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DER Workshop and Proceeding Overview

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Workshop Schedule

- DER activities and perspectives (CEC, CPUC and CAISO)
- DER Development and Implementation Panel
- DER Community Engagement Panel
- Proceeding Structure and Next Steps



Important DER Questions

- State & stakeholders have identified many key policy questions:
 - What will create DER value (e.g., economic, resilience, health) for all customers, especially in equity communities?
 - What policies will enable DER owners to be integral to grid reliability?
 - How can the state take a holistic view of distribution and bulk grid planning to meet SB100 goals?
- CEC's OIIP will use explore policy options to address these questions
- CEC, CPUC and CAISO will coordinate efforts across proceedings and initiatives



Proceeding Overview

Premise

 DERs are essential for achieving state goals for decarbonization, reliability, resilience and energy justice

Planned Efforts

- Understand performance characteristics of individual and combined DER
- Examine policy options to achieve robust and beneficial growth of DERs
- Emphasize support to underserved & marginalized communities
- Project DER growth scenarios for use in electricity system planning



Proceeding objectives

- Understand current DER performance
- Investigate and document trends in DER technology
- Describe and assess DER benefits, both quantitatively and qualitatively
- Develop DER growth scenarios for use in electricity system planning
- Investigate ways to better plan utility-scale and DER resources
- Evaluate approaches to maximize DER value to support grid reliability
- Identify technology gaps and needs for research and development



Coordination on DER

- Conducted in coordination with CPUC and CAISO DER activities
 - Exploring opportunities to co-host workshops and community outreach
 - Be efficient with stakeholder time and resources



Written Stakeholder Comments

Written comments

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