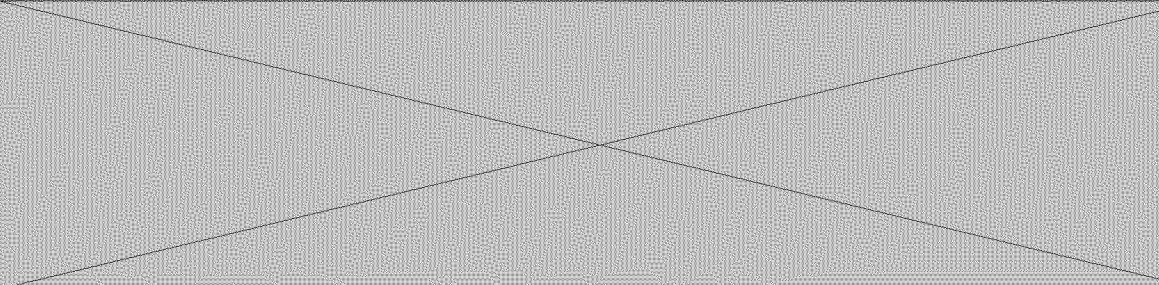


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Welcome to the July edition of the California Public Utilities Commission's (CPUC) eNewsletter, where you'll find information on a new online form to sign-up to speak at voting meetings, Smart Grid plans, renewable energy, and more!



During the Summer Heat the CPUC Visits Communities to Discuss Ways to Keep Your Electric Bills Low

For the next three months the CPUC will participate in and/or sponsor various community events to promote energy conservation as one way to keep your utility bills in check.

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CPUC Engages in Wide Effort to Educate Small Business Customers About Their New Rate Options

The CPUC has approved the first of three requests by California's largest electric utilities for new rates intended to provide a financial incentive to either reduce and/or shift energy consumption.

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New Online Form Offers Additional Way to Sign-Up to Speak at CPUC Voting Meetings; Rules For Public Comment Created

The CPUC has unveiled a new online public speaker sign-up form and adopted rules to streamline public access, accommodation, and participation at CPUC voting meetings.

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Visit our [Consumer Information Center](#) for more assistance. Consumers with utility complaints can call our Consumer Affairs Branch at 1-800-649-7570.

CPUC Launches Plan to Modernize Electric Grid

The CPUC has embarked on a momentous path toward modernizing the state's electric grid from one based on industrial age technology to one based on the technology of the information age.

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SDG&E Gets CPUC OK for Electric Vehicle Study and Rates

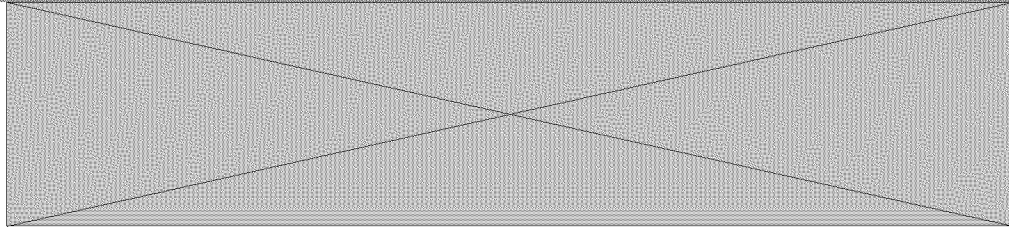
The CPUC has approved new temporary experimental rates for plug-in electric vehicles for San Diego Gas and Electric Company (SDG&E) customers as part of the utility's Pricing and Technology Study.

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CPUC Report Shows Utilities Making Progress Toward Renewable Energy Goal

The CPUC's quarterly renewable energy progress report to the state Legislature shows that in the first quarter of 2010, the state's utilities submitted 37 renewable contracts for CPUC approval, more than the number of contracts the CPUC approves in an entire year, on average.

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