



**Regular Meeting of the Community Advisory Committee (CAC)
of Valley Clean Energy Alliance
Thursday, June 25, 2026 at 5:00 p.m.
City of Davis Conference Room
(inside Community Chambers building)
23 Russell Blvd., Davis, California 95616**

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Committee Members: Keith Taylor (Chair), Rahul Athalye (Vice Chair), Mark Aulman, David Springer, Lorenzo Kristov, Cynthia Rodriguez, Diccon Westworth, Danielle Ballard, Ari Halberstadt, Mark Murray, Jennifer Rindahl

5:00 P.M. CALL TO ORDER

- 1. Welcome**
- 2. Public Comment:** This item is reserved for persons wishing to address the CAC on any VCE-related matters that are not otherwise on this meeting agenda or are listed on the Consent portion of the agenda. Public comments on matters listed on the Regular agenda shall be heard at the time the matter is called. As with all public comment, members of the public who wish to address the CAC are customarily limited to two minutes per speaker, electronically submitted comments should be limited to approximately 300 words. Comments that are longer than 300 words will only be read for two minutes. All electronically submitted comments, whether read in their entirety or not, will be posted to the VCE website within 24 hours of the conclusion of the meeting. See the information below under **PUBLIC PARTICIPATION** at the conclusion of this agenda about how to provide your public comment.
- 3. Brief Task Group and VCE Staff Reports (≈ 15 minutes)** - Representatives of VCE staff and active Task Groups will provide verbal updates on on-going Staff and Task Group work. Task Group recommendations requiring Committee attention require a regular agenda item. Summaries of written reports received by the Committee in advance of the meeting will receive a time allocation of up to ten minutes. Otherwise, the time allocation will be five minutes, including questions and answers. The Committee may decide to allocate additional time at the end of the regular agenda.
 - a. Task Group Reports**
 - b. Staff Report**

CONSENT AGENDA (≈ 5 minutes)

- 4. Approval of May 28, 2026 Meeting Minutes.**
- 5. Receive 2026 Long Range Calendar. (Information)**
- 6. Receive Summer Preparedness outlook. (Information)**
- 7. Receive annual Load Management Standards (LMS) update. (Information)**

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REGULAR AGENDA

8. **Receive and review draft Integrated Resource Plan (IRP) update and seek recommendation to the Board. (Discussion/Action) (≈ 15 minutes)**
9. **Advisory Committee Member and Announcements. (≈ 5 minutes)** Action items and reports from members of the Advisory Committee, including announcements, reports on meetings, and information which would be of interest to the Committee or the public.
10. **Announcement and Adjournment.** The CAC has *cancelled* their meeting scheduled for Thursday, July 23, 2026. The CAC's next scheduled meeting is Thursday, August 27, 2026 at the City of Davis Conference Room (inside the Community Chambers building) located at 23 Russell Boulevard, Davis, California 95616.

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**VALLEY CLEAN ENERGY ALLIANCE
COMMUNITY ADVISORY COMMITTEE**

Staff Report - Item 4

TO: Community Advisory Committee
FROM: Alisa Lembke, Board Clerk/Administrative Analyst
SUBJECT: CAC May 28, 2026 Meeting Minutes
DATE: June 25, 2026

Recommendation

Receive, review and approve the attached May 28, 2026 CAC meeting Minutes.

Attachment: May 28, 2026 CAC meeting Minutes



**MINUTES OF THE VALLEY CLEAN ENERGY ALLIANCE
COMMUNITY ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEETING
Thursday, May 28, 2026 at 5:00 p.m.
City of Woodland Council Chambers
300 First Street, Woodland, California 95695**

Chair Keith Taylor established that there was a quorum present and opened the Community Advisory Committee of Valley Clean Energy Alliance in a meeting on Thursday, May 28, 2026 beginning at 5:07 p.m., held at the City of Woodland Council Chambers, located at 300 First Street, Woodland, California 95695.

Welcome and Roll Call

Committee Members Present: Keith Taylor (Chair), Rahul Athalye (Vice Chair), Lorenzo Kristov, David Springer, Diccon Westworth, Mark Murray, Ari Halberstadt, Cynthia Rodriguez (departed at 6:37 p.m.)

Committee Members Absent: Mark Aulman, Danielle Ballard

Welcome Chair Taylor welcomed everyone.

Public Comment There were no verbal or written public comments on items not on the agenda and on Consent Agenda items.

Item 3: Task Group Reports and Staff Reports Task Group reports:

Reports

Programs & Outreach: VCE Staff Rebecca Kuczynski informed those present of the programs being worked on. Ms. Kuczynski informed those present that VCE's intern has complete their social media style guide, which is in congruent with VCE's goals and in alignment with VCE's Strategic Plan.

Legislative & Regulatory: VCE Staff Yvonne Hunter provided a verbal status report on three (3) legislative bills listed within the Staff Report under Consent. Lorenzo Kristov provided a verbal status of legislative bills: AB2389 (Property Tax Exemption. Active Solar Energy Systems.) which is not moving forward and SB868 (Electricity: portable solar generation devices.) which is still alive. Mr. Kristov also informed those present that the CPUC has reinitiated DER proceedings.

Local Energy Group: Mr. Kristov informed those present that a tool was prepared for evaluating DER development energy related initiatives/programs that VCE may get involved in. The Task Group is also interested in



understanding how energy procurement works, so focus will be placed on this subject in the next few meetings.

Staff report: VCE Staff Edward Burnham informed those present that the CAC's Agenda for today's meeting covers most of Staff's report with the 2025 Net Margin Allocation and update of Integrated Resource Plan (IRP). Staff are asking for those CAC Members who attended the CalCCA 2026 Conference held in May to provide feedback on their experience. Mr. Burnham informed those present that VCE's attendance at farmers markets is picking up. There are no other events scheduled in the near term. Events will pick up in the Fall. The Board did not meet in May and their next meeting is scheduled for June.

Agenda

Consent Items

Vice Chair Rahul Athalye had a question about the percentage of opt outs listed within the Customer Participation Report (Item 6). Ms. Kuczynski informed those present that historically VCE has had a 90% participation rate. The CAC and Staff briefly discussed VCE's communication strategy to return opted out Customers to VCE and retainment of Customers.

Vice Chair Athalye made a motion to approve the Consent Agenda items, seconded by Lorenzo Kristov. Motion passed with Ari Halberstadt abstaining from Item 4 – approval of the March 26, 2026 meeting Minutes only, and Mark Aulman and Danielle Ballard absent. The following items were:

4. approved March 26, 2026 meeting Minutes;
5. received 2026 Long Range Calendar;
6. received Customer Participation update (Quarter 1 2026); and,
7. received update on three (3) legislative bills: 1) AB 1761 (PCIA Transparency); 2) SB 1138 (Resource Adequacy Transactability); and 3) AB 2383 (Large Load Rate Setting Authority).

Item 8: 2025 Net Margin Allocation discussion and receive feedback from CAC. (Discussion/Action)

Mr. Burnham provided and reviewed highlights of the various options/scenarios for VCE to allocate the estimated net margin for 2025. Staff are seeking the CAC's feedback to inform Staff's recommendation to the Board on the 2025 allocation. CAC Members and Staff discussed topics such as: operational and rate stabilization reserves; local programs; and, Power Charge Indifference Adjustment (PCIA) and rates. CAC Members provided feedback to Staff on the approach of allocating the estimated 2025 net margin.

There were no written or verbal public comments.



Item 9: Receive update on Integrated Resource Plan (IRP) and provide feedback. (Discussion)

VCE Staff Chad Curran introduced Jim Himelic of First Principles, VCE’s Consultant, who assisted with drafting the update of the Integrated Resource Plan (IRP). Staff informed those present that the IRP update is performed every two (2) years and it is a planning exercise, not VCE’s procurement plan.

Staff provided information on the proposed updates to the IRP and requested that the CAC provide feedback to inform Staff’s recommendation to the Board. CAC Members and Staff discussed topics such as: load forecast modeling, including assumptions, two (2) modeling portfolios and emissions; resource types and costs; Resource Adequacy; and, VCE’s load requirements. CAC Members provided feedback to Staff on the draft IRP update. Staff will incorporate the CAC’s feedback into the redraft and bring back the draft updated IRP back to the CAC for a recommendation to the Board.

(Cynthia Rodriguez departed at 6:37 p.m.)

There were no written or verbal public comments.

Item 10: Receive Recap of CalCCA 2026 Annual Conference. (Information)

Staff and the CAC Members that attended the CalCCA 2026 Annual Conference held in Sacramento provided highlights and a few recommendations.

There were no written or verbal public comments.

Item 11. Advisory Committee Member and Staff Announcements

There were no CAC or Staff announcements.

Adjournment to Next Meeting

Chair Taylor informed those present that the CAC’s next meeting has been scheduled for Thursday, June 25, 2026 at the City of Davis Conference Room, located inside the Community Chambers building at 23 Russell Boulevard, California 95616. The meeting was adjourned at 7:00 p.m.

Alisa M. Lembke
Board Clerk/Administrative Analyst

**VALLEY CLEAN ENERGY ALLIANCE
COMMUNITY ADVISORY COMMITTEE**

Staff Report – Item 5

TO: Community Advisory Committee
FROM: Alisa Lembke, Board Clerk/Administrative Analyst
SUBJECT: Receive 2026 Long Range Calendar meeting topics
DATE: June 25, 2026

Please find attached the 2026 Board and Community Advisory Committee (CAC) Long Range Calendar. Please note that the long range calendars have some added information (coding) to each item for Staff purposes only.

Please note that the CAC's July 23, 2026 meeting and the Board's August 13, 2026 meeting have been cancelled.

At any time, if you have an item that you would like added, including future topics, please send an email to Chief Financial Officer Edward Burnham, Board Clerk Alisa Lembke, CAC Chair and/or Vice Chair for consideration.

Due to the holidays in November and December 2026, the CAC's meeting dates have been moved to the 3rd Thursday and are as follows:

- November 19, 2026 (3rd Thursday) – DAVIS
- December 17, 2026 (3rd Thursday) – Davis

Attachment:

1. 2026 Board and CAC Long Range Calendar

VALLEY CLEAN ENERGY
2026 Meeting Dates and Proposed Topics
Board and Community Advisory Committee (CAC)
(Note: Meeting locations and Topics are subject to change)

MEETING DATE		TOPICS	ACTION
January 8, 2026 CANCELLED	Board (Woodland)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Oaths of Office for Board Members (Annual – new Members only) (R) (placeholder) • Election of Officers for 2026 (Annual) (R) (placeholder) • Customer Participation Update (4th Quarter 2025) (O) (placeholder) • 2025 Year-end review (R) (placeholder) • VCE Employee Handbook Update (R) (placeholder) • Annual Strategic Plan Report (R) (placeholder) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Action • Nominations • Information • Information • Action • Information
January 22, 2026	Advisory Committee (Woodland)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Rates/Budget 2026 Update (O) • Customer Participation Update (4th Quarter 2025) (O) • Review and approve 2026 draft CAC Task Group(s) “Charges” (R) • Power Portfolio update (R) • 2025 Year in review: Customer Care & Marketing (R) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Information • Information • Discussion/Action • Information • Information
February 12, 2026	Board (Davis)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Oaths of Office for Board Members (Annual - new Members only) (R) • Election of Officers for 2026 (Annual) (R) • Customer Participation Update (4th Quarter 2025) (O) • 2025 Year-end review (O) • VCE Employee Handbook update (R) • Annual Strategic Plan Report (R) • Receive CAC 2025 Year-end Task Group Reports (O) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Action • Nominations • Information • Information • Action • Information • Information
February 26, 2026 Cancelled	Advisory Committee (Davis)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • This meeting has been cancelled. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •
March 12, 2026 Cancelled.	Board (Woodland)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • This meeting has been cancelled. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •

March 26, 2026	Advisory Committee (Woodland)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Integrated Resource Plan (IRP) Update (O) • Local Energy Task Group Update (O) • Update on CalCCA sponsored legislative bills (O) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Information • Information • Information
April 9, 2026	Board (Davis)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Receive Enterprise Risk Management Report (Bi-Annual) (R) • Customer Participation update (1st Quarter 2026) (O) • Receive Treasury and Financial update; ratify Investment Policy; and extend RCB Credit Agreement (R/O) • Update Exhibits C & D of VCE's JPA (R) • Update VCE's Conflict of Interest Code (R) • Brown Act compliance (R) • Ratify VCE's position on legislative bills 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Information • Information • Action • Action • Action • Action • Action
April 23, 2026 Cancelled.	Advisory Committee (Davis)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • This meeting has been cancelled. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •
May 12-14, 2026	CalCCA Annual Conference (Sacramento)	VCE Staff and some Board and CAC members attending	
May 14, 2026 Cancelled, may be rescheduled.	Board (Woodland)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • * No meeting due to CalCCA Annual Conference. A special meeting may be scheduled if an urgent matter needs to be addressed. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •
May 28, 2026	Advisory Committee (Woodland)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2025 Net Margin Allocation (R) • Customer Participation update (1st Quarter 2026) (O) • Seek feedback on updates to Integrated Resource Plan (O) • Receive update on three (3) legislative bills. (O) • Recap of CalCCA May 2026 Annual Conference (O) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Discussion/Action • Information • Discussion/Action • Information • Information
June 11, 2026	Board (Davis)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Re/Appointment of Members to Community Advisory Committee (Annual) (R) • Calendar Year 2025 Audited Financial Statements (James Marta & Co.) (placeholder) (R) • Mid-Year 2026 Financial Update (R) • 2025 Net Margin Allocation (R) • CC Power Amendment to Fish Lake Geothermal PPA • Summer Preparedness outlook (O) • Receive annual Load Management Standards (LMS) update (O) • Recap of CalCCA May 2026 Annual Conference (O) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Action • Action • Information • Discussion/Action • Action • Information • Information • Information

*No meeting unless an urgent matter needs to be addressed

June 25, 2026	Advisory Committee (Davis)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Receive Summer Preparedness outlook (O) • Receive annual Load Management Standards (LMS) update (O) • Seek recommendation to Board on updated Integrated Resource Plan (IRP) (O) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Information • Information • Discussion/Action
July 9, 2026	Board (Woodland)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Customer Participation update (2nd Quarter 2026) (O) • Approve Integrated Resource Plan (IRP) updates (R) • Indian Valley Long Term PPA (placeholder) (O) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Information • Discussion/Action • Discussion/Action
July 23, 2026 <i>Cancelled</i>	Advisory Committee (Woodland)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cancelled. 	
August 13, 2026 <i>Cancelled</i>	Board (Davis)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cancelled. A Special meeting may be scheduled if needed. 	
August 27, 2026	Advisory Committee (Davis)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Customer Participation Update (2nd Quarter 2026) (O) • Power Portfolio Update (O) • Receive updated Integrated Resource Plan (IRP) (O) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Information • Information • Information
September 10, 2026	Board (Woodland)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Certification of 2025 Power Content Label (Annual) (R) • Programs / 3 Year Programs Plan update (placeholder) (O) • Electric Vehicle (Charge Your Ride) Rebate Program (O) • Residential Dynamic Pricing Pilot Program (HFP) (placeholder) (O) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Action • Discussion/Action • Discussion/Action • Discussion/Action
September 24, 2026	Advisory Committee (Woodland)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •
October 8, 2026 Possibly meeting date conflict with League of Cities Annual Conference	Board (Davis)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Enterprise Risk Management Update (Annual) (R) • Customer Participation Update (3rd Quarter 2026) (O) • Legislative End of Session Update (O) • Programs / 3 Year Programs Plan update (placeholder) (O) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Discussion/Action • Information • Information • Discussion/Action
October 22, 2026	Advisory Committee (Davis)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2025 Power Content Label Outreach (O) • Customer Participation Update (3rd Quarter 2026) (O) • Legislative End of Session Update (O) • 2027 Legislative & Regulatory Platform 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Information • Information • Information • Discussion/Action
November 12, 2026	Board (Woodland)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2027 Preliminary Operating Budget (R) • Contract Renewals (R) (placeholder) • Approve 2027 Legislative and Regulatory Platform • CC Power – Willow Rock PPA (placeholder) (O) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Information/Discussion • Discussion/Action • Discussion/Action • Discussion/Action

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November 26, 2026 November 19, 2026 (rescheduled to November 19 due to Thanksgiving holiday on Nov. 26 th)	Advisory Committee (Woodland) (Davis)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Review CAC Draft 2026 Task Group Year-end Reports (R) GHG Free Attributes (R) (placeholder) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Discussion/Action Discussion/Action
December 10, 2026	Board (Davis)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Approve 2027 Operating Budget (Annual) and 2027 Customer Rates (R) Receive VCE Grant/Program Annual Report (R) GHG Free Attributes (R) (placeholder) Contract Renewals (R) (placeholder) CC Power – Willow Rock PPA (placeholder) (O) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Discussion/Action Information Discussion/Action Action Discussion/Action
December 24, 2026 December 17, 2026 (rescheduled to December 17 due to Christmas Eve on Dec. 24 th)	Advisory Committee (Davis)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Approve 2026 Task Group Year-end Reports (R) Power Portfolio Update (R) Election of Officers for 2027 (Annual) (R) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Discussion/Action Information Nominations
January 14, 2027	Board (Woodland)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Oaths of Office for Board Members (Annual - new Members only) (R) Election of Officers for 2027 (Annual) (R) Customer Participation Update (4th Quarter 2026) (O) 2026 Year in review: Customer Care & Marketing (R) Receive 2026 Task Group Year-end Reports (R) VCE Employee Handbook Update (R) Annual Strategic Plan Report (R) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Action Nominations Information Information Information Action Information
January 28, 2027	Advisory Committee (Woodland)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Rates/Budget 2027 Update (O) Customer Participation Update (4th Quarter 2026) (O) Approve 2027 CAC Task Group(s) “Charges” (R) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Information Information Discuss/Action

PLEASE NOTE: May 12-14, 2026: CalCCA Annual Conference in Sacramento, California

CAC PROPOSED FUTURE TOPICS Topics and Discussion dates may change as needed	<u>ESTIMATED MEETING DATE(S)</u>

*No meeting unless an urgent matter needs to be addressed

**VALLEY CLEAN ENERGY ALLIANCE
COMMUNITY ADVISORY COMMITTEE**

Staff Report - Item 6

TO: Community Advisory Committee
FROM: Alisa Lembke, Board Clerk/Administrative Analyst
SUBJECT: Receive Summer Preparedness Outlook
DATE: June 25, 2026

Recommendation: This is an information item.

At the Board's June 11, 2026 meeting, Staff provided VCE's Summer Preparedness Outlook (Item 12) through [slides](#), pages 1-12. There was no Staff Report for the Board's item.

**VALLEY CLEAN ENERGY ALLIANCE
COMMUNITY ADVISORY COMMITTEE**

Staff Report - Item 7

TO: Community Advisory Committee
FROM: Alisa Lembke, Board Clerk/Administrative Analyst
SUBJECT: Receive VCE's Load Management Standards Plan Annual Update
DATE: June 25, 2026

Recommendation This is an information item.

At the Board's June 11, 2026 meeting, Staff provided a Report on the [VCE's Load Management Standards Plan annual update \(Item 9\)](#) under the Consent Agenda. There were no slides for this item.

**VALLEY CLEAN ENERGY ALLIANCE
COMMUNITY ADVISORY COMMITTEE**

Staff Report - Item 8

TO: Community Advisory Committee

FROM: Chad Curran, Director of Power Services

SUBJECT: Receive and review draft Integrated Resource Plan (IRP) update and seek recommendation to the Board. (Discussion/Action)

DATE: June 25, 2026

RECOMMENDATION

Recommend that the VCE Board of Directors approve the submission to the California Public Utilities Commission (CPUC) of VCE's 2026 Integrated Resource Plan (IRP) substantially as described and presented.

BACKGROUND AND ANALYSIS

VCE is required to submit its 2026 IRP to the CPUC by August 10, 2026. The PCP and IRP use model inputs and assumptions provided by the CPUC. The CPUC uses load serving entities' IRPs and PCPs to inform statewide planning.

On March 26, 2026, Staff presented to the Community Advisory Committee (CAC) the process and schedule for preparing and filing the 2026 IRP. On May 28, 2026, Staff presented to the CAC the results of VCE's IRP modeling. Staff described the modeled Preferred Conforming Portfolio (PCP) that will be included in the IRP. Staff communicated that the IRP modeling reflects regulatory filing requirements and demonstrates that VCE will be able to comply with existing regulatory procurement requirements, such as renewable portfolio standard (RPS) targets, greenhouse gas (GHG) reduction targets, resource adequacy (RA) procurement obligations, and CPUC procurement orders. The IRP will not include any additional portfolios that use different assumptions than the PCP.

Staff communicated that VCE's existing portfolio is well-positioned to meet near-term regulatory requirements as well as VCE's strategic plan goals of achieving 90% renewable and 100% carbon free energy by 2030. Staff communicated that VCE's actual long-term procurement activity will differ from the activities described in the PCP due to a variety of factors, including but not limited to actual resource availability and cost, changes in VCE's load or load profile, performance of VCE's contracted resources, and technical, regulatory and policy developments.

At VCE's July 9, 2026, Board meeting, Staff will present the draft IRP to the Board will seek the Board's approval to file the IRP substantially as shared with the Board. Staff will include a recommendation from the CAC on whether the Board should approve the filing of the IRP.

CONCLUSION

The modeled Preferred Conforming Portfolio (PCP) is consistent with the CPUC requirements for 2026 IRP. The PCP uses CPUC-required inputs and assumptions. It will serve as a valuable planning document for statewide procurement policy. The IRP process was a useful modeling exercise for informing future VCE's planning assumptions and procurement activities. Though future procurement activities will comply with regulatory procurement requirements, VCE's actual procurement activities will vary from the PCP included in the IRP due to a variety of factors.

Staff seeks a recommendation from the CAC to the Board to approve the submission to the California Public Utilities Commission (CPUC) of VCE's 2026 Integrated Resource Plan (IRP) substantially as modeled in the Preferred Conforming Portfolio as presented.

Attachment:

- 1) VCE's 2026 Integrated Resource Plan (IRP) Preferred Conforming Portfolio Presentation (Slides)



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VCE Community Advisory Committee Meeting – Thursday, June 25, 2026

Item 8 – IRP Update and Recommendation to the Board



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Item 8 – IRP Update and Recommendation: Agenda

Agenda:

- Overview
- Review of Preferred Conforming Portfolio
- Recommendation

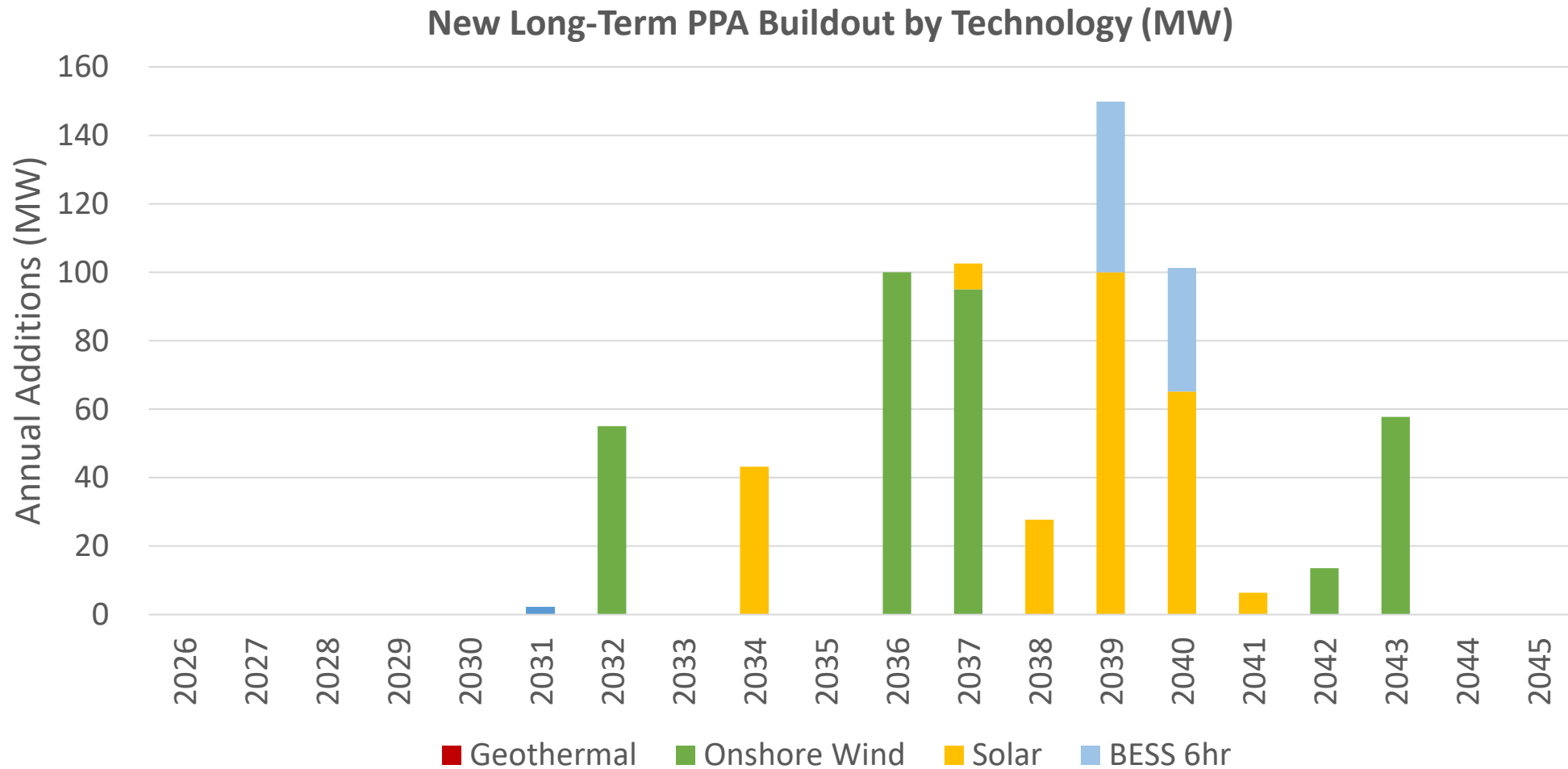
Item 8 – IRP Update and Recommendation: Overview

Overview:

- Staff recommends that the CAC recommend that the Board approve the submission to the CPUC of the 2026 Integrated Resource Plan substantially as modeled in the Preferred Conforming Portfolio (PCP).
- Staff are not seeking a recommendation on the non-conforming portfolio shared last month, as this will not be included in the IRP.
- The preferred confirming portfolio (PCP) as modeled for the 2026 IRP is compliant with filing requirements.
- The IRP and PCP demonstrate that VCE will comply with its regulatory procurement obligations.
- The IRP and PCP are valuable in informing planning and future procurement. Actual procurement will differ from the modeled PCP depending on a variety of factors:
 - Actual resource availability and cost
 - Project performance
 - Changes in VCE customer base or energy profile
 - Technical, regulatory and policy developments

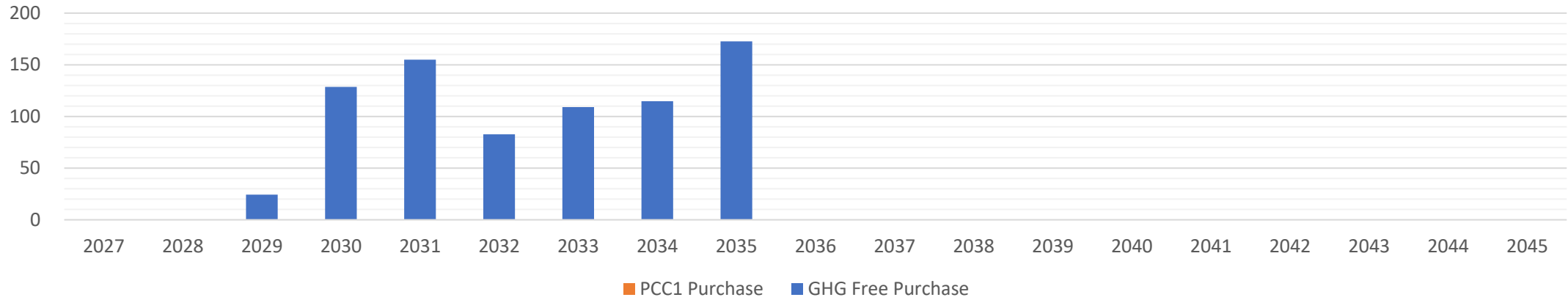
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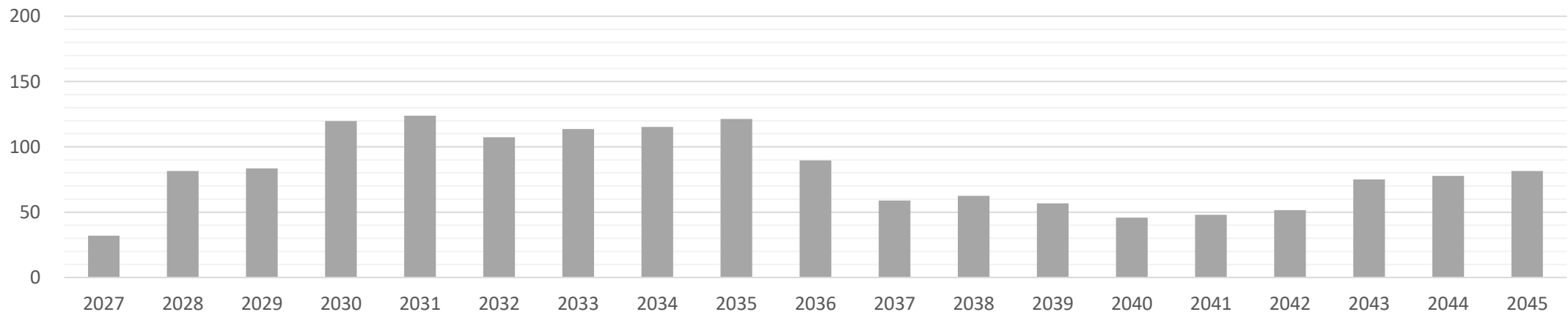


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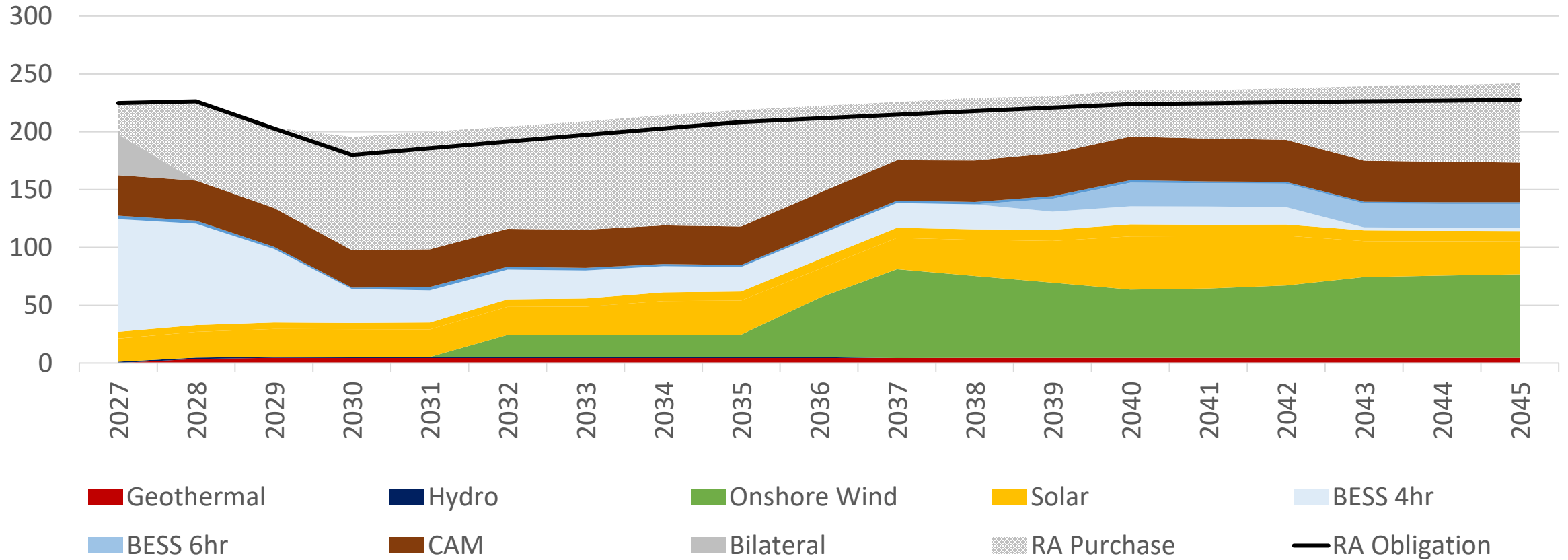


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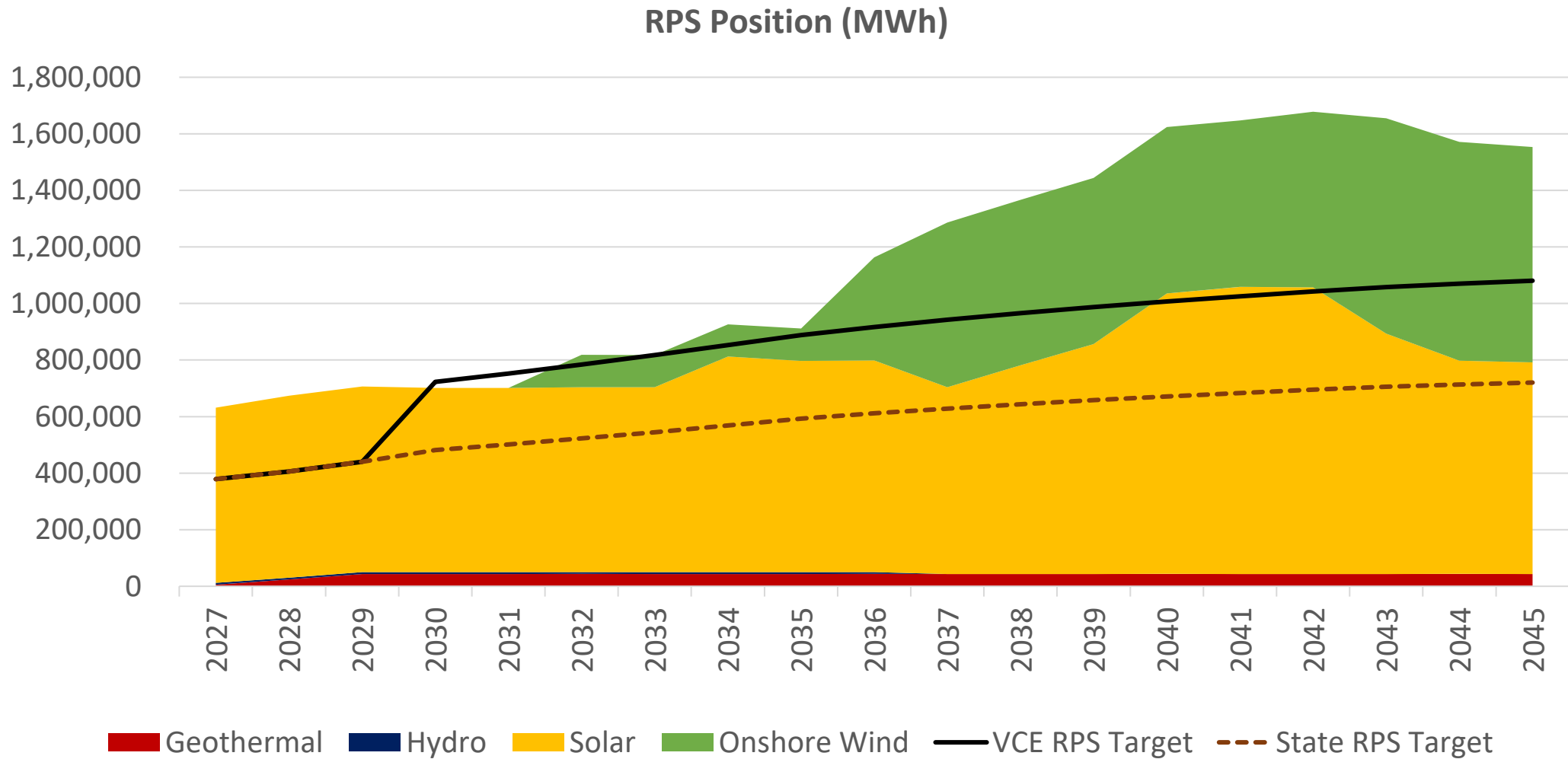


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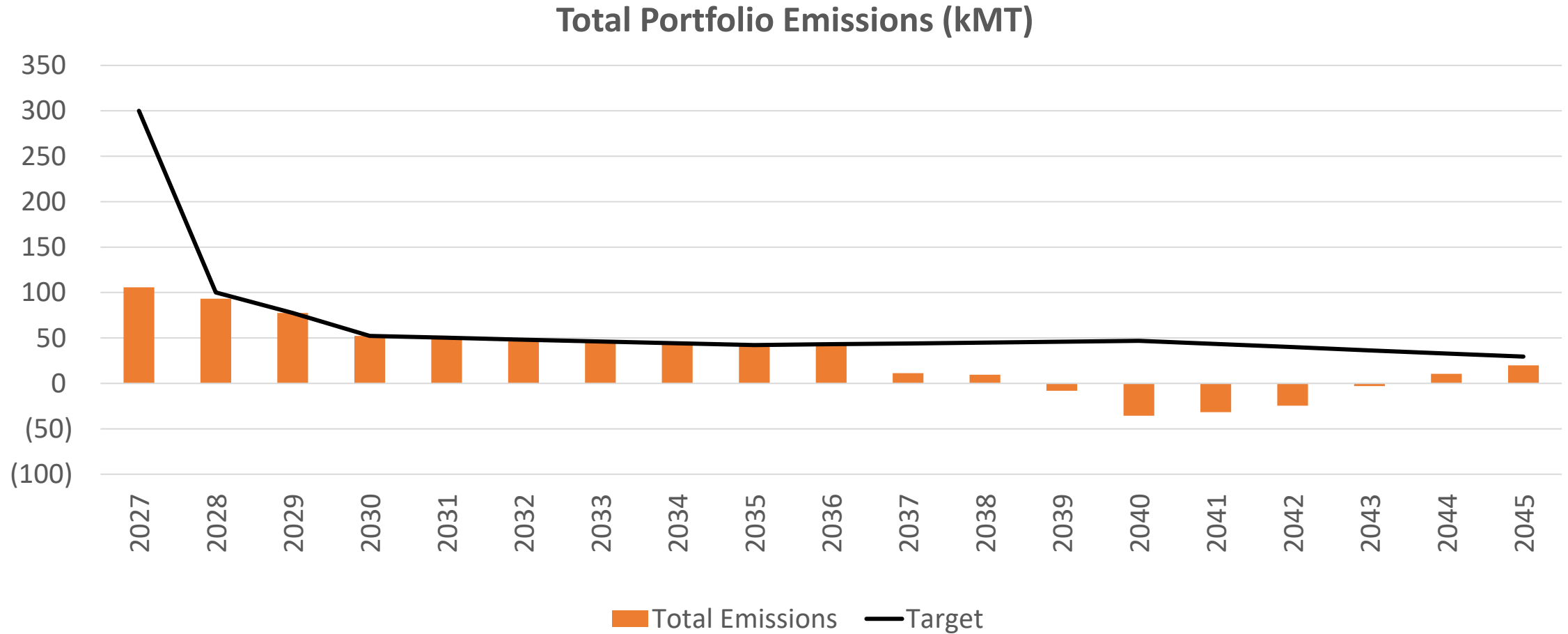
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Item 8 – IRP Update and Recommendation: RPS Position (Preferred Conforming Portfolio)



Item 8 – IRP Update and Recommendation: Total Portfolio Emissions (Preferred Conforming Portfolio)



Item 8 – IRP Update and Recommendation: Next Steps

Next Steps:

- ~~May 28, 2026~~ – Staff presents initial IRP analysis to the CAC
- ~~June 25, 2026~~ – Staff seeks additional feedback from the CAC (if necessary)
- **July 9, 2026** – Staff presents the draft IRP and seeks approval to file the IRP from the Board
- **August 10, 2026** – IRP due to be filed at the CPUC

Item 8 – IRP Update and Recommendation

Staff Recommendation:

- The CAC recommends that the Board approve the submission to the CPUC of the 2026 Integrated Resource Plan substantially as modeled herein.