

# ENHANCING WILDFIRE PREVENTION EFFORTS TO KEEP YOU SAFE

To keep our communities safe, we are improving our system and using advanced safety tools:

**ENHANCED POWERLINE SAFETY SETTINGS (EPSS)** automatically turn off power if there is a hazard, like a tree branch falling into a powerline. This may result in an unplanned outage where we are unable to notify you in advance.

Last year we saw an:

**80%** reduction in ignitions on EPSS-enabled lines.\*

\*Reduction in CPUC-reportable ignitions on EPSS-enabled lines in High Fire-Threat Districts, compared to the prior 3-year average, as of December 31, 2021.

**PUBLIC SAFETY POWER SHUTOFFS (PSPS)** are proactive, targeted outages used to prevent wildfires. You will be notified in advance.

**These are used along with other efforts like undergrounding, system hardening, vegetation management and more.**



See reverse for outage tips and resources

# STEPS YOU CAN TAKE TO PREPARE:

- Update your contact information** to receive timely outage updates
- Sign up for Address Alerts** to get PSPS notifications for any other addresses you care about
- Determine if you are eligible** for our Medical Baseline Program to receive extra PSPS notifications and a reduced cost on your energy bill
- Explore backup power options** and see if you qualify for a rebate
- Create a plan** to keep medical devices charged and medication refrigerated
- Restock** your emergency supply kit
- Write down** important contact information

Resources are available to help you prepare for outages, including portable batteries and generator rebates. Learn more and find local support, including meal replacements and basic supplies.



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