# Revised Energy Cooperation Agreement (ECA) with SDG&E







### What is the ECA?

- Condition of awarding the Electrical Franchise to SDG&E
- Agreement between City of San Diego and SDG&E to cooperate and work together towards the shared goals of clean, safe, reliable and equitable energy for San Diego residents and businesses
- Identifies commitments from SDG&E to support the City's Climate Action Plan goals



## **Cooperation Agreement Summit**

• Section 3 "Every three years after the Effective Date, the City and SDG&E agree to convene a Cooperation Agreement Summit ("CAS"), chaired by the Mayor of the City and the President of SDG&E or designees. The CAS will review the actions already taken under this Agreement, new developments since the Effective Date or previous CAS, and make mutually agreed upon changes to this Agreement... Any changes to this Agreement are subject to approval by the San Diego City Council (Council)."



## **Ongoing Commitments**

- Solar Equity Program
- Benchmarking
- Tree Planting
- Wildfire Safety Coordination
- San Diego Community Power Coordination
- State & Federal Grants



## **Changes to the ECA**

- Restructuring commitments to support City's Climate Action Plan
- Updating existing commitments with measurable goals and timelines
- Aligning ECA with the changing energy landscape
  - Reporting on energization timelines
  - Supporting electrification throughout the City
  - Supporting SDCP and the launch of SDREN
- Coordinating on affordable housing
- Streamlining reporting and presentations



#### **ECA Implementation Plan**

- The City and SDG&E continue the commitment to develop an Implementation Plan outlining the roles, responsibilities, processes, timelines, programs, and estimated costs to achieve the goals and deliverables outlined in this ECA.
- The Implementation Plan will be provided to the City Council within 120 days of final ECA approval.



### Franchise Compliance Review Committee Oversight

- Section 6 of the Franchise Ordinances requires an independent audit to occur every two (2) years, addressing SDG&E's fulfillment of the financial, operational, documentary, and cooperative requirements under the Franchise.
- Section 6 of the Franchise Ordinances also outlines the creation of the Franchise Compliance Review Committee (FCRC) which is established for the purpose of receiving the independent auditor's findings and incorporating them into a FCRC report.



## Thank you

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