

# **NCPA All Resources Bill Billing Support for CT2 GHG Emissions**

Facilities Committee

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## Purpose

- Introduce a billing support file of the NCPA All Resources Bill for CT2 (STIG) greenhouse gas emissions.

## GHG Tracking & Compliance

- GHG emissions from the CT2 Project, or Lodi STIG, are “covered emissions” under the CA cap-and-trade program.
- NCPA must prepare a GHG inventory and administer Compliance Instruments for the associated emissions.
- NCPA reports CT2 emissions to Project Participants, but not on a scheduled and recurring basis.
- Historic emissions were very low, justifying this approach to minimize administrative burdens on NCPA and Project Participants.

## ARB Support File

- NCPA Settlements plans to distribute a detailed accounting of CT2 GHG emissions in the All Resources Bill support file, starting with the Nov. ARB.
- Informational purposes, at this time.
- Report period: Jan. 2013 to current, with 6-12 month projection.
  - Generation (MWh)
  - GHG obligation (MT CO<sub>2</sub>e)
  - Compliance instrument balances (MT), and
  - Compliance instrument retirements (MT)
- See sample report

## Future Policy Development

- Staff is preparing a proposal to adopt a regularly scheduled (i.e. monthly) process that is financially binding using this report.
- Goals:
  - Reduce legal risk to NCPA for uncovered GHG obligations
  - Improve administrative efficiency
  - Conform business practices across covered entities

# Questions / Comments