

**NOTICE OF PRELIMINARY DECISION
FOR THE PROPOSED ISSUANCE OF
AN AUTHORITY TO CONSTRUCT**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the San Joaquin Valley Unified Air Pollution Control District solicits public comment on the proposed issuance of Authority to Construct to North Fork Community Power for the installation of a 2.0 MW electrical generation facility based on forest waste biomass gasification process consisting of synthesis gas (syngas) conditioning equipment, two 1,572 bhp syngas-fired lean-burn IC engines with Selective Catalyst Reduction (SCR) systems each powering an electrical generator, associated equipment, and a 14 MMBtu/hr syngas-fired backup flare, located at 59700 Road 225 in North Fork, CA.

The analysis of the regulatory basis for this proposed action, Project #C-1160156, is available for public inspection at http://www.valleyair.org/notices/public_notices_idx.htm and at any District office. For additional information, please contact the District at (559) 230-6000. Written comments on this project must be sent or postmarked by March 20, 2018 to publicnotices@valleyair.org or **ARNAUD MARJOLLET, DIRECTOR OF PERMIT SERVICES, SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY UNIFIED AIR POLLUTION CONTROL DISTRICT, 1990 EAST GETTYSBURG AVENUE, FRESNO, CA 93726.**