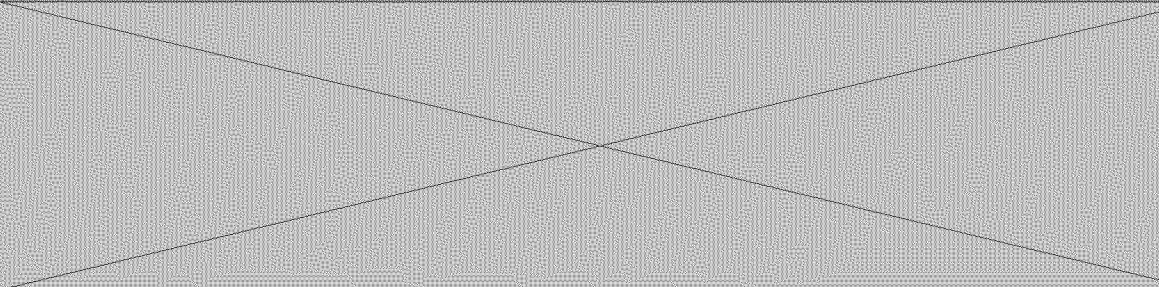


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Welcome to the August edition of the California Public Utilities Commission's (CPUC) eNewsletter, where you'll find information on the CPUC's efforts to reduce the number of residential energy customer service disconnections, the state's continued solar success, residential rates, and more!



Utility Residential Rates – How Do They Work?

You may know that the more you use, the more you pay, but there's [more to learn](#) about how you are charged for your electricity use.

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What is Smart Grid and Why Do You Need it?

California's aging electric grid has been operating in much the same way for over 100 years. The grid must now be modernized to take advantage of new technologies and meet new supply resources and increasing consumer demands.

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CPUC Continues Measures to Address Residential Energy Utility Disconnections

The CPUC has approved [several measures](#) to reduce the number of residential energy customer service disconnections as part of its ongoing efforts to identify cost-effective ways to help consumers keep the lights on.

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Consumers with utility complaints can call our Consumer Affairs Branch at 1-800-649-7570.

CPUC Addresses Regulatory Authority to Create Vibrant Market for Electric Vehicle Charging

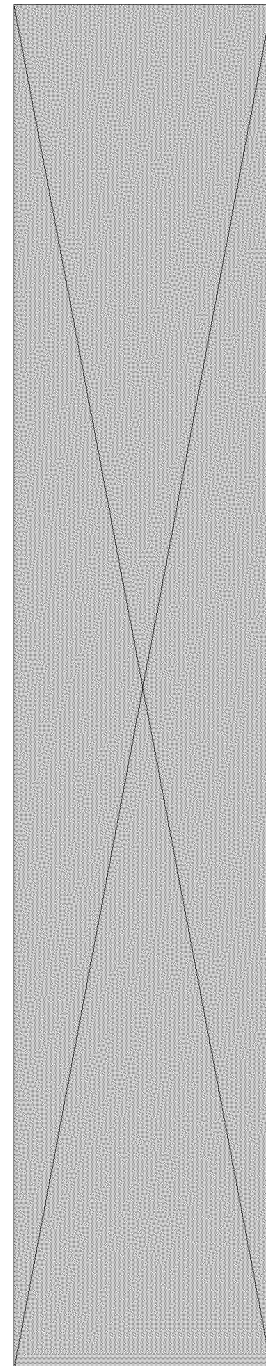
The CPUC has [concluded](#) that companies that sell electric vehicle charging services to the public will not be regulated as “public utilities” pursuant to the Public Utilities Code.

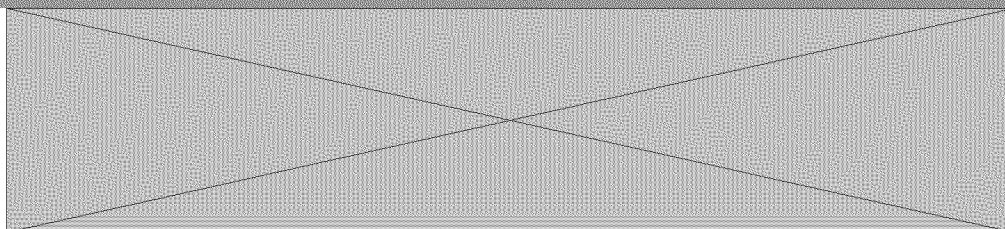
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CPUC Report Shows Continued Success of Solar Program

Three years into the state’s 10-year [solar program](#), California is already 42 percent of the way towards its general market program goal. This figure includes both projects already installed and those currently holding reservations for incentives and in the process of being installed.

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