**PG&E Advice Letter (AL) 6265-E –** The CPUC has previously authorized PG&E to annually recover balances in its regulatory accounts. This advice letter adjusts rates due to changed balances in balancing accounts related to costs for electric operations, vegetation management, wildfire mitigation of electric distribution systems, a refund to ratepayers stemming from the 2017 Tax Cuts and Jobs Act, wildfire liability insurance costs as authorized by PG&E’s prior general rate case, transmission costs authorized by the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC), and small adjustments for residential delivery minimums and error corrections.[[1]](#footnote-1)

**PG&E Estimated Bill Impacts of All Requested Rate Changes Effective August 1, 2021:**

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| Estimated Monthly Electric Bill Impacts[[2]](#footnote-2) | August 1, 2021 |
| * Average Residential Non-CARE electric bill
 | $139.68 |
| * Average Residential Non-CARE electric bill increase
 | $0.82 or 0.6% |
| * Average Residential CARE electric bill
 | $89.86 |
| * Average Residential CARE electric bill increase
 | $0.53 or 0.6% |

**PG&E CPUC-jurisdictional revenue requirement will change based on the following:**

* $113.9 million increase due to vegetation management and wildfire mitigation related to distribution, in compliance with the Test Year 2020 PG&E general rate case (D.20-12-005)
* $50.60 million **decrease (**i.e., refund to ratepayers) related to the 2017 Tax Cuts and Jobs Act, in compliance with D.20-12-005
* $4.43 million increase related to wildfire liability insurance costs in compliance with the Test Year 2020 PG&E general rate case (D.20-12-005)

**PG&E FERC-jurisdictional rate changes are based on a July 9, 2021 FERC Order granting PG&E's motion to implement interim rates related to transmission, in FERC docket ER21-148-000, which has the following rate and bill impacts:**

* Residential CARE: $0.03234/kWh rate impact, equating to a $0.16 bill impact
* Residential non-CARE: $0.05101/kWh rate impact, equating to a $0.25 bill impact
1. The small adjustments relate to D.18-08-013/D.19-05-010 regarding revised time of use rate differentials in which PG&E is correcting a miscalculated rate for only a subset of customers and is setting the rates at the correct level going forward, starting on August 1, 2021. [↑](#footnote-ref-1)
2. Based on a “typical” residential customer using 500 kilowatt-hours per month. [↑](#footnote-ref-2)