



Borrego Battery Energy Storage System and
Hydrogen Energy Storage System Project
- Construction Notification

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As part of San Diego Gas & Electric's® (SDG&E) commitment to sustainability, we are integrating a growing number of Energy Storage Systems. This will help support grid reliability, and advance clean energy goals by more effectively utilizing the power generated from renewable resources such as sun and wind.

We will be in your area soon to install a Battery Energy Storage System (BESS) and Hydrogen Energy Storage System (HESS) on SDG&E owned property adjacent to the Borrego Substation and Microgrid. Energy Storage Systems collect and store electricity when it's abundant, typically during the day, and allows this energy to be deployed to the grid when it's most needed, during the evening and after the sun sets. Energy Storage Systems support our state and region's renewable energy goals and helps to mitigate the impact of planned and unplanned electric power service interruptions.

You may have received prior communication about this project. We want to let you know that due to unforeseen circumstances, the construction schedule will begin later than originally expected and to provide you with an update on the projects anticipated construction schedule.

Borrego BESS-HESS Project Details:

Duration: Starting approx. End of July / August 2023 – approx. Q3 2024

Location: On SDG&E owned property near the intersection of Desert Green Access Road and Borrego Valley Road in Borrego Springs, CA.

Workdays and Hours: Monday – Saturday from 7:00 a.m. – 7:00 p.m.; with the potential for extended work hours, night work or Sunday work, if required at times

****NOTE:*** *Construction dates and hours are subject to change according to compliance requirements, inclement weather and other unforeseen circumstances*

Construction will take place in phases. Construction work hours, traffic control measures, and noise restrictions are established by local jurisdictions. We will provide additional updates should construction dates significantly change.

We apologize for any inconvenience you may experience during construction activities and appreciate the community's support as we complete this important project. Noise and dust disturbances may increase due to construction activities. SDG&E will continue to work closely with local municipalities to ensure construction activities are as least disruptive as possible. Should planned outages occur due to the nature of this work, you will be promptly notified.

This letter does **not** require any action on your part. Should you have any questions or concerns during construction, please contact me at (844) 765-6388, or by email at JQuijano@sdge.com.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "J. Quijano".

Jennifer Quijano
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