



Distribution Microgrids: Public Safety Power Shutoff Community Support

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We are continuing to evolve and improve our system to keep our customers safe and reduce the impacts of Public Safety Power Shutoff (PSPS) outages. This includes installing and operating distribution microgrids.

What is a Distribution Microgrid?

Distribution microgrids are designed to power communities' central corridors (i.e., "Main Street") to help:

- Safely provide electricity to critical facilities and shared community resources.
- Reduce the number of customers impacted by PSPS.

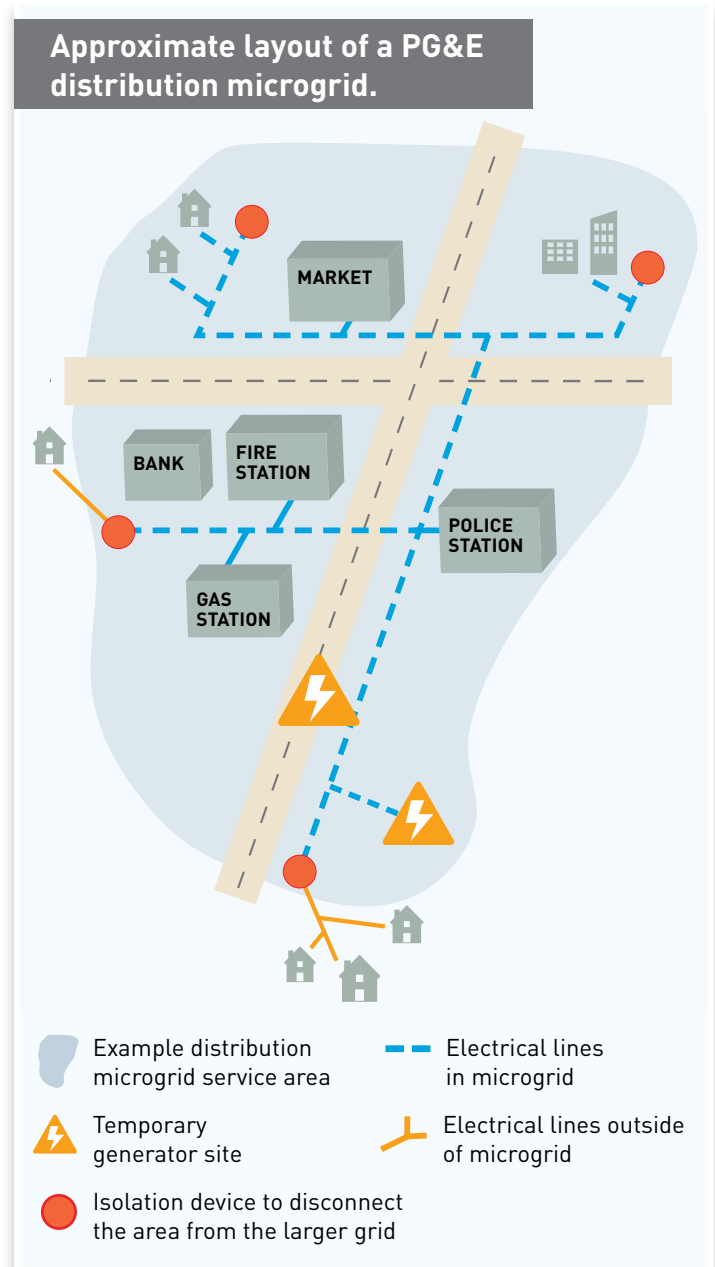
What Can You Expect in Your Community?

PREPARING FOR WILDFIRE SEASON

- Temporary generators may be placed at a pre-determined location near the central corridor or a PG&E yard.

DURING A PSPS OUTAGE

- PG&E crews and vendors working on-site with temporary generators.
- Two brief temporary outages: one as the microgrid is connected and one when the microgrid is disconnected after the PSPS outage.
- PSPS notifications including specific updates related to the microgrid.
- Noise from temporary generators powering the microgrid.



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