



California Climate Credit Bill Relief from the Cap-and-Invest Program

A Message from the California Public Utilities Commission

This year, each of the residential utility bills you and millions of other households across the state receive in August and September will contain a \$36.00 California Climate Credit per service account.

The California Climate Credit is a direct result of the State's nation-leading Cap-and-Invest Program, which requires polluters to pay for emissions that create and accelerate climate change. California's Cap-and-Invest program incentivizes polluters to reduce emissions by requiring them to pay for those emissions. The state allows the utilities to use that revenue to offset the increased energy costs utility customers may experience as the state transitions to a more sustainable and lower-carbon future. Find out more at www.cpuc.ca.gov/climatecredit/.

Since 2014, the program has generated \$10.9 billion revenue for the benefit of Californians. For utility customers, on average, residential households, served by Southern California Edison, like yours, have cumulatively received approximately \$1,090.00** in California Climate Credits on their utility bills.

Previously, you may recall that residential customers received their Climate Credit in April and October. Beginning in 2026, the state is taking action to reduce residential customers' highest bills by distributing the credits in August and September.

For more information about the Climate Credit, visit www.cpuc.ca.gov/climatecredit.

For more information about additional programs that are funded by the Cap-and-Invest Program to reduce carbon pollution, improve public health and the environment, and provide meaningful benefits to the most disadvantaged communities, visit www.caclimateinvestments.ca.gov.

**Billing periods vary by utility and may not always coincide with a calendar month. If you don't see a Climate Credit in the bill that arrives this month, it will appear in the bill you receive next month. You can review the updated small business requirements at <https://www.cpuc.ca.gov/smallbusinessclimatecredit>.*

The CPUC regulates privately owned electric and natural gas companies and serves the public interest by protecting consumers and ensuring the provision of safe, reliable utility service and infrastructure at reasonable rates, with a commitment to environmental enhancement and a healthy California economy. For more information about our work, visit www.cpuc.ca.gov. If you have a question or complaint concerning a privately owned utility, call 1-800-649-7570 or visit www.cpuc.ca.gov/utilitycomplaint.

*** The cumulative total differs for small businesses. You can review the updated small business requirements at <https://www.cpuc.ca.gov/smallbusinessclimatecredit>.*