34:00 PM

Attachments: CU-24-00003 Schnebly Coulee Solar Farm - Notices - Re-Notice NOA Memo.pdf

Good morning,

Cc:

Subject:

CDS is requesting comment on the following conditional use application: CU-24-00003 Schnebly Coulee Solar Farm. This project is being re-noticed due to updated project materials. Links to the file materials can be found below. The comment period will end **August 21, 2024, at 5pm**. CDS will assume your agency does not wish to provide comment if not received by this date. Please let me know if you have any issues accessing the materials.

Internal Link: CU-24-00003 Schnebly Coulee Solar Farm

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If the links above do not work, please go to the CDS website at:

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Thank you,

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