AGENDA ITEM FOR ADMINISTRATIVE MEETING () Discussion only (X) Action

FROM (DEPT/ DIVISION): County Counsel

SUBJECT: EFSC Proposed Order

Background:

The Energy Facility Siting Council closed its public hearing on June 24, 2022, on the proposed application for the Nolin Hills project. The next step in the process will be for the council to issue its Proposed Order on the project. Once the order is issued a notice will be sent to those commenting or participating of the right to a contested hearing. At this time, the order includes the position that EFSC does not need to include a setback as a substantive criteria for the project. The County did provide timely comment to EFSC, so it will have standing to request a contested case hearing.

Requested Action:

Discuss if County is to pursue a contested case hearing due to the failure to follow county criteria for the project and provide direction to staff

ATTACHMENTS:

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Checkoffs: () Dept. Head (copy) () Human Resources (copy) (X) Legal (copy) () (Other - List:)	To be notified of Meeting: Bob Waldher Needed at Meeting:
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Scheduled for meeting on: August 3, 2022	
Action taken:	
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