Dear [Customer Name]:

Beginning in April 2022, Orange County Power Authority (OCPA) becomes your local renewable energy provider. OCPA, an independent, not-for-profit Community Choice Energy (CCE) provider serves businesses and residents with cleaner energy at competitive rates. To make things convenient, your business will be automatically enrolled. You’re all set—there’s no need to do anything.

In 2002, the California legislature invited cities and/or counties to procure electricity for customers within respective jurisdictions. By joining the millions of Californians already benefiting from CCE programs, OCPA is moving your community toward a sustainable future, which makes us more resilient, independent, and healthy.

**THE POWER OF COMMUNITY CHOICE ENERGY:**
- Cleaner power at competitive rates
- Reinvesting revenue into your community
- Local control by community leaders

When your service account(s) transfers to Orange County Power Authority, SCE and OCPA will work together to continue providing your account(s) with NEM service. Under this arrangement, SCE will be responsible for monthly NEM electric delivery service charges and credits and OCPA will be responsible for monthly NEM electric generation charges and credits. Any NEM credits received from OCPA cannot be used to offset SCE charges, and NEM credits received from SCE cannot be used to offset OCPA charges. At the end of the annual tracking period if your system has generated more power than you have used, you are eligible to receive a credit (aka Net Surplus Compensation (NSC)) from OCPA.

There is no impact to customers NEM 1.0 and NEM 2.0 grandfathering status by enrolling in Orange County Power Authority NEM program.

**Making access to renewable energy easy.**

OCPA purchases renewable energy and feeds it into the grid, while SCE continues to deliver that power and maintain the lines. You’ll remain a SCE customer; we’re simply cleaning up the power grid and adding cleaner electricity to the lines for you.

**You’re in control of how clean you want your electricity to be.**

OCPA’s tiered programs allow you total control over your renewable energy consumption and environmental responsibility. There’s a tier for every business, including a 100% Renewable Choice program which allows you to stay in tune with consumers who make purchasing decisions based on a brand’s sustainability practices.

On the effective date that your account(s) begin service with Orange County Power Authority:
- Your SCE Net Energy Metering Relevant Period will be trued-up regardless of what month you are in your current relevant period. The effective date that you begin service with OCPA is also the effective date of your new relevant period for SCE and OCPA.
• Your relevant period for the OCPA side of the bill (generation) will be reset to end on your meter read date in April of each year.
• Your OCPA electric generation charges will be escrowed and tracked throughout the relevant period but billed monthly.
• At the end of the relevant period your account will be trued-up and NSC will be applied (if applicable)
• Energy generation credits accrued during the relevant period will be used to offset energy generation charges on a monthly basis.
• Any energy credits that exceed energy charges are set to zero for the start of the new relevant period.
• OCPA's Net Surplus Compensation rate for your excess generation KWh is 10% higher than the prevailing SCE rate.

Once your account(s) transfers to OCPA's NEM program, your account(s) will be eligible for Net Surplus Compensation (NSC) on the generation side, and eligible for SCE's NSC rate on the delivery side.

To learn more about OCPA service or programs, please visit OCPower.org or call 1-866-2-OCPOWER (1-866-262-7693).

OCPA is pleased to be your new renewable energy provider!

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