



Electric Rate Advisory

EFFECTIVE MARCH 1, 2025

Important update about electric rates

Throughout the year, Pacific Gas and Electric Company (PG&E) submits requests to the California Public Utilities Commission (CPUC) to change our rates. On February 26, 2025, PG&E submitted Advice Letter 7516-E to increase rates on March 1, 2025.

PREVIOUS Residential Bundled Non-CARE Average Rate as of **January 1, 2025:**
44.66 cents per kilowatt-hour.

NEW Residential Bundled Non-CARE Average Rate as of **March 1, 2025:**
45.33 cents per kilowatt-hour.

Estimated electric bill impacts effective March 1, 2025

	Previous As of 1/1/25	Increase (\$)	Increase (%)	Current As of 3/1/25
Average Non-CARE residential electric bill (500 kilowatt-hours)	\$221.26	\$3.38	1.5%	\$224.64
Average CARE residential electric bill (500 kilowatt-hours)	\$136.12	\$2.26	1.7%	\$138.38

Including the impact of the California Climate Credit¹

Average Non-CARE residential electric bill (500 kilowatt-hours)	\$211.56	\$3.38	1.6%	\$214.93
Average CARE residential electric bill (500 kilowatt-hours)	\$126.41	\$2.26	1.8%	\$128.67

Customers enrolled in the CARE program receive a discount of approximately 38% on their electric bill.

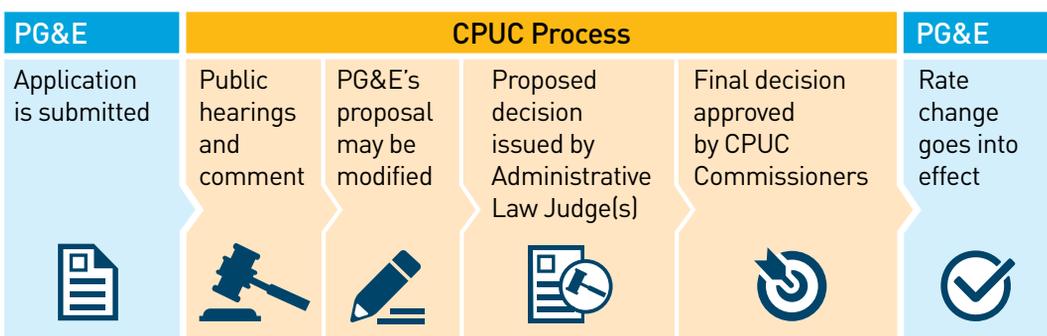
Why are rates increasing?

The primary drivers of the March 1, 2025, increase are as follows:

- On December 19, 2024, Decision (D.24-12-075) for PG&E's 2021 Wildfire Mitigation and Catastrophic Events (WMCE) application was issued and granted PG&E recovery of the costs remaining in the Vegetation Management Balancing Account (VMBA). This money goes towards wildfire risk mitigation work, government-declared catastrophic event response, and the implementation of various customer-focused initiatives.
- PG&E updated the Transmission Access Charge Balancing Account Adjustment (TACBAA) rates for the year 2025. On February 7, 2025, the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC) accepted the TACBAA filing and granted the requested update, effective March 1, 2025.

How are rates set?

Rates are set through a regulatory process with the CPUC. The process includes opportunities for the public to attend hearings and/or provide comment. A simplified diagram of the process is shown below.



What if I need help paying my bill?

We're here to help by offering you a variety of support for higher bills and other types of financial assistance.

- Find the best rate plan to fit your needs
- Sign up for pay plans to choose when and how to pay your bill
- Save money and energy by following our energy saving tips
- Get help paying your bill by signing up for our payment assistance programs

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¹Includes the \$116.46 climate credit spread out over 12 months.