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APPLICATION REFERRAL: Staff Review with Notice

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The following project has been filed with this Department: APPLICATION NUMBER: PA-2400335 (A)

PROPERTY OWNER: **GWF Energy LLC** APPLICANT: Jon Boyer

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PROJECT DESCRIPTION: A Administrative Use Permit application to develop a 40 megawatt (MW), 8-hour duration, 320 MW hour battery energy storage system (BESS) project on approximately 12.8 acres within a 39-acre parcel that is adjacent to the Tracy combined cycle power plant (TCCPP). The project will consist of modular battery and inverter enclosures, transformers, switchyard, short 115 kilovolt gen-tie line, water line, and ancillary facilities. This property is not under Williamson Act contract.

The Property is zoned AG-40 (General Agriculture, 40-acre minimum) and the General Plan designation is A/G (General Agriculture).

PROJECT LOCATION: The project site is located south of West Schulte Road, 3,116 feet west of South Lammers Road, Tracy. (APN/Address: 209-240-32 / 14950 W. Schulte Rd., Tracy) (Supervisorial District: 5)

ENVIRONMENTAL DETERMINATION: This is a Notice of Intent to adopt a Mitigated Negative Declaration for this project as described. San Joaquin County has determined that through the Initial Study that contains proposed mitigation measures all potentially significant effects on the environment can be reduced to a less than significant level. The Mitigated Negative Declaration and Initial Study can be viewed on the Community Development Department website at www.sigov.org/commdev under Active Planning Applications.

APPLICATION REVIEW: Recommendations and/or comments on this project must be submitted to the Community Development Department no later than June 4, 2025. Recommendations and/or comments received after that date may not be considered in staff's analysis.

AGENCY REFERRALS MAILED ON: May 7, 2025

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