

Your New Official Electricity Provider

#### What is Peninsula Clean Energy?



Peninsula Clean Energy, also known as PCE, is the official electricity provider for San Mateo County with cleaner and greener power at lower rates.

# Why Peninsula Clean Energy?

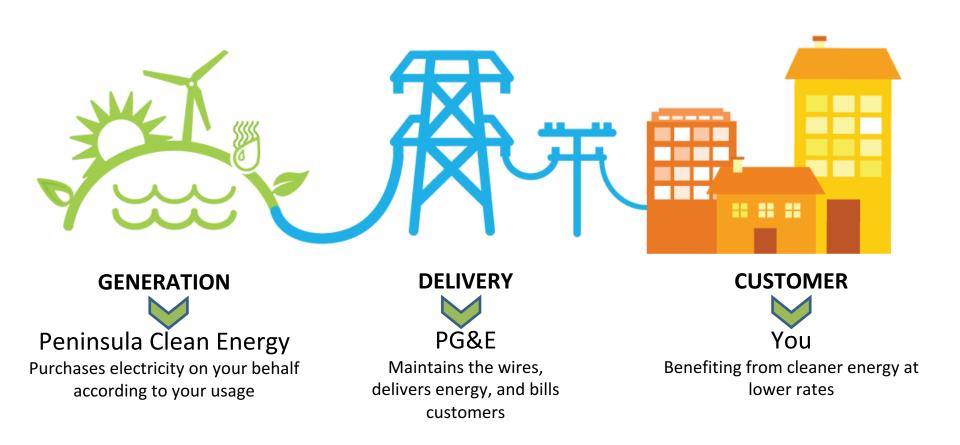
Launched by San Mateo County and all 20 cities to:

- Meet climate action goals
- Create a better future for our kids



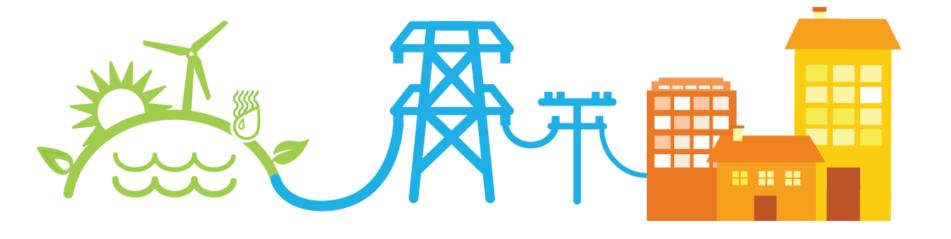
All City Council Members in all 20 cities and San Mateo County Supervisors voted for it unanimously!

#### How It Works



#### PG&E July 2017 Energy Bill, Page 1

Total Amount Due by 07/26/2017	\$163.88
Current Gas Charges	62.49
PENINSULA CLEAN ENERGY Electric Generation Charges	31.43
Current PG&E Electric Delivery Charges	\$69.96



# Many Things Stay the Same

PG&E Discounts & Programs:

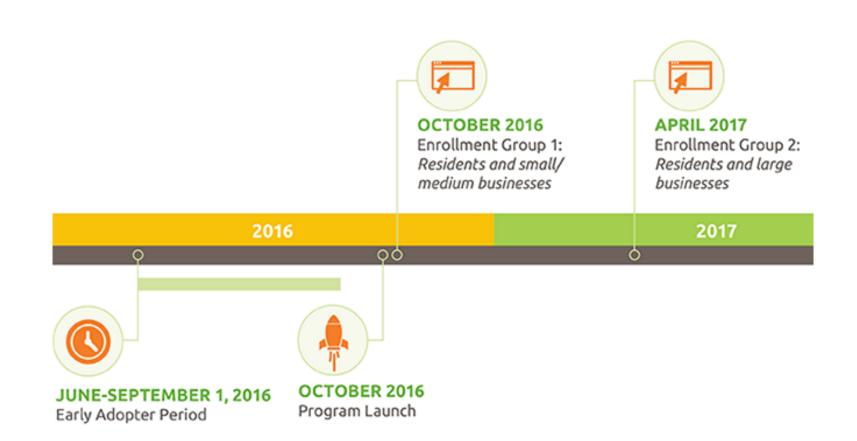
- CARE/FERA, Medical Baseline, and other discount programs continue
- Still eligible for PG&E energy efficiency rebates and others

Same Service Reliability:

- PG&E continues to maintain power lines
- Call PG&E customer service if your power goes off



#### **Enrollment Schedule**



## **Energy Choices**

*Customers have three choices:* 

1. Keep ECOplus - 50% renewable at 5% lower rates:

Customers are automatically enrolled in this option

- 2. Opt-up to ECO100 for 100% renewable
- 3. Opt-out of the program



Note: The automatic enrollment comes from CA legislation AB 117 (2002)

# PCE and PG&E Price Comparison

	ECOPLUS PENINSULA CLEAN ENERGY	ECO100 PENINSULA CLEAN ENERGY	PG&E
	PCE ECOplus	PCE ECO100	PG&E
Renewable Energy	50%	100%	33%
Greenhouse Gas Free Energy	80%	100%	69%
Electric Generation Cost	\$26.56	\$30.73	\$41.02
Additional PG&E Fees (PCIA/FF)	\$12.41	\$12.41	
Total Electricity Generation Cost (Generation + Fees)	<b>\$38.97</b> <u>5% less than PG&amp;E</u>	\$43.14	\$41.02
PG&E Electric Delivery Cost	\$56.21	\$56.21	\$56.21
Average Total Monthly Cost Electricity + Delivery	\$95.18	\$99.35	\$97.23

Estimate based on an average usage of 417 kWh with PG&E and PCE rates as of March 15, 2017 en el Res-1/L-1 tarifas. Real differences vary according to usage, rates, and other factors.

#### Current Status



- > 293,595 enrolled accounts
- > **4,945** opt-up to ECO100
- > 2.2% opt-out rate

## **Environmental Benefits**

The average household enrolling to PCE will avoid greenhouse gas emissions equivalent to the carbon sequestered by about:







# **10 tree seedlings** grown for 10 years



**23 tree seedlings** grown for 10 years

#### **Community Benefits**



Savings of more than **\$17million/year** for accounts across San Mateo County

**680,000,000** pounds of carbon emissions avoided annually

Emissions avoidance equivalent to CO<sub>2</sub> absorbed by **a forest the size of San Mateo County!** 

#### Looking Ahead

- Continue outreach
- Launch local energy programs
  - Profits from the program will be reinvested into the community



#### Help Us Spread the Word!

You can help your community understand PCE by:

- Sending information to your email list serves
- Posting what you learned on NextDoor
- Following PCE on social media and sharing updates
- Inviting PCE staff to do presentations and table events







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