

**SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA GAS COMPANY
NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR A CERTIFICATE OF PUBLIC
CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY (CPCN)
VENTURA COMPRESSOR MODERNIZATION PROJECT**

Date: August 24, 2023

Application No.: 23-08-019

Proposed Project:

Southern California Gas Company (SoCalGas) is requesting a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity (CPCN) to authorize the modernization of the Ventura Compressor Station by replacing the three existing nearly 40-year-old natural gas compressors with two electric and two natural gas compressors (hybrid configuration). The Ventura Compressor Modernization (VCM) Project is a critical modernization to address changes to the operating environment of SoCalGas's integrated natural gas transmission system, the functionality of the existing equipment, the ability to maintain system reliability, and the critical importance of maintaining adequate inventory in the La Goleta storage field. The hybrid configuration at the Ventura Compressor Station is estimated to result in a 75% reduction in permitted NOx emissions as compared to the current facility.

Project Description:

The Proposed Project would occur at SoCalGas's Ventura Compressor Station located at 1555 North Olive Street in the City of Ventura and includes the following:

- 1) replacing three existing aging natural gas compressors with two new natural gas and two new electric motor-driven compressors;
- 2) erecting a new 10,458 square foot compressor building;
- 3) erecting a new 4,641 square foot permanent office building;
- 4) erecting a new 5,459 square foot warehouse;
- 5) other ancillary site improvements, such as piping interconnection and storage tanks;
- 6) installation of a new 8-foot perimeter block wall to replace the existing chain-link fence/block wall.

Construction is anticipated to take approximately 24 to 36 months.

Environmental Assessment:

SoCalGas has prepared a Proponent's Environmental Assessment (PEA) that includes the analysis of potential environmental impacts created by the construction and operation of the proposed project and evaluates potential alternatives. The PEA concludes there are no significant environmental impacts as a result of the proposed project, including the study areas of air quality and greenhouse gas emissions. The CPUC will further evaluate the project for potential environmental impacts in accordance with the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA).

Public Review Process:

Pursuant to the CPUC's Rules of Practice and Procedure, within 30 calendar days of the date of notice that this application appears on the CPUC calendar, you may protest and request that the CPUC hold hearings on this application. If the CPUC determines public hearings should be held, a notice will be sent to each person or entity who is entitled to notice or who has requested a hearing.

For Further Information:

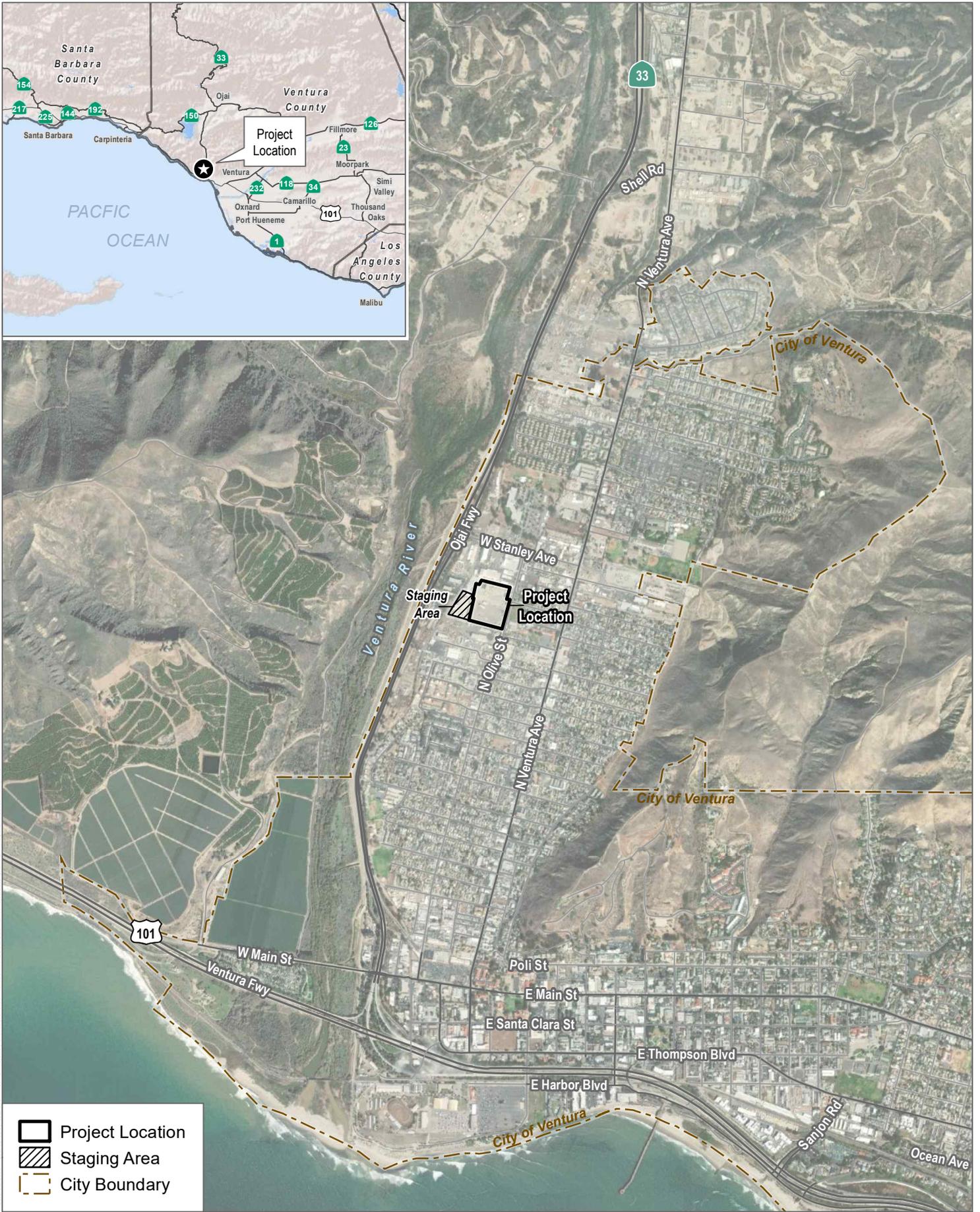
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You may submit comments on the proceeding's Docket Card at apps.cpuc.ca.gov/c/A2308019.



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FIGURE PD-1

Regional Location and Local Vicinity

Ventura Compressor Station Modernization Project