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Keep Propane as a choice

Additional submitted attachment is included below.

TITLE 24 Meeting

I am a homeowner who uses propane for my appliances. I would like to speak on why we should continue to have the choice for clean gas energy such as propane in our homes. We live in Butte County- which as you know has been severely impacted by Wildfires in the Past Years. Since the Campfire in 2018 we've had frequent electric black outs to prevent wildfire- two already this season that each lasted for 3 days. I've always been so thankful that I have propane as although there is no electricity I'm still able to cook, heat water, and keep warm. We recently purchased a generator which also runs on propane. Changing to all electric would be costly and leave many of us in rural areas with no power creating a dangerous situation for residents. If the solution is battery power during Black Outs- think again- Battery power is too expensive to provide reliable back-up power. I do have Solar Power, but I would do me no good during power outages as its run through the electric grid. We chose propane for it's fuel efficiency, low cost, and reliability. Please don't take that choice away from citizens that depend on it. It's just plain wrong!