

# Business Connections

Our newsletter for business customers



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Powering forward. Together.

## Go electric and save money with rebates

We're committed to helping your business operate as efficiently as possible to reduce energy costs and save money, while also leading the way for a safer, cleaner and carbon-free community. SMUD has all-electric solutions for your business that also help your bottom line.

Your Strategic Account Advisor can give you a free virtual energy assessment to help you identify energy efficiency and "Go Electric" opportunities that qualify for rebates. Our commercial rebate and incentive programs can support energy-efficient upgrades of food service equipment, HVAC systems, lighting, electric fleet vehicles, vehicle chargers and conversion of gas appliances to efficient heat pump technologies.

If you want to modernize your existing building equipment for water heating, space heating or you want to add a more cost-effective fleet of electric vehicles, SMUD has solutions and incentives to help.

Connect with your Advisor today for a free virtual energy assessment at [smud.org/MyAdvisor](https://smud.org/MyAdvisor) and visit [smud.org/GoElectric](https://smud.org/GoElectric) for more information on rebates for all-electric appliances. •



We get power from many sources, including hydropower, solar, wind and biomass, as well as natural gas-fired plants. Today, our power is about 50% carbon free and it's getting greener all the time. Our bold new 2030 Zero Carbon Plan, the most aggressive carbon reduction plan of any large utility in the country, puts us on a path to eliminate 100% of carbon emissions from our power supply by 2030.

To view SMUD's 2021 Power Content Label, visit [smud.org/SMUDPCL](https://smud.org/SMUDPCL). The label compares SMUD's power mix to the State of California power mix. You can also view SMUD's 2030 Zero Carbon Plan and see how you can join the charge at [CleanPowerCity.org](https://CleanPowerCity.org). •

## Let's stay connected, we're here to help

We offer free workshops for businesses, but registration is required. You can learn more about all of our upcoming classes and register at [smud.org/Workshops](https://smud.org/Workshops). •



## Energy advisor site

For help finding the most energy-efficient equipment or energy-saving opportunities for your business, look no further than our Business Energy Advisor website.

The site is a central hub with all the tools and information to support the energy needs of your business, from the most energy-efficient technology to how to maintain your equipment for optimal operation.

The site is easy to use and filled with advice on proven energy management strategies and technologies to help you save energy and money. Browse by business sectors or by technologies currently available. Get started today at [smud.org/BizEnergyAdvisor](https://smud.org/BizEnergyAdvisor). •



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## why we invest in local business?

We're community-owned, not-for-profit. Our SEED program helps local small businesses participate in our competitive bid process and become SMUD contractors. With partnerships, education and small business incentives, we're actively supporting our economy. Learn more at [smud.org/SEED](https://smud.org/SEED). •

### SMUD Board of Directors

Your elected Board of Directors holds regular meetings once a month on the third Thursday at 5:30 p.m. Meetings are streamed live and archived on [smud.org](https://smud.org). Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, Board meetings are currently held online.

Visit [smud.org/Board](https://smud.org/Board) for the latest information.

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