

# Discussion of Default Renewable Energy Rate

Regular Meeting, Monrovia City Council Presentation by Dylan Feik, City Manager June 6, 2023

## Agenda Outline

BackgroundDiscussion of Default Rate

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- Study Session October 18, 2022
- Regular Meeting November 1, 2022
  - Adoption of Ordinance 2022-10 to join Clean Powers Alliance
- Regular Meeting November 15, 2022
  - > 2<sup>nd</sup> Reading of Ordinance
- CPA Board Meeting December 1, 2022
  - CPA Board voted to admit Monrovia as a full member

## Background (cont.)

- All relevant documents can be <u>found here</u> on the City's website
- City staff held joint meetings with CPA staff to begin preparing outreach and marketing materials
- In May, CPA reviewed rate structures for the upcoming year
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## 2023/24 Rates

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Energy Product	Typical Residential Bill	Comparison to SCE base
SCE base rate	\$192	
Lean Power	\$188	-2.0%
Clean Power	\$190	-1.0%
100% Green Power	\$197	3.0%

#### FY 23/24 Residential Bill Comparison\*

\*Comparisons are based on representative 2018 PCIA vintage Domestic rate schedule and load profile, SCE rates as of March 1, 2023, and CPA FY 2023/2024 rate approach adopted by the CPA Board on May 4, 2023. Rates subject to change. Individual customer comparisons will vary by specific rate schedule and customer usage.



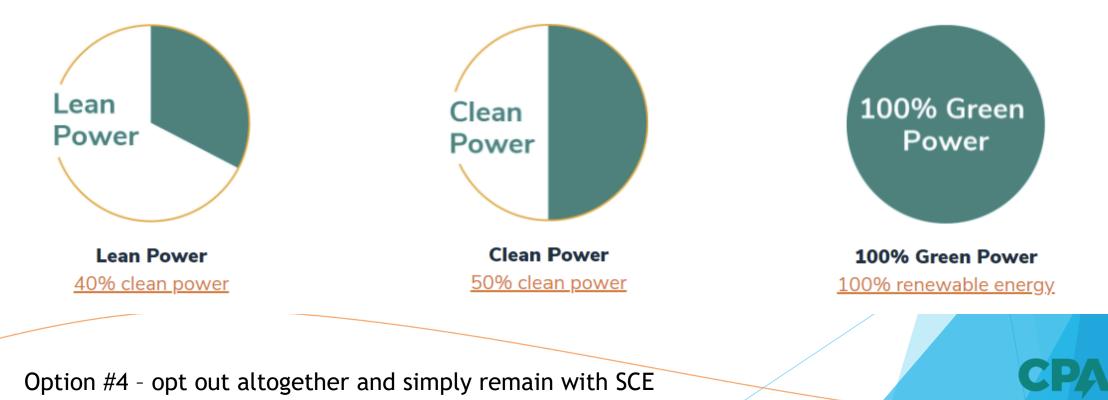
### Monrovians now have 4 options for electricity!

Option #1

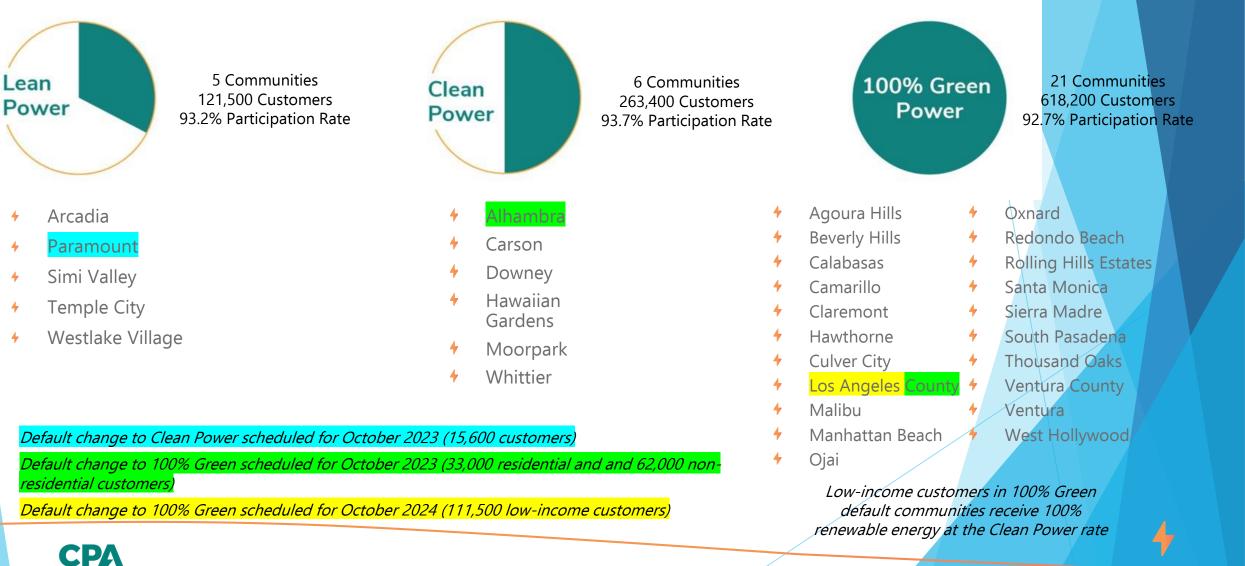
Option #2

Start Making Your Community Better Support the Future of Your Community Option #3

Invest in Your Community and the World



## **Current Default Energy Products in CPA Territory**



## **Environmental Benefits - The Power of Choice**

- Choosing the default choice is a <u>major</u> consideration for the City
- Customers are most likely to remain with the default rate product
- Residents appreciate they can <u>choose or</u> <u>opt out</u> and remain with SCE
- 100% Green Power is the quickest way a customer can go "full renewable"

Rate Option	2024 Forecasted GHG Emissions (CO2e US tons)	GHG Emissions Reduction from SCE Base	
SCE Base	65,900		
Lean Power	64,700	-2%	
Clean Power	48,000	-27%	
100% Green Power	0	-100%	

		Opt Actions		
Default Rate Product	<b>Participation Rate</b>	Stay at Default	Opt Up	Opt Down
100% Green Power	95.3%	94.1%	NA	5.9%
Clean Power	96.7%	97.4%	0.9%	1.8%
Lean Power	96.0%	99.0%	1.0%	NA
Total	95.9%	96.5%	0.6%	2.9%

## Seeking Council Direction

- City Council to provide direction on default rate
  - All customers may opt out and choose a different rate
- Staff will return at June 20<sup>th</sup> City Council meeting for final adoption of default rate
- Staff and CPA will finalize marketing materials and begin conducting outreach thru remainder of 2023 and early 2024

Questions?