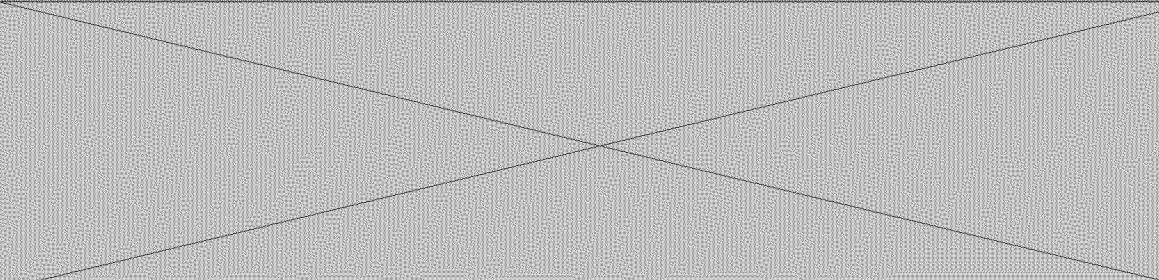


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Welcome to the September edition of the California Public Utilities Commission's (CPUC) eNewsletter, where you'll find information on a new one-time bill assistance program for families in need, LifeLine Awareness Week, the CPUC's independent evaluation of PG&E's Smart Meters, a new broadband map, and more!



National LifeLine Awareness Week

The CPUC will sponsor and organize more than 10 events throughout the State to promote National LifeLine Awareness Week.

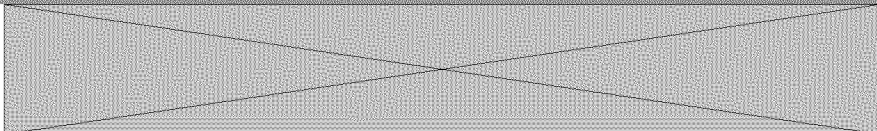
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Small Business Information Needed

The CPUC wants to understand how small- and medium-sized businesses get their information about electric rates. The electric rates that we've all been accustomed to will soon change, and the CPUC wants to make sure these businesses have all the necessary information to be able to make the best energy choices.

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CPUC News In Brief



The Structure Group will present a summary of the findings of its independent evaluation of PG&E's Smart Meters at the CPUC's Sept. 2nd Young Meeting, new enforcement page and a supplier diversity link on the CPUC's website; refund approved for SDG&E customers; and Call Before You Dig!

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CPUC Encourages Families in Need to Take Advantage of New One-Time Bill Assistance Program

The CPUC is encouraging families in need to sign up for a one-time payment grant to pay off their past due utility bills in order to help avoid disconnection of utility service.

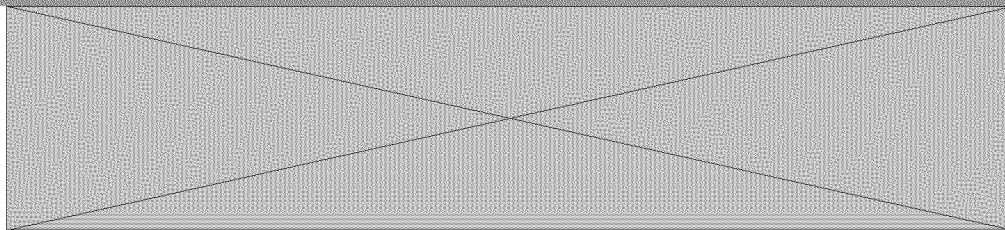
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CPUC Publishes New Broadband Availability Map

The CPUC has published its first broadband availability map.

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