

CPUC Public Agenda 3528

Thursday, June 8, 2023, 11:00 a.m.

Commissioners:

Alice Reynolds, President

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Utilities Commission

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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

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Accountability



Excellence



Integrity



**Open
Communication**



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Commissioner Code of Conduct

- 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.

Public Comment

- Per Resolution ALJ-252, any member of the public (excluding parties and their representatives) who wishes to address the CPUC about matters before the Commission must call in to toll-free number:



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- Once called, each speaker has up to 1 minute at the discretion of the Commission President.
- A bell will ring when time has expired.
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- Public Comment is not permitted on the following items:
- 27, 30

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 are:
1, 5, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 22, 23, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 35, 36, and 37.
- 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.
- **No Item** from the Regular Agenda has 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.
- **Items 6, 7, 20, and 34** have been moved to the Regular Agenda.
- **Item 2** has been withdrawn.
- The following items have been held to future Commission Meetings:
 - **Held to: 6/29/2023 3, 3A, 4, 21, and 24.**

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
- 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 | Orders and Resolutions

Item #6 [21547] – California LifeLine Pilot Programs to Leverage Federal Affordable Connectivity Program R.20-02-008

Order Instituting Rulemaking to Update the California Universal Telephone Service (California LifeLine) Program.

Quasi-Legislative

Comr. Shiroma - Judge Wang

PROPOSED OUTCOME:

- Creates two California LifeLine pilot programs to leverage the federal Affordable Connectivity Program.

SAFETY CONSIDERATIONS:

- There are no safety considerations associated with this Decision.

ESTIMATED COST:

- The estimated costs of this decision are unknown at this time. It is expected that the new pilot programs may increase participation in California LifeLine, which would increase customer subsidy costs for California LifeLine. The new pilot programs will accept enrolment until federal Affordable Connectivity Program funding ends or two years after the date of the decision, whichever is sooner.

Regular Agenda | Orders and Resolutions (continued)

Item #7 [21553] – Local Agency Technical Assistance Grant Funding for one Tribal Broadband Planning Application

Res T-17790

PROPOSED OUTCOME:

- Recommends approval of the Local Agency Technical Assistance application presented in this resolution.

SAFETY CONSIDERATIONS:

- There are no safety considerations associated with this resolution.

ESTIMATED COST:

- \$938,206

Regular Agenda | Orders and Resolutions (continued)

Item #20 [21588] – Grant Funding from the California Advanced Services Fund’s Broadband Public Housing Account

Res T-17790

PROPOSED OUTCOME:

- Approves grant funding in the amount of \$951,068.94 from the California Advanced Services Fund (CASF) Broadband Public Housing Account (BPHA) for 14 projects from five applicants. These 14 projects will deploy both wireless and wired broadband infrastructure utilizing wi-fi and copper technologies capable of 25 Megabits per second (Mbps) download and 3 Mbps upload for 830 living units in these publicly supported housing developments.

SAFETY CONSIDERATIONS:

- The deployment of broadband in public housing for the purpose of offering free internet access to those who do not already have access to a free broadband network will improve public safety by providing enhanced access to government, e-health, and online education opportunities.

ESTIMATED COST:

- \$951,068.94.

Regular Agenda | Orders and Resolutions (continued)

Item #34 [21628] – Order Extending Statutory Deadline

A.21-12-005

Application of San Pablo Bay Pipeline Company LLC for authorization to suspend heated service.

Ratesetting

Comr. Shiroma - Judge Ferguson

PROPOSED OUTCOME:

- Extends statutory deadline for completion of this proceeding to August 31, 2023.

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.

Management Reports



Commissioner's Reports



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The CPUC thanks you for participating in today's meeting

The next Public Meeting will be:

June 29, 2023

11:00 a.m.

Remotely





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