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Senate Bill 49 Lead Commissioner Workshop

Flexible Demand Standards Unit, Appliances Office, Efficiency Division

December 14, 2020



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# Flexible Demand's Connection to CA State Energy Policy

Michael J. Sokol

Deputy Director, Efficiency Division, California Energy Commission



#### Goals for this Workshop

- Welcome!
- Introduce Senate Bill 49 and flexible demand appliance standards
- Gather your ideas, concerns, solutions
- Written comments due by 5:00 PM on January 4, 2021





## Protecting Our California Way of Life





The hots are getting hotter.

The dries are getting drier.

The evidence is all around us -

climate change is REAL.

Governor Gavin Newsom





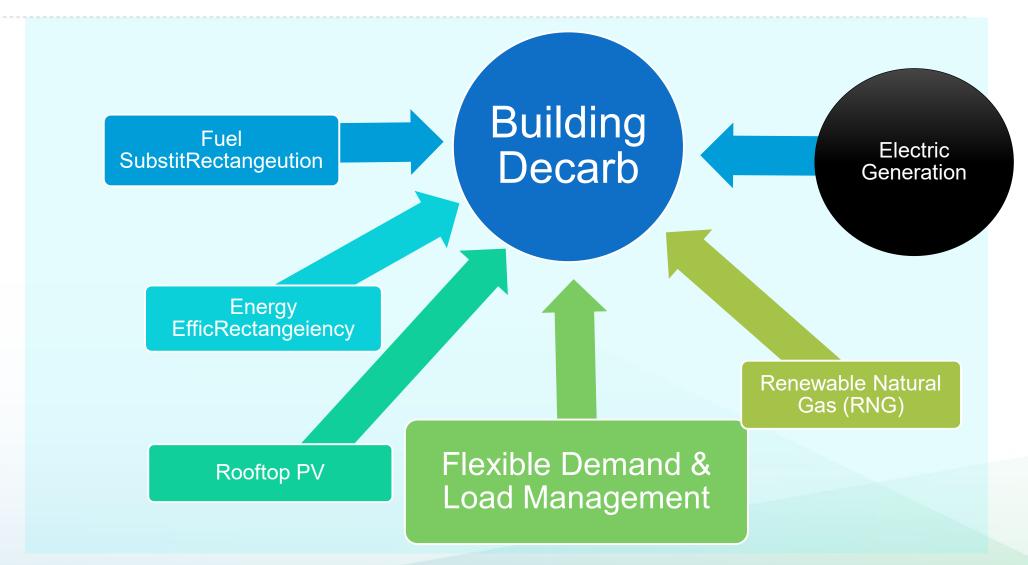
#### **Benefits to California**

- Flexible demand appliance standards will play an important role in achieving:
  - California's ambitious goals to decarbonize the economy
  - Consumer savings on electricity bills
  - Supports electricity grid reliability
  - Improved air quality





#### **Flexible Demand Context**

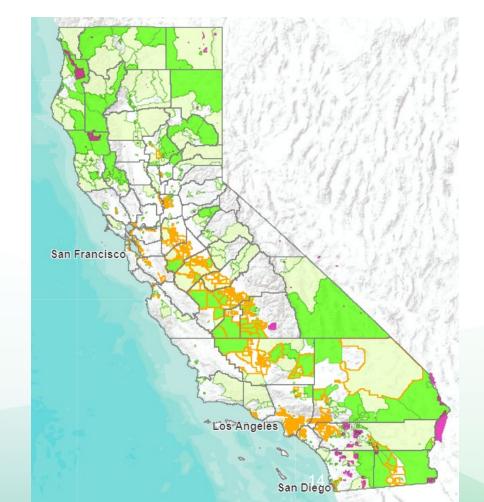




#### Consumer Centric Approach

- Prioritize and invest in community outreach and engagement
- Commitment to inclusion, diversity, equity, access (IDEA)
- Collaborate with Disadvantaged Communities Advisory Group (DACAG)
- Consult with CA Tribes
- Partner with local community-based organizations (CBOs)

California Tribal Lands, SB 535 Disadvantaged Communities and Low-income Communities





## Value of Flexible Demand Standards to Consumers and Grid

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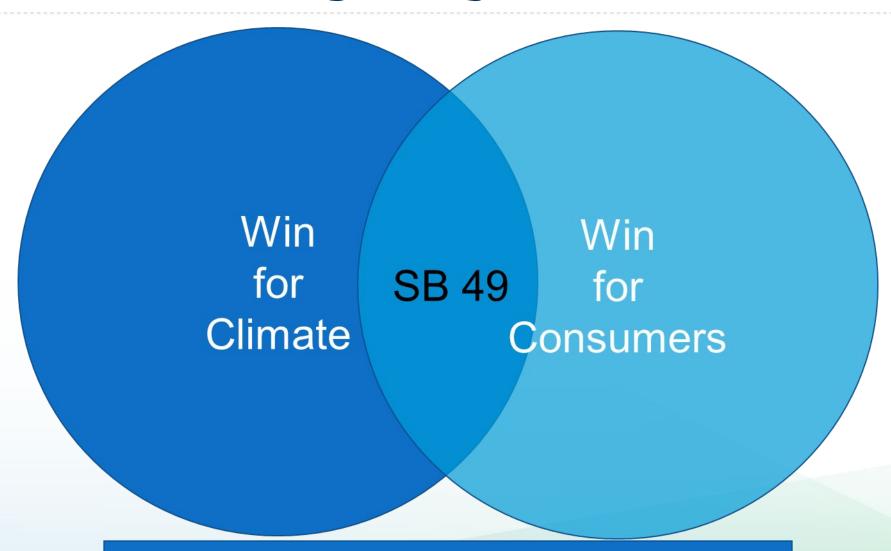
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Sean Steffensen, P.E.

California Energy Commission



### SB 49 Policy Objectives



SB 49 is a win/win for California



### SB 49 Combats Climate Change

SB 49 authorizes appliance standards to schedule, shift, and curtail operations to reduce greenhouse gas emissions from electricity generation

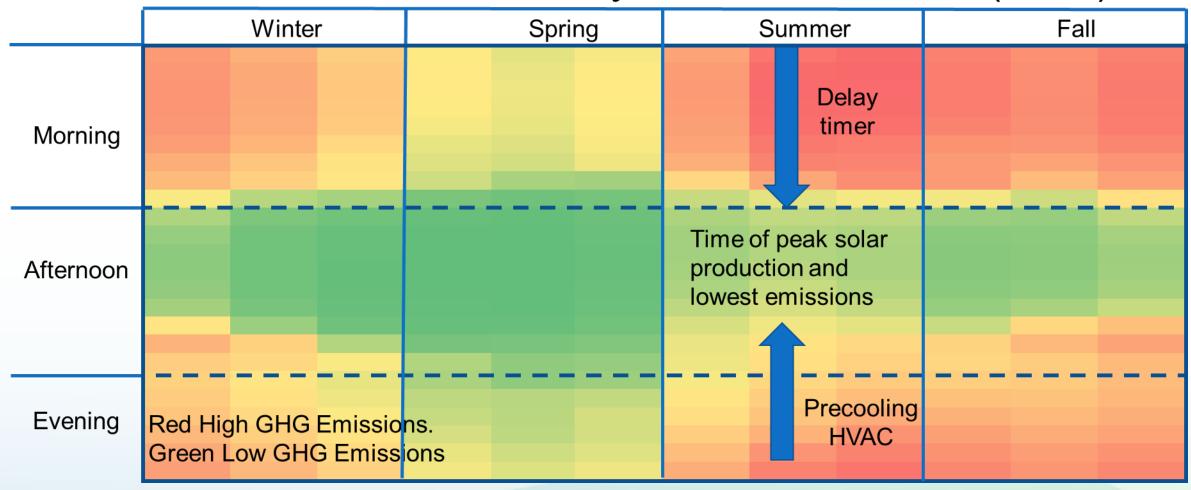


SB 49 accelerates innovation



#### Schedule, Shift and Curtail Load

#### GHG Emissions by Hour and Season (2030)



SB 49 is key to reducing emissions from homes and businesses



### How will proposal shift load?

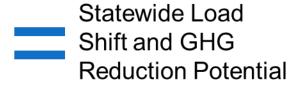
Staff will review proposals for potential to reduce GHG emissions













#### Design vs. Performance Standards

- Proposal may have either design, performance, or both standards
- Performance standards provide the best opportunity to innovate

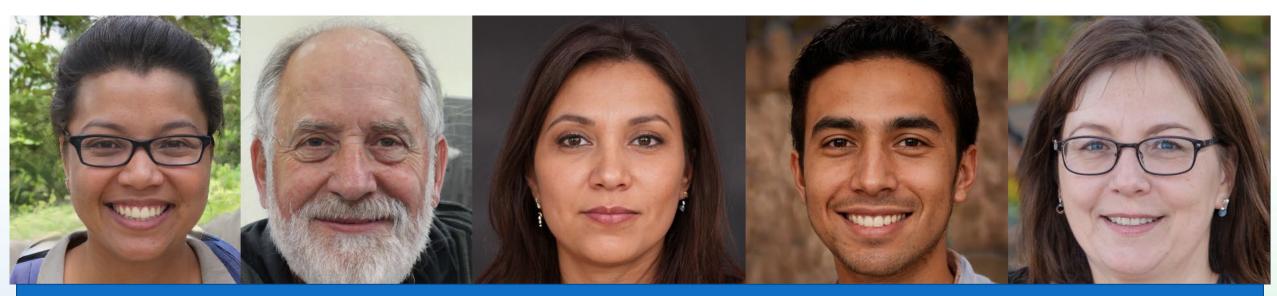


What approaches to standards achieves the best outcome?



#### **SB 49 Puts Consumers First**

- Cost-effectiveness and affordability
- Cybersecurity and reliability
- Consumer consent and ease of use
- Labeling to inform consumers



How can standards best serve consumers?



#### **Coordination of Demand Programs**

CEC shall coordinate with CPUC and Load Serving Entities to align flexible demand appliance standards and demand response programs



CEC will align standards with existing programs



#### **Compliance and Enforcement**

#### Goals for enforcement:

- Promote compliance
- Protect consumers
- Provide a level playing field for businesses
- Achieve environmental benefits
- Provide timely and fair resolution

Staff seek comments for the enforcement regulations



#### Where will solutions come from?

- Staff seek proposals and information from all stakeholders
- What appliances are ready for standards?



What standards would you propose?



#### **Panel 1 Introductions**



**Abigail Daken** U.S. EPA **ENERGY STAR** 



**Jacob Cassady** Association of Home **Appliance Manufacturers** 



**Ashley Armstrong** A.O. Smith Corporation

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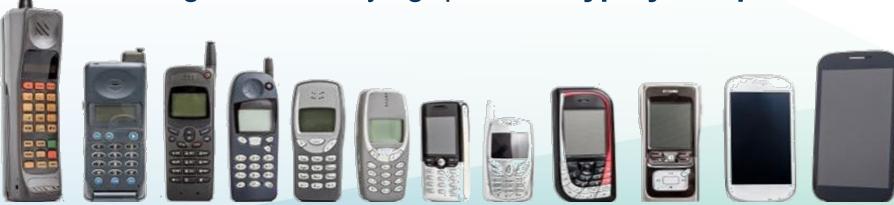
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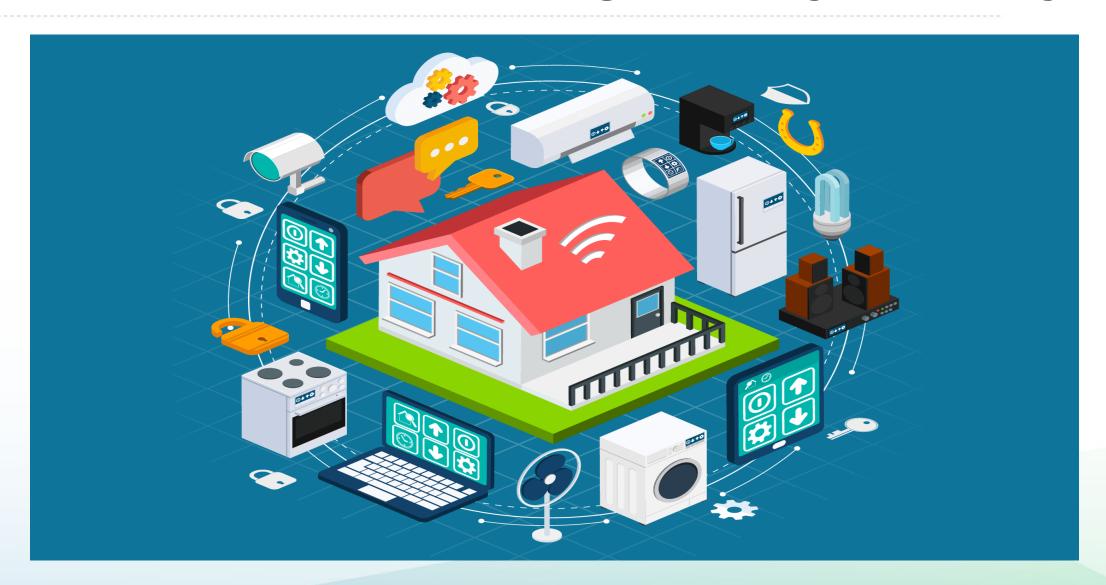


# Panel 2: Communication Technologies and Cybersecurity

Nicholaus Struven

California Energy Commission

### **Communication Technologies and Cybersecurity**



#### **Panel 2 Introductions**







**Rolf Bienert** OpenADR Alliance



**Dr. Walt Johnson**Retired EPRI

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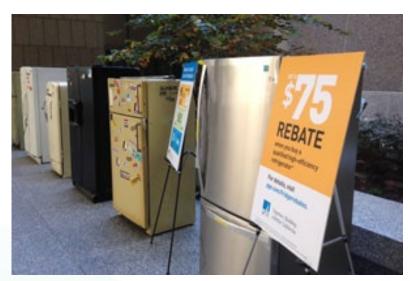


## What is Energy Equity?

- Define energy equity in the context of appliances
- Role of energy equity in programs



Credit: Merced Sunstar, San Joaquin Valley's residence's oven as a candidate for the wood-burning, propane appliance replacement program.

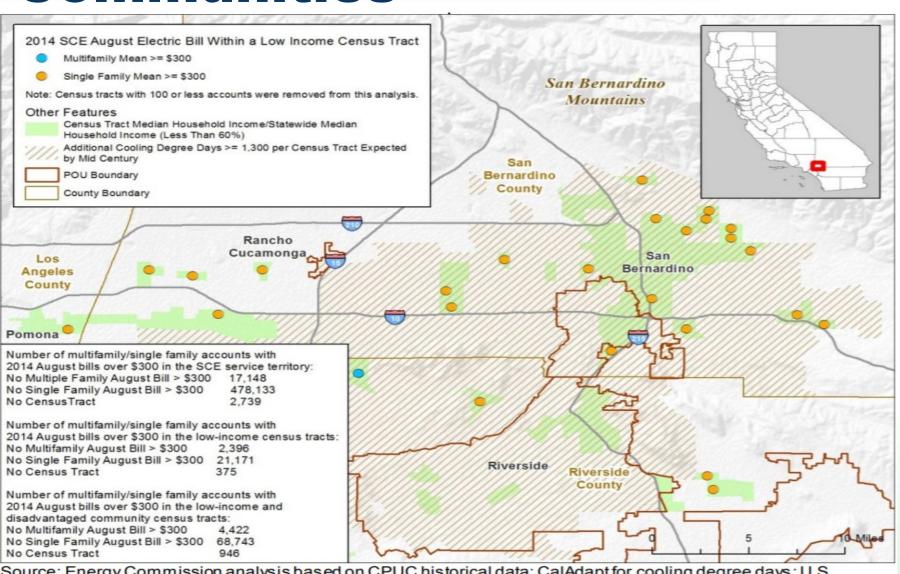


Credit: Pacific Gas & Electric (PG&E), Display of older model and newer model refrigerators, including information on the Appliance Rebate Program.



## Utility Bill Disparities in Low-Income Communities

- 2014 Electric Bill Charges the in Southern California Edison (SCE) Territory
- The phenomena of "energy burden"



Source: Energy Commission analysis based on CPUC historical data; CalAdapt for cooling degree days; U.S. Census Bureau 2010 census tract boundaries; 2011-2015 ACS



## **State Agency Progress**

- Retail Automated Transactive Energy System (RATES) platform:
  - Tariff program utilizing a total suite of appliance and tariff management in marginalized communities in the LA Basin
- SB 350 Barriers Report (2018): CEC report that identifies barriers facing disadvantaged communities seeking solutions for improved energy efficiency
  - Principal Recommendations:
    - Target setting
    - New program criteria
    - Lack of consumer information



### **Question Posed to Panelists**

What solutions or resources can SB 49 standards for flexible appliances provide to help address energy equity, capacity, or inadequacy issues with consideration to consumer choice?



#### **Panel 3 Introductions**





Amy Dryden, Director of Strategic Innovations – Association for Energy Affordability





Mel Hall-Crawford, Director of Energy Programs – Consumer Federation of America (CFA)



Stacey L. Tutt, Visiting
Professor and Director –
Consumer Law Clinic, UC
Irvine School of Law

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## **Panel 3 Questions to Consider**

 What mechanisms can be implemented to ensure equity considerations are woven into flexible demand standards?

- Why is lack of access to information a continuing issue?
- What barriers exist today, and are anticipated tomorrow?
- What are consumer interests with flexible demand appliances?



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# Concluding Remarks and Next Steps

Nicholaus Struven

California Energy Commission



## **Concluding Remarks**

- Senate Bill 49 provides a crucial tool in the statewide portfolio to support GHG emission reductions and decarbonization of the California economy
- Thank you for your participation and comments today
- We value your engagement and hope that you will continue to provide input as we gather additional information and analyze proposals for flexible demand appliance standards



## **Next Steps**

- Staff will evaluate all written and oral comments received by deadline
- Stakeholders are encouraged to join the "loadmanagement" list server

Activity	Date
Lead Commissioner Workshop	December 14, 2020
Close of Public Comment Period for Workshop	January 4, 2021
Staff Report	3 <sup>rd</sup> Quarter 2021
Initiate Formal Rulemaking	4 <sup>th</sup> Quarter 2021
Public Comment Period Ends	2 <sup>nd</sup> Quarter 2022
Public Hearing	2 <sup>nd</sup> Quarter 2022
Adoption Hearing at CEC of Initial Standards	3 <sup>rd</sup> Quarter 2022
Effective Date of Initial Standards	3 <sup>rd</sup> Quarter 2023



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