

Volunteer Opportunity Sonoma Clean Power Authority Community Advisory Committee

Sonoma Clean Power is recruiting volunteers for seven (7) openings on its Community Advisory Committee. This is a meaningful opportunity to provide input toward Sonoma Clean Power's innovative customer benefits, renewable energy projects, and assist with shaping clean energy goals for our community.

About Sonoma Clean Power:

Sonoma Clean Power serves the residents and businesses in Sonoma and Mendocino counties clean energy from renewable resources, such as geothermal, hydroelectric, wind and solar. Our Mission is to turn the tide on the climate crisis trough bold ideas and practical programs; we do that by working to reduce the use of gasoline, diesel, methane (natural gas) and other fossil fuels from our cars and buildings.

As a not-for-profit public agency owned and operated by our customers and governed by a Board of elected officials throughout Sonoma & Mendocino counties, our purpose is to serve the evolving needs of our communities and provide a clear way to make choices about the future of our climate. That's why California calls Sonoma Clean Power and the other 20 operating programs like it around the state "community choice providers."

About the Community Advisory Community:

The Community Advisory Committee comprises volunteers who typically meet once per month to make recommendations and provide input to our Board of Directors on topics such as: customer benefits; the review of budgets & rates; and the general operations of the agency. Members serve four-year terms following appointment by our Board of Directors.

We are seeking engaged, committed, and awesome individuals who want to help our equally awesome staff and Board combat the climate crisis. This is a unique opportunity for committed individuals to directly support the Agency's work. We welcome all applicants, and would especially encourage individuals that represent impacted, historically under-resourced communities to apply. We strongly encourage people of color, women and those who identify as LGBTQI+ to apply.

Currently, there are seven (7) openings for 2024 on the Committee which we are seeking to fill, which will be appointed at the end of 2023. Please see attached materials for a proposed timeline for the recruitment and an application. Thank you for your interest in this important position. If you have questions, please email Sonoma Clean Power's Clerk of the Board at meetings@sonomacleanpower.org.

¹ For full duties and responsibilities of CAC members, see <u>Sonoma Clean Power's Joint Powers</u> <u>Agreement</u>. Current and past meeting materials for the CAC can be found on our website at: https://sonomacleanpower.org/meetings