

Community Choice Aggregation Program in Alameda County



Client

Alameda County Planning Department

Facts

Period

2016

Project Country

United States

For the Alameda County Planning Department, EDR Group (now EBP) was part of a consulting team with MRW & Associates and Tierra Resource Consultants, in developing a feasibility and technical study for a 'Community Choice Energy' program for municipalities in Alameda County, California.

The program, based upon its design, would have the County purchase or self-generate lower carbon-emitting energy typically through existing renewable capacity inside or outside the county, invest in their own renewable generation, and deploy additional energy-efficiency. An element for consideration is job impacts electric rate changes under the CCE and from changes in investment related to new in-county renewables, energy efficiency, and the potential displacement of Union jobs related to existing electricity generating units and transmission/distribution infrastructure. EDR Group developed the dynamic jobs impact forecast.

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