

**PUBLIC NOTICE**  
**BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE**  
**COUNTY OF SANTA BARBARA**  
**STATE OF CALIFORNIA**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that ERG RESOURCES, LLC has filed its application with the Board of Supervisors of the County of Santa Barbara requesting said Board to grant it a private utility franchise for a period of twenty years, under the Franchise Act of 1937, to use, or lay and use oil and gas pipes and appurtenances under the public roads and places within the unincorporated areas of said County, as they now or hereafter exist within the County; for the purpose of transmitting and distributing produced water and related gas and oil products. The pipelines run through County roadway along Cat Canyon and Palmer Road, north of Los Alamos, in the unincorporated area of the County.

If said franchise shall be granted, ERG RESOURCES, LLC, its successors and assigns, shall during the life thereof pay to County an annual fee agreed to in accordance with California Public Utilities Code Section 6231, and such fees shall be subject to increase to the maximum rate established by any amendment or successor to Section 6231. Upon commencement of this franchise, the annual fee shall be \$2,899.37. The franchise fee shall be paid annually from the date of the granting of the franchise applied for and in the event such payment shall not be made said franchise shall be forfeited.

NOTICE IS HEREBY FURTHER GIVEN that any and all persons having any objections to the granting of said franchise may appear before this Board of Supervisors at the Board Hearing Room located in at 105 East Anapamu Street, Fourth Floor, in Santa Barbara, California, at the hour of 9:00 A.M. on November 1, 2011; or at the Board Hearing Room located in at 105 East Anapamu Street, Fourth Floor, in Santa Barbara, California, at the hour of 9:00 A.M. on November 15, 2011, and be heard thereon; and

NOTICE IS HEREBY FURTHER GIVEN that at any time not later than the hour so set for hearing objections any person interested may make written protest stating objections against the granting of said franchise which protests must be signed by the protestant and delivered to the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors, and the Board of Supervisors shall at the time set for hearing said objections proceed to hear and pass upon all protests so made.

In compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, if you need special assistance to participate in this meeting, please contact the Clerk of the Board at (805) 568-2240. Notification at least 48 hours prior to the meeting will enable the Clerk of the Board to make reasonable arrangements.

**IF YOU CHALLENGE THIS PROJECT IN COURT, YOU MAY BE LIMITED TO RAISING ONLY THOSE ISSUES YOU OR SOMEONE ELSE RAISED AT THE PUBLIC HEARING DESCRIBED IN THIS NOTICE, OR IN WRITTEN CORRESPONDENCE TO THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS AT, OR PRIOR TO, THE PUBLIC HEARING.**

Witness my hand and seal this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2011.

Chandra L. Wallar  
CLERK OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

By \_\_\_\_\_  
Deputy Clerk