

Connections

Our monthly newsletter for residential customers



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Powering forward. Together.

Go electric! Do it for your health

Switching to electric isn't just good for the planet, it's good for your health too. Gas appliances like stoves, furnaces and water heaters release pollutants and particles that can stay in your home, even with ventilation, potentially causing health problems.

"It's no shock — going electric is an investment in the health of our planet and our communities. Every day I see patients suffer from lung diseases that are worsened by air pollution. By switching to electric, our air quality improves and that means fewer asthma and emphysema/COPD flare ups, and potentially even lower lung cancer rates."

- Dr. Jothika Tamizharasu, Pulmonologist at UC Davis Health

We're here to help you make the switch from gas to electric with rebates to get you started.

Learn more at smud.org/GoElectric. •



Celebrate Earth Month by choosing clean energy

Every month is Earth Month at SMUD and we make it easy to go green with Greenergy®.

Customers like you are choosing to get a portion of their electricity needs met with clean power, like wind and solar, for as little as \$3 more a month.

Join over 60,000 customers and sign up today at smud.org/Greenergy. •



Join us every Wednesday for Lobby Days

Each Wednesday from 10:30 a.m. to 4 p.m., we host Lobby Days in SMUD's Customer Service Center lobby, located at 6301 S St., Sacramento, CA 95817.

Lobby Days give you a chance to meet with our team and learn about our income-eligible programs — and even sign up on the spot. Information on community resources for housing, food, transportation and bill assistance is also available. Bring your income documentation for instant approval for our Energy Assistance Program Rate (EAPR) or one of our rotating community resource programs.



For a list of eligibility guidelines and income documentation, visit smud.org/EAPR. •



Keep signs off utility poles

Utility poles covered with signs can be dangerous. Nails, staples, tacks and screws used to post signs can cause serious injury to lineworkers who climb the poles every day.

They're especially hazardous when our lineworkers climb the poles at night or during bad weather to restore power. When the signs come off, the fasteners that stay on the pole can hurt them.

Please keep all signs off utility poles. Learn more at smud.org/Safety. •

SMUD Board of Directors

Your elected Board of Directors holds regular meetings once a month on the third Thursday at 6 p.m. in the Headquarters Auditorium. Meetings are streamed live and archived on smud.org.

Visit smud.org/Board for the latest information.

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