Public Comment at CEP Meetings

Background

The San Onofre Community Engagement Panel (CEP) fosters open communication, public involvement and education on plant decommissioning activities. The CEP was formed by Southern California Edison (SCE) to serve as a conduit for public information and encourages community involvement and communication on matters related to decommissioning.

The CEP encourages the public to participate by providing oral comments during public meetings and by submitting long-form written comments, all of which will be considered and included as part of the public record.

Oral Comments

Regular Meetings
Regular Meetings of the CEP will include designated periods for members of the public to provide oral comments. A three-minute time frame will be allotted for each public speaker. The CEP Vice Chairman and Secretary will monitor comments/questions and, following the last participant, facilitate dialogue. During this portion of public comment, the Vice Chairman and Secretary may (1) affirm and summarize previous points and/or (2) call upon subject matter experts in attendance to provide further comment. In all, as detailed in the CEP Charter, the public comment period shall not exceed 60 minutes.

Workshops & Special Meetings
The CEP will hold workshops and special meetings, as deemed necessary, on specific issues or topics in an effort to maximize public education efforts. These occasional events shall be used to invite an open exchange of information between members of the CEP and subject matter experts. While workshops and special meetings will be open to the public, they shall not include public comment.

Written Comments
Members of the public are invited to provide written comments to the CEP and SCE in connection to CEP meetings and the decommissioning of San Onofre. Written comments may be submitted in hard copy during CEP meetings, or via e-mail following meetings at nuccomm@songs.sce.com. Written comments that are received up to five business days following a CEP meeting will be considered public information, made part of the public record for the subject meeting, and posted to www.SONGScommunity.com. A document library on the website shall include fields for “date,” “topic,” and “sender/from.”