

**LICENSE AGREEMENT**  
**(PUBLIC SAFETY POWER SHUTOFF)**

This License Agreement ("License Agreement") is made and entered into this \_\_\_17\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_May\_\_\_\_\_, 2022 (the "**Effective Date**") by the County of El Dorado, hereinafter called "**LICENSOR**," and PACIFIC GAS AND ELECTRIC COMPANY, a California corporation, hereinafter called "**PG&E**."

R E C I T A L S:

A. LICENSOR owns or leases that certain real property commonly known as El Dorado County Library Parking Lot, located at 377 Fair Lane, Assessor's Parcel Number 323-400-029-000, hereinafter called the "**Property**," located in the City of Placerville, County of El Dorado, State of California.

B. PG&E desires to partner with LICENSOR in connection with a Public Safety Power Shutoff Event ("**PSPS Event**") as defined in Section 3 below.

C. The parties desire to memorialize this mutual understanding and agreement for making the Property available to PG&E in connection with a PSPS Event.

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, LICENSOR and PG&E agree as follows:

1. License Area. The real property that is the subject of this License Agreement is described in **EXHIBIT A** (the "**License Area**").

2. Grant of License. Subject to the terms and conditions set forth in this License Agreement, LICENSOR grants PG&E, PG&E's Representatives, and PG&E's customers, the right to use the License Area in connection with a PSPS Event, together with rights of ingress and egress to and from the License Area. PG&E shall give LICENSOR at least twenty-four (24) hours' prior notice of the date and time that PG&E needs to access and use the License Area. If the License Area is not available for access and use by PG&E on the date and time specified in PG&E's notice, LICENSOR must so notify PG&E within four (4) hours after receipt of PG&E's notice.

3. Use of License Area. During Use Days (as defined in Section 4 below), PG&E and its employees, contractors, agents, and representatives ("**PG&E's Representatives**") may enter the License Area for purposes of establishing and operating a customer resource center in the case of a PSPS Event. LICENSOR acknowledges that PG&E's Activities may include the following: setting up tents with tables and seating where PG&E customers can obtain water and snacks, charge phones, and get up-to-date information on outages; installing trailers, portable toilets, portable back-up generators, and temporary fencing; parking mobile vehicle units and other vehicles. For purposes of this License Agreement, a "**PSPS Event**" means the existence of one (1) or more environmental conditions creating extreme fire danger that results in the shutoff of power for public safety. Examples of PSPS Events include red flag warnings issued by the United States National Weather Service, low humidity levels, high winds, and dry vegetation.

(a) Personnel. During Use Days PG&E shall have the exclusive right to use the License Area, up to twenty-four (24) hours per day. Hours for use to PG&E customers shall be from 8:00 am to 10:00 pm. On Use Days, the License Area shall be fully staffed by PG&E and its representatives, at PG&E's sole cost and expense. PG&E shall provide uniformed unarmed security at its cost and expense to ensure the protection of its equipment, the safety of the public, and to prevent any damage to the Property.

4. Term. This License Agreement shall be for a term of five (5) years, commencing on June 1, 2022, and expiring May 31, 2027. The license granted herein shall be revocable at the option of either LICENSOR or PG&E, provided that the revoking party provides at least one hundred eighty (180) days' written notice of the revocation to the other party. Notwithstanding the term of this License Agreement, PG&E anticipates that it will use the License Area on an occasional basis, if at all, for periods of two (2) to ten (10) days at a time. The days (including any partial days) during which any of PG&E's Activities are occurring in or on the License Area are referred to herein as "**Use Days**." During Use Days, PG&E shall have the exclusive right to use the License Area twenty-four (24) hours per day.

5. Use of License Area.

(a) As Is. To LICENSOR'S current actual knowledge, the Property complies with all laws, including the Americans with Disabilities Act and other accessibility laws. PG&E accepts the License Area "AS-IS," "WHERE-IS" and "WITH ALL-FAULTS," subject to all applicable zoning, municipal, county and state laws, ordinances, and regulations governing and regulating the use of the License Area. PG&E may request LICENSOR to perform alterations, repairs, or improvements to the License Area, but PG&E understands and agrees that LICENSOR shall not be obligated to make any such alterations, repairs or improvements at any time.

(b) Restoration. PG&E shall exercise reasonable care in the conduct of PG&E's Activities in the License Area. Upon PG&E's ceasing to use the License Area in connection with a particular PSPS Event, PG&E shall remove all vehicles and personal property of PG&E and PG&E's Representatives, remove all debris and waste material resulting from PG&E's Activities, and repair and restore the License Area as nearly as possible to the condition that existed prior to PG&E's entry hereunder.

(c) Water Discharge. PG&E's activities may require potable water-filled equipment, such as barrels or water barriers to weigh down tents or other equipment, or to delineate outside areas on the Property. All potable water-filled equipment shall be cleaned prior to use and filled with water from a potable water source only. Any water discharged from the water-filled equipment shall be discharged to onsite unpaved land (i.e., soil) only. PG&E and PG&E's representatives shall ensure best management practices are implemented including but not limited to ensuring water is observed for any potential sediments, trash or other contaminants; the discharge area selected is one hundred (100) feet from a water body; and the discharge is done to avoid ponding and erosion. If the water needs to be discharged to a storm drain, PG&E shall obtain local stormwater agency approval. This License Agreement authorizes the discharge of potable water from water-filled equipment on to the Property as described above. PG&E shall notify LICENSOR if water discharge is necessary.

(d) Safe Condition. PG&E, at PG&E's sole cost and expense, shall maintain the License Area in a good, clean, safe and sanitary condition during Use Days.

(e) Lawful Use Only. PG&E shall not use the License Area or permit anything to be done in or about the License Area during Use Days that will in any way conflict with any law, statute, zoning restriction, ordinance or governmental rule or regulation or requirement relating to the use or occupancy of the License Area. During Use Days, PG&E shall not allow the License Area to be used for any unlawful or objectionable purpose, nor shall PG&E cause, maintain or permit any nuisance in, on or about the License Area.

(f) Mechanic's Liens. PG&E shall keep the Property free and clear of all mechanic's liens arising, or alleged to arise, in connection with any work performed, labor or materials supplied or delivered, or similar activities performed by PG&E or at PG&E's request or for PG&E's benefit. If any mechanic's liens are placed on the Property in connection with PG&E's use or PG&E's Activities, PG&E shall diligently pursue all necessary actions to remove such liens from title, either by payment or by recording a lien release bond in the manner specified in California Civil Code Section 8424 or any successor statute.

6. Notices. All notices under this License Agreement shall be sent by email to the addresses set forth in **EXHIBIT B**. In addition, LICENSOR will provide PG&E with telephone or cellphone numbers of staff in calling order to contact in an emergency as set forth in **EXHIBIT B**. **EXHIBIT B** shall be updated as needed to reflect current names and contact information. Said update shall become part of this Agreement upon County Contract Administrator's written acknowledgement, and no further amendment to the License Agreement shall be necessary.

7. Indemnity. PG&E shall indemnify, defend and hold harmless LICENSOR and its governing body, officers, agents, and employees from and against all claims, losses, actions, demands, damages, costs, expenses (including, but not limited to, reasonable attorneys' fees and court costs) (collectively, "**Claims**") which arise from or are connected with PG&E's Activities, or the entry on, occupancy or use of, the Property by PG&E or PG&E's Representatives under this License Agreement, including, but not limited to, Claims arising out of (i) injury to or death of persons, including, but not limited to, employees of LICENSOR or PG&E; (ii) injury to property or other interest of LICENSOR and (iii) violation of any applicable federal, state, or local laws, statutes, regulations, or ordinances by PG&E or PG&E's Representatives. The indemnification obligations of PG&E under this Section 8 shall survive the expiration or earlier termination of this License Agreement.

8. Insurance. PG&E shall at all times during the Term of this License Agreement self-insure in accordance with **EXHIBIT C**.

9. Miscellaneous.

(a) Governing Law. This License Agreement shall in all respects be interpreted, enforced, and governed by and under the laws of the State of California.

(b) Attorneys' Fees. Should either party bring an action against the other party, by reason of or alleging the failure of the other party with respect to any or all of its

obligations hereunder, whether for declaratory or other relief, and including any appeal thereof, then the party which prevails in such action shall be entitled to its reasonable attorneys' fees and expenses related to such action, in addition to all other recovery or relief.

(c) No Waiver. Any waiver with respect to any provision of this License Agreement shall not be effective unless in writing and signed by the party against whom it is asserted. The waiver of any provision of this License Agreement by a party shall not be construed as a waiver of a subsequent breach or failure of the same term or condition or as a waiver of any other provision of this License Agreement.

(d) Counterparts. This License Agreement may be executed in identical counterpart copies, each of which shall be an original, but all of which taken together shall constitute one and the same agreement.

(e) Authority. Each party to this License Agreement warrants to the other that it has the right and authority to enter into and to perform its obligations under this License Agreement, without the consent of any third party, and that the person signing below is authorized to bind such party.

(f) Exhibits. Exhibits A, B, and C attached to this License Agreement are a part hereof and incorporated herein by this reference.

(g) Electronic Signatures. This License Agreement may be executed by electronic signatures (*e.g.*, using DocuSign or e-SignLive) or signatures transmitted in portable document format ("pdf"), and copies of this License Agreement executed and delivered by means of electronic or pdf signatures shall have the same force and effect as copies hereof executed and delivered with original manually executed signatures. The parties may rely upon electronic and pdf signatures as if such signatures were manually executed originals and agree that an electronic or pdf signature page may be introduced into evidence in any proceeding arising out of or related to this License Agreement as if it were an original manually executed signature page.

(h) Successors and Assigns. This License Agreement shall be binding upon and inure to the benefit of the heirs, personal representatives, successors, and assigns of each party.

(i) Entire Agreement. This License Agreement supersedes all previous oral and written agreements between and representations by or on behalf of the parties and constitutes the entire agreement of the parties with respect to the subject matter hereof. This License Agreement may not be amended, except by a written agreement executed by both parties.

(j) Contract Administrator: The COUNTY Officer or employee responsible for administering this agreement is Laura Schwartz, Deputy Chief Administrative Officer, Chief Administrative Officer, or successor.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have executed this License Agreement as of the date set forth below each signature, effective upon the Effective Date first written above.

"PG&E"

"LICENSOR"

PACIFIC GAS AND ELECTRIC COMPANY, County of El Dorado  
a California corporation

By: \_\_\_\_\_

By: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Its: \_\_\_\_\_

Its: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**EXHIBIT A**



**EXHIBIT B**

**NOTICES**

TO LICENSOR:

Any notice to LICENSOR, including the notice to be given pursuant to Section 6 of the License Agreement, shall be sent to Laura Schwartz at the following:

Email address: [laura.schwartz@edcgov.us](mailto:laura.schwartz@edcgov.us)

Phone Number: (530) 621-6541

In addition, in the event of an emergency, PG&E shall contact the following persons in the calling order set forth below:

1<sup>st</sup> Chuck Harrell Phone: (530) 651-3345

2<sup>nd</sup> Laura Schwartz Phone: (916) 835-3129

Weekends and After Hours: (530) 663-6737

TO PG&E:

Any notice to PG&E, including the notice pursuant to Section 6 of the License Agreement shall be sent to Jessica Melton at the following email address: [Jessica.Melton@pge.com](mailto:Jessica.Melton@pge.com), cc'ing [CRCHelp@pge.com](mailto:CRCHelp@pge.com).

PG&E contacts for use during emergency use and post emergency for claims and reimbursements:

Jessica Melton, Land Acquisition Consultant, PG&E  
(925) 655-7085 – cell  
[Jessica.Melton@pge.com](mailto:Jessica.Melton@pge.com) – email

Alex Grant, Land Acquisition Program Manager, PG&E  
(707) 331-2466 – cell  
[Alex.Grant@pge.com](mailto:Alex.Grant@pge.com) – email

# EXHIBIT C



EORM & Insurance Department  
245 Market Street / N4S  
4th Floor  
San Francisco, CA 94105

## STATEMENT OF SELF-INSURANCE PROGRAM

May 1, 2019

**Issued to:** To Whom It May Concern

**Re:** Insurance requirements for Pacific Gas and Electric Company (PG&E) to use the location for a Community Resource Center in the event of a Public Safety Power Shutoff (PSPS) event.


This letter certifies PG&E is insured under a major risk management program with large self-insured retentions. The program provides coverage for the insurance types and limits reflected in the agreement which includes:

Commercial General Liability: \$5,000,000 each occurrence / \$5,000,000 aggregate  
Employer's Liability: \$1,000,000 each accident  
Business Auto Liability: \$1,000,000 each accident

Further, PG&E has qualified as a self-insurer under the laws of the State of California with respect to Workers' Compensation. Our identification number for this purpose is 2-0012-01-099.

This letter shall remain in effect until the termination of the agreement.

\*Please note a certificate of insurance is not applicable when an entity is self-insured, such as PG&E, and note there is no expiration date.

  
JANAIZE MARKLAND  
Director of EORM & Insurance  
Pacific Gas & Electric Company

SI Certification Letter  
File: PGE-246.01