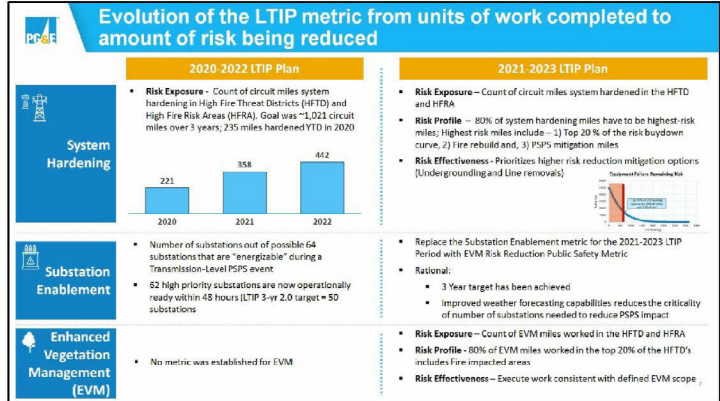


**Public Safety  
Long Term Incentive Plan (LTIP)  
Target Setting**

**November 23, 2020**



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### Why System Hardening and Enhanced Vegetation Management?

System Hardening (SH) and Enhanced Vegetation Management (EVM) focus on mitigation of potential wildfire risk from Distribution Overhead Assets, which have resulted in a significantly higher number of ignitions (nearly 90% of the total CPUC Reportable ignitions from 2015 – 2020 YTD)

- Distribution assets represent high ignition risk due to a combination of high exposure area (overhead assets traversing HFTDs), proximity to risk factors (vegetation), and intrinsic asset characteristics
- SH and EVM mitigation work focus on mitigating these risk factors on Distribution Assets and are key mitigation programs to continue addressing potential wildfire risk

Initiating Cause	2015 - 2020 YTD <sup>1</sup> CPUC Reportable Ignitions in HFTD		Estimated Ignitions per 1,000 Circuit Miles in HFTD <sup>2</sup>	
	Distribution	Transmission	Distribution	Transmission
Equipment – PG&E	217	30	8.5	5.4
Vegetation	305	11	11.9	2.0
All Other <sup>3</sup>	195	34	7.6	6.1

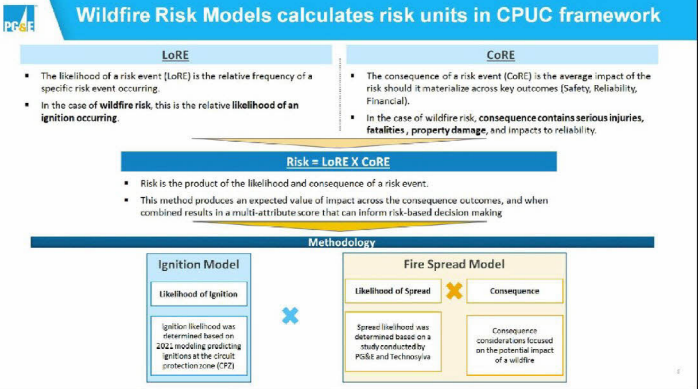
For Equipment driven ignitions, the Distribution ignitions per Mile rate is 1.6x greater than Transmission

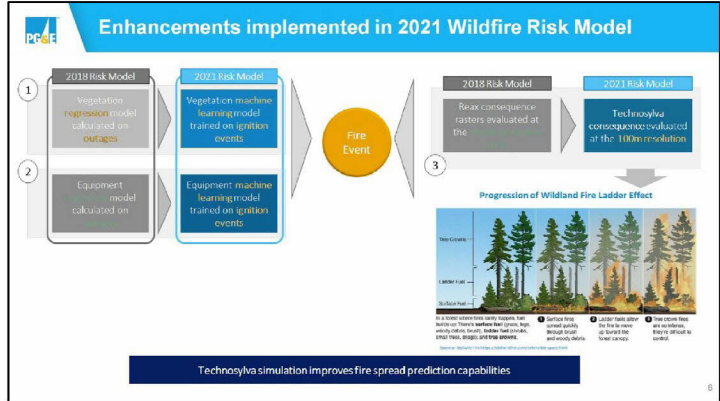
For Vegetation driven ignitions, the Distribution rate is 6x greater than Transmission

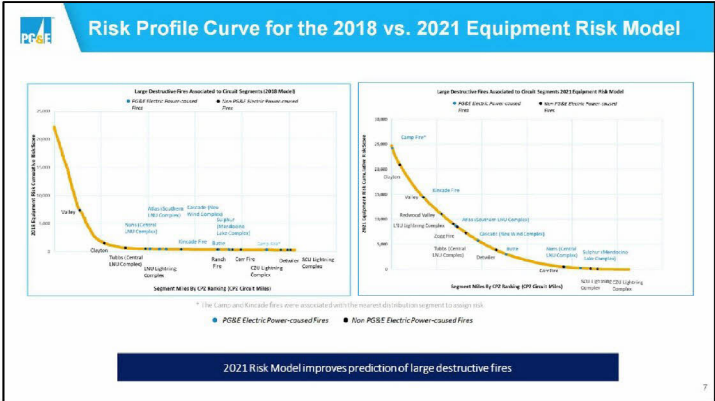
1. YTD represents data as of the end of September, 2020  
 2. Circuit mileage in HFTD area source: 2020 wildfire safety Plan – 25,598 of distribution overhead mileage in HFTD area, 5,542 of transmission overhead mileage  
 3. Other includes ignitions primarily driven by 3rd party and animals

## Risk Model and Risk Quantification

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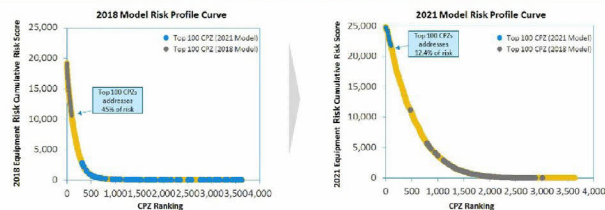






## Risk models provide risk profile curves to guide workplan

The risk profile curve shows *the amount of risk that can be addressed* with every subsequent mile within a Circuit Section or CPZ that is mitigated. This view illustrates the relative magnitude of risk associated with the top 100 CPZs and the visualization highlights the consolidation of risk by CPZ as you move down the prioritization list.

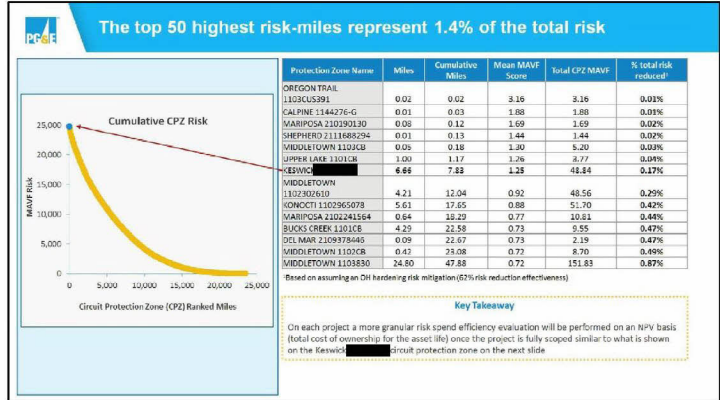


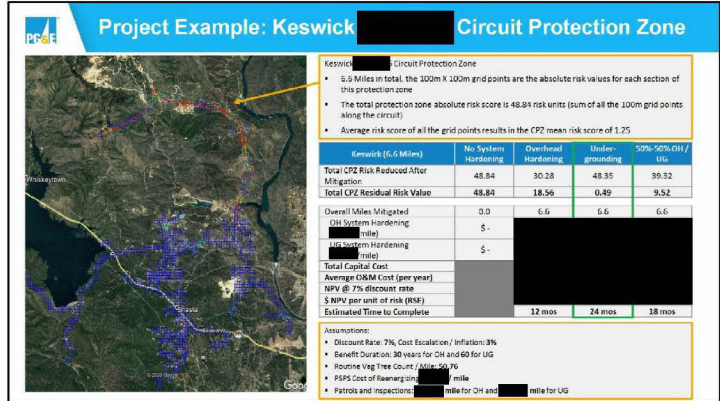
The improvement in the Risk Model results in a significant shift in the highest risk circuit protection zones

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**Project Example**





## Target Setting

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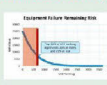
**System Hardening**

**Conditions**

**Condition 1: 80% of system hardening miles have to be highest-risk miles over the three-year period or LTIP is 0**

**Risk Profile (Highest Risk Miles defined as)**

1. Top 20% of risk buydown curve
2. Fire rebuild miles
3. PSPS mitigation miles



**Condition 2: Minimum percentage of miles mitigated with either Line Removal or Undergrounding over the three-year period or LTIP is 0**

**Risk Effectiveness**

- 20% of Undergrounding or Line Removal work in the System Hardening project portfolio<sup>1</sup>

**Risk Exposure**

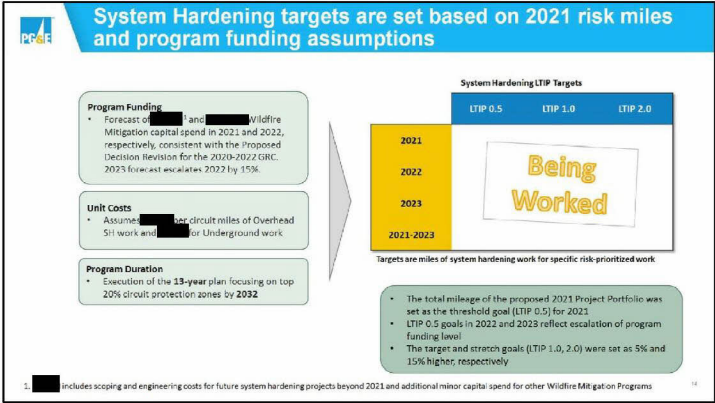
- Count of circuit miles system hardened in the HFTD and HFRA

**System Hardening Targets (Risk Miles)**

	LTIP 0.5	LTIP 1.0	LTIP 2.0
2021			
2022			
2023			
2021-2023			

**Being Worked**

1. Basis of the 80% is to allow for operational execution considerations including permitting, weather related access, and mob/demob efficiencies  
 2. Basis of the top 20% correlates to ~70% of the risk on the risk buydown curve  
 3. Risk mitigation effectiveness for Overhead Hardening is estimated at 62% and Undergrounding or Line Removal is estimated at 90%



## Enhanced Vegetation Management (EVM)

### Conditions

**Condition 1: 80% of EVM miles have to be highest-risk miles over the three-year period or LTIP is 0**

**Risk Profile (Highest Risk Miles defined as)**

- Top 20% of risk model buydown curve
- Fire impacted miles

**Risk Effectiveness**

- Execute work consistent with defined EVM scope
  - Achieve 2.2' recommended radial clearance
  - Assess shrub potential trees including high-risk species
  - Remove overhangs above and within 4 feet of power lines
  - Mitigate vegetative fuels under and adjacent to powerlines on targeted basis

**Risk Exposure**

- Count of EVM miles worked in the HFTD and HFRA

### EVM Targets (Risk Miles)

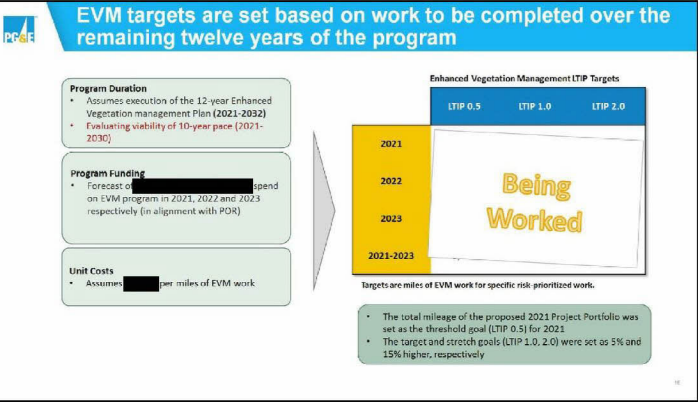
	LTIP 0.5	LTIP 1.0	LTIP 2.0
2021			
2022			
2023			
2021-2023			

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**Note:** Targets are based on 12-yr EVM Program pace (2021 – 2033) consistent with the PGR. Evaluating viability of 10-yr pace (2021 – 2030).

1. Basis of the 80% is to allow for operational execution considerations including permitting, weather related access and, customer approvals

2. Basis of the top 20% correlates to ~85% of true risk on the risk buydown curve







## Governance and Oversight

### Wildfire Risk Governance Committee

- System Hardening project lists (by CPZ) consistent with the Target Setting methodology will be formally approved annually by the Chief Risk Officer
- Enhanced Vegetation Miles (by CPZ) consistent with the Target Setting methodology will also be formally approved annually by the Chief Risk Officer

### PG&E Board – SNO and Compensation Committees

- Annual submission of a) System Hardening project list and b) specific locations of the Enhanced Vegetation Management miles to the SNO and Compensation Board Committees by the Chief Risk Officer
- Quarterly progress updates on plan vs. actual for both System Hardening and Enhanced Vegetation Management will be submitted to the SNO and Compensation Board Committees by the Chief Risk Officer

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## Appendix

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### CZU Lightning Complex Fire

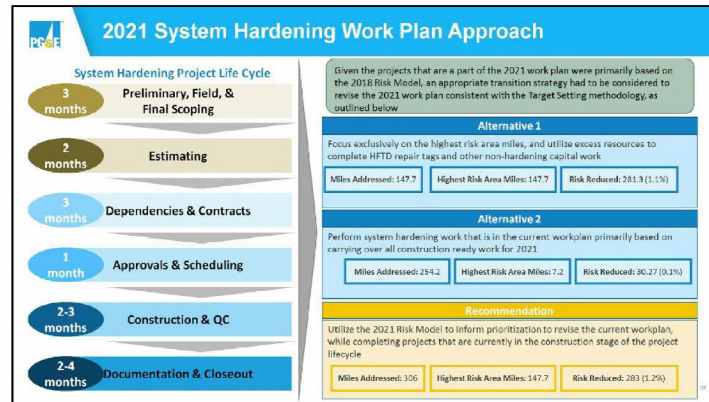
Source: CAL FIRE

#### Fire Description and Observations

- The wildfires started at 6:41 AM on August 16, 2023 and was the result of a thunderstorm that produced close to 13,000 bolts of lightning and started hundreds of fires throughout California.
- The lightning strikes initially started fires separately known as the Wasmella Fire near Davenport and the Waddell Fire, near Waddell Creek, as well as three fires on what would become the northern edge of the CZU Complex fire.
- Two days after the fires began, a change in wind conditions caused these three northern fires to rapidly expand and merge, growing quickly to over 40,000 acres.
- This was not one fire but a merging of small fires into one massive fire. Our current consequence models focus on potential fires growing from one ignition point as compared to simulating the fire behavior of multiple ignition points combining into one fire.
- The modeling complexity of this wildfire is such that it would require taking into account the hundreds of fires that were started rather than treating this as a single wildfire.
- Also, the focus of our consequence model evaluates the potential ignition points from our overhead electric distribution circuits in HTDs and several of the ignition points for this fire occurred where none of our assets existed.

#### Damage Overview

 86,509 acres burned	 Active for 37 days	 1 fatality	 140 structures damaged
 1 injury	 1,490 structures destroyed		



**Selected list of most destructive fires in the past thirty years**

Fire Name	Cause	Date	County	Ares	Structures Damaged	Deaths	PGE/Electric Power caused
Alvord - Oldman Falls	Arson	Oct-08	Oregon	1000	~7500	15	No
Conna	Uninvestigated	Oct-09	Shasta	26,000	354	1	No
Oriskany	Human Related	Oct-00	San Diego	272,040	2800	15	No
OKI	Human Related	Oct-03	San Bernardino	91,281	1,000	0	No
Waco	Powerlines	Oct-01	San Diego	151,000	1,500	2	No
Yuba	Electrical (Transformer)	Sept-20	Yuba, Nevada, Oregon	70,000	1,500	4	No
Buho	Powerlines	Sept-20	Arizone, California	70,000	1,500	2	Yes
Chaparral	Arson	Aug-04	Utah	1,900	600	0	No
Lawton	Firearm	Jan-27	Maricopa	81,000	133	0	No
Yuba	Electrical (Transformer)	Oct-17	Nevada and Oregon	20,000	1500	10	No
Oriskany	Powerlines	Oct-17	San Diego	26,000	1,200	3	Yes
Oriskany	Powerlines	Oct-17	Nevada, Oregon	32,000	1,800	0	Yes
Redwood Valley	Powerlines	Oct-17	California	46,000	1,600	0	No
Conna (New Wind Campus)	Powerlines	Oct-17	Yuba	5,000	204	4	Yes
Yuba	Powerlines	Oct-17	Utah	2,000	100	0	Yes
Oriskany	Powerlines	Oct-17	Nevada, San Diego	270,000	1,000	2	No
Car	Human Related	Jul-18	Shasta County, Trinity	275,000	1,600	8	No
Complex	Powerlines	Nov-16	Utah	1,000,000	1,000	0	Yes
Washburn	Under Investigation	Nov-18	Vermont	96,000	1,600	3	No
Oriskany	Powerlines	Oct-19	San Diego	27,000	170	0	Yes
Grand Fire	Human Related	Nov-19	Nevada	2,500	0	0	No
August Complex	Under Investigation	Aug-22	Massachusetts, Hampshire, Tisbury, Miliana, Otter Lake, California	1,000,000	900	2	No
East Complex	Under Investigation	Aug-22	Butte, Plumas, Yuba	1,000,000	2,000	15	No
14th Lighting Complex	Under Investigation	Aug-22	Los Angeles, San Diego, San Bernardino	100,000	1,400	0	No
17th Lighting Complex	Under Investigation	Aug-22	San Diego, San Bernardino	80,000	1,400	1	No
18th Lighting Complex	Under Investigation	Aug-22	San Diego, Alameda, Stanislaus	80,000	1,400	0	No
Chase Fire	Under Investigation	Sept-30	Nevada, Oregon	47,000	1,000	0	No
Creek Fire	Under Investigation	Sept-20	Franklin, Madison	177,000	800	0	No

\*All fires listed are destructive fires and/or caused by power lines  
 \*\*Fire caused by PGE Electric power