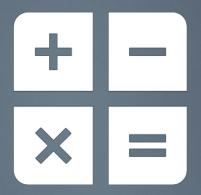
#### CITY COUNCIL MEETING TUESDAY, MARCH 6, 2018

#### **PRESENTATIONS**

#### ITEM 4 - LB 18-011

# INTRODUCTION OF ORDINANCE AND RESOLUTION FOR TAXATION OF ADULT USE CANNABIS





Introduction of Ordinance and Resolution for Taxation of Adult Use Cannabis

# October 30, 2017 Work Session



- Council expressed a preference for:
  - ▶5% of gross sales for cultivating and manufacturing
  - ▶ 8% for retail sales dispensaries

# Proposed Rates



Establish the Commercial Cannabis Tax rate at 6% of gross sales

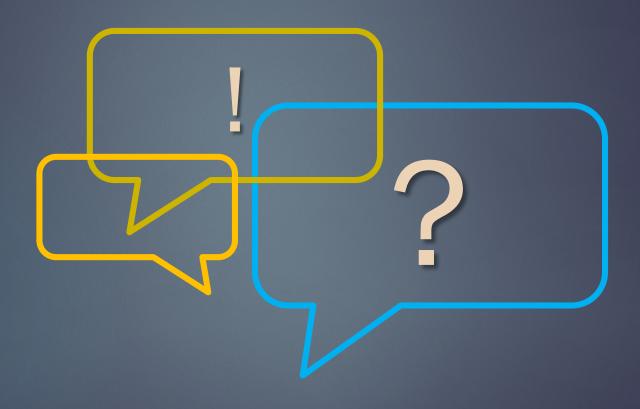
# Comparative Rates



Jurisdiction	Tax Rates
Oakland	10% of gross receipts for recreational cannabis 5% of gross receipts for medical use
San Leandro	6% currently, increases to 8% by 2021
Berkeley	5% of gross receipts for recreational cannabis 2.5% of gross receipts for medical use
Santa Rosa	<ul><li>2% of gross receipts for cultivation</li><li>1% of gross receipts for manufacturing</li><li>3% of gross receipts for recreational cannabis</li></ul>
Unincorporated Sonoma County	<ul><li>3% of gross receipts for manufacturing</li><li>2% of gross receipts for dispensaries</li></ul>
San Jose	10% of gross receipts

# Questions & Discussion





#### ITEM 5 - LB 18-009

# EAST BAY COMMUNITY ENERGY – SELECTION OF ELECTRICITY PRODUCT FOR CITY FACILITIES & SELECTION OF DEFAULT ELECTRICITY PRODUCT FOR COMMUNITY





#### East Bay Community Energy

Selection of Electricity Product for City Facilities & Selection of Default Electricity Product for Community

**UTILITIES & ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES** 

Erik Pearson Environmental Services Manager

March 6, 2018

# East Bay Community Energy

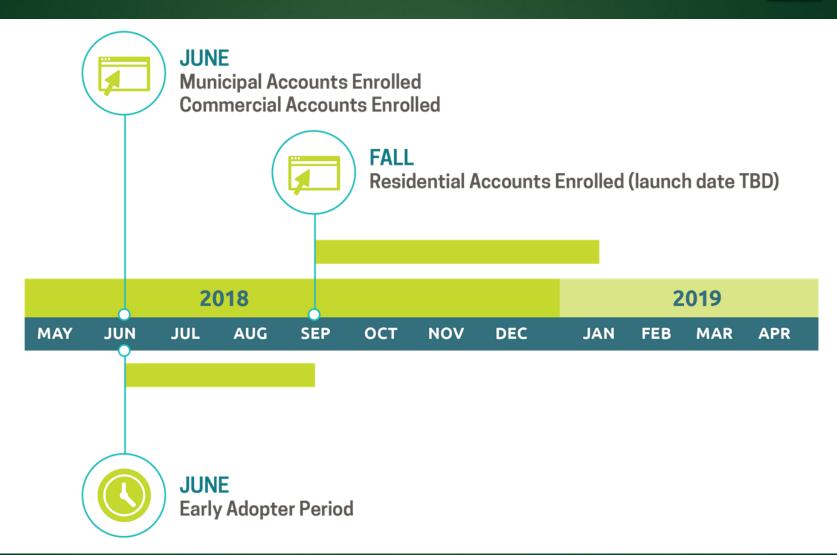


- ▶ JPA established in late 2016
- EBCE Board meeting regularly since January 2017
- Goals include:
  - Rates competitive with PG&E
  - Electricity with lower GHG intensity
  - Develop new renewable energy facilities in Alameda County



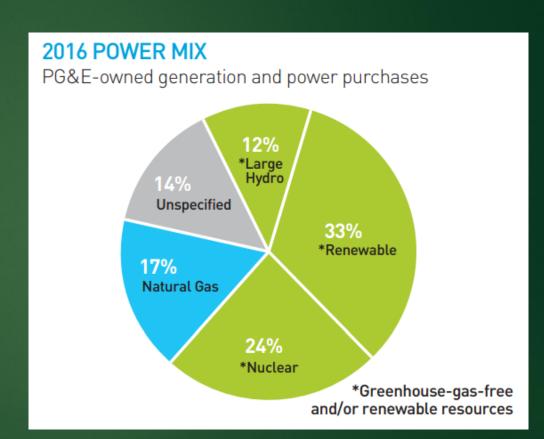
#### EBCE SERVICE BEGINS IN JUNE





# Renewable Portfolio Standard (RPS)

- California requirements:
  - ▶ 33% renewable by 2020
  - ▶ 50% renewable by 2050
- ► In 2016, PG&E was 69% GHG Free



#### Two Products







85% carbon-free (37% renewable + 47% hydro)

1.5% discount rate

100% carbon-free (40% renewable + 60% hydro)

rate equal to PG&E

#### PG&E and Other CCAs



	2016		2018		
	PG&E	Default Product of Other CCAs	PG&E	EBCE Bright Choice	EBCE Brilliant 100
Renewable Content (default product)	33%	40 - 55%	42%	38%	40%
Carbon Free (default product)	69%	68 -100%	88%	85%	100%
Residential Rate compared to PG&E	N/A	+4 to -5%	N/A	-1.5%	equal
Non-Residential Rate compared to PG&E	N/A	+2.4% to -5%	N/A	-1.5%	equal

#### Default Electricity Product



- Bright Choice is standard default
- Cities can choose Brilliant 100 as default
- Berkeley, Piedmont, Emeryville, San Leandro, and Oakland are exploring the idea of Brilliant 100 as default
- Last night, Albany selected Brilliant 100 as default

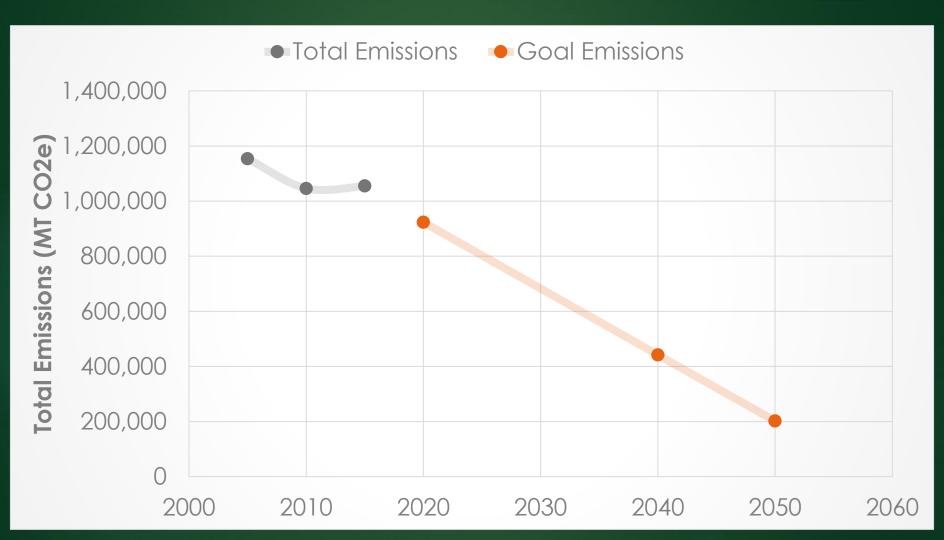
#### March 5 Email from EBCE CEO



- Confirms that cities can choose default
- Recommends against Brilliant 100 default
- If Brilliant 100 is default, then special noticing
- If Brilliant 100 is selected as default, then only for Phase 1

#### GHG Inventories & CAP Goals





#### Possible Scenarios for 2020 Goal



		Total GHG			
Scenario #	GHG-Free Electricity	Opt Out Rate	DA Load Switch to EBCE	Reduction from 2005 - 2020	
1	73%	5%	20%	-9.1%	
2	85%	5%	50%	-13.3%	
3	100%	10%	65%	-20.1%	

#### Economic Impact



If Bright Choice is default, customers will see some minimal savings (less than 1%).

If Brilliant 100 is default, customers will see no change in cost of electricity.

#### Fiscal Impact



- City spends approx. \$1m per year on electricity generation charges
- ▶ If City purchases Brilliant 100, no change in cost
- ▶ If City purchases Bright Choice, annual savings\* will be \$10,000 to \$15,000

 Savings will decrease as City installs more solar and purchases less electricity

#### **Draft Resolutions**



Recommendation: Adopt resolution authorizing purchase of Brilliant 100 for City facilities

Council may also decide to adopt resolution selecting Brilliant 100 as default for nonresidential

#### Next Steps



- Non-residential customers:
  - Opt out notices will be mailed in April and May
  - City outreach to minimize opt-outs
  - Service begins in June

# Questions & Discussion





#### ITEM 6 - PH 18-016

#### **SOLAR PHOTOVOLTAIC PROJECT – PHASE II**





#### Solar Photovoltaic Project - Phase II

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### Background:

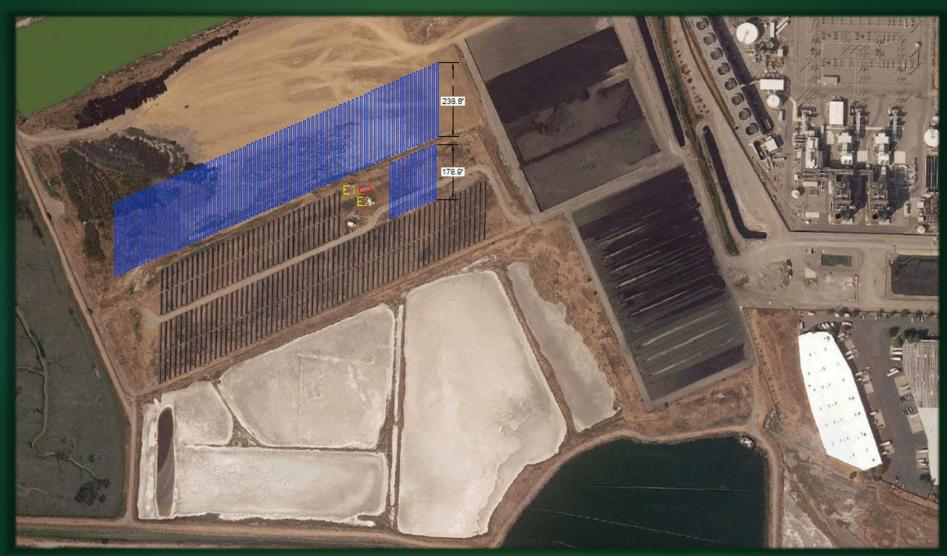


- Phase I project was completed as a 1 megawatt Design-Build Project in 2011
- Proposed Phase II would expand it by another 2 megawatts
- Some of the new energy would be transmitted through PG&E lines to other City facilities to help with Council Goal of ZNE by 2025
- Excess energy sold to East Bay Community Energy (EBCE)



# Proposed Project:





#### Environmental Review:



- Staff Prepared Initial Study
- Resulting in Mitigated Negative Declaration
- MND has been posted in compliance with the law
- No public comments have been received

## Design-Build Process:



- Most common process for implementing of public construction projects is Design-Bid-Build
- In rare occasions, due to the specialty nature of design, projects are designed and built by the same entity
- The process is called Design-Build
- Because Design-Build projects are based on conceptual ideas, rather than prescriptive designs and specifications, other factors beside low cost are considered

#### CSC Review & Recommendations:



- Project was presented to Council Sustainability
   Committee last September
- CSC supported Design-Build approach
- CSC recommended having a competitive selection process

# Project's Design-Build:



- In October, staff issued an RFP to three qualified firms
- Two firms responded and submitted proposals
- City staff considered various factors such as:
  - Project cost
  - > Firm's qualifications and experience with similar projects
  - > Schedule
  - Local office
  - Adherence to City policies and requirements

#### Final Cost:



- Based on all items being included, Engie Services had the lower bid of \$5,464,360 verses the REC Solar bid of \$5,539,104
- The total project cost including City staff time, PG&E services costs, and third party inspections will be \$6,160,000

## Funding:



- Current CIP includes \$5,205,000 for this project (based on an initially assumed 1MW project size)
- An additional \$955,000 must be appropriated from the sewer fund balance
- Staff is planning to apply for a low interest loan from California Energy Commission (CEC) for <u>up to</u> \$3M
- Annual Operations & Maintenance cost of \$38,880 paid from sewer operating budget
- Some of these costs will be offset by sale of electric energy to City facilities and to EBCE

# Sustainability Features:



- Once constructed and operational, this project will propel Hayward once again to the forefront of the cities in Alameda County in producing clean and renewable energy
- It will also help the City get 50% closer to meeting the Council's goal of municipal facilities ZNE by 2025, and become a supplier to EBCE



#### Recommendations:



- 1. Approving the Initial Study and Mitigated Negative Declaration
- Authorizing the City Manager to negotiate and Execute a Design-Build contract with Engie Services U.S. Inc., for the project
- 3. Authorizing the City Manager to submit a low-interest rate loan application to California Energy Commission (CEC)
- 4. Appropriating additional funds from the Sewer Improvement Fund

# Questions & Discussion



