CPUC Microgrid Incentive Program Coming Soon!

Status:

- Approved by CPUC April, 2023
- Program handbooks due October, 2023.
- Application window opens no later than July 2024.

Budget:

\$180M Incentives, \$20M Administration Cost. No match required.

Origin:

CPUC ordered SCE, SDG&E and PG&E to develop a Microgrid Incentive Program in Track 2 Decision of the Microgrids and Resiliency Proceeding R.19-09-009.

Microgrid Incentive Program Implementation Plan of the Joint Investor-Owned Utilities







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Microgrid Incentive Program: Components

Incentive Component	Eligibility	Funding Caps	What It Pays For
Incentive Award	Microgrid Incentive Awardees	\$14M per project	Front-of-meter generation and storage, and other microgrid costs
Interconnection Allowance	Microgrid Incentive Awardees	\$1M per project	Interconnection- related costs
Microgrid Special Facilities Allowance	Microgrid Incentive Awardees	\$3 M per project, not from program budget	Utility special facilities and study costs to enable the safe islanding of a microgrid
Application Develop ment Grant	Disadvantaged communities MIP Applicants	\$25k per project, optional, included in \$14M	Costs associated with development of an eligible MIP Application

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