

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION  
OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA**

Order Instituting Rulemaking to Oversee the  
Resource Adequacy Program, Consider  
Program Refinements, and Establish  
Forward Resource Adequacy Procurement  
Obligations

Rulemaking 21-10-002  
(Filed October 7, 2021)

**NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY OF  
CALIFORNIA INDEPENDENT SYSTEM OPERATOR CORPORATION  
FINAL 2024 LOCAL CAPACITY TECHNICAL REPORT AND UPDATE REGARDING  
2024 FLEXIBLE CAPACITY NEEDS ASSESSMENT**

Pursuant to the September 2, 2022 *Assigned Commissioner's Amended Scoping Memo and Ruling* and the April 10, 2023 *E-Mail Ruling on Comment Schedule for Local Capacity Requirement Report and Flexible Capacity Requirement Report* (Comment Schedule Ruling), the California Independent System Operator Corporation (CAISO) hereby provides notice to the service list for California Public Utilities Commission (Commission) Rulemaking 21-10-002 that the CAISO's Final 2024 Local Capacity Technical Report is posted publicly on the CAISO's website. The Final 2024 Local Capacity Technical Report can be accessed at the following address:

<http://www.caiso.com/InitiativeDocuments/Final-2024-Local-Capacity-Technical-Report.pdf>

The study also includes a List of Physical Resources accounted for in the 2024 and 2028 Local Capacity Technical Studies in Excel (.xls) format at the following address:

<https://www.caiso.com/InitiativeDocuments/Attachment-A-List-of-Physical-Resources-Accounted-for-in-the-2024-and-2028-Local-Capacity-Technical-Studies.xls>

In addition to providing the 2024 Final Local Capacity Technical Study, this filing also provides the CAISO's responses to stakeholder comments on the draft local capacity requirement (LCR) results. As part of its annual Local Capacity Technical Study process, the CAISO provides an opportunity for stakeholders to comment on its draft LCR results prior to publishing the Final Local Capacity Technical Study. In addition, the Commission provided parties an opportunity to file comments on the draft LCR results in this proceeding. The California Community Choice Association, Green Power Institute, and Vistra Corp. submitted comments on the draft LCR in this proceeding. The CAISO responds to each stakeholder comment in the

course of its LCR process. The CAISO provides its response to stakeholder and party comments at:

<http://www.aiso.com/InitiativeDocuments/ISO-Responses-to-Comments%E2%80%93Final-2024-and-2028-Local-Capacity-Requirement-Study-Results.pdf>

The CAISO also provides an update on its 2024 Flexible Capacity Needs Assessment and 2024 Availability Assessment Hours. The Comment Schedule Ruling requests the CAISO file final 2024 flexible resource adequacy requirements in this proceeding by May 12, 2023. However, the CAISO will not be able to provide the final 2024 flexible resource adequacy requirements by this date, due to delays outside the CAISO's control.<sup>1</sup> The CAISO published its draft 2024 Flexible Capacity Needs Assessment on April 24, 2023 and held a stakeholder meeting on April 26, 2023.<sup>2</sup> Stakeholder comments on the draft 2024 Flexible Capacity Needs Assessment are due to the CAISO on May 10, 2023. The CAISO plans to finalize the 2024 Flexible Capacity Needs Assessment as soon as possible after considering stakeholder comments. Once complete, the CAISO will promptly file the final 2024 Flexible Capacity Needs Assessment and 2024 Availability Assessment Hours with the Commission. Because the CAISO will not be able to file final 2024 flexible resource adequacy requirements until after May 12, 2023, the Commission should consider revising the comment schedule for the final 2024 flexible resource adequacy requirements.

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<sup>1</sup> The CAISO's 2024 Flexible Capacity Needs Assessment process is delayed due to the late adoption date of the California Energy Commission's Integrated Energy Policy Report demand forecast, which is a necessary input in the study process.

<sup>2</sup> See CAISO Flexible Capacity Needs Assessment – 2024 stakeholder page: <https://stakeholdercenter.aiso.com/RecurringStakeholderProcesses/Flexible-capacity-needs-assessment-2024>.