



Huge Win! Culver City says no to oil, yes to jobs

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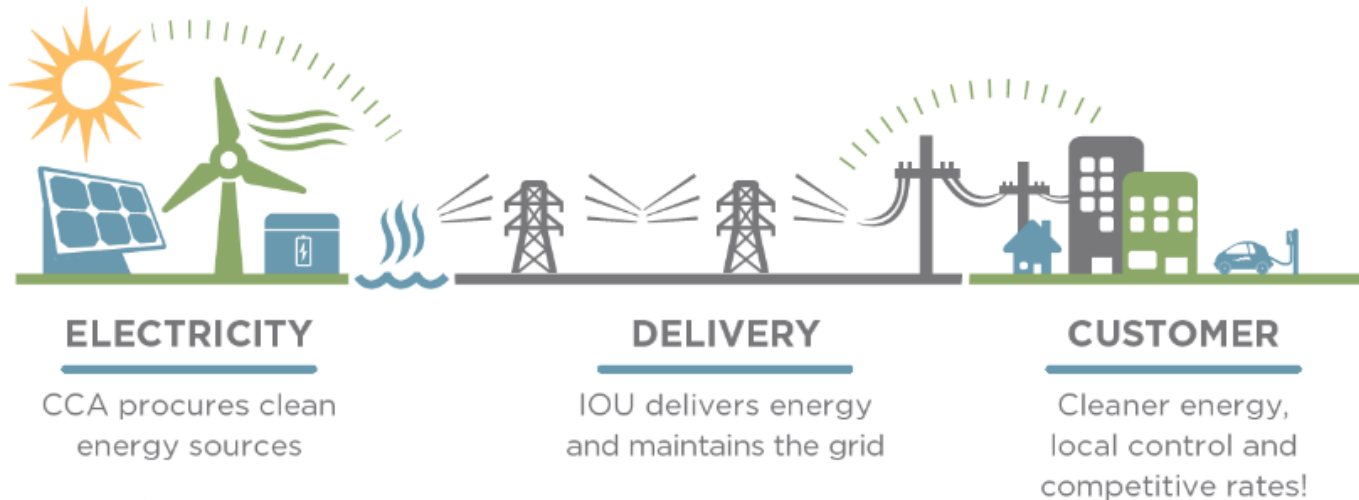


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Mission: Speed and scale greenhouse gas reductions



**Key role in growing Community Choice Energy:
21 CCAs serving 11 million Californians- ¼ of
state- with 88% clean energy today!**

..... Sunday

Los Angeles Times

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California's climate apocalypse

Fires, heat, air pollution: The calamity is no longer in the future — it's here, now

Oregon residents standing ground

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In 2001, a team of international scientists projected that during the next 100 years, the planet's inhabitants would witness higher maximum temperatures, more hot days and heat waves, an increase in the risk of forest fires and "substantially degraded air quality" in large metropolitan areas as a result of climate change.

In just the past nearly two decades after the third United Nations Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change report was issued, heat records were

The nation and the world are looking to California to lead for a climate-safe future



Governor Newsom: We are in a climate emergency, we must fast-track goals New Exec Order: 100% ZEV new car sales by 2035



<https://www.gov.ca.gov/2020/09/23/governor-newsom-announces-california-will-phase-out-gasoline-powered-cars-drastically-reduce-demand-for-fossil-fuel-in-californias-fight-against-climate-change/> Sept. 23 2020

<https://calmatters.org/environment/2020/09/california-governor-climate-emergency/> Sept. 11 2020

CLIMATE-SAFE CALIFORNIA

Accelerate existing state goals
to achieve by 2030:

- 80% below 1990 GHG levels
- Net-negative emissions (*sequestration greater than emissions, CA becomes net carbon sink*)

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Ensure a just transition for workers

- Support workers dependent on fossil fuel enterprises
- Continue creating jobs for building, construction and other trades as we solve climate change together



<https://www.iddri.org/en/publications-and-events/blog-post/investing-just-transition>

Close the Climate Gap

- Lower-income communities no longer disproportionately harmed by fossil fuel development, production, and use
- Prioritize lower income & communities of color in climate-safe policies --> *climate justice is racial justice*
- Ensure *everyone* is able to participate in the clean energy economy



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KEY POLICIES REQUIRED BY SCIENCE TO REACH NET-NEGATIVE EMISSIONS BY 2030

- Accelerate the phase-out of fossil fuel development, production and use
- Increase sequestration
- Invest in community resilience
- Fund climate action

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CHALLENGE: 25 ENDORSEMENTS

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Climate-Safe California
Rapid Decarbonization Campaign
Endorsement Platform

- A public pledge of support for California to accelerate aggressive, equitable climate policy
- Inspiring states and countries to greater action for a climate-safe Earth



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