SANTA BARBARA CLEAN ENERGY SERVICE OFFERINGS FOR MUNICIPAL ELECTRIC ACCOUNTS

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CCE Background



source



buying and building electricity supply

delivery



PG&E / SCE

delivering energy, maintaining lines, billing customers

customer



YOU

benefitting from affordable rates, local control, cleaner energy

CCE Benefits

- A choice in electricity service providers
- Help meet local climate goals
- Higher percentage of renewable or carbon-free electricity
- New funding source for local energy initiatives

SBCE Service Offerings

	Option 1. 100% Green	Option 2. Green Start
Rate Type	Default	Opt Down
Energy Mix	100% carbon-free	At least 50% carbon free
Rate Impact	\$0.012/kWh (more than Green Start/SCE)	0% (rate parity with SCE)
Increased Cost	\$41,442 annually	\$0
Supports Local Programs & Projects	Yes	Not likely

Recommended Action

- Option 1. Take no action and keep County municipal electric accounts with SBCE's default service offering, 100% Green (100% carbon free energy).
- Option 2. Opt down County municipal electric accounts to SBCE's Green Start (at least 50% carbon free energy) service offering.
- Determine that the above recommended actions do not constitute a project subject to environmental review under CEQA.

QUESTIONS?

