

Request for Comments in the Matter of the Community Solar Energy Program Docket No. QO22030153 Responses from G&S Solar 12/16/24

G&S Solar would like to take this opportunity to highlight some unexpected challenges our CSEP-approved projects have faced while trying to get through the interconnection process, such as application denials due to circuit constraints, delayed study results, and high circuit upgrade costs.

Five (25%) of our projects were denied by PSE&G due to circuit constraints.

Two of our projects in ACE territory have been in the engineering study phase for over 7 months and we have not been able to get an answer from them as to when we can expect results. The engineering study for one of our projects in JCP&L territory has been delayed for nearly a year due to other customers ahead of us in their queue. Because of these delays we are concerned that some of our projects will miss the BPU's deadline to receive PTO.

Among those projects that have received estimated upgrade costs, the results have been very high, usually ranging from \$1.35 to \$1.50 per Watt. Unfortunately In these cases we have had to cancel these projects.