

INTRODUCTION

PG&E acting as the CPE is required to run an all-source solicitation to procure Local RA or obtain compensated self-shown commitments in PG&E's distribution service area. In 2026, PG&E CPE has compliance requirements for:

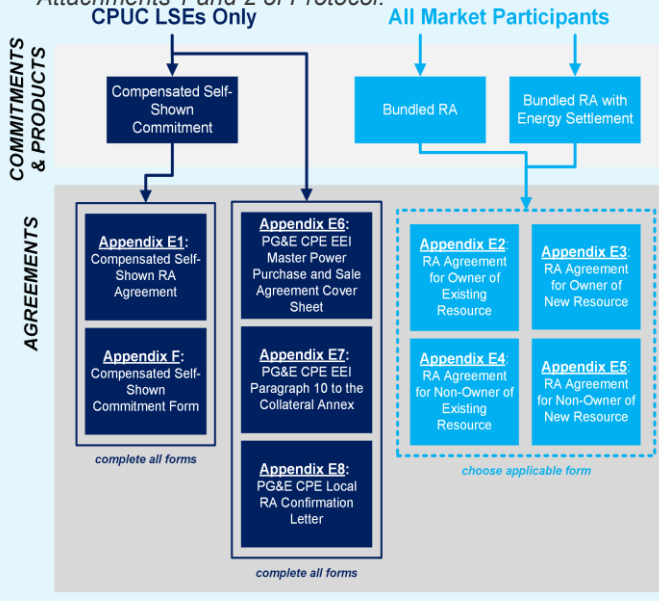
- **100%** of the CPUC's 2027 Local RA requirements
- **100%** of the CPUC's 2028 Local RA requirements
- **50%** of the CPUC's 2029 Local RA requirements

For additional information, see Section I of Protocol.

COMMITMENTS & PRODUCTS

- **Compensated Self-Shown Commitment:** A commitment from a CPUC LSE to self-show Local RA that is eligible for compensation consistent with the process outlined in the Decisions.
- **Bundled RA:** A bundled RA capacity product includes local, system, and, if applicable, flexible RA attributes.
- **Bundled RA with Energy Settlement:** Bundled RA that includes a financial energy settlement based on CAISO market energy prices.

For additional information, see Sections II.C and II.D and Attachments 1 and 2 of Protocol.



NEW FOR 2026

- Per CPUC Decision (D.) 24-12-003, effective in 2026, local CPE procurement conducted by Oct. 31, 2026 for compliance year 2028 will be considered "locked."
- PG&E CPE may procure for 2027 capacity if there is an incremental change in the CAISO's Local Capacity Technical Study.

For additional information, see Section I.B of Protocol and D.24-12-003.

RESOURCE ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

- All resources must have a single CAISO Resource ID.
- All resources must be able to provide RA; must meet the applicable CPUC and CAISO RA requirements, CAISO requirements for deliverability, etc.
- All resources must be electrically connected in a PG&E Local Capacity Area.

Note: New Resources do not need to be electrically connected or have a CAISO Resource ID at the time of offer submittal.

Compensated Self-Shown Commitment:

- Only CPUC LSEs are eligible.
- Resources must meet the eligibility requirements set forth in the LCR RCM Decision, D.20-12-006.

Bundled RA & Bundled RA with Energy Settlement:

- Available to all eligible Participants.
- All technology types can participate.
- Existing Resources must have an Initial Delivery Date (IDD) on the first day of any calendar month within Jan. 1, 2027 – Dec. 31, 2029.
- New Resources must have an IDD on the first day of any calendar month prior to Dec. 31, 2031.
- Required Delivery Term of at least one month. PG&E CPE has a preference for Delivery Terms of 1-60 months. PG&E CPE may consider a Delivery Term of 10 years or more for New Resources.

For additional information, see Section II.B and Attachments 1 and 2 of Protocol.

EMAIL ENCRYPTION

PG&E emails containing confidential information are encrypted, which requires recipients to verify their login credentials before accessing the protected information.

PG&E CPE recommends Participants add CPEsolicitations@pge.com to their contact list to ensure they receive all RFO communications.

For guidance on accessing encrypted emails, see [Microsoft's support page](#).

WEBSITE AND COMMUNICATION

- PG&E CPE has established a website at pge.com/cpe.
- RFO materials required as part of an Offer or Commitment package are accessible via PowerAdvocate.
- Participants should submit any inquiries via email to CPEsolicitations@pge.com and copy the Independent Evaluator at PGE_CPE_IE@PACONSULTING.COM.

For additional information, see Section I.E of Protocol.

EXPECTED RFO SCHEDULE

The expected RFO schedule below is subject to change at PG&E CPE's sole discretion at any time. *PG&E CPE does not issue a shortlist, and there is no bid fee required for participation in the RFO.*

Event	Dates
Participants are invited to register online to receive notices regarding the RFO at www.pge.com/cpe	Ongoing
PG&E CPE issues the RFO	Thursday, Feb. 12, 2026
Participants' Webinar	Thursday, Feb. 26, 2026
Deadline for PG&E Participant to submit Competitive Offers via PowerAdvocate	Tuesday, Mar. 24, 2026 at 1PM (PPT)
Deadline for Non-PG&E Participants to submit Competitive Offers via PowerAdvocate	Wednesday, Mar. 25, 2026 at 1PM (PPT)
PG&E CPE notifies Participants of the status of their Competitive Offers for continued participation in the RFO. PG&E CPE notifies the CAM PRG of all continuing Competitive Offers.	Mid-April 2026
Estimated time frame for execution of Agreement(s) resulting from the Competitive Offer Process, provided that the Agreement(s) are mutually agreed to by both PG&E CPE and the respective Participant	Early August 2026
PG&E CPE's estimated Local RA Showing for the 2027, 2028, and 2029 compliance years with the CPUC	Mid-August 2026

For additional information, see Section II.E and Attachments 1 and 2 of Protocol.