

February 25, 2026

Subject: MCE and Industry Communications Highlights 2.25.26

MCE Board of Directors,

Below is the most recent media audit of MCE that reviews press coverage, opinion pieces, and MCE communications channels over the last two weeks. As always, please let us know if we can answer questions or provide additional information for you to share.

Best,

Jenna

Highlights

- [MCE Board Votes on Proposed Rate Reduction and Bill Relief to Support Customers Amid State-Driven Cost Increases](#)
MCE Press Release | Feb 25, 2026
- [State Sen. Scott Wiener introduces bill to help cities 'break up' with PG&E](#)
ABC7 News | Feb 23, 2026
- [San Francisco lawmaker to propose plan to let cities break away from PG&E](#)
CBS News | Feb 22, 2026

Industry Insights

- [A CAISO perspective on seams](#)
CAISO.com | Feb 23, 2026
- [States sue Energy Department for terminating \\$8B in clean energy funding](#)
Utility Dive | Feb 20, 2026
- [Data Centers and Your Power Bill](#)
New York Times | Feb 19, 2026
- [Newsom Shakes Up CPUC, CAISO Leadership](#)
California Energy Markets | Feb 18, 2026
- [What's behind your eye-popping power bill? We broke it down, region by region.](#)
GRIST | Feb 18, 2026
- [Trump is funding climate projects in red states but canceling them in California, lawsuit charges](#)
San Francisco Chronicle | Feb 18, 2026
- [Heat Pump Water Heaters Can Save Over \\$500/Year On Utility Bills](#)
CleanTechnica | Feb 16, 2026
- [Pathways' ROWE Selects Interim Leaders](#)
NetZero Insider | Feb 15, 2026

MCE-Generated Content

- Top Social Media Posts
 - [Facebook](#)
 - [Instagram](#)
 - [LinkedIn](#)
 - [BlueSky](#)

MCE Coverage

- [MCE board approves rate cuts starting in April](#)
Marin IJ | Feb 20, 2026Marin IJ | Feb 20, 2026

By the Numbers

- Contra Costa
 - 194,000 Metric Tons of CO2 reduced
 - 89% enrolled in MCE
 - 6% of MCE customers are Deep Green
- Marin
 - 232,000 Metric Tons of CO2 reduced
 - 84% enrolled in MCE
 - 9% of MCE customers are Deep Green
- Napa
 - 86,000 Metric Tons of CO2 reduced
 - 88% enrolled in MCE
 - 6% of MCE customers are Deep Green
- Solano
 - 37,000 Metric Tons of CO2 reduced
 - 85% enrolled in MCE
 - 5% of MCE customers are Deep Green