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This web site is the online center for public information and involvement in the West-wide Energy Corridor Programmatic Environmental Impact Statement (Energy Corridor PEIS).



The United States Department of Energy, the United States Department of the Interior Bureau of Land Management, and the United States Department of Agriculture Forest Service (the Agencies) will prepare a **Programmatic Environmental Impact Statement (PEIS)** to evaluate issues associated with **designation of energy corridors** on federal lands in eleven Western states. Based upon the information and analyses developed in this PEIS, each Agency would amend its respective land use plans by designating a series of energy corridors. This web site is the online center for public information and involvement in the PEIS process.

Public Participation

Public participation in the West-wide Energy Corridor PEIS is important. This web site provides information and services to help you participate in the PEIS process.

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EIS purpose, scope, and schedule.

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How to participate in the PEIS process and how public comments are used in the PEIS process.

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- Public Scoping Comments Available Online
- Report to Congress: Corridors and Rights-of-Way on Federal Lands added*

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Section 368 of the The Energy Policy Act of 2005 divides several federal Agencies' schedules for designating transmission corridors on public lands into two groups:

(1) "Western States," consisting of Arizona, California, Colorado, Idaho, Montana, Nevada, New Mexico, Oregon, Utah, Washington, and Wyoming; and (2) all other states.

This PEIS relates solely to **corridors in the Western States**, and is for **corridor establishment only**.

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DOE, DOA, DOI and DOD have conducted Public scoping meetings

**DOE, DOA, DOI and DOD are analyzing way ahead to develop PEIS
(ANL consolidating Public comments)**

**California has been granted Cooperating Agency Status
w/ California Energy Commission**

**California Workgroup developing Priorities to recommend in for PEIS
Framework**

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- Areas which are Geographically unsuitable**
- Natural Resource Sensitive Areas**
- Culturally Sensitive Areas Boundary Buffer Distances**
- Detrimental impacts to Military Training Routes**
- View shed effects**
- Others being considered**

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