



Improving Energy Access by Reducing and Avoiding Disconnections

December 6, 2018, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Fathers and Families of San Joaquin | 338 E Market St, Stockton, CA

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WebEx: <https://centurylinkconferencing.webex.com/join/pr65927034>

AGENDA

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| 9 – 9:15 a.m. | Introduction
California Public Utilities Commissioner Martha Guzman Aceves |
| 9:15 – 9:30 a.m. | The State of Disconnections in California
Whitney Richardson, California Public Utilities Commission (CPUC) |
| 9:30 – 10:45 a.m. | Expert Panel on the Effects of Disconnection and Reconnection Policy and Potential Solutions
Moderator: Melissa Kasnitz, Center for Accessible Technology

<u>Panelists</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none">● Kim Warmesley, Kair In-Home Social Services● Andre Belion, Fathers and Families of San Joaquin● Iris Crawford, NAACP● Dr. Gordon Arakawa, San Joaquin Public Health Services |
| 10:45 – 11 a.m. | Break |
| 11 a.m. – 12 p.m. | Moderated Discussion on the Scope of Disconnection and Reconnection Challenges and Potential Solutions
Moderator: Gabriela Sandoval, The Utility Reform Network |
| 12 – 1 p.m. | Lunch Break |
| 1 – 2:15 p.m. | Innovative Approaches to Reducing and Avoiding Disconnections
Moderator: Carmelita Miller, Greenlining

<u>Panelists</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none">● Michelle Bethel and Susan Crosby, City of Philadelphia● Max Vargas, City of Stockton● Charles Harak, National Consumer Law Center |
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2:15 – 2:30
p.m.

Break

2:30 – 3:30
p.m.

Working Session / Group Brainstorm
Moderator: Whitney Richardson, CPUC

Which solutions may be promising in California?

3:30 – 3:50
p.m.

Report Back and Next Steps

3:50 – 4 p.m.

Closing
CPUC Commissioner Martha Guzman Aceves
