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MEETING AGENDA

6:00 PM

March 19, 2026

San José City Hall 200 E. Santa
Clara Street, San José, CA
Tower 17th Floor Room 1753

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I. Call to Order & Orders of the Day

II. Public Record

III. Open Forum

(Meeting attendees are usually given two (2) minutes to speak on any discussion item and/or during open forum; the time limit is in the discretion of the Chair of the meeting and may be limited when appropriate.)

IV. Consent Calendar

- A. Approve minutes for the [January 15, 2026, meeting](#)

V. Reports and Information Only

- A. CAC Six-month Look Ahead (*Attachment A*)

VI. Old Business

VII. New Business

- A. San José Clean Energy 2026 Integrated Resource Plan (second review, *Attachment B*) - **25 minutes**
(Discussion and potential action)
- B. Energy and Water Building Performance Ordinance Status Report (*Attachment C*) - **30 minutes**
(Discussion)
- C. San José Clean Energy Programs 5-year Roadmap Ad Hoc Committee Report (*Attachment D*) - **20 minutes**
(Discussion and potential action)
- D. Meeting schedule and potential agenda items for the next meeting. - **20 minutes**
(Discussion)

The next regular meeting is scheduled for May 21, 2026, at 6pm in San José City Hall, Tower Room 1753

VIII. Adjournment

Draft CAC Recommendation

- A. Item VII.A. San José Clean Energy Integrated Resource Plan (second review) (Discussion and potential action)
- CAC supports staff's recommendation to develop and submit a CPUC compliant portfolio that achieves emissions proportional to SJCE's share of the 25 MMT target by 2035 and 8 MMT target by 2045.
 - CAC supports staff's recommendation to also develop and submit an Alternative Portfolio to help provide context surrounding the importance of load forecasting, resource diversity and affordability.
 - CAC supports staff's approach to remain flexible and adaptive as market conditions, regulatory requirements, and load forecast uncertainties evolve.
 - CAC recognizes that SJCE has contracted for a significant amount of long-term renewable resources and encourages staff to continue pursuing innovative procurement strategies to address current and ongoing market challenges.
 - CAC also supports staff providing the CPUC with feedback on key issues, including load forecast uncertainty, binding procurement obligations, affordability impacts, and resource diversity.
- B. Item VII.C. 2026 San José Clean Energy Programs 5-year Roadmap Ad Hoc Committee Report (Discussion and potential action)

The Climate Advisory Commission recommends that SJCE staff include annual targets or projections for emissions for decarbonization programs in the 5-Year Programs Roadmap. While we understand the relatively small role of SJCE's rebates in the scale of electrification currently needed, we believe it to be an important one and urge funding for programs to be a priority to be significantly increased in the coming years all practicable ways. We thank SJCE staff for their work in developing the 5-Year Programs Roadmap, deliberating some of its specifics with the Programs 5-Year Roadmap Ad hoc Committee, and now taking the Committee's recommendation into account for current and future actions.

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