California AEP's NEPA Essentials Workshop is designed to inform consultants, regulators, applicants, and industry professionals on the basics of NEPA practice, as well as emerging trends and issues in practice, policy, and case law.

The curriculum will focus on the following topics:

» NEPA’s framework
» Determining NEPA application
» Required scope and content of NEPA documents
» Determining which NEPA pathway to follow
» Common NEPA mistakes and how to avoid them
» Integrating NEPA with other laws
» Recent policy and legal updates

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Agenda

8:30-9:15am  Introductions and NEPA’s Overall Framework
9:15-9:45am  Determining Whether NEPA Applies
9:45-10:15am Deciding Which NEPA Pathway to Follow
10:15-10:30am Break
10:30-11:15am NEPA Document Preparation & Review
11:15-12:00pm Scope/Content of NEPA Docs: Purpose, Need & Alternatives
12:00-12:30pm LUNCH BREAK
12:30-1:00pm Scope/Content of NEPA Docs: Affected Environment and Environmental Consequences
1:00-1:45pm  Mitigation & Integrating NEPA with CEQA & Other Laws
1:45-2:00pm  Break
2:00-2:45pm  Appeals and Judicial Review
2:45-3:00pm  Q&A and Discussion