



# Disadvantaged Communities Advisory Group Meeting

Friday, May 20, 2022

1:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.

In-Person and Remote Meeting



## Primary Physical Location

California Energy Commission  
Art Rosenfeld Hearing Room  
1516 Ninth Street  
Sacramento, CA 95814

## Additional Publicly Accessible Locations

Sunnyside Regional Library  
5566 E Kings Canyon Rd  
Fresno, CA 93727

Center for Biological Diversity  
1212 Broadway, Suite 800  
Oakland, CA 94612

The Junipero Serra State Building  
320 W. 4th Street  
Los Angeles, CA 90013

Blue Lake Rancheria  
Tribal Regulatory Office, 428,  
Chartin Road, Blue Lake, CA 95521

## Notice of Meeting

The Disadvantaged Communities Advisory Group (DACAG) to the California Energy Commission (CEC) and the California Public Utilities Commission (CPUC) will meet Friday, May 20, 2022, from 1:00 p.m. to 4:30 p.m. Please note that the DACAG aims to begin promptly at the start time and the end time is an estimate based on the agenda proposed. The meeting may end sooner or later than the posted end time depending on various factors.

This will be a hybrid meeting, with multiple publicly accessible locations connected via Zoom. At least one DACAG member will be at the primary physical location. The other DACAG members will attend the meeting in-person at one of the additional publicly accessible locations listed above. Each physical location will be publicly accessible where the public can participate. The public can also access the meeting remotely as described below. The meeting may be recorded.

## **Agenda**

Any of the agenda items, other than welcome, public comments, member announcements, and future meeting planning, may include a motion for specific action related to the topic and vote of the DACAG.

- 1) Welcome and roll call of the members
- 2) General public comment
- 3) DACAG members review March 18, 2022 meeting minutes
- 4) CPUC Cmr. Darcie Houck and Kathleen Yip, advisor to Cmr. Houck, to lead discussion regarding the CPUC's Community Based Organization Arrears Case Management Pilot Working Group created by D.22-04-037, followed by a potential vote by the DACAG to select a DACAG representative to serve on the Working Group.
- 5) CEC staff presents the Renewable Energy Division's equity-focused programs: , California Schools Healthy Air, Plumbing and Efficiency Program (CalSHAPE), Building Initiative for Low-Emissions Development Program (BUILD), Energy Conservation Assistance Act (ECAA), and California Electric Homes Program (CalEHP)
- 6) CPUC staff will introduce the CPUC's Clean Energy Financing Proceeding (R.20-08-022) and parties to that proceeding will present their proposals.
- 7) DACAG members present descriptions of priority areas, provide updates and announcements, and may report on and discuss 2022 priority areas:
  - Transportation Electrification
  - Building Decarbonization & Electrification
  - Workforce Training & Development
  - Reliability
  - Gas Transition
  - Distributed Energy Resources
  - Electric Program Investment Charge (EPIC) Program
  - Integrated Energy Policy Report (IEPR)
  - Affordability
  - Community Engagement
- 8) DACAG member(s) provide update regarding engagement with the Low-Income Oversight Board (LIOB)
- 9) CEC and CPUC staff provide updates and announcements
- 10) General public comment
- 11) DACAG members determine future meeting dates, locations, and topics
- 12) Adjourn

## **Background**

Pursuant to Senate Bill (SB) 350, Clean Energy and Pollution Reduction Act of 2015 (de León, Chapter 547, Statutes of 2015), the CEC and the CPUC have established the DACAG. The charter and appointment information can be found on the [CEC website](#) at

<https://www.energy.ca.gov/sb350/DCAG> and on the [CPUC website](#) at <http://www.cpuc.ca.gov/dacag>. The DACAG advises the two commissions on the effectiveness of programs related to SB 350 in disadvantaged communities.

Commissioners from the CEC and the CPUC may also attend and participate in the meeting, but no votes by the commissioners will be taken.

## **Public Participation**

### **To join, click this link:**

<https://energy.zoom.us/j/96553616816?pwd=SlpxTlpnck50VjM5ckZvNnlRY09HUT09>

The meeting may also be accessed via [Zoom](#)™ at <https://energy.Zoom.us>, by entering the following information.

**Meeting ID:** 965 5361 6816

**Password:** DACAG

To comment, click on the "raise hand" icon.

**To Participate by Telephone, dial:** (877) 853-5257 (Toll Free) or (213) 338-8477

**Meeting ID:** 965 5361 6816

To comment, dial \*9 to "raise your hand" and \*6 to mute/unmute your phone line.

**Zoom's closed captioning service** will be enabled for the meeting. Attendees can use the service by clicking on the "live transcript" icon and then choosing either "show subtitle" or "view full transcript." The closed captioning service can be stopped by closing out of the full transcript or selecting the "hide subtitle" option. The closed captioning cannot be stopped on the phone.

## **Public Comment**

**Oral comments.** The DACAG will accept public comments before or during the DACAG's discussion of each agenda item. The DACAG will also accept general public comments about any topic not on the agenda yet relevant to the DACAG at the beginning and conclusion of the meeting. Comments may be limited to three minutes or less per speaker and one speaker per organization. Any comments will become part of the public record. If you join by the Zoom™ platform, use the "raise hand" feature to get in the queue to speak and a moderator will call on you. If you join by phone, press \*9 to raise your hand and \*6 to unmute/mute.

**Written comments.** Written comments will be accepted via one of the following three options:

- A) Email comments to commission staff to: [publicadvisor@energy.ca.gov](mailto:publicadvisor@energy.ca.gov) and [DAC-ag@cpuc.ca.gov](mailto:DAC-ag@cpuc.ca.gov) specify in the subject line that comments are regarding the meeting of the Disadvantaged Communities Advisory Group.
- B) Submit comments to the CEC's Docket Unit. The CEC uses an electronic commenting system to accept comments. Please follow the instructions below to provide written comments:
  1. Go to: <http://www.energy.ca.gov/e-filing/>.
  2. Click "Comment on a Proceeding" in the Additional Information box.
  3. Type "16-OIR-06" into the "Select a Proceeding" field.
  4. Click "Continue" to add a comment. Commenters are required to input their full name, email address, and comment title.
  5. Comment title should be "Jane Doe or Company Name Comment re: Disadvantaged

Communities Advisory Group Meeting.”

6. Type comments into the “Comment Text” field or upload a document with comments. Comments should be in a downloadable, searchable format such as Microsoft® Word or Adobe® Acrobat®.
7. Enter the CAPTCHA that is used to prevent spamming on the website. Then click on “Agree and Submit your Comments.”

For additional information, see [Standing Order Regarding Proceedings and Confidentiality Procedural Requirements for Filing, Service, and Docketing Documents](https://www.energy.ca.gov/about/divisions-and-offices/chief-counsels-office/docket-unit) with the CEC available at <https://www.energy.ca.gov/about/divisions-and-offices/chief-counsels-office/docket-unit>.

Please note that your written comments, attachments, and associated contact information (for example, address, phone number, and email address) become part of the viewable public record. This information may become available via internet search engines.

- C) Written comments may also be submitted by emailing them (include the docket number 16-OIR-06 and Disadvantaged Communities Advisory Group in the subject line) to the Docket Unit at [docket@energy.ca.gov](mailto:docket@energy.ca.gov) or send a paper copy of comments to:

California Energy Commission  
Docket Unit, MS-4  
Re: Docket No. 16-OIR-06  
715 P Street  
Sacramento, CA 95814

Please note that for comments submitted via paper, there may be a significant delay in the DACAG receiving the comments due to limited staff access to physical mail while mitigating due to impacts of the pandemic. For that reason, the CEC and CPUC encourage submission of any comments via e-filing or email.

### **CEC/CPUC Contacts and Meeting Accessibility**

The CEC’s and CPUC’s Public Advisors provide the public with assistance in participating in proceedings. For information on how to participate in this proceeding, please reach out to [publicadvisor@energy.ca.gov](mailto:publicadvisor@energy.ca.gov), (916)957-7910, or [public.advisor@cpuc.ca.gov](mailto:public.advisor@cpuc.ca.gov), (866) 849-8390. To request interpreting services or other reasonable modification and accommodations, reach out via email at [publicadvisor@energy.ca.gov](mailto:publicadvisor@energy.ca.gov), and by phone at (916) 957-7910. Requests should be made for interpreting services, reasonable modifications, and accommodations as soon as possible but at least five days in advance of the meeting. However, the CEC will work diligently to meet all requests based on the availability of the service or resource requested.

**Zoom™**: If you experience difficulties, you may contact Zoom™ at (888) 799-9666, ext. 2, or the CEC’s Public Advisor via email or the phone numbers provided above.

Direct media inquiries to [mediaoffice@energy.ca.gov](mailto:mediaoffice@energy.ca.gov), (916) 654-4989, or [news@cpuc.ca.gov](mailto:news@cpuc.ca.gov), (415) 703-1366.

Direct questions about the subject matter of this meeting to Dorothy Murimi at [dorothy.murimi@energy.ca.gov](mailto:dorothy.murimi@energy.ca.gov), (916) 957-7910, or Phil Voris at [philip.voris@cpuc.ca.gov](mailto:philip.voris@cpuc.ca.gov), (415) 703-1214, with "DACAG" in the subject line for the emails.

### **Commissioner Attendance**

A majority of commissioners from the CEC or CPUC may be present at this event, in compliance with Government Code section 11122.5(b)(4). Advisors to the commissioners may also be in attendance. Parties to any proceedings pending before the CEC or CPUC who are participating in this DACAG meeting are asked to abide by any ex-parte rules applicable to those proceedings regarding specific communications that may require prior notice.

### **Availability of Documents**

Documents and presentations for this meeting will be available online at <https://efiling.energy.ca.gov/Lists/DocketLog.aspx?docketnumber=16-OIR-06>, as well as the CEC's and CPUC's respective DACAG webpages found at [www.cpuc.ca.gov/dacag/](http://www.cpuc.ca.gov/dacag/) and [www.energy.ca.gov/sb350/DCAG](http://www.energy.ca.gov/sb350/DCAG).

### **Distribution**

This document was sent to the following CEC email subscriptions: Barriers Report SB 350, Disadvantaged Communities Advisory Group, and Diversity Outreach Program.

This document was also sent to the following CPUC service lists A.17-04-028, R.19-10-005, R.12-11-005, R.20-05-012, R.15-03-010, R.14-07-002, R.20-08-020, R.18-12-006, A.18-06-015, A.19-07-006, A.19-10-012, R.13-02-008, A.19-02-015, R.18-10-007, R.18-12-005, I.19-11-013, I.18-03-011, R.15-05-006, and R.16-02-007.

