

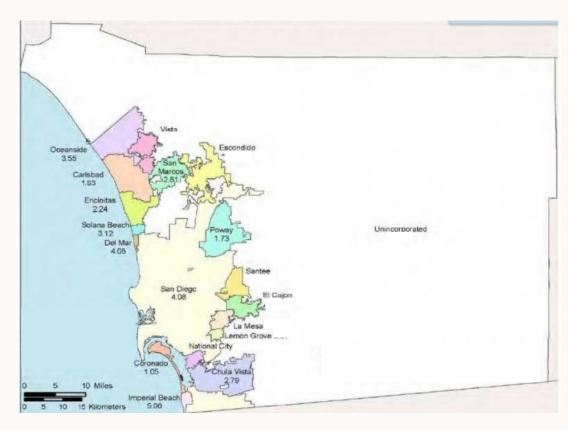
# Response to SB350

# The County of San Diego's Zero Net Energy Portfolio Plan

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# COUNTY PROFILE

- Territory is 4,526 square miles
- County population = 3.5M
- Unincorporated area population = ~600K



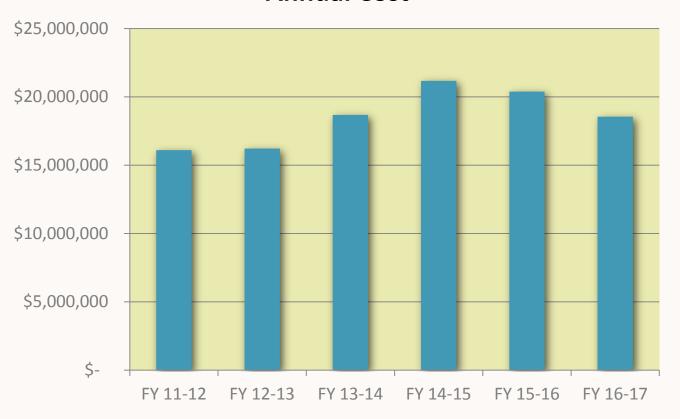
Incorporated and Unincorporated areas in San Diego County

# COUNTY PROFILE

# Facility inventory

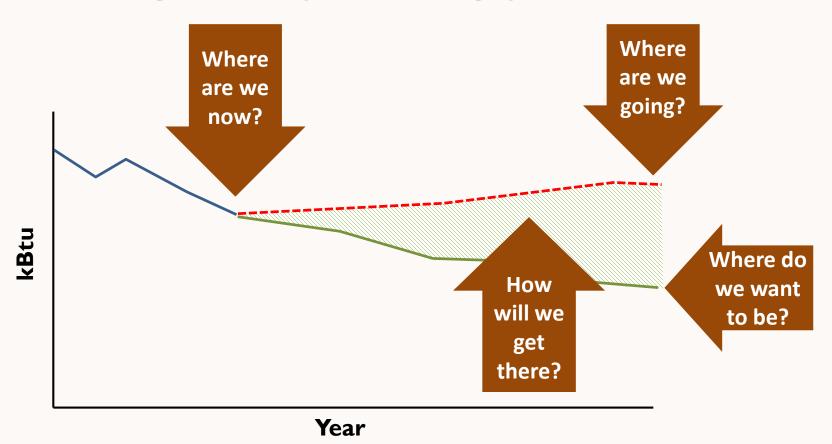
- >1,000 facilities
- >10M square feet
- >17k employees

#### **Annual Cost**



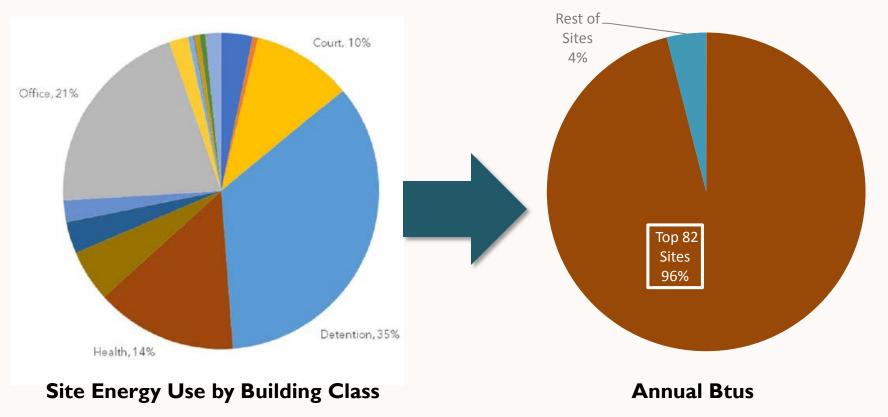
# Crafting the Plan

How to organize planning process

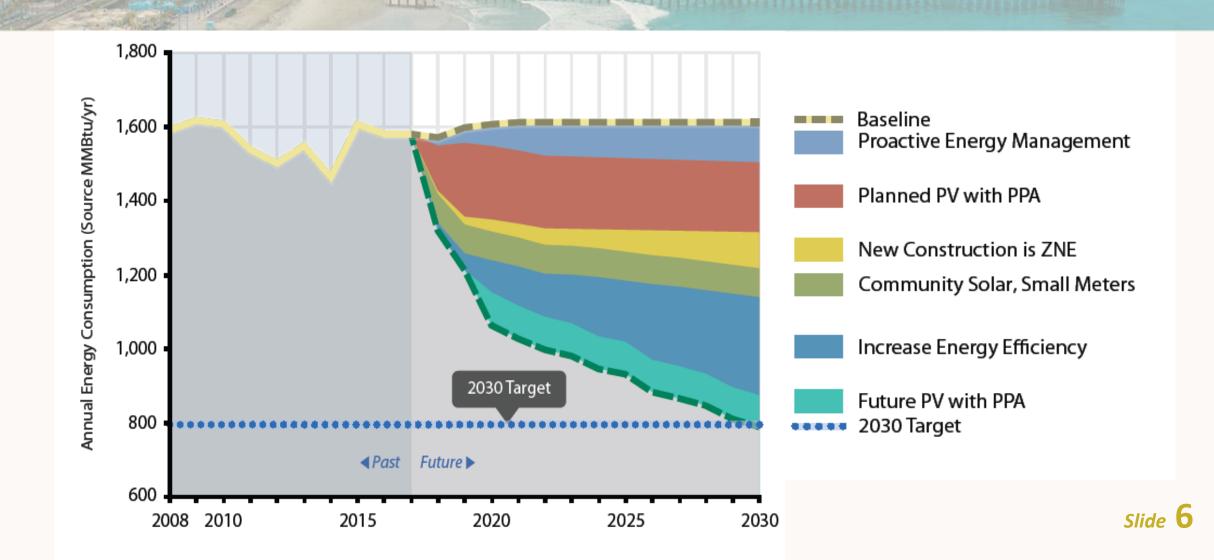


# Crafting the Plan

- Where are we now? Establish Baseline
- Portfolio consumes ~1.6 MMBtu/yr (source energy)



# Portfolio Plan Measures





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#### PRESENTATION OUTLINE

- Background
  - Previous County of San Mateo policies
  - State's goals
  - County approach
- Updated Municipal Green Building Policy



#### BACKGROUND

- County of San Mateo policies
  - 2001 Sustainable Building Policy
  - 2014 Sustainable Green Building Policy
- State of California goals
  - 2010 CAL Green
  - 2020, 2030 Zero Net Energy goals





#### COUNTY APPROACH

#### **County Departments**

- Office of Sustainability
- Project Development Unit
- Department of Public Works
- Budget, Policy, & Performance
- Planning & Building Department

**Board of Supervisors** Legislative Aides Consultants KW Engineering Sage Renewables **Municipal** Green Building **Policy** 

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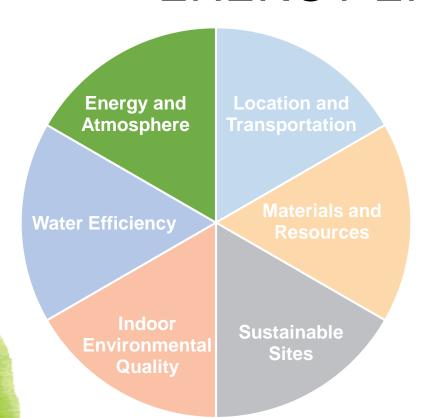
COUNTY OF SAN MATEO

# NEW POLICY MUNICIPAL GREEN BUILDING POLICY

- Adopted by our Board of Supervisors (Dec. 2017)
- Policy Measures
  - LEED® Certification
  - Energy Efficiency
  - Zero Net Energy
- Green Building Steering Committee
- Procedures and Responsibilities



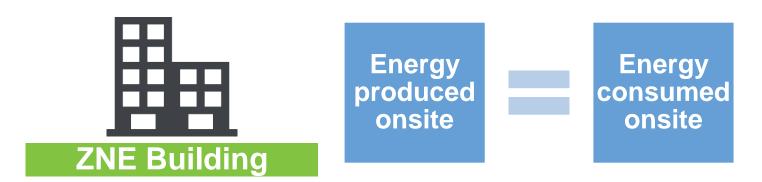
## **ENERGY EFFICIENCY**



- Achieve a minimum of 50% of LEED® Energy and Atmosphere points
- Reduce energy usage
- Use energy efficient design strategies



## ZERO NET ENERGY



- County projects will achieve ZNE on-site or adjacent renewable resources
- If a project cannot achieve ZNE, then the project must maximize energy efficiency and the amount of renewable energy generation



#### COUNTY OF SAN MATE

Thank you!

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# Climate Action Progress Report: San Francisco 2016 Emissions Inventory







### San Francisco: 1990 – 2017



20%

Population

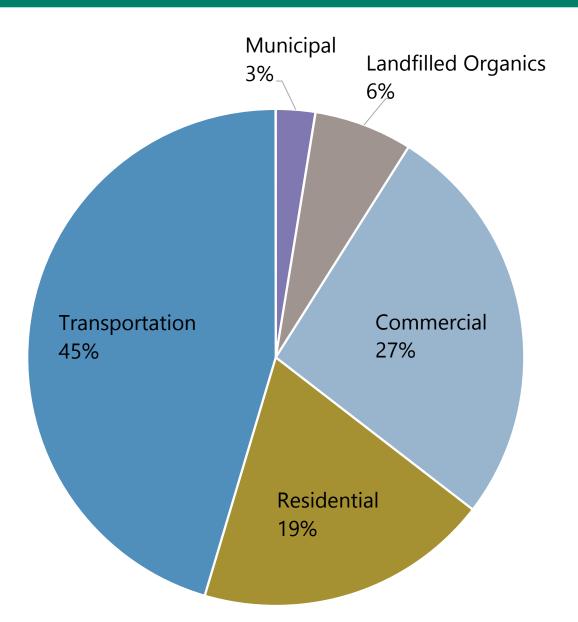
111%

**GDP** 

29%
GHG Emissions

## **Emissions**







## SF Environment Code 706 (c)

#### Municipal new construction and major renovations must:

- Set a target for annual net energy consumption
- Determine feasibility of ZNE (if ≤ 3 stories)

bit.ly/bayrenzepi

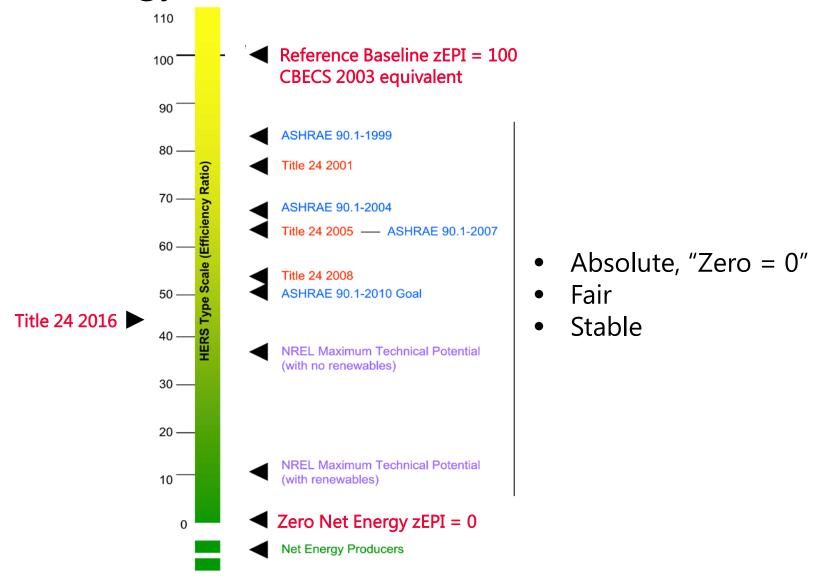
 Analyze costs and benefits of onsite solar photovoltaic systems and battery storage

www.solarresilient.org

# How should we measure building energy performance?

	Pros	Cons
EUI (kBtu/ft²-yr)	<ul><li>Simple</li><li>Widely recognized</li></ul>	<ul> <li>Difficult to adjust fairly for process loads, building types, climate, etc.</li> <li>Difficult to set a baseline and scale to different versions of code</li> </ul>
ENERGY STAR Target Finder	<ul><li>Widely recognized</li><li>Integrated with Portfolio Manager</li></ul>	<ul> <li>Relative, not absolute performance</li> <li>Difficult to set a baseline and scale to different versions of code</li> </ul>
zEPI (Zero Energy Performance Index)	<ul> <li>Adjusts for process loads, use types, climate</li> <li>Easy to set a baseline and scale to code versions</li> <li>Integrated with Portfolio Manager (somewhat)</li> </ul>	Not widely used (yet)

## Zero Energy Performance Index (zEPI)



Reference: SCE & AEC, "Rethinking Percent Savings", 2009



## **Functions of Targeting and Verification Tool**

Before Construction

- Set an energy use target
  - Tool suggests energy budget should be between T24 (code minimum) and 2030 Challenge (exceptional efficiency)
- Roughly estimate ZNE feasibility

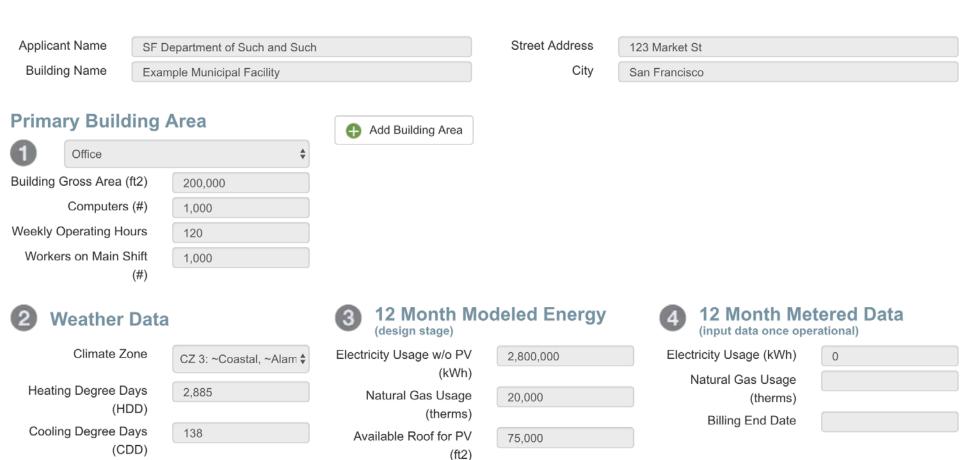
In Operation

Determine if target is met

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#### **Energy Target Setting and Performance Verification**



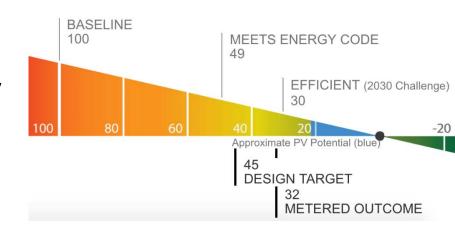
### **Summary**

#### Before Construction

- Set an energy use target
- Roughly estimate ZNE feasibility

#### In Operation

Determine if target is met



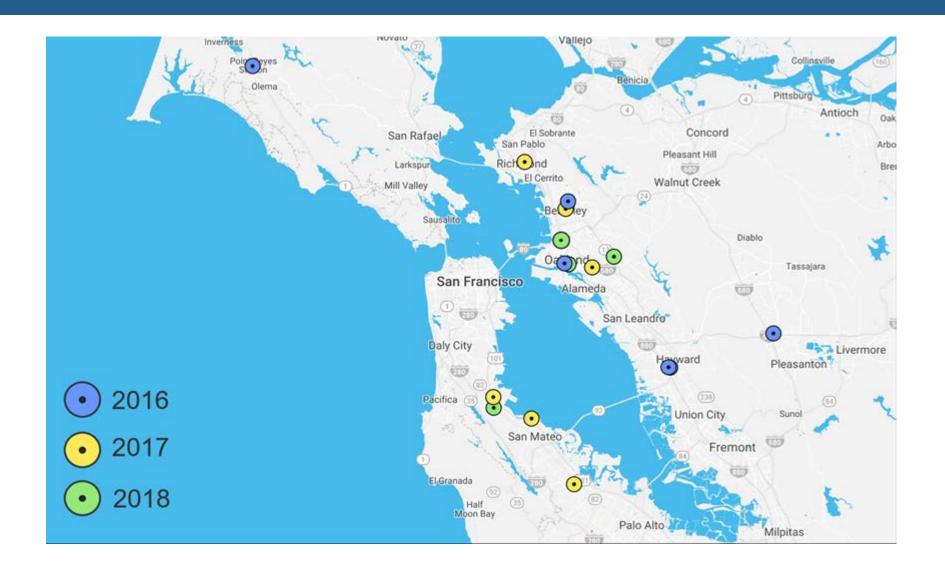
Climate Zones Supported: 2, 3, 4, 12



# Municipal ZNE Technical Assistance Program

June 21, 2018

# ZNE Technical Assistance Program





## Mandatory Ordinances for Zero Net Energy Buildings

#### ZNE municipal buildings

- City of Hayward
- County of San Mateo

#### ZNE residential new construction

City of Santa Monica requires EDR = 0

#### Mandatory installed solar PV

Cities of San Francisco, San Mateo, Brisbane, Sebastopol, Lancaster, Culver
 City

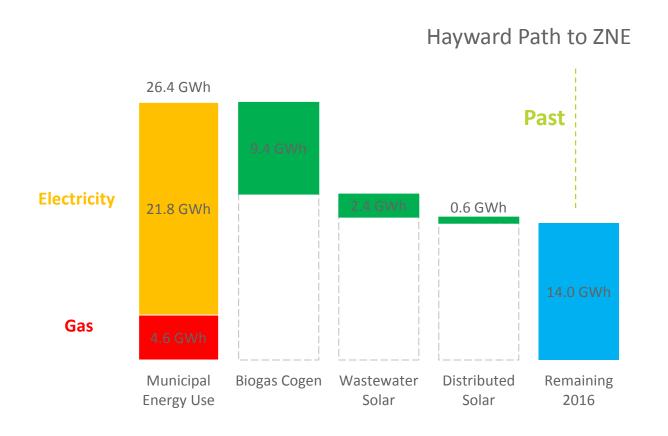
#### Mandatory energy benchmarking (above AB 802)

Cities of Los Angeles, San Jose (in progress), Boulder and New York



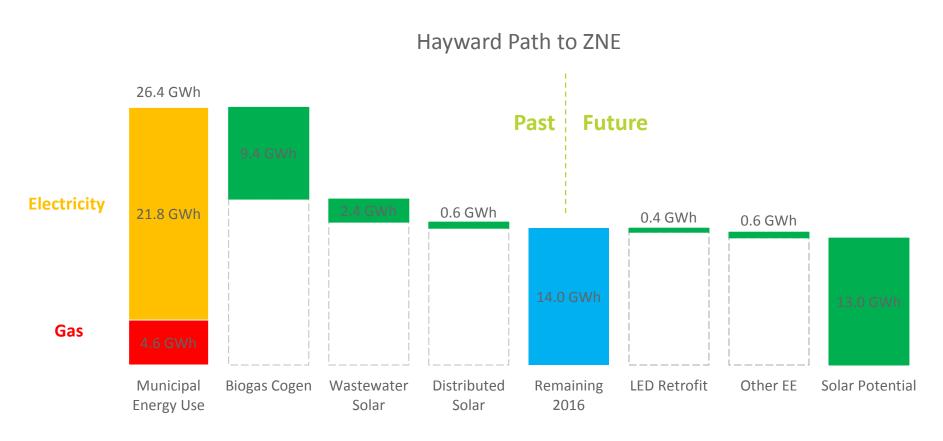


# City of Hayward: ZNE Technical Assistance — Portfolio Approach





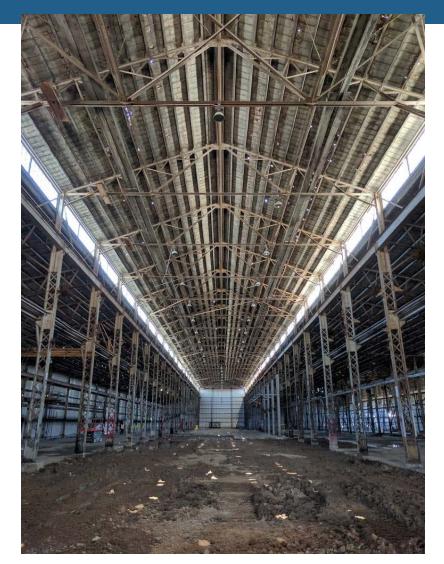
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## Richmond Public Works

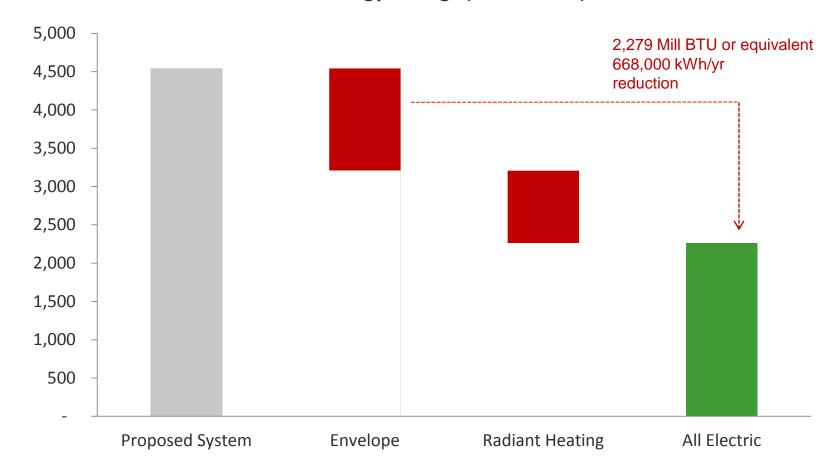
- Opportunity to consolidate public works and parks facilities
- Existing Green Building
   Ordinance of LEED Silver
- City Manager requested a cost benefit life cycle analysis to explore ZNE





# City of Richmond Energy Savings Summary

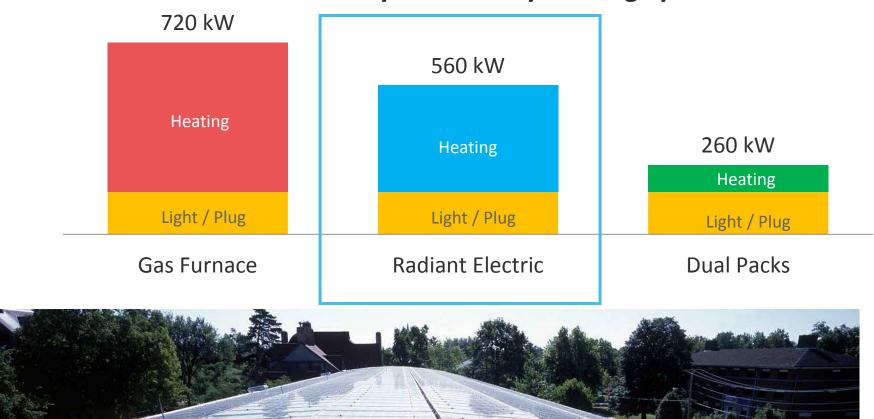
#### **Annual Energy Savings (Million BTU)**





# City of Richmond: Renewable Energy

#### **ZNE Solar PV System Size by Heating System**





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