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DATE: January 22, 2020
TO: MERA Governing Board
FROM: Ernest Klock, Operations Officer
SUBJECT: AGENDA ITEM C-3: CEQA Process Update – Next Gen Project

Recommended Action: Accept this report on the status of the CEQA process for the MERA Next Gen Project.

The Subsequent Environmental Impact Report (SEIR) for the Next Gen System Project was approved by the Governing Board on December 11, 2019. Furthermore, the Governing Board approved the MERA Next Generation Radio Communications System Project and the Preliminary Design Plans at the same meeting. The Notice of Determination was filed with the State Clearinghouse on December 13, 2019.

With these actions, MERA has complied with CEQA and may proceed with construction of the MERA Next Gen Project. The next step would be approval of the Motorola Customer Design Review package which is anticipated to be brought before the MERA Governing Board in March or April of this year.