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# COVID Arrearages CBO Pilot Working Group

May 20, 2022



#### D.22.04.037

Decision Requiring Development of CBO Case Management Pilot Program to Reduce Arrearages Associated with the COVID-19 Pandemic

#### D.22.04.037 COVID Arrears CBO Pilot PD

- Provides a framework to establish and operate a CBO Case Management Pilot Program, or "CBO Pilot"
- CBO Pilot is designed to operate in targeted CA communities where, during the first year of the pandemic, electric bills were highest relative to the available resources of the community
- Convened by PG&E, CBO Pilot Working Group is established to guide and oversee the development of the CBO Pilot
- Decision also requires IOUs to develop and maintain a single statewide database and map with information on IOU contracted CBOs, the communities they serve, disconnections, and arrears data

#### **CBO Pilot Working Group**

- Develop proposal to CPUC for a grants-based model for CBO case management services
- Proposal should include:
  - Pilot size
  - Eligibility
  - Budget
  - Payment Structure
  - Contract Administration
  - Tracking and Reporting

#### **CBO Pilot Working Group**

- PG&E shall convene the initial meeting
- PG&E and a CBO selected by the WG at the first WG meeting shall convene and co-lead the WG
- Composition:
  - Each IOU
  - A CCA and at least one Tribal rep from each IOU's service territory
  - At least one CBO from each target region (north, south, central) with experience working with AFN, elderly, communities of color, and others
  - At least 3 NGOs that represent AFN, elderly, communities of color, and others
  - A member of the LIOB and the DACAG or their designees are invited, but not required, to participate
  - A Self-Help Enterprises representative is invited, but not required, to participate to share lessons learned from work on the SJV pilot

#### **Timeline**

- 60 days from issuance to convene Working Group
- 120 days from issuance to submit CBO Pilot proposal in Disconnections proceeding
- Date of issuance: 4/18/2022

### PG&E proposed schedule for WG (via MS Teams)

#### To Parties in R. 18-07-005 and A.19-11-003 et al.:

Pursuant to Decision (D.) 22-04-037, Ordering Paragraph 1, this e-mail notices the kick-off meeting for the Community Based Organization Pilot Working Group (WG) on May 3, 2022 and the proposed meeting schedule through July 2022:

| Proposed CBO Pilot WG Schedule (2 pm - 4:30 pm) |  |
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| 5/3/2022 Kick-off Meeting                       |  |
| 5/10/2022 Working Meeting                       |  |
| 5/17/2022 Working Meeting                       |  |
| 5/24/2022 Working Meeting                       |  |
| 5/31/2022 Working Meeting                       |  |
| Month of June: bi-weekly basis                  |  |
| Month of July: bi-weekly, if necessary          |  |

#### Options for potential DACAG participation

- DACAG member sits on Working Group
- DACAG appoints a designee to sit on Working Group
- DACAG does not participate in Working Group; CPUC returns to a future DACAG meeting share submitted CBO Pilot with DACAG for feedback
- Open to consider other options for DACAG participation and/or feedback on CBO Pilot Proposal

## Thank you!