



**CHICO**  
**CLIMATE ACTION COMMISSION**  
**REGULAR MEETING AGENDA**  
**THURSDAY, JULY 9TH, 2020 - 6:00 P.M.**  
MUNICIPAL CENTER – 421 MAIN STREET – COUNCIL CHAMBERS

# Chico

## CLIMATE ACTION COMMISSION

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**Posted:** July 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2020  
**Prior to:** 5:00 p.m.

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**CITY OF CHICO**  
**CLIMATE ACTION COMMISSION**  
**REGULAR MEETING OF THURSDAY, JULY 9TH, 2020**  
Municipal Center - 421 Main Street - Council Chambers - 6:00 pm

**PUBLIC PARTICIPATION:** This meeting is being conducted in accordance with Executive Order N-29-20. Members of the public may virtually attend the meeting using the City’s WebEx platform. Members of the public who wish to participate in public comments are encouraged to register in advance of the hearing by emailing [climatepubliccomment@chicoca.gov](mailto:climatepubliccomment@chicoca.gov), please add “PRE REGISTER FOR CAC” to the subject line. City staff will respond to your email prior to the meeting with a link to join as an attendee.

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**1. CALL TO ORDER**

1.1. Roll Call

**2. CONSENT AGENDA**

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**2.1. Approval of Minutes**

February 13th, 2020 (**Attachment A**).

**3. ITEMS TO BE DISCUSSED**

**3.1. Climate Action Plan Virtual Workshop Update**

Rincon Consultants will update the commission on the Climate Action Plan virtual engagement workshop.

**3.2. Presentation from Public Works Department (Engineering)**

The Public Works Department will lead a presentation on its efforts to reduce greenhouse gas emissions, and update the commission on related capital projects and efforts.

**4. BUSINESS FROM THE FLOOR/PUBLIC COMMENT**

*Members of the public may address the Commission at this time on any matter not already listed on the agenda, with comments being limited to three minutes. The Commission cannot take any action at this meeting on requests made under this section of the agenda.*

**5. REPORTS & COMMUNICATIONS**

*These items are provided for the Commission 's information. Although the Commission may discuss the items, no action can be taken at this meeting. Should the Commission determine that action is required, the item or items may be included for action on a subsequent posted agenda.*

**6. ADJOURNMENT**

Adjourn to the Adjourned Regular Meeting of Thursday, August 13<sup>th</sup>, 2020.

**CITY OF CHICO**  
**CLIMATE ACTION COMMISSION**  
**REGULAR MEETING OF THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 13, 2020**  
Municipal Center - 421 Main Street - Council Chambers - 6:00 pm

Commissioners Present: Mark Stemen, Chair  
Cheri Chastain, Vice Chair  
David Donnan  
Rebekah Casey  
Kirk Monfort  
Michael Nelson  
Tawny Vernau

Commissioners Absent:

Staff Members Present: Brendan Vieg, Community Development Director (Planning and Housing)  
Molly Marcussen, Associate Planner  
Maggie Scarpa, CivicSpark Fellow

**1. CALL TO ORDER**

Chair Stemen called the meeting to order at 6:00 PM.

**1.1. ROLL CALL**

Commissioners and staff were present as noted above.

**1.2. SWEARING IN OF NEWLY APPOINTED CLIMATE ACTION COMMISSIONER**

*Chair Stemen made a change to the agenda adding the swearing in of Commissioner Donnan to the Climate Action Commission.*

City Clerk Presson lead the swearing in of David Donnan to the Climate Action Commission.

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**2.1. Approval of Minutes**

Commissioner Casey made a motion to approve the January 9<sup>th</sup>, 2020 meeting minutes. Commissioner Donnan seconded the motion. Minutes approved 7-0.

**3. ITEMS TO BE DISCUSSED**

**3.1. Brown Act Presentation (City Clerk)**

City Clerk Presson lead a presentation on the Brown Act. PowerPoint and the commissions role in providing an open public process under California State Law.

**3.2. Department of Public Works (Operations and Maintenance) Presentation on Greenhouse Gas Reduction and Resiliency Efforts** - Public Works Director (O&M) Erik Gustafson & City employees

Linda Herman, Richard Bamlet, and Jacques Vos lead a presentation highlighting key efforts the Department has underway to reduce GHG emissions and improve adaptation and resiliency. Topics included the PG&E Sustainable Solutions Turnkey Program, Community Choice Aggregation, goat grazing in Bidwell Park, retrofits and updates to the Wastewater Treatment Plant, and the Urban Forest Master Plan Grant and tree planting efforts (PowerPoint is provided as **Attachment A**).

*Chair Stemen opened the item for public comment*

Addressing the commission on this item were: community member Mary Kay Benson who asked what makes clean diesel clean.

*Chair Stemen closed the item for public comment.*

**3.3.Reopen the Elections for Chair and Vice Chair**

Commissioner Stemen nominated Commissioner Chastain for Chair. No other commissioners were nominated. Commission voted 7-0 for Chastain to be Chair. Commissioner Chastain nominated Commissioner Stemen for Vice Chair. No other commissioners were nominated. Commission voted 7-0 for Commissioner Stemen to be Vice Chair.

**4. BUSINESS FROM THE FLOOR/PUBLIC COMMENT**

Addressing the commission on this item were: community member Jared Geiser who noted his support for fire fuels management in Bidwell Park. Geiser added that he was not supportive of the newly installed stop sign at 4<sup>th</sup> and Flume asked the city to investigate turning forestry debris into biochar rather than chipping.

**5. REPORTS & COMMUNICATIONS**

Associate Planner Marcussen briefed the commission on 4 items:

- The city has heard from Rincon that the previously prepared GHG inventory was done correctly.
- Staff is reviewing a draft CAP Update Outreach Plan. Outreach should take place from June-September. Staff added that these public engagement events as well as the listening sessions are the most appropriate venues to for community members to provide input on CAP measures.
- Rincon has put together an Excel document of existing measures that are in the CAP, General Plan and Bicycle/ Pedestrian Master Plan for staff to review. Staff is reviewing and rating these measures.
- Staff received a draft schedule from Rincon and would like to note that their team will be engaging with the commission at future meetings.

**5. ADJOURNMENT**

There being no further business from the commission, the meeting was adjourned at 7:47 pm to the Regular Meeting of Thursday, March 12th, 2020.



Public Works O&M  
Climate Action Commission Update  
2-13-20

# Climate Action Commission - Overview

## Energy Reduction Accomplishments

- Facilities – City owned and operated buildings
- Right-Of-Way (ROW) – City street infrastructure
- Airport
- Fleet – City Fleet and fueling operations
- Waste Water Treatment Plant
- Airport
- Internal Energy Audit Results



# Climate Action Commission - Overview

## Ongoing energy reduction measures & projects

- Urban Forestry Program
- PG&E Sustainable Solutions Turnkey Program
- Groundwater Sustainability Agency (Vina GSA)
- Community Choice Aggregation (Butte Choice Energy)

# Climate Action Commission - Accomplishments

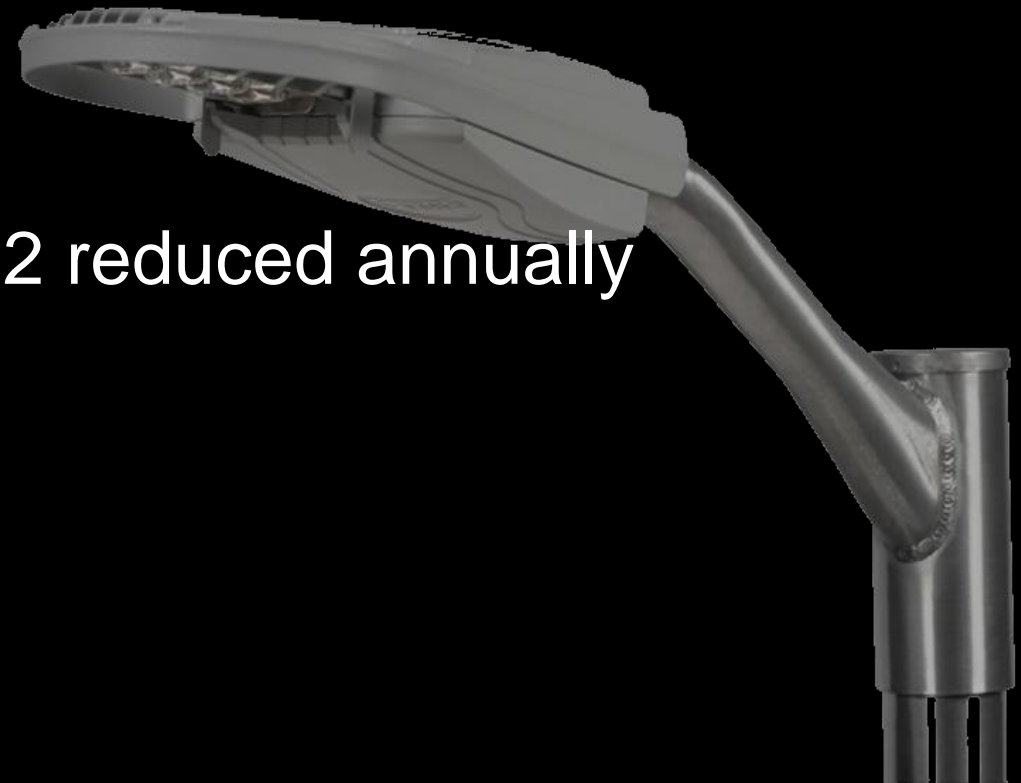
Facilitates lighting LED retrofit

- Equivalent to 40 metric tons of CO<sub>2</sub> reduced annually
- \$50,000 in cost savings annually
- Less than 2 year ROI

# Climate Action Commission - Accomplishments

## Streetlight LED Retrofit

- Leader - One of the first agencies to partner with PG&E
  - 2,267 PG&E-owned (LS-1)
  - 4,689 City-owned (LS-2)
- 50% reduction in energy
- Equivalent 1,060 metric tons of CO<sub>2</sub> reduced annually
- \$250,000 cost savings annually



# Climate Action Commission - Accomplishments

## Airport LED retrofits

- 40 apron lights
- 204 taxiway lights
- LED taxiway signs



# Climate Action Commission - Accomplishments



## Fleet

- Early compliance: CARB emissions regulations exceeding Particulate Matter (PM) and NOx requirements
- Updated vehicle use policy reducing take home vehicles by 30%
- Continuous fleet optimization
- Deployed bio-diesel program and now investigating renewable diesel feasibility

# Climate Action Commission - Accomplishments

## Fleet

- Converting fleet to EVs where possible during replacement cycles. (both sedans & medium duty trucks).
- Deploying EV charging stations in City parking lots.



# Climate Action Commission - Accomplishments

## Waste Water Treatment Plant

- Deployed industry first ammonia metering and dissolved solids technology in aeration basins
  - Real-time aeration fine-tuning
  - \$130,000 annual savings
- Maintain 1-MW solar system and methane Co-Gen

# Climate Action Commission - Accomplishments

## Internal Energy Audit

Facility Name	Electric (kWh)	Electric (kW)	Electric (\$)	Gas (Therms)	Gas (\$)	Water (CCF)	Total Water Cost	Total Cost	% of Total Electric Use	% of Total Gas Use	% of Total Cost
Wastewater Treatment Plant	2,342,401	826	\$ 529,032	177,442	\$ 71,152	-	-	\$ 600,184	35.90%	81.96%	27.50%
Street Lights	1,591,593	-	\$ 558,059	-	\$ -	-	-	\$ 558,059	24.39%	0.00%	25.57%
City Hall	763,367	286	\$ 150,402	11,636	\$ 9,168	-	-	\$ 159,570	11.70%	5.37%	7.31%
Various A6 Accounts (10 Locations)	494,774	250	\$ 119,416	-	\$ -	-	-	\$ 119,416	7.58%	0.00%	5.47%
Police Station	368,855	108	\$ 66,592	957	\$ 1,205	-	-	\$ 67,797	5.65%	0.44%	3.11%
Traffic Signals	342,232	2	\$ 79,428	-	\$ -	-	-	\$ 79,428	5.25%	0.00%	3.64%
Municipal Services Center	270,816	165	\$ 81,980	13,187	\$ 11,631	-	-	\$ 93,611	4.15%	6.09%	4.29%
Fire Stations	137,967	66	\$ 32,450	8,642	\$ 8,181	-	-	\$ 40,631	2.11%	3.99%	1.86%
Animal Shelter	67,238	29	\$ 16,319	4,042	\$ 4,625	-	-	\$ 20,944	1.03%	1.87%	0.96%
Council Chambers	60,820	76	\$ 14,345	-	\$ -	-	-	\$ 14,345	0.93%	0.00%	0.66%
Downtown Park	49,328	21	\$ 11,293	-	\$ -	-	-	\$ 11,293	0.76%	0.00%	0.52%
General Service	25,542	16	\$ 6,137	584	\$ 724	-	-	\$ 6,861	0.39%	0.27%	0.31%
Irrigation	9,283	1	\$ 9,297	-	\$ -	-	-	\$ 9,297	0.14%	0.00%	0.43%
Parking Lot Lighting	136	3	\$ 755	-	\$ -	-	-	\$ 755	0.00%	0.00%	0.03%
City-Wide Water	-	-	\$ -	-	\$ -	134,393	\$ 400,540	\$ 400,540	0.00%	0.00%	18.35%
<b>Total</b>	<b>6,524,352</b>	<b>1,849</b>	<b>\$ 1,675,507</b>	<b>216,490</b>	<b>\$ 106,686</b>	<b>134,393</b>	<b>400,540</b>	<b>\$ 2,182,733</b>	<b>100.00%</b>	<b>100.00%</b>	<b>100.00%</b>

- Annual utility costs are ~ \$2,200,000 / yr.
- City has approximately 678 separate electric, natural gas, and water accounts (opportunity for Utility portfolio solution)
- WWTP and Street Lights are over 60% of total electric consumption and 65% of electric cost
- WWTP is 45% of peak demand
- WWTP consumes over 80% of the City's annual natural gas usage



# Climate Action Commission - Accomplishments/Ongoing

## • Waste Diversion

- Commercial/ Residential Recycling
- Yard waste Recycling
- Compost Facility ~20k tons/year
- Leaf Collection
- C&D Recycling
- Scrap Metals
- Asphalt Re grind
- Future Food Waste Diversion

Year	Landfill Tons	MT CO2e/Ton	Total MT CO2e	Population	Pounds per person per day	Cal Recycle Target
2005	88,307	0.2835	25,035	78,918	6.1	6.2
2006	87,413	0.2835	24,782	78,653	6.1	6.2
2007	94,759	0.2835	26,864	84,491	6.1	6.2
2008	90,747	0.2835	25,727	86,772	5.7	6.2
2009	75,537	0.2835	21,415	87,713	4.7	6.2
2010	75,295	0.2835	21,346	86,103	4.8	6.2
2011	74,984	0.2835	21,258	86,900	4.7	6.2
2012	74,890	0.2835	21,231	87,500	4.7	6.2
2013	74,107	0.2835	21,009	87,671	4.6	6.2
2014	69,595	0.2835	19,730	88,389	4.3	6.2
2015	74,105	0.2835	21,009	89,634	4.5	6.2
2016	76,341	0.2835	21,643	92,117	4.5	6.2
2017	82,440	0.2835	23,372	91,398	4.9	6.2
2018	80,808	0.2835	22,909	92,861	4.8	6.2
<b>Difference from 2005</b>			<b>-8.5%</b>	<b>17.7%</b>	<b>-22.2%</b>	

# Climate Action Commission - Accomplishments/Ongoing

- **Vegetative Fire Fuels Reduction:**
  - Goat Grazing – nearly 100 acres grazed in Bidwell Park and Foothill Preserve.
  - California Conservation Corps Grant (8,000 hours).
  - Cal Fire grant to develop Vegetative Fuels Management Plan.
  - Ongoing removal of non-native invasive vegetation by volunteers and staff.



# Climate Action Commission - Ongoing Efforts

- Urban Forestry Program
- PG&E Sustainable Solutions Turnkey Program
- Groundwater Sustainability Agency (Vina GSA)
- Community Choice Aggregation (Butte Choice Energy)

# Climate Action Commission - Ongoing Efforts

## City of Chico Urban Forest Revitalization Program

- September 2018 City of Chico awarded a grant \$425,811
- Total program including match \$608,913

# Climate Action Commission - Ongoing Efforts

## City of Chico Urban Forest Revitalization Program

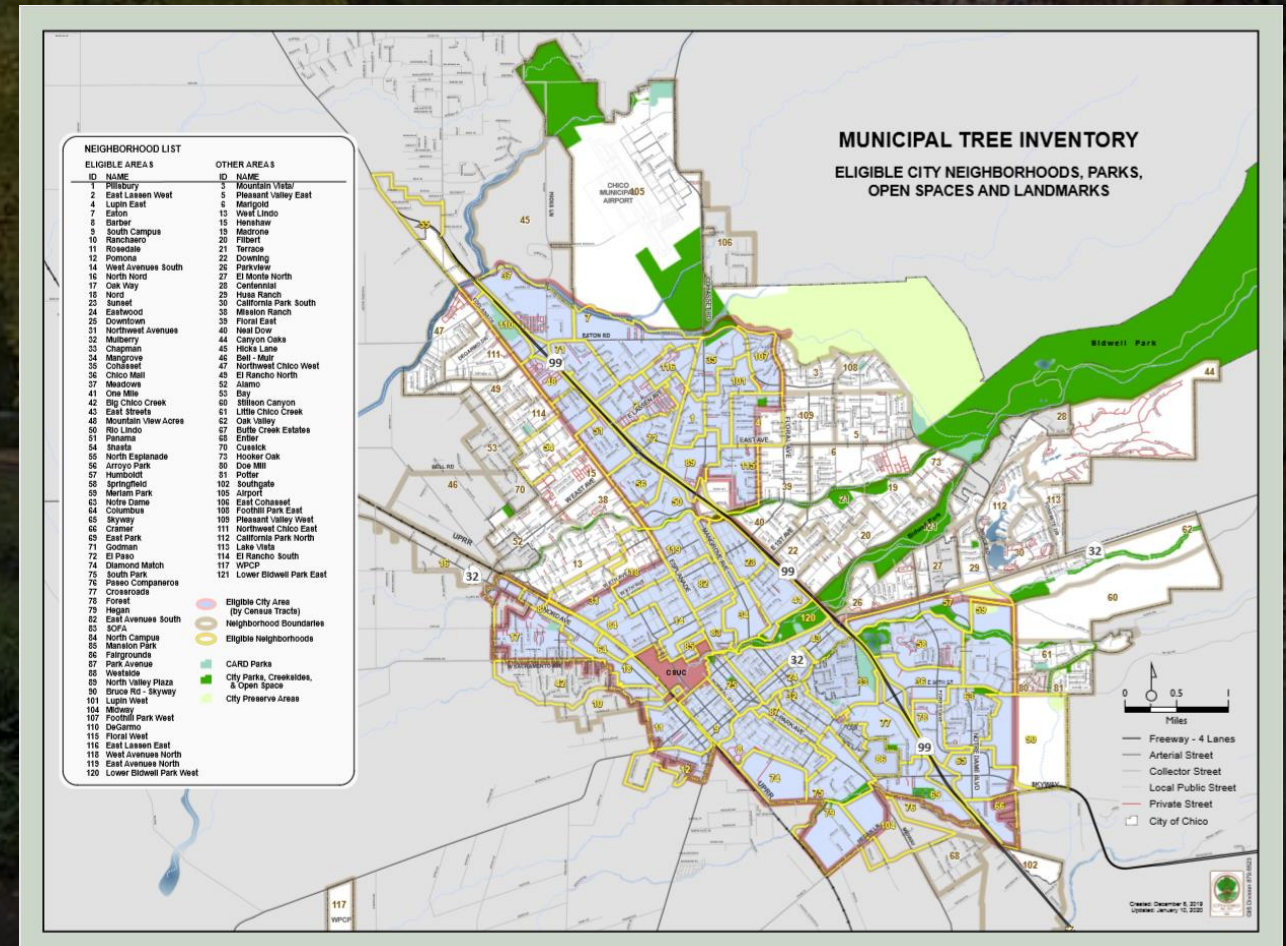
### Four Components:

- A. Conduct a new City-wide urban forest tree inventory
- B. Produce an Urban Forest Master Plan (UFMP) and Urban Tree Canopy Analysis (UTC) (i-tree Eco)
- C. Tree Replanting in Disadvantaged and Low-Income Communities SB 535/AB 1550
- D. Community engagement

# Climate Action Commission - Ongoing Efforts

## City of Chico Urban Forest Revitalization Program


- GHG reduction:
- Tree Planting
- 700 new trees
- Carbon sequestration
- Utility offsets



# Climate Action Commission - Ongoing Efforts

## City of Chico Urban Forest Revitalization Program

- GHG Data (CARB)
- 1764 Mt CO<sub>2</sub>e sequestered C
- 845 Mt CO<sub>2</sub>e energy savings
- (130 Mt CO<sub>2</sub>e) emissions
- Net GHG benefits
- = 2479 Mt CO<sub>2</sub> e
- Additional Co-pollutant benefits NO<sub>2</sub>, PM<sub>2.5</sub>,
- Storm water reduction

		California Air Resources Board California Climate Investments
		Final Calculator Tool for Urban and Community Forestry Program Greenhouse Gas Reduction Fund Fiscal Year 2017-18
Project Name:	City of Chico Urban Forest Revitalization Project	
Grant ID, if applicable:	8GG17406	
<b>GHG Summary Worksheet</b>		
GHG Benefit of Carbon Stored in Live Project Trees Estimated Using i-Tree Planting (MT CO <sub>2</sub> e)		1,764
GHG Benefit of Carbon Stored in Live Project Trees Estimated Using i-Tree Streets (MT CO <sub>2</sub> e)		0
GHG Benefit from Energy Savings Estimated Using the i-Tree Planting (MT CO <sub>2</sub> e)		845
GHG Benefit from Energy Savings Estimated Using i-Tree Streets (MT CO <sub>2</sub> e)		0
GHG Benefit of Carbon Stored in Wood Products (MT CO <sub>2</sub> e)		0
GHG Benefit from Utilizing Biomass for Energy Generation (MT CO <sub>2</sub> e)		0
GHG Benefit from Preventing the Landfilling of Biomass (MT CO <sub>2</sub> e)		0
GHG Emissions from Project Implementation (MT CO <sub>2</sub> e)		130
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Net GHG Benefit (MT CO <sub>2</sub> e)		2,479
UCF GGRF Funds Requested (\$)		\$425,811
Total GGRF Funds Requested (\$)		\$425,811
Net GHG Benefit/UCF GGRF Funds Requested (MT CO <sub>2</sub> e/\$)		0.005821769
Net GHG Benefit/Total GGRF Funds Requested (MT CO <sub>2</sub> e/\$)		0.005821769
UCF GGRF Funds Requested/Net GHG Benefit (\$/MT CO <sub>2</sub> e)		\$171.77
Portion of the Net GHG Benefit attributable to the GGRF funding from another CCI program		0

# Climate Action Commission - Ongoing Efforts

## City of Chico Urban Forest Revitalization Program

- California Cap-and-Trade auction proceeds deposited into Greenhouse Gas Reduction Fund (GGRF), used to further the objectives of the California Global Warming Solutions Act of 2006 (Assembly Bill 32 (AB 32); Núñez, Chapter 488, Statutes of 2006)
- California Climate Investments (CCI) Urban & Community Forestry Program administered by CalFire



# Climate Action Commission - Ongoing Efforts

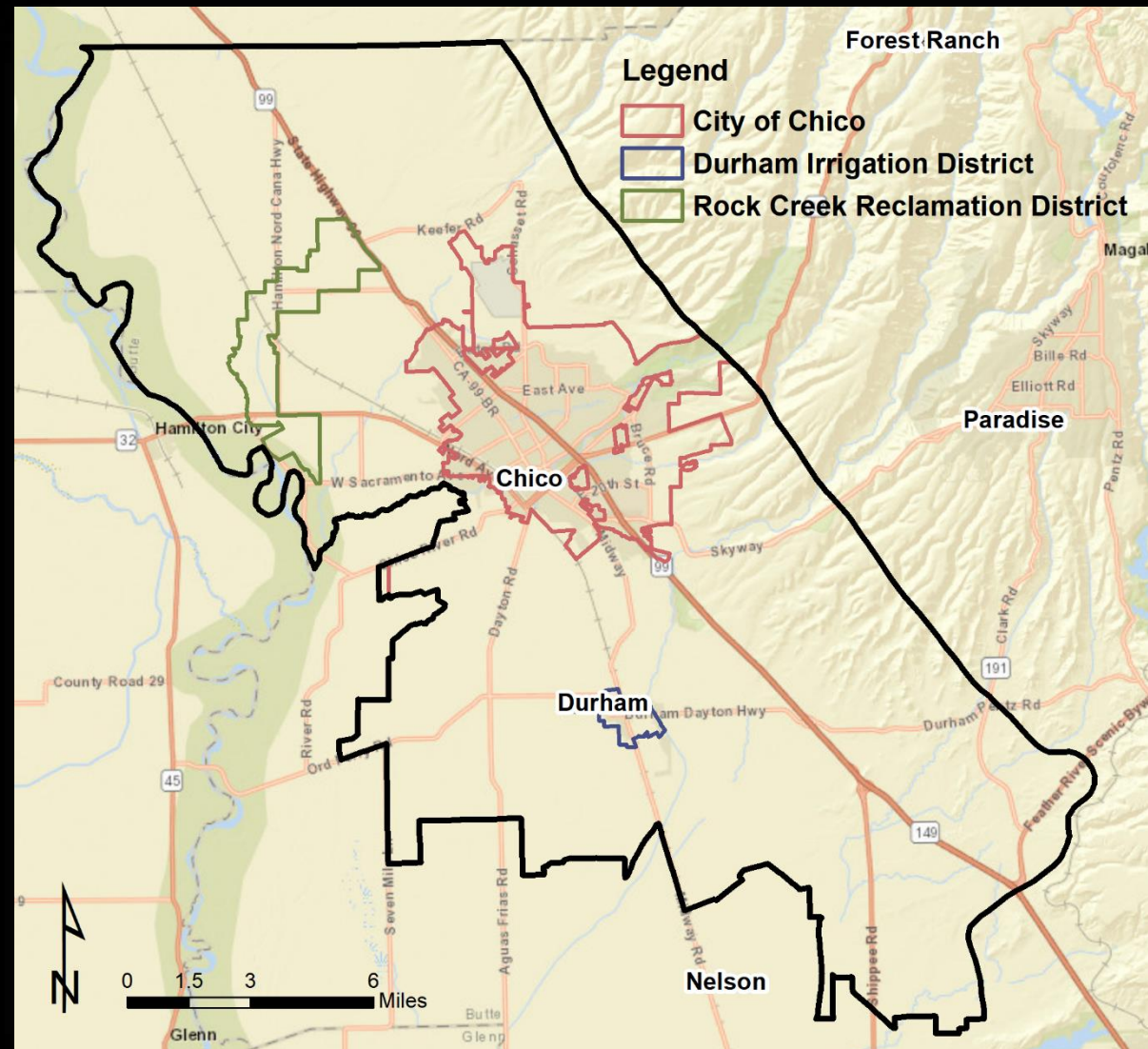
## PG&E Sustainable Solutions Turnkey (SST) Program

- City-wide
- Facilities
- WWTP
- Currently conducting Investment Grade Audits (IGA)
- All City facilities are subject (Ongoing);
  - Audit will highlight specific energy saving measures for the city's aging infrastructure
  - Audits will contain energy savings recommendations that can be realized through *conventional energy retrofits* or where possible *deep energy retrofits* (DER)
    - DER's are costly upfront and are harder to finance for cities.
    - DER's do generate a greater and more immediate return on investment
    - Caution: retrofitting aging infrastructure can be more expensive than building new smart infrastructure

# Climate Action Commission - Ongoing Efforts

## Groundwater Sustainability (Vina GSA)

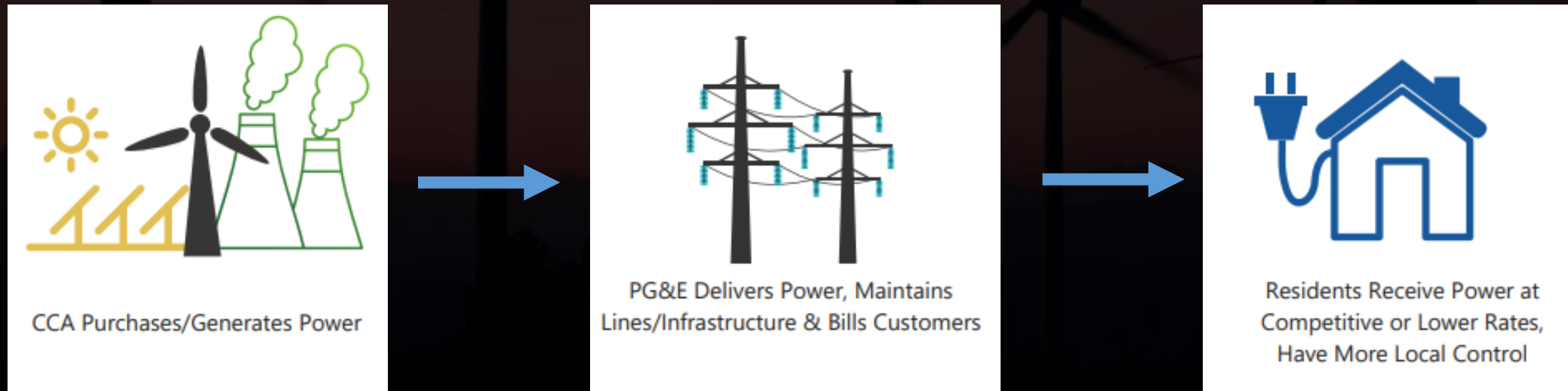
- SGMA took effect 2015
- GSAs formed by 2017 (Agency with water supply, water mgmt., or land use jurisdiction)
- Groundwater Sustainability Plans (GSP) by 2022
- Groundwater sustainability by 2042



# Climate Action Commission - Ongoing Efforts

## Community Choice Aggregation (Butte Choice Energy)

- Allows communities to aggregate their power needs and purchase power on the open market (AB 117, 2002)



# Climate Action Commission - Ongoing Efforts

## Community Choice Aggregation (Butte Choice Energy)

### Benefits:

- Choice & Local Control
- 2% rate savings, \$5-million in annual savings for the region
- Economic development
- Competitive with neighboring public owned utilities
- Fund local energy projects

### Risks:

- Initial start-up costs
- Slight reduction in utility user tax
- Must remain competitive with local investor-owned utility

# Climate Action Commission - Ongoing Efforts

## Community Choice Aggregation (Butte Choice Energy)

### Happening Now:

- Implementation plan submitted to CPUC
- RFPs for finance, data management, wholesale power support and executive recruitment launched
- Updating load-demand analysis and resource adequacy filings
- Meets second Monday every month at 05:30 PM at BCAG

# Climate Action Commission - Recap

- Accomplishments
- Ongoing efforts
- Report to Climate Action Commission at significant milestones



Questions?