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Careful, energy is complicated. (Iâ€™m sure you know)

I bought an electric car last year, wanting to do good for our planet. When it came time to buy a water heater, I also wanted electric. My husband did some basic estimating and figured out that, based on the amount of electricity in California thatâ€™s generated by natural gas, it would actually use less gas to just buy a gas water heater than to buy electric. !!! I was totally shocked. This is so counter-intuitive. What sounds like the right thing to do actually makes the overall situation worse. But my point is, that California needs MORE emission-free electricity if weâ€™re going to start electrifying buildings, let alone transportation, and shutting down Diablo Canyon is a huge step in the wrong direction. California and all associated agencies should be working their hardest to encourage PG&E to keep this valuable asset running as long as possible, which would additionally benefit all ratepayers because itâ€™s actually more expensive to shut down the plant (current rates are being raised to accommodate this decision). Oh, and PG&E is bankrupt. We should be holding them accountable to make the absolute best decisions with our/their money. Keep Diablo Canyon running as long as possible.