

Climate Adaptation Newsletter



Climate adaptation at SDG&E®

The changing climate and its associated hazards are already impacting California and the San Diego region. Examples of these threats include increased wildfire risk, extreme heat, drought, and sea level rise. At SDG&E®, we're on a mission to continuously improve our own climate resilience and the resilience of the communities we serve while prioritizing equity, advancing science, and developing strategic regional partnerships. Learn more at sdge.com/Climate.

Welcome to the first edition of the SDG&E Climate Adaptation Newsletter! This newsletter provides project information, progress updates, and notices about upcoming outreach events.



>>> UPCOMING EVENT >>>

Are you ready to help make a difference in our community? Come and be part of something amazing at the Climate Readiness Information Session. This special event is intended to provide you with important information about some of SDG&E's most exciting programs.

Thursday, April 11, 2024

5:30 - 6:30 p.m.

Foothills Adult Center

1550 Melody Lane

El Cajon, CA 92019

[Share Your Input](#)

The draft **Community Engagement Plan** is ready for your feedback. Your input will contribute to the final plan that will be submitted to the California Public Utilities Commission for approval in May 2024. Please share your feedback and thoughts on this initial draft at sdge.com/Climate.

Complete the Climate Adaptation Survey

Complete a brief five-minute survey at sdge.com/ClimateAdaptation-Survey and tell us about what you and your community need in the face of climate change. Your input may be used to help determine SDG&E's future investments in climate adaptation.



SDG&E Climate Adaptation STATUS REPORT

- SDG&E is conducting system-wide Climate Change Vulnerability Assessments for a variety of climate change hazards, including wildfire, temperature (average & extreme), precipitation (average & extreme), sea level rise and coastal flooding, drought, ground subsidence, and more. All these risks can threaten the power-grid infrastructure. SDG&E will then develop adaptation plans for the climate-hazard vulnerabilities identified and implement them as necessary. These efforts will help SDG&E to continue to provide clean, safe, and reliable service to the region.
- SDG&E has been actively reaching out to local community members to ask what they need in the face of a changing climate. We've drafted the initial Community Engagement Plan (CEP) and prepared the document for comment. You can review it at sdge.com/Climate.
- The Equity-First Community Climate Coalition (EC3) is ramping up. The EC3 is a collective of local organizations collaborating to advance SDG&E's and our communities' climate outreach and equity goals. The coalition will develop a variety of outreach opportunities to ensure community voices, needs, and feedback be incorporated into SDG&E's Climate Adaptation Vulnerability Assessment and Adaptation Planning processes. Look out for additional information in the coming weeks.
- SDG&E hosted three Climate Readiness Information Sessions in Escondido, Logan Heights, and Chula Vista in 2023. Similar events are planned for this year. Keep an eye out for event announcements at sdge.com/Climate.