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Dillon Wind showcases California leadership in clean air, energy independence

WHAT: The dedication of the new Dillon Wind Power Plant. The project is owned by IBERDROLA RENEWABLES, the world's largest developer of wind power. The power from Dillon goes to Southern California Edison customers.

- The Dillon Wind Power Project serves increasing demand for **clean, renewable generation** resources.
- California has outlined a need for new energy resources, including domestic wind power. Dillon will help the state increase its **energy independence** and **reduce smog**.
- The Dillon Wind Power Project will provide **\$12 million** in property taxes to **support much-needed Riverside County services**.

Speakers include:

- Congresswoman Mary Bono Mack
- Riverside County Supervisor Marion Ashley
- Palm Springs Mayor Steve Pougnet
- Carl Zichella, California Sierra Club
- Mike Marelli, Southern California Edison
- Anders Glader, IBERDROLA RENEWABLES

WHEN: **Friday, May 30, 2006**

9:30 a.m. -10:30 a.m. Ribbon cutting ceremony with local school students

10:30-11:30 Turbine tours, photo opportunities

WHERE: 19020 North Indian Canyon Ave. ([click here for map](#))

Interstate 10 to Indian Ave., south on Indian Ave. to the North Palm Springs Commercial Plaza. TV vehicles can park at the turbine site.

VISUALS:

- 45 brand new white wind turbines
- Award-winning Desert Hot Springs High School jazz band
- Elementary and Middle School children singing, displaying art and student-made wind turbines
- Tours inside a modern wind turbine
- 30X50 foot US flag flying from turbine, weather permitting

This is a site at a time of year when the weather can be hot and windy, so we encourage attendees to dress properly and to wear shoes or boots with good traction. High resolution still photos on CD and video B-roll in beta SP format will be available.