

SCE Advice Letter 4194-E -- Interim GHG-Free Energy Allocation Proposal

Frequently Asked Questions

Questions	SCE Response
1. Are all Load Serving Entities eligible to participate?	Yes, all LSEs whose customers pay Cost Responsibility Surcharges (CRS) are eligible to participate.
2. When is the Proposal effective?	<p>The Proposal will be effective upon the Commission's issuance of a Resolution approving Advice Letter 4194-E, expected on August 27, 2020. Once the Commission approves the advice letter through a Resolution, SCE will provide LSEs in its service area with notice and a 30 calendar day period for enrollment and elections.</p> <p>Upon Commission approval, the 2020 and 2021 enrollment and election period will be open from September 1 – September 31, 2020, with allocations expected to commence October 1, 2020.</p> <p>SCE will not hold another enrollment period for 2020 or 2021; therefore, LSEs wishing to participate must make their elections during this one enrollment window.</p>
3. Are there costs associated with a LSE choosing to take an allocation?	No additional cost is required. Customers in SCE's service area who pay Cost Responsibility Surcharges (CRS) pay their share of the full net costs of the GHG-Free Energy resources in SCE's CRS portfolio on a vintaged basis, and may receive their share of the GHG-Free attributes of those resources on a vintaged basis under the Proposal.
4. Are Eligible LSEs allowed to enroll or change their allocations intra-year?	No, enrollment and elections can only be made during this one enrollment and election window.
5. When must enrollment and elections be made in order to participate in the 2020 GHG-Free Energy Allocation?	<p>The 30-day enrollment and election window will begin on September 1, 2020 and end on September 30, 2020.</p> <p>For the 2021 GHG-Free Energy Allocation, the enrollment and election window will take place in conjunction with the 2020 window from September 1 – September 30, 2020</p>

What about the 2021 GHG-Free Energy Allocation?	
6. When do the allocations begin for 2020 and 2021?	<p>Allocations for 2020 will begin October 1, 2020 and end December 31, 2020.</p> <p>Allocations for 2021 will begin January 1, 2021 and end December 31, 2021.</p> <p>See below for additional details regarding the interim status of the program.</p>
7. Will allocations be made retroactively for January - September 2020?	No, GHG Free Energy allocations will not be retroactive.
8. When will LSEs be allowed to make their 2021 elections?	The enrollment and election window for 2021 will take place in conjunction with the 2020 window from September 1 – September 30, 2020.
9. Why are the Advice Letter and Term Sheet framed as an interim solution?	This interim solution under the Proposal was proposed for implementation pending the Commission's issuance of a final decision in Working Group 3 of Phase 2 of Ratemaking 17-06-026 (the PCIA OIR), which is expected in Q4 of 2020.
10. How long will the interim solution remain in place?	The Proposal will become effective as discussed in Question 2 above and continue until the earlier of (1) December 31, 2022; (2) three full calendar months following the effective date of a Decision issued in the PCIA OIR that denies an ongoing GHG-Free Energy allocation mechanism materially similar to that permanent GHG-free energy allocation proposal put forth within the Working Group 3 Final Report filed in the PCIA OIR; or (3) the effective date upon which an ongoing allocation of GHG-Free Energy generated from SCE's CRS eligible portfolio shall commence pursuant to a Decision issued in the PCIA OIR.
11. Who should I contact if I have questions about the process?	Please reach out to your Business Customer Division (BCD) representative within Customer Service.
12. Who should I contact if I have questions about actuals or forecasted data I receive from SCE?	Please reach out to your BCD representative within Customer Service.