

**PACIFIC GAS AND ELECTRIC COMPANY
Wildfire Mitigation Plans Discovery 2022
Data Response**

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The following questions relate to your 2022 WMP Update submission. If a full response to a given question will be included in your WMP submission, your response to that question of this data request may consist of a citation to the specific page(s) or table(s) of the WMP where the information may be found, a written response to the question, or both.

QUESTION 06

During the field visit to PG&E facilities on November 2, 2021, Cal Advocates visited an undergrounding project in El Dorado County, which was referred to as “Undergrounding Project El Dorado 2101 Phase 4.”

During the visit PG&E representatives represented that, after the powerline was moved underground, the poles would be “topped,” which would remove a portion of the pole but leave the remainder of the pole intact to support telecommunications utility infrastructure.

- a) Is this representative of PG&E’s practice when undergrounding powerlines that share poles with other utilities?
- b) If not, please describe PG&E’s typical practice in such circumstances.

ANSWER 06

- a) Yes, this represents PG&E’s established practice when the other utility declines to participate in the undergrounding project, as described in the response to question 4 of this data request.
- b) N/A