

**NOTICE OF PRELIMINARY DECISION  
FOR THE PROPOSED RENEWAL OF  
THE FEDERALLY MANDATED OPERATING PERMIT**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the San Joaquin Valley Air Pollution Control District solicits public comment on the proposed renewal of the Federally Mandated Operating Permit to Aera Energy LLC at Aera's Heavy Oil Western Production Stationary Source in Kern County, California.

The District's analysis of the legal and factual basis for this proposed action, project # S-1203912, is available for public inspection at [http://www.valleyair.org/notices/public\\_notices\\_idx.htm](http://www.valleyair.org/notices/public_notices_idx.htm) and at any District office. There are no emission changes associated with this proposed action. This will be the public's only opportunity to comment on the specific conditions of the proposed renewal of the Federally Mandated Operating permit. If requested, the District will hold a public hearing regarding issuance of this renewed permit. For additional information, please contact the District at (559) 230-6000. Written comments on this project must be sent or postmarked by March 7, 2022 to [publicnotices@valleyair.org](mailto:publicnotices@valleyair.org) or **BRIAN CLEMENTS, DIRECTOR OF PERMIT SERVICES, SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY AIR POLLUTION CONTROL DISTRICT, 1990 EAST GETTYSBURG AVENUE, FRESNO, CA 93726.**