SCE Government Advisory Panel (GAP) & Community Advisory Panel (CAP)

December 9, 2022



AGENDA

- 1. Welcome and Safety Moment by Zanku Armenian, Director of Public Affairs, Local Public Affairs, SCE
- 2. Opening Remarks by Caroline Choi, SVP, Corporate Affairs, SCE and Edison International
- 3. Company Update by Steve Powell, President & CEO, Southern California Edison (SCE)
- 4. Wildfire Mitigation Update by Larry Chung, VP, Local Public Affairs, SCE
- 5. Closing Remarks by Monica Nuñez, Sr. Manager, Community Engagement, Corporate Communications & Philanthropy, SCE



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Key Drivers of the Grid of the Future

- Very high level of renewables (intermittent and away from load centers)
- Power system reaching **critically low level of inertia** due to gas retirements
- Large adoption of DERs dominating distribution level circuits
- Significant changes in load density due to urbanization, EV charging, etc.
- More end uses that are sensitive to power quality (e.g., power electronics)
- Overall, increased reliance on electricity



- Growing impacts to **performance of grid assets** under climate stress
- Climate-driven changes in customer needs and electric service continuity



Strengthening and Modernizing the Grid

SCE plans to spend more than \$5B each year to maintain, improve, and harden its infrastructure

- Infrastructure reliability updating underground cables, poles, switches, and transformers
- Wildfire mitigation hardening infrastructure, bolstering situational awareness capabilities, and enhancing operational practices
- **Transmission** connecting renewables, installing new substations, and updating lines
- Distribution automation and cutovers to allow for two-way power delivery
- **Grid readiness** updating the grid for impacts from new technologies
- Long-term energy policy supporting energy storage, electric vehicles, and renewables

SCE's investments support safe, reliable, affordable, and clean energy for our customers

Adapting to Climate Change to Build a Resilient Grid

In May 2022, SCE released a vulnerability assessment examining climate change's impacts to the region's electricity system. Local leaders who similarly identify and address climate risks enable all of us to collaborate on keeping our region safe and thriving.

Key Findings Demanding Urgent Action



Planning Reform Future climate states must be incorporated into design standards and planning practices used by public and private sector entities for long-lived assets. (Current efforts are based on historical climate data, underestimating future conditions and associated risks).



Investment Unlock The cost to invest now is far less than the cost of inaction and will help hedge against the uncertainty society faces in the future. The good news here is that significant federal and state funding has been unlocked now to pursue urgent climate resilience investments.



Partnerships Collaboration between communities, local and regional planning authorities, and governments is required to address the interdependencies of critical infrastructures, ensure that vulnerable communities are supported, and minimize societal adaptation costs.



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Charge Ready Program Highlights

\$436M in funding to support EV charging infrastructure for light-duty electric vehicles

Provides significant financial and technical assistance to install charging stations

Authorized budget will support over 30,000 charging ports

Tremendous focus on equity and underserved communities

Three program offerings with different incentive options designed to suit different customer needs

SCE's Building Electrification Application

In December 2021, SCE filed a \$677M application with the CPUC seeking approval for new Building Electrification (BE) Programs





- Applicants must have min. 3.0 GPA, show financial need and plan to pursue studies in the STEM fields at a four-year accredited college or university.
- Application deadline: Jan. 9, 2023
- Edison International has awarded more than \$13.5 million in scholarships to 730 students through this program since 2006.
- The Edison Scholars Program is fully funded by shareholder dollars.

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Reducing Wildfire Risk in Our Communities



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Helpful Information & Resources

SCE Wildfire Webpage – <u>sce.com/wildfire</u>

SCE Notifications

- Sign up for PSPS alerts <u>sce.com/pspsalerts</u>
- Sign up for the Energized by Edison Wildfire Mitigation Newsletter energized.edison.com/newsletter

Situational Awareness

- SCE outage map <u>sce.com/outagemap</u>
- PSPS information <u>sce.com/psps</u>
- PSPS decision making <u>sce.com/pspsdecisionmaking</u>
- Role of weather in PSPS <u>sce.com/fireweather</u>
- Weather awareness for PSPS <u>sce.com/wildfire/weather-awareness</u>
- Situational awareness map sce.com/wildfire/situational-awareness
- Wildfire cameras <u>alertwildfire.org</u>
- Weather stations <u>sce.com/weatherstations</u>
- CPUC wildfire maps <u>ia.cpuc.ca.gov/firemap/</u>

Preparedness

- SCE emergency preparedness <u>sce.com/beprepared</u>
- CAL FIRE preparedness readvforwildfire.org

Vegetation Management

 Vegetation Management – <u>sce.com/safety/power-lines</u>; contact 1-800-655-4555 or <u>safetrees@sce.com</u>

Customer Programs & Rebates

- SCE Customer Programs & Resources <u>sce.com/customerresources</u>
- SCE Marketplace (rebates and programs) <u>marketplace.sce.com</u>
- SCE Critical Care Backup Battery Program <u>sce.com/ccbb</u>
- SCE Access & Functional Needs Resources <u>sce.com/afn</u>
- SCE Medical Baseline Program <u>sce.com/medicalbaseline</u>
- Self Generation Incentive Program (SGIP) <u>sce.com/sgip</u> or <u>selfgenca.com</u>
- SCE Customer Support: 1-800-655-4555

Community Meetings

 Join SCE's wildfire safety community meetings – <u>sce.com/wildfiresafetymeetings</u>

Energized by Edison

Stories and videos on SCE's wildfire mitigation efforts and PSPS _______
<u>edison.com/wildfire-safety</u>

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