

# Exhibit to Agenda Item #3

Discuss adoption of SMUD's 2022 Wildfire Mitigation Plan.

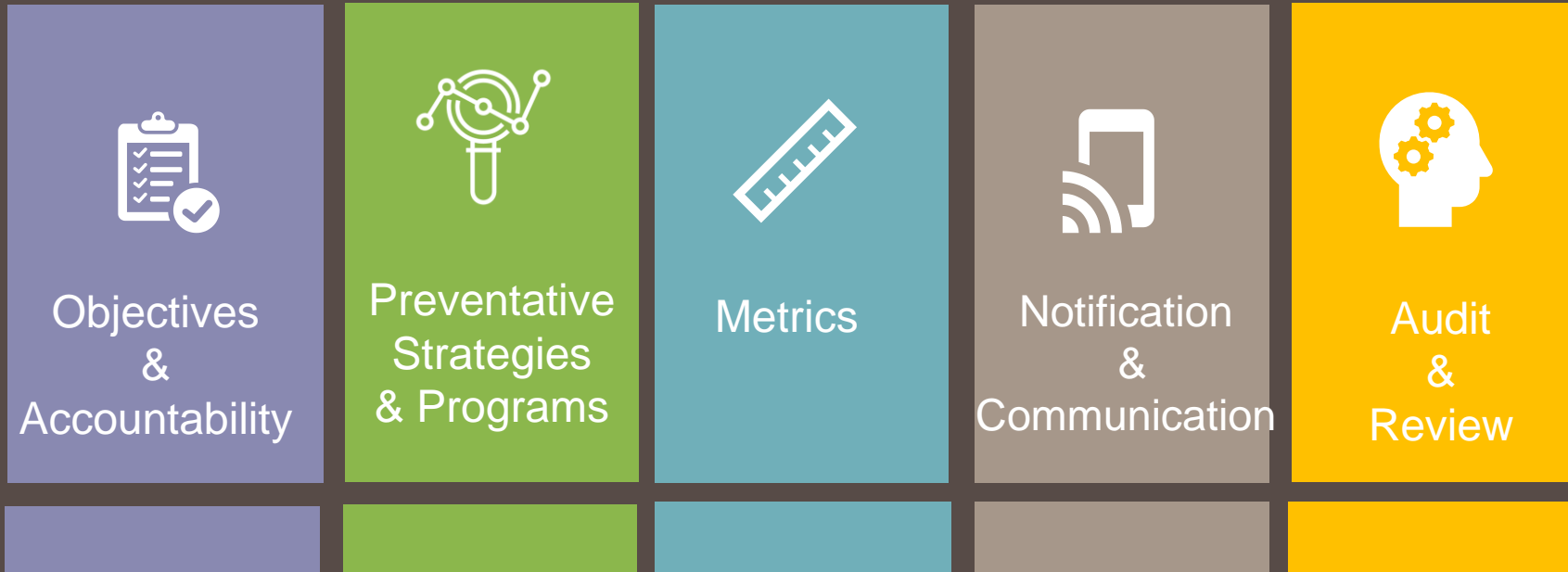
Board Policy Committee and Special SMUD Board of Directors Meeting

Wednesday, May 11, 2022, scheduled to begin at 5:30 p.m.

Virtual Meeting (online)



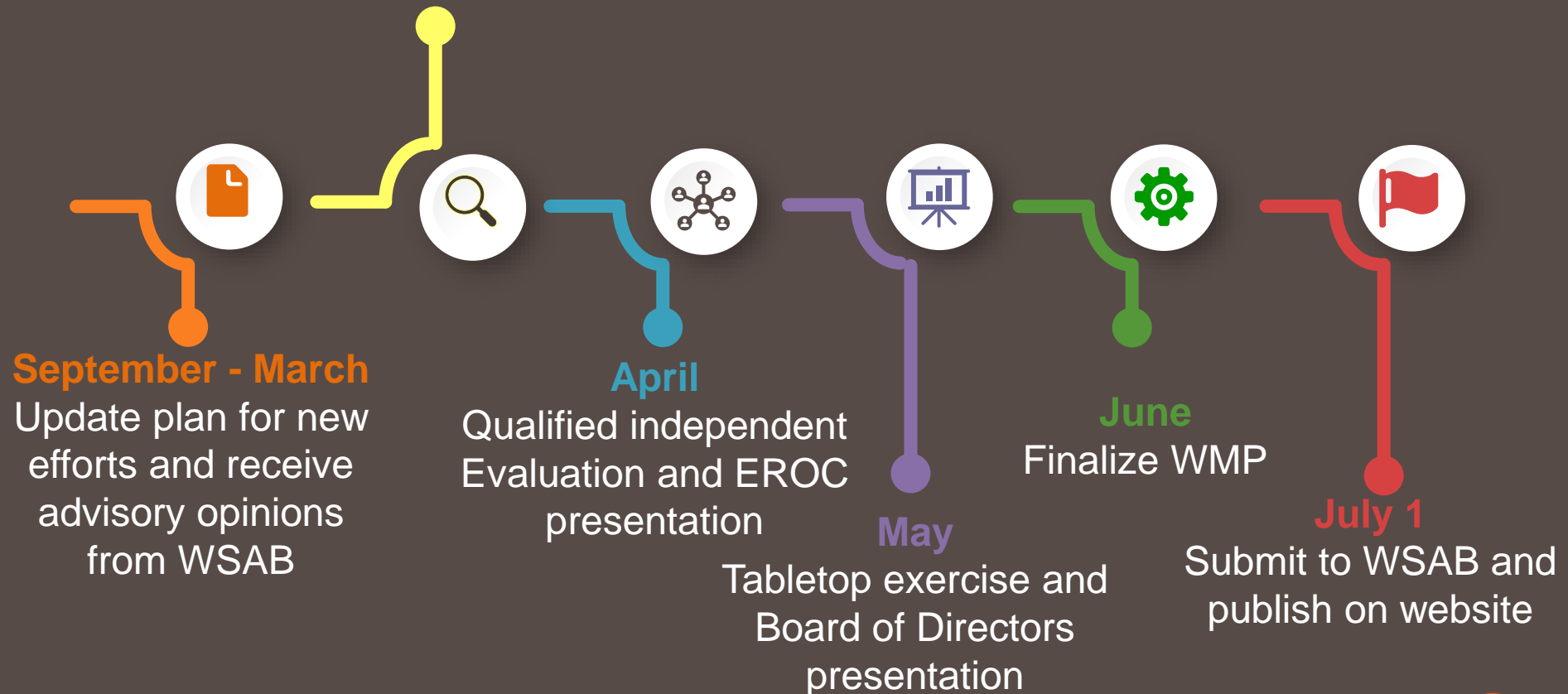
# Wildfire Mitigation Plan Requirements





# 2022 Plan Update Key Milestones

**March 18 – April 18**  
Public Comment Period





# Wildfire Mitigation Plan (WMP)



SMUD's priority is delivering safe, reliable, sustainable and economic electric service



Minimize the probability that SMUD's transmission and distribution (T&D) system may be the origin or contributing source for the ignition of a wildfire.



Implement a WMP that embraces safety, prevention, mitigation and recovery as a central priority for SMUD.



Implement a WMP that is consistent with state law and objectives



# Updates to the WMP

- **WSAB Recommendations**
  - *Incorporated context setting table*
  - *Clarified WMP public review and adoption processes*
  - *Clarified budgeting process for WMP program commitments*
- Detailed new efforts in community outreach and customer communications sections to recognize new efforts
- Updated roles and responsibilities to reflect enterprise realignment



# Updates to the WMP - cont'd.

- Operations and maintenance department updates
  - Situational awareness tools used by Power System Operators
  - Clarifying the use of certified and experienced vegetation experts
  - Clarifying the various types of inspections and clearance objectives in and out of the HFTD
  - Describing new workforce training for fire prevention and response in HFTD
- Project updates
  - Completion of several projects during 2020-2021
  - Updated and/or added projects



# Updates to the WMP - cont'd.

- Incorporated KPI metrics
  - *Program performance table*
  - *Enhancement projects table*
- Non-KPI Indicators
  - *Findings from inspections*
  - *Ignition drivers*
- Community and local government outreach



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2022 WMP

Independent Evaluation

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# ▶ Evaluation Conclusion

- BKI's independent evaluation finds that the 2022 SMUD WMP, prepared by SMUD, is comprehensive and meets all plan requirements set forth in CPUC Code Section 8387.
- SMUD's overall wildfire mitigation and hardening efforts meet or exceed current industry best practices.



## Next Steps

- Board action requested - adopt SMUD's 2022 Wildfire Mitigation Plan
- Submit 2022 Wildfire Mitigation Plan to the WSAB by July 2022