# **Retirements**

#### JANUARY RETIREES

**Richard Arthur** 31 years of service

George Beere 27 years of service

Michael Bellmer 42 years of service

Linda Bertram 24 years of service

Ronald Black 32 years of service

Edward Broussard 40 years of service

**Timmy Bufkin** 37 years of service

Ronnie Caldwell 32 years of service

Michael Chou 26 years of service

**Richard Cimino** 31 years of service

**Bruce Coddington** 22 years of service

Linda Cortez 9 years of service

Donald Cram 16 years of service

Julia Crosby 28 years of service

**Ronald Dailey** 26 years of service

Sandra Damitz 33 years of service

Richard Daniels 45 years of service

Yolanda De Rouen 38 years of service

Thomas Dudley 38 years of service

Avelino Dulay 33 years of service

Glenda Dwver 29 years of service

Paul English 40 years of service

Susan Fandel 30 years of service



Craig Feldhaus 30 years of service

Darleen Foote 36 years of service

George Ford 44 years of service

Manuel Gonzalez

39 years of service

Harold Friemark 41 years of service

William Lowe Sammy Garcia 40 years of service 44 years of service

> Michael Lucero 39 years of service

> > Angel Manuel

27 years of service

Ralph Marbach

38 years of service

Vincent Martinez

36 years of service

40 years of service

38 years of service

Jack Maslov

John Mayfield

David Lawton

Patricia Lee

Don Lillie

Robert Lira

39 years of service

36 years of service

40 years of service

31 years of service

Robert Gren 38 years of service James Habe

32 years of service **Eugene Harrison** 

46 years of service Eric Helmle

George Hernandez 41 years of service

37 years of service

Patrick McCullough Donna Hersom-Morain 38 years of service 31 years of service

> Donald Mendonsa 41 years of service

James Moore 21 years of service

Kevin Mulhern 39 years of service

Steven Nevares 31 years of service

27 years of service John Nolan 38 years of service

Gaelynn Nunes 33 years of service

Wilson Ng

Michael Olaeta 38 years of service

Jeffrey Olsen 13 years of service

35 years of service

42 years of service

37 years of service

Terrence Owyang

38 years of service

Samuel Owens

Russell Orebo

Barry Olson 44 years of service David Olvera

Neil Sorensen **Robert Pontecorvo** 41 years of service 25 years of service

Lorraine Popovic

9 years of service

43 years of service

36 years of service

Carney Pulgarin

43 years of service

39 years of service

26 years of service

41 years of service

**Donald Renenger** 

39 years of service

34 years of service

33 years of service

Ronald Rodriguez

38 years of service

William Rodriguez

41 years of service

33 years of service

39 years of service

36 years of service

Raymond Salazar

38 years of service

Abraham Salazar

Donnie Royal

David Rust

Helen Sakai

Eric Robertsen

Steve Posey

Carlos Prieto

Joseph Rea

Robert Reed

Edwin Reid

Bruce Riley

Robert Stafford 38 years of service

Max Sterniacob 33 years of service

Dwight Stevens 40 years of service

Gloria Sumlin 35 years of service

Arthur Tardiville 39 years of service

> **Chifong Thomas** 39 years of service

> Dennis Troxell 20 years of service

> Howard Wanner 38 years of service

> Michael Warner 39 years of service

Helmut Weissmann 37 years of service

James Wolff 26 years of service

Michael Woods 38 years of service

**Turner Yermini** 41 years of service

Ronnie Young 41 years of service

**Robert Zunick** 30 years of service

# **Retiree Club Activities**

April 15: North Valley Shasta Luncheon: Country Waffle, Redding Don Mason: 530-527-1027

April 21: Silverado Luncheon: Moose Lodge, Vallejo Tom Dunlap: 707-642-5533

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## Highlights:

Revving up for plug-ins earthquake and tsunami recovery effort Join us for Earth Day 2011 on April 16 Retiree Club Activities

**April 2011** 

Revving up for plug-ins

# New website gives customers the information they need to drive green

As many of our customers consider their first plug-in electric vehicle (PEV) purchase, PG&E is helping them make the right choices. Now, when our customers go to www.pge.com/electricvehicles, they'll find new resources and information to help them make the green transition.

The new PEV Electric Rate Calculator tool helps our customers understand special PEV rates that could help them save on their monthly electricity costs. "Electric rates are complicated to understand and most customers do not know what rate schedule they're currently on," said Vivek Narayanan, product associate for PEV. Customers simply input their zip code and the PEV they're interested in buying, and they can find a rate option that may achieve the lowest monthly cost.

But there's more to buying a PEV than purchasing an ordinary new car. The site answers many questions customers will have about making the best choices to fit their budget and their lifestyle. For example, they can learn about the differences between various electric vehicles and to consider if their homes have adequate electrical capacity to charge a PEV.

"The website gets the customer who's not necessarily PEV-savvy to understand the impact these vehicles have on the grid and helps them make the mental connection that electric vehicles are powered by electricity, which is supplied by your friendly local utility," said Reiko Takemasa, senior product manager. "Many people don't think of that link just yet."

26 years of service Linda Sauer 39 years of service

> Thomas Savage 31 years of service

Heng-Shing Shiah 26 years of service

Robert Shuss 40 years of service

Flerida Simanes 18 years of service

H Simmons 32 years of service

Wilma Smith 36 years of service

Thomas Hibbard 32 years of service Clarita Hoganas 39 years of service

**Timothy Holmquist** 37 years of service

Dale Hom

Mark Hopp

26 years of service

41 years of service

37 years of service

Robert Hubbard

32 years of service

Dennis Incardone

25 years of service

Saundra Jackson

30 years of service

29 years of service

Norman Keeling

33 years of service

27 years of service

Stephen Landers

43 years of service

James Kizer

Kenneth James

Robert Hoskins



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As California moves into a new era of transportation. PG&E is committed to providing the right answers and the right service to help them roll into the future.

### **Retiree Contacts**

Alumni Advocates: 415-972-5803 PG&E Outage Hotline: 800-743-5002 PG&E Customer Services: 800-743-5000 PG&E Pension Payroll: 415-973-3767 Pacific Service Credit Union: 888-858-6878 Pacific Service Employees Association: 800-272-7732 PG&E Retirement Award Customer Service: 800-385-3139 800-637-5993 E-mail: alumniadvocates@pge.com

phone: 800-700-0057 e-mail: HRBenefitsQuestions@exchange.pge.com mail: 1850 Gateway Blvd., 7th floor, Concord, CA 94520

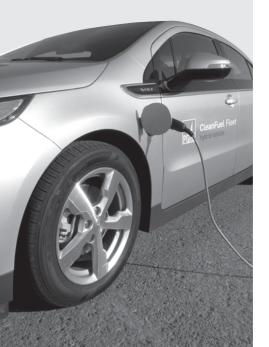
### Revving up for plug-ins

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"Once a customer has decided to purchase a PEV, we want to provide the right amount of information about the process involved in getting their home ready to charge their vehicles," Narayanan said. "PEV installation is a complex process involving electrician home assessments, applying to PG&E for special rates, getting approval from city and county officials, and so on. We want to ensure that customers are well aware of this and that they don't have to jump from one site to another to dig for information."

The site also features an FAQ where residential and non-residential customers can find more information on rates and costs, charging options, and commercial and residential charging installations.

As California moves into a new era of transportation, PG&E is committed to providing the right answers and the right service to help them roll into the future.



# Join us for Earth Day 2011 on April 16

Join us again for a fun day outdoors during PG&E's 2011 Earth Day Restoration and Cleanup, Saturday, April 16, at one of 18 locations. Retirees, employees and their friends and families are invited to help improve our Northern and Central California parks. Most events are from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. (some sites are time-specific):

10 Millerton Lake State Recreation

Montaña de Oro State Park,

Concord/Walnut Creek

14 Patrick's Point State Park,

13 Palm State Beach, Santa Cruz

15 San Bruno Mountain State Park,

18 Tule Elk Station Natural Reserve,

16 Samuel P. Taylor State Park,

17 Sonoma Coast State Park,

12 Mt. Diablo State Park,

Area. Fresno

Los Osos

Trinidad

Brisbane

Lagunitas

Bodega Bay

**Buttonwillow** 

- 1 Angel Island State Park, San Francisco Bay
- 2 Auburn State Recreation Area, Auburn
- **Benicia State Historic Park**, Benicia
- 4 Candlestick Point State Recreation Area, San Francisco
- 5 Caswell Memorial State Park, Ripon
- 6 Eastshore State Park, Berkeley
- **Folsom Lake State Recreation** Area, Folsom
- 8 Half Moon Bay State Beach, Half Moon Bay
- Lake Oroville State Recreation Area, Oroville

### Commitment to Environmental Leadership

PG&E is committed to environmental leadership and is once again partnering with the California State Parks Foundation (CSPF) as the presenting sponsor of the 2011 Earth Day Restoration and Cleanup. This year marks the 10<sup>th</sup> consecutive restoration and cleanup partnership with CSPF. In keeping with this spirit of partnership, PG&E is granting \$218,000 to CSPF. Since our Earth Day partnership began with CSPF, PG&E has contributed more than \$1.2 million to fund important maintenance and improvement projects at California parks.

#### Sign up to volunteer

Sign up to participate in PG&E's Earth Day 2011 on PG&E's volunteer website, www.pgevolunteers.com. For your User Name use First Initial + Last Name + Birth Month + Birthday + Retirement Month + Retirement Day. For example: Joseph Schmidt, born on March 25 (i.e., 03/25) and retired on November 1 (i.e., 11/01) would appear as: JSchmidt03251101:

- User Name: JSchmidt03251101
- **Password:** Volunteers1 (Make sure to use capital V.) This is a standard password for all users.

After you have signed in, click on the name of the park where you want to volunteer in the table at the top of the page. Then click on "Sign Up" on the right side of the page.

If you have questions or problems logging into the Volunteer website, call **1-888-388-1289** or send an e-mail to **support@angelpoints.com**.

You can also sign up by contacting Samantha White at **415-973-3392** or **sjwj@pge.com**.

# How you can help the Japan earthquake and tsunami recovery effort

The tremendous outpouring of support from PG&E employees and retirees for those affected by the earthquake and tsunami in Japan demonstrates once again the generosity and compassion of the entire PG&E family. To support your interest in making a personal contribution, please see the information below. PG&E will cover all administrative costs, therefore 100% of your donation will go to the Red Cross to support the victims of the Japan earthquake and tsunami.

Checks should be made payable to Aidmatrix, the vendor assisting us with this drive, and can be sent via mail to:

PG&E Japan Earthquake and Tsunami Relief c/o Chris Riley/Community Relations

c/o Chris Riley/Community Relation 77 Beale St., Mailcode B29J San Francisco, CA 94105

Online Donations can be made through the following website: https://vad.aidmatrix.org/pge/

Thank you for your generosity and kindness.

# **Tributes**

**Bruce G. Barr** 10/7/2010; Ret. 5/1/1982 Gas Service; East Bay

Alice E. Boyce 2/3/2011; Ret. 2/1/1982 District Electric Superintendent's Office; East Bay

Allan J. Chaboya 2/14/2011; Ret. 6/1/1986 Customer Services; DeAnza

**John W. Clemson** 2/23/2011; Ret. 7/1/1983 Personnel; General Office

Edith A. Clouse 1/16/2011; Ret. 4/1/2008 Network Services Data Delivery

Thomas E. Corrigan 1/31/2011; Ret. 6/1/1993 Financial Management; ENCON

Edna M. Cortopassi 1/29/2011; Ret. 7/1/1983 Corporate Accounting; General Office

**Emma S. Cuskelly** 2/19/2011; Active ISTS Asset Management

**Kathy M. Fowler** 2/7/2011; Active El Dorado District; Sierra

Paul E. Freed 2/21/2011; Ret. 1/1/2001 General Services; Diablo Canyon Operations and Plant Manager

Joselito C. Garces 2/10/2011; Ret. 11/1/1993 Gas Engineering & Environmental Services; General Office

**Clifford R. Greenwood** 12/29/2010; Ret. 12/4/1978 Electric Transmission and Distribution; San Joaquin

Robert G. Heim 2/23/2011; Ret. 3/1/1984 Electric; San Francisco

Pauline Jessen 2/3/2011; Ret. 4/1/1990 Region Electric Operations; San Joaquin Valley Richard Kirk 2/16/2011; Ret. 4/1/1987 Gas Transmission and Distribution; Coast

James Law 1/8/2011; Ret. 4/1/1987 Electric Meter; Mission

Burt Leschinsky 2/11/2011; Ret. 9/1/1976 Gas; General Construction

**Glenn R. Long** 2/4/2011; Ret. 1/1/1995 Customer Field Services; North Coast

Lamon R. Moore 1/14/2011; Ret. 2/1/1982 Electric Transmission and Distribution; San Joaquin

Fred C. Nielsen 2/4/2011; Ret. 7/1/1991 Gas and Electric Operations; Skyline Division

Clarence E. Parker 1/20/2011; Ret. 8/1/1981 Rates; General Office

Lawrence P. Pastiran 1/30/2011; Ret. 4/1/1982 VP Rates and Valuation; General Office

Harry Peelor 1/25/2011; Ret. 6/1/1988 Corporate Communications; General Office

**Robert A. Peterson** 2/3/2011; Ret. 4/1/1977 Design Drafting; General Office

William R. Ray 2/16/2011; Ret. 5/1/1984 Safety, Health and Claims; General Office

**Edgar M. Rowland Jr.** 2/16/2011; Ret. 6/1/1983 Lakeport; North Bay Wilburn L. Smith 2/19/2011; Ret. 2/1/1982 Gas; General Construction

Harry C. Sowders 2/3/2011; Ret. 4/1/1987 Line; General Construction

Mark E. Stevens 2/11/2011; Active Estimating and Mapping Services; Operations, Maintenance and Construction; Area 2

Everett L. Strohmeier 2/12/2011; Active Estimating and Mapping Services; Operations, Maintenance and Construction; Area 6

**Charles E. Strawn** 1/28/2011; Ret. 11/1/1993 Substation; ENCON

**Oval J. Sumner** 1/29/2011; Ret. 12/16/1993 Fresno

**Carmelita L. Tina** 2/8/2011; Ret. 9/1/1993 Substation; ENCON

Joseph L. Torres Jr. 2/13/2011; Ret. 6/1/1991 Gas and Electric Operations; Russian River

Tranquilino V. Veneracion 1/31/2011; Ret. 2/1/2000 Gas and Electric Meter Plant; Materials & Fleet

William G. Wallace 2/20/2011; Ret. 7/1/1983 Gas Transmission and Distribution; East Bay

Clarence C. Wright 2/2/2011; Ret. 8/1/1992 Station; General Construction

Dwain W. Zahn 2/12/2011; Ret. 2/1/1982 Gas Services; Sacramento