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## **Invest in DERs and VPPs**

Hello, my name is Rebecca Franke, a longtime resident of Alameda County who has totally upgraded her home to 100% clean energy. Please continue to work to ensure that the state likewise meets its 100% clean energy goals on schedule. One of the key ways this can be done is to strongly back distributed energy resources and virtual power plants. In addition to the benefits of aggregating energy from multiple homes and businesses, these technologies preserve land, avoid the costs of transmission, create a stronger and more resilient grid, and take us further down the path of retiring ALL of the state's gas plants. Closing comment: Please don't neglect the value of promoting energy efficiency in all scenarios.