

CPUC Public Agenda 3421
Thursday, August 9, 2018 9:30 a.m.
San Francisco, CA



Commissioners:
Michael Picker, President
Carla J. Peterman
Liane M. Randolph
Martha Guzman Aceves
Clifford Rechtschaffen

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The Pledge of Allegiance



“I pledge allegiance to the Flag of the
United States of America,
and to the Republic for which it stands,
one nation under God,
indivisible,
with liberty and justice for all.”

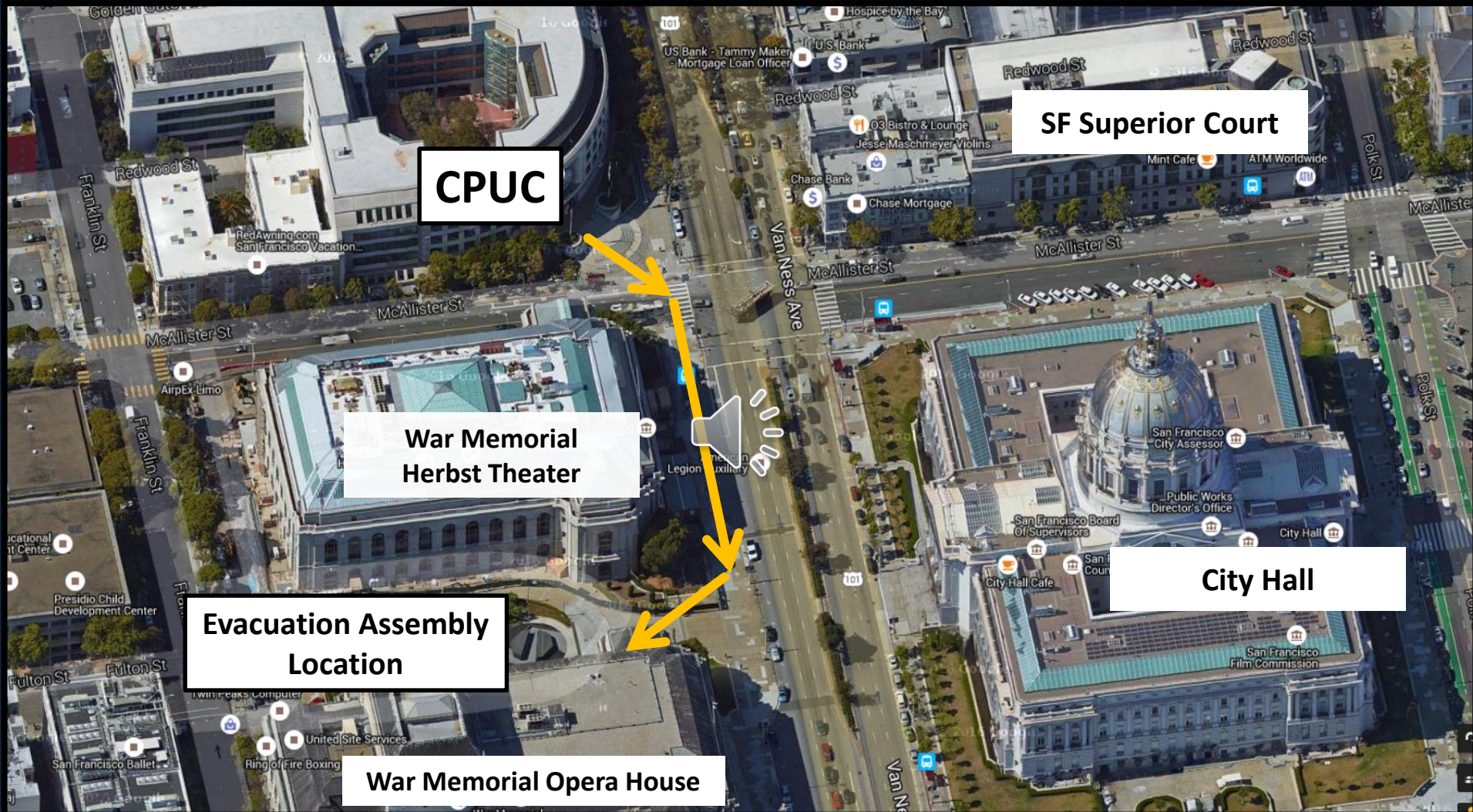


Emergency Evacuation

Safety is our number one priority:

Please listen to the emergency evacuation instructions for this location.

Evacuation Assembly Location



CPUC Mission



The CPUC regulates services and utilities, protects consumers, safeguards the environment, and assures Californians' access to safe and reliable utility infrastructure and services.

CPUC Core Values



Accountability

Excellence

Integrity

Open Communication

Stewardship



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 sign up with the Public Advisor's Office table before the meeting begins. If an individual has signed up using the electronic system on the Commission's website, they must check in with the Public Advisor's Office on the day of the meeting, by the sign-up deadline.
- Once called, each speaker has up to 3 minutes at the discretion of the Commission President. Depending on the number of speakers, the time limit may be reduced to 1 minute.
- A sign will be posted when 1 minute remains.
- A bell will ring when time has expired.
- At the end of the Public Comment Section, the Commission President will ask if there are any additional individuals who wish to speak. Individuals who wish to speak but did not sign up by the deadline, will be granted a maximum of one minute to make their comments.

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- **3, 18, and 33**
- All items on the Closed Session Agenda

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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, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, and 28.
- 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.
- No Item has been moved to the Regular Agenda.
- No Item has been withdrawn.
- The following items have been held to future Commission Meetings:
 - Held to 8/23/18: 2, 3, 4, 5, 11, 30, 30A, 33, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, and 40.
 - Held to 9/13/18: 21, 29, 29A, 32, and 32A.

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 Escutia Table.

Regular Agenda- Energy Orders

Item # 31 [16654] – Pacific Gas and Electric Company's Proposed Rate Designs and Related Issues

A.16-06-013

Application of Pacific Gas and Electric Company to Revise its Electric Marginal Costs, Revenue Allocation and Rate Design.

Ratesetting

Comr Peterman - Judge Doherty

PROPOSED OUTCOME :

- Adopts settlements on rate designs for most Pacific Gas and Electric Company's (PG&E) non-residential customers and resolves certain litigated rate design issues.
- Proposes modifications to settlement on rate designs for PG&E's largest nonresidential customers.
- Closes the proceeding.

SAFETY CONSIDERATIONS :

- None. Proposed decision concerns a rate design proceeding.

ESTIMATED COST :

- Approves additional revenue requirement for PG&E of approximately \$500,000 for costs related to previous development of a real-time pricing rate.

Regular Agenda- Orders Extending Statutory Deadline

Item # 34 [16725] – Order Extending Statutory Deadline

A.15-09-001

Application of Pacific Gas and Electric Company for Authority, Among Other Things, to Increase Rates and Charges for Electric and Gas Service Effective on January 1, 2017.

Ratesetting

Comr Picker - Judge Roscow

PROPOSED OUTCOME :

- Extends the statutory deadline for this proceeding to February 9, 2019.

SAFETY CONSIDERATIONS :

- There are no safety considerations associated with this decision.

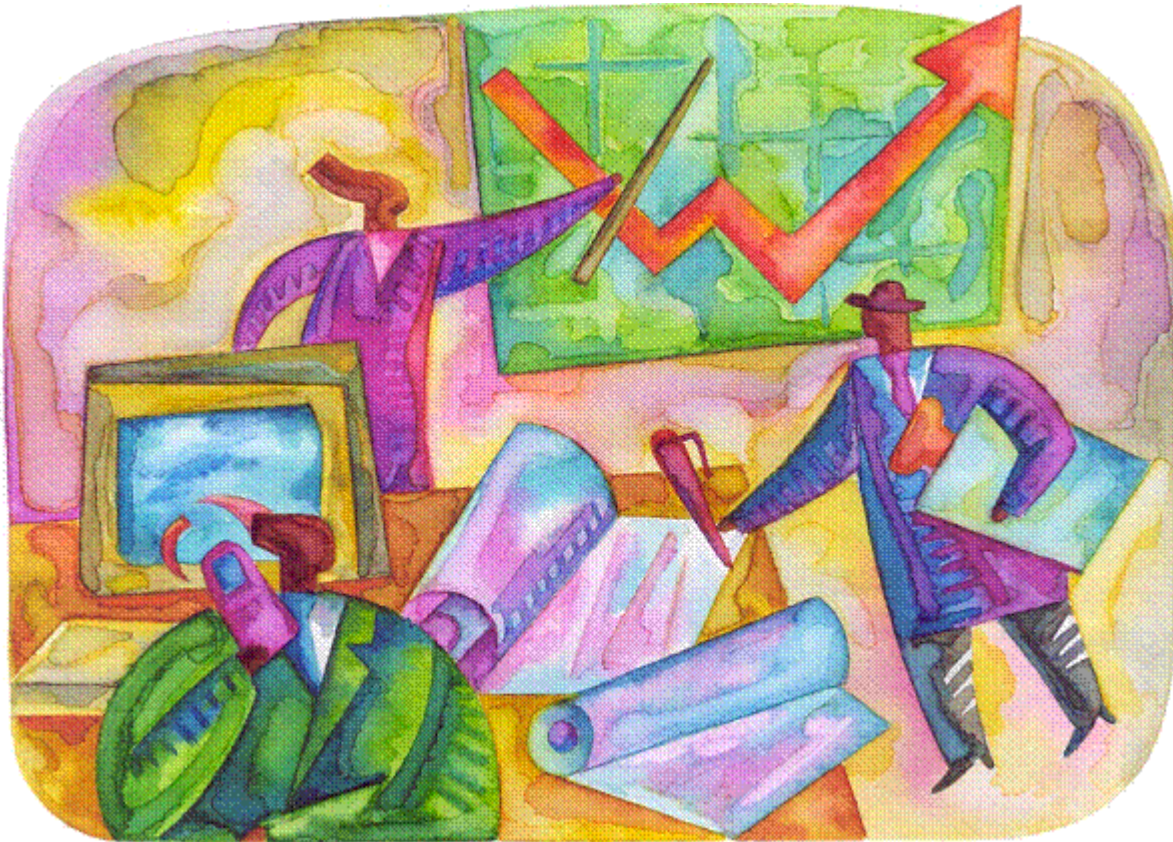
ESTIMATED COST :

- There are no estimated costs associated with this decision.

Commissioners' Reports



Management Reports



Regular Agenda – Management Reports and Resolutions

Item # 41 [16712]

Report and Discussion on Recent Consumer Protection and Safety Activities

CPUC Bus and Limousine Enforcement Napa County



**Transportation Enforcement Branch
Consumer Protection & Enforcement Division**

August 9, 2018

Presentation Overview

- Pre-2018 situation
 - High profile crash spurred greater coordination between TEB and Wine Country law enforcement against unlicensed passenger carriers
- Early training efforts
 - Coordination with and education of local law enforcement officers starts in Napa County
- 2018 enforcement activity
 - Joint operations produce positive results and discourage illegal operations
- Future trainings
 - Plans to expand operations across Napa County and into Sonoma County



Pre-2018 Situation

Enforcement Prior to 2018

- Investigators would follow up on leads of illegal activity, write up investigation reports, and issue administrative citations
- Illegal advertising (PU Code § 5414.5)
- Illegal operations (PU Code § 5411)
 - Three elements need to prove illegal transportation
 - Proof of passengers
 - Proof of compensation
 - Proof that the trip was over public highways
- October 8, 2017 unpermitted bus crash with Wine Train was impetus for greater enforcement against illegal carriers

Unlicensed Bus Causes Collision





Early Training Efforts

Law Enforcement Training Yountville, CA (Napa County)

January 30, 2018:

- TEB staff provided training on CPUC regulations
- Attendees:
 - Napa Valley Railroad Police
 - Napa Police Department
 - American Canyon Police Department
 - Napa County Sheriff's Department

Law Enforcement Training

Yountville, CA (Napa County)

Law Enforcement agencies identified two major areas of interest:

- TNCs and how to retrieve waybills on electronic devices
Waybills are proof that the transportation was prearranged and show that the ride was prearranged. Lack of a waybill means that the driver is acting independently/illegally and the ride is not covered by the TNC's insurance
- Procedures to impound vehicles
Impounds are an effective way to combat illegal carriers. Procedures are outlined under Public Utilities Code § 5387(d)

Impounding per Public Utilities Code § 5387(d)

Any peace officer may impound a bus or limousine of a charter-party carrier if the peace officer determines:

- The driver operated the vehicle while the carrier lacked a valid permit or certificate
- The driver operated the vehicle after the CPUC suspended the carrier's permit or certificate
- The driver was driving without a current and valid driver's license, a passenger endorsement, or a valid certificate

Impounding a Vehicle Under Public Utilities Code § 5387(d)





2018 Enforcement Activity

First Napa County Interagency Operation: February 2, 2018

- The team found two carriers operating after revocation of their permits, and impounded their vehicles
- One driver lacked the type of commercial driver's license needed to operate a bus and was cited for driving out of class
- One carrier operated without workers' compensation insurance; the case was referred to the Napa County District Attorney's office for prosecution
- Agencies agreed to continue coordinated enforcement efforts moving forward.

Vehicles Inspected/Impounded

March – July 2018

	Vehicles Checked	Vehicles Impounded
March, 2018	26	2
April, 2018	32	2
May, 2018*	124	8
June, 2018	15	1
July, 2018	32	3
Total	229	16

*May included operations at the BottleRock Napa Valley music and wine festival

Napa County Interagency Operations: Common Violations

- Reasons for impoundment and citation include:
 - Carrier operated after its permit expired and the CPUC denied its renewal application
 - Carrier operated without obtaining a permit
 - Carrier operated with a pending permit
 - Driver was operating without the proper license





Future Trainings

Summer 2018 Planned Activity

August 2018 scheduled trainings:

- Napa County Sheriff
- Napa Police Department
- St. Helena Police Department
- California Highway Patrol
- Sonoma Police Department
- Sonoma Code Enforcement
- Santa Rosa Police Department

Regular Agenda – Management Reports and Resolutions

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Item # 42 [16713]

Management Report on Administrative Activities

Employee Recognition of CPUC Employees



Alice Stebbins
Executive Director

California Public Utilities Commission

August 9, 2018

Employee of the Quarter – 1st Qtr. of 2018

- **Charisse Wayne – Excelling at Leadership**
- **Xian (Cindy) Li – Outstanding Achievement**
- **Desiree Liberato – Excelling in Quality Improvement**
- **Ryan Cayabyab - Excelling in Customer Service**

Employee of the Quarter – 1st Qtr. of 2018

- **Irma Cordoba – Excelling at Building Morale**
- **Joyce Swisher – Excelling in Core Values**
- **Jean Spencer – Excelling in Core Values**
- **Laura Martin - Excelling in Collaboration**

Employee of the Quarter – 1st Qtr. of 2018

- **Holly Tabor – Excelling at Quality Improvement**

Employee of the Quarter – 2nd Qtr. of 2018

- **Robert Mason – Excelling at Collaboration**
- **Varoujan Jinbachian – Outstanding Achievement**
- **Nils Stannik – Excelling at Quality Improvement**
- **Raul Alfaro - Excelling at Customer Service**

Employee of the Quarter – 2nd Qtr. of 2018

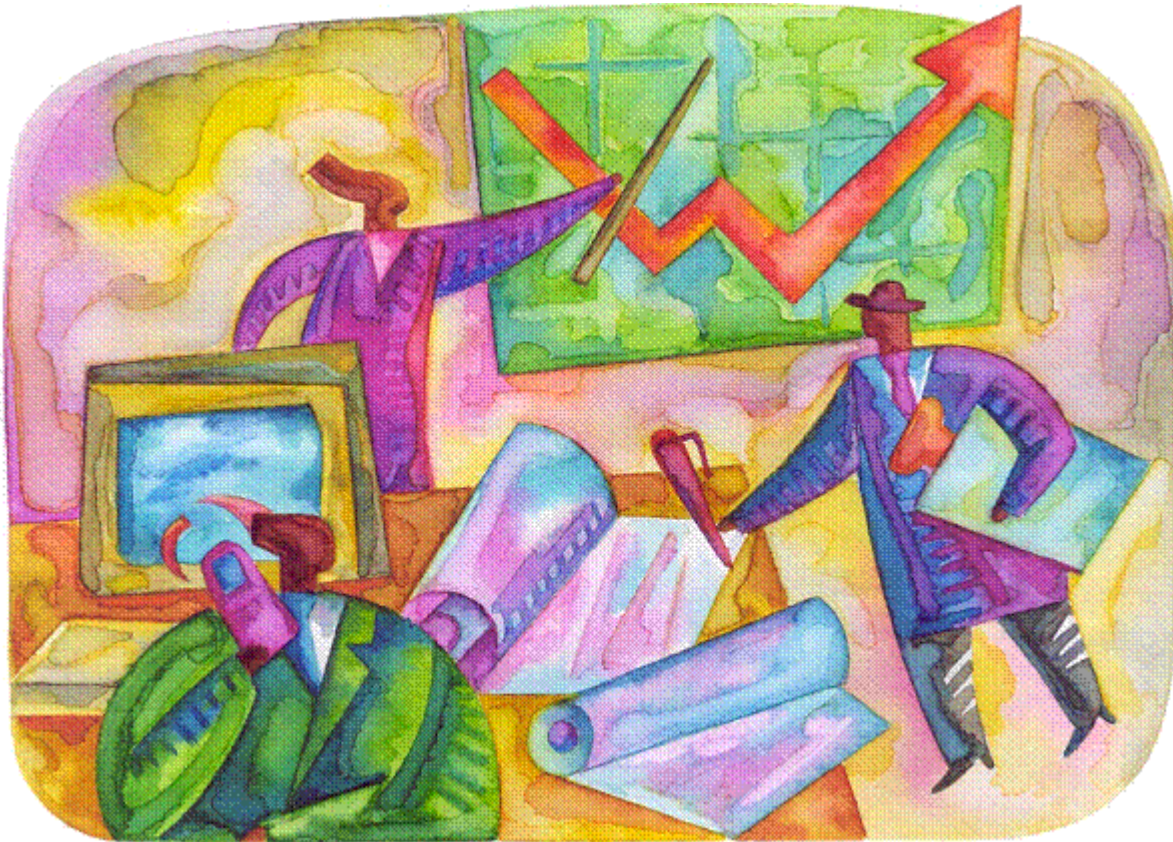
- **Cindy Philapil – Excelling at Core Values**

Regular Agenda – Management Reports and Resolutions

Item # 42 [16713]

Management Report on Administrative Activities

Management Reports



**The CPUC Thanks You
For Attending Today's Meeting**

**The Public Meeting is adjourned.
The next Public Meeting will be:**

**August 23, 2018 at 9:30 a.m.
in San Francisco, CA**

