

# CPUC Public Agenda 3583

Thursday, July 2, 2026, 11:00 a.m.

## **Commissioners:**

John Reynolds, President

Darcie L. Houck

Karen Douglas

Matthew Baker

Christine Harada

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California Public  
Utilities Commission

# CPUC Mission

We Empower California through:

- Assuring utility services are clean and safe.
- Providing for critical services and infrastructure.
- Designing rates that are fair and reasonable.
- Protecting the interests of consumers and ratepayers

# CPUC Core Values



**Accountability**



**Excellence**



**Integrity**



**Open  
Communication**



**Stewardship**

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- I. Commissioners should conduct themselves in a manner that demonstrates respect for the public, for fellow Commissioners, and for Commission staff.
- II. Commission meetings should be opportunities for a full and respectful exchange of ideas and the responsible execution of Commission duties.
- III. Serving on the Commission is an honor and Commissioners should treat their colleagues at the Commission with respect for the varied backgrounds, skills and interests that each one brings.
- IV. Commissioners are public officials who should uphold the integrity of their office at all times.

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# Public Agenda Changes

Items shown on the Consent Agenda will be taken up and voted on as a group in one of the first items of business of each CPUC meeting.

- Items on Today's Consent Agenda 1 are: **1, 2, 3, 6, 7, 8, 10, 12, 13, 14, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 41, 43, 48, and 52.**
- Items on Today's Consent Agenda 2 are: **5, 11, 28, 35, 36, 38, 39, 40, 42, 44, and 45.**
- Any Commissioner, with consent of the other Commissioners, may request an item from the Regular Agenda be moved to the Consent Agenda prior to the meeting.
- **Items 48 and 52** from the Regular Agenda have been added to the Consent Agenda.
- Any Commissioner may request an item be removed from the Consent Agenda for discussion on the Regular Agenda prior to the meeting.
- **No Item** has been withdrawn.
- **Items 15 and 29** have been moved to the Regular Agenda.
- The following items have been held to future Commission Meetings:

**Held to 7/16/2026: 9 and 37.**

**Held to 8/13/2026: 4.**

# Regular Agenda

- Each item on the Regular Agenda (and its alternate if any) will be introduced by the assigned Commissioner or CPUC staff and discussed before it is moved for a vote.
- For each agenda item, a summary of the proposed action is included on the agenda; the CPUC's final decision may, however, differ from that proposed.
- The complete text of every Proposed Decision or Draft Resolution is available for download on the CPUC's website: [www.cpuc.ca.gov](http://www.cpuc.ca.gov)
- Late changes to agenda items are available on the Virtual Escutia Table; or in paper format or via QR Code at the Commission Meeting site.

# Regular Agenda | Water/Sewar Orders

## Item #51 [24260] – Framework for Acquisitions Involving Water Utilities

### R.22-04-003

Order Instituting Rulemaking to review the existing guiding framework set forth in Decision 99-10-064 (consistent with the Public Water System Investment and Consolidation Act of 1997) regarding acquisitions involving water utilities under the Commission's jurisdiction.

#### Quasi-Legislative

#### Comr. Houck - Judge Kelly

#### PROPOSED OUTCOME:

- Enables faster, targeted rescue of failing, at-risk, or potentially at-risk water systems.
- Delivers greater transparency in acquisition pricing, valuations, and rate impacts.
- Ensures clear, consistent review and approval processes for water utility acquisitions.
- Closes the proceeding.

#### SAFETY CONSIDERATIONS:

- Promotes safety and the Commission's Environmental and Social Justice Action Plan 2.0 by aligning regulatory oversight with public health and safe drinking water goals.

#### ESTIMATED COST:

- There will likely be costs associated with the implementation of this decision. However, the exact costs are not ascertainable.

# Regular Agenda | Orders Extending Statutory Deadline

## Item #29 [24297] – Order Extending Statutory Deadline

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**Quasi-Legislative**

**Comr. Houck - Judge Kelly**

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#### **PROPOSED OUTCOME:**

- Extends the Statutory Deadline for completion of this proceeding until October 30, 2026.

#### **SAFETY CONSIDERATIONS:**

- There are no safety considerations associated with this Order Extending Statutory Deadline.

#### **ESTIMATED COST:**

- There are no costs associated with this Order Extending Statutory Deadline.

# Regular Agenda | Orders and Resolutions

## Item #15 [24258] – Local and Flexible Capacity Obligations, and Refinements of the Resource Adequacy Program R.25-10-003

Order Instituting Rulemaking to Oversee the Resource Adequacy Program, Consider Program Reforms and Refinements, and Establish Forward Resource Adequacy Procurement Obligations.

**Ratesetting**

**Comr. Reynolds – Judge Chiv**

### **PROPOSED OUTCOME:**

- Adopts Local Capacity Obligations for 2027-2029, Flexible Capacity Obligations for 2027, and Track 1 Program Refinements.

### **SAFETY CONSIDERATIONS:**

- There are no safety considerations associated with this decision.

### **ESTIMATED COST:**

- There are no costs associated with this decision.

# Regular Agenda | Energy Orders

## Item #46 [24251] – Solar Update on Multifamily Affordable Housing Program

R.25-01-005

Order Instituting Rulemaking on Customer-Generated Renewables for Priority Communities.

**Ratesetting**

**Comr. Baker - Judge Chang**

### PROPOSED OUTCOME:

- Orders Pacific Gas and Electric Company, San Diego Gas & Electric Company, Southern California Edison Company, Liberty Utilities LLC, and PacifiCorp (IOUs) to jointly file a 2026 funding status update on Solar on Multifamily Affordable Housing (SOMAH) balancing accounts by January 2027.
- Orders the IOUs to each submit a Tier 2 advice letter by December 31, 2033, with a final SOMAH budget expenditure report.
- Authorizes Liberty and PacifiCorp to propose the return of SOMAH funds collected in 2025 and the first half of 2026 to customers.
- Allows the SOMAH program administrator to request Commission permission to extend SOMAH administrative spending beyond 2032.
- Directs the IOUs to use accrued interest on SOMAH funds to offset SOMAH budget allocations from the first half of 2026.
- Orders IOUs to return unused SOMAH funds including accrued interest to their GHG revenue accounts upon the disposition of their final budget expenditure report Tier 2 advice letters.

### SAFETY CONSIDERATIONS:

- There are no safety considerations associated with this decision.

### ESTIMATED COST:

- The decision's estimated cost impact is unknown.

# Regular Agenda | Energy Orders (continued)

## Item #47 [24265] – Senate Bill 1221 Neighborhood Decarbonization Pilot Program

**R.24-09-012**

Order Instituting Rulemaking to Establish Policies, Processes, and Rules to Ensure Safe and Reliable Gas Systems in California and Perform Long-Term Gas System Planning.

**Quasi-Legislative**

**Comr. Douglas - Judge Dugowson**

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### **PROPOSED OUTCOME:**

- Establishes application guidelines and cost recovery framework for the Neighborhood Decarbonization Pilot Program created pursuant to Senate Bill 1221.
- Sets deadlines of April 1, 2027 and January 15, 2028 for the first and second rounds of pilot proposal submissions.

### **SAFETY CONSIDERATIONS:**

- There are no safety considerations associated with this decision.

### **ESTIMATED COST:**

- There are no costs associated with this decision.

# Regular Agenda | Communication Resolutions and Reports

## Item #49 [24252] – California Advanced Services Fund for the Broadband Infrastructure Grant Account Application

### Res T-17909

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#### **PROPOSED OUTCOME:**

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#### **SAFETY CONSIDERATIONS:**

- There are no safety considerations associated with this resolution.

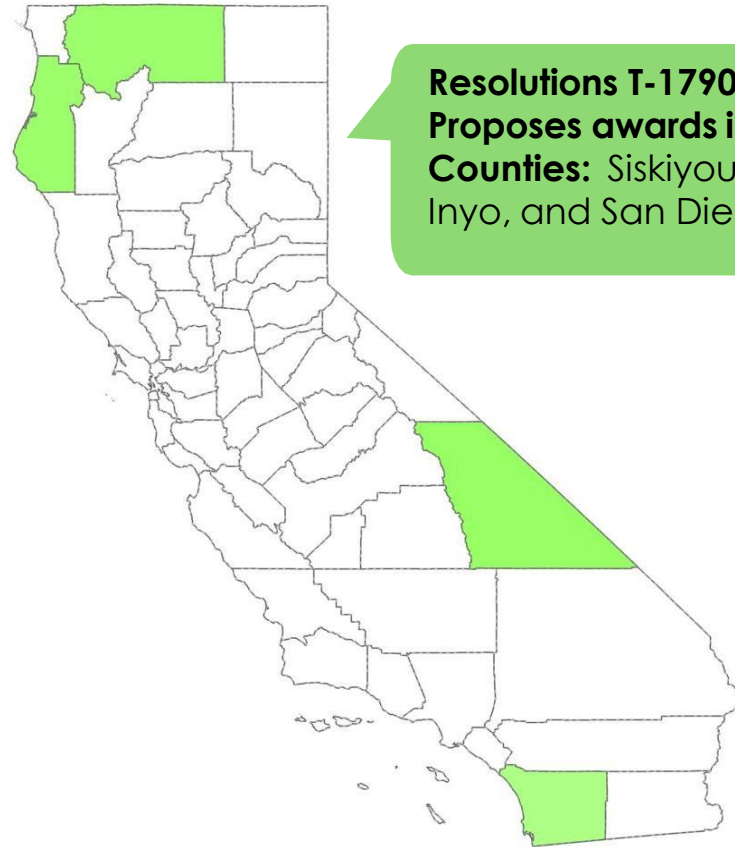
#### **ESTIMATED COST:**

- There are no costs associated with this resolution.

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#### **ESTIMATED COST:**

- There are no costs associated with this resolution.

# Regular Agenda | Communication Resolutions and Reports (continued)

## Item #50 [24253] – Tribal California Advanced Services Fund Infrastructure Projects

### Res T-17911

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#### **PROPOSED OUTCOME:**

- Awards two grants for up to \$49,954,375 from the California Advanced Services Fund Infrastructure Funding Account to the Lipay Nation of Santa Ysabel and the Pauma Band of Luiseño Indians in San Diego County.

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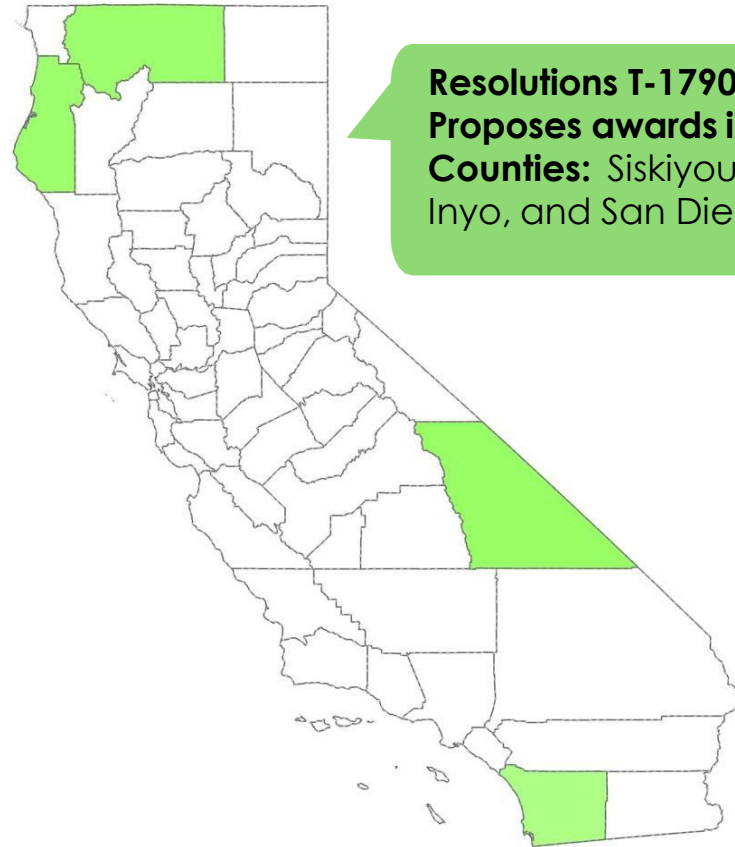
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- There are no safety considerations associated with this resolution.

#### **ESTIMATED COST:**

- There are no costs associated with this resolution.

# Management Reports



Item #53 [23293]

**Management Report on Administrative Actions and Consumer Protection and  
Safety Activities**

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# Commissioner's Reports



President  
John Reynolds



Commissioner  
Darcie L. Houck



Commissioner  
Karen Douglas



Commissioner  
Matthew Baker



Commissioner  
Christine Harada

The CPUC thanks you for participating in today's meeting

The next Public Meeting will be:

**July 16, 2026**

**11:00 a.m.**

**San Francisco, CA**

