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The examples are below.

Thanks, Meredith

The Commission originally authorized a Research Development & Demonstration program for Southern California Gas Company in 1997 (D.97-07-054). It has been repeatedly re-authorized by the Commission, including the most recent authorization in 2008 of \$40 million in RD&D and clean energy investments for a four-year period (D.08-07-046).

In 2010, the Commission expeditiously approved the request of PG&E to recover \$24.9 million in customer costs for a Smart Grid Compressed Air Energy Storage demonstration project that provided matching funds for \$24.9 million in federal funds from the United States Department of Energy for the project (D.10-01-025).