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CPUC Involvement

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Since taking office, we have been heavily involved with the California Public Utility Commission and its Proceedings. We have faced some obstacles in getting started by first finding a regulatory attorney which proved to be difficult since many have retired or cut ties with Local 132. Once we started working with Julia Mass and her firm “Rothner, Segall & Greenstone”, the transition became seamless. Here are some updates for what we are involved in currently:

1. Proceeding A2505001 (Filed May 2, 2025) ACTIVE:

Application of Southern California Gas Company (U904G) for Approval of the Branch Offices Closure Proposal”

The Union is opposing the SoCalGas filing to close Branch Offices. We have requested public hearings on the subject and are awaiting the decision on our request.

2. Proceeding R2409012 (Filed September 26, 2024) ACTIVE:

Order Instituting Rulemaking to Establish Policies, Processes, and Rules to Ensure Safe and Reliable Gas Systems in California and Perform Long-Term Gas System Planning

The Union is opposed to the CPUC ruling to decommission existing natural gas pipelines and will be reaching out to the Company to collaborate on protecting our industry.

3. Resolution G-3605 (Filed November 5, 2024) ACTIVE:

Supplemental Filing for funds to counter emissions, Leak abatement.

The Union is working to help secure additional funding to support more employees in the field and safer working conditions.

4. Investigation 19-06-014 (Filed June 27, 2019) ACTIVE:

Order Instituting Investigation on the Commission’s Own Motion to Determine Whether Southern California Gas Company’s and Sempra Energy’s Organizational Culture and Governance Prioritize Safety (U904G).

The Union supports the CPUC findings from the 2019 safety survey. We have been adamant that we are understaffed in many safety sensitive positions and we believe in having an environment where our concerns are not just heard, but are also acted upon.

We are looking to do whatever we can to support our industry and most importantly our membership. We will need your support at hearings and opportunities for public comment. Please stay tuned for how you can help.

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Resolution G-3605

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