

Draft Altamont Pass SRC Meeting Plan in 2009

Developed by the Center for Collaborative Policy

Meeting 1: 18 May 2009 (Conference Call)

Alameda County Updates on Altamont Issues: Update on Mediation and Other Activities and Status of Repowering

SRC 2009 Meeting Plan

Report from the Monitoring Team: Update on Fieldwork, Database, Reports

Meeting 2 (Conference Call)

Unresolved Analytical Issues

Meeting 3 (Conference Call)

Unresolved Analytical Issues

Meeting 4: (In Person)

SRC 2009 Work Plan

Presentation of Data and Findings:

- Seasonal Shutdown Analysis
- [Carcass Removal/Scavenging Trial Draft Memo, 10/16/08 \(M31\)](#)
- 48-Hour Search Interval Bird Fatality Study (Kestrel/Burrowing Owl Report) (M32)
- Diablo Winds Analysis

Compliance Reporting

Request to Brief Conservation Plan Science Advisors

Meeting 5 (In Person)

Presentation of Data and Findings: Three-Year Data and Findings on 50% Reduction

Consider Possible Additional Mitigation Measures

Prioritize Adaptive Management Measures proposed by the Settling Parties

Meeting 6 (In Person)

Review and Comment on Monitoring Team Report

Other Ongoing SRC Topics for 2009

- Review analyses & data (burrowing owl study, measuring 50% reduction, baseline, etc)
- Consider identifying other hazardous turbines (dependent on request from County and industry)
- Hazardous turbines: status report on removals

2008 Meetings

Key:

- ✓ Completed

March 11 (12:00-2:00 Cal Time)

- ✓ Statistics—SRC Questions and Altamont-Wide Randomization Issue
- ✓ Set April and August Meeting Dates

March 18 (10:00-12:00 Cal Time)

- ✓ Develop Proposed Burrowing Owl Study Design

April 23-24 In-Person Meeting

- ✓ Burrowing Owl Study: Recommendation to Conduct Study and Rationale Sequencing
 1. Conference call 3/18
 2. Draft design
 3. Review proposed design in late March
- ✓ Bats Literature Review & Initial Conversation
- ✓ Discuss Scavenger Removal Trials (including bats)

July 8-9 In-Person Meeting

- ✓ Settlement Update, if any
- ✓ Revised 2008 Monitoring Report, Measuring 50%, Comparison to Baseline
- ✓ Study Designs: Burrowing Owl and Scavenger Removal and Searcher Detection
- ✓ Background Mortality Study Consideration