City Earns National Recognition for Commitment to Clean Energy and Customers Save $829,000 on 2018 Electricity

San Carlos, CA – The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) recognized the City of San Carlos as a Green Power Partner, based on its commitment to purchase 100% renewable energy for municipal operations through PCE’s voluntary ECO100 program. The City uses 100% renewable energy for all municipal facilities (such as street lights) and buildings. The EPA also recognized San Carlos as a new member of its national Green Power Community program, based on community members’ use of PCE’s ECOplus clean energy mix containing at least 50 percent renewable energy.

City of San Carlos customers saved $829,000 on their electricity bills in 2018 with Peninsula Clean Energy (PCE), while also earning national recognition for their commitment to renewable energy. Peninsula Clean Energy consistently sets its rates at 5% below PG&E’s electricity generation rates for its ECOplus product, resulting in millions of dollars of savings annually across its 290,000 customers. More than 97% of San Mateo County households and businesses purchase their electricity through Peninsula Clean Energy, and collectively saved an estimated $18 million in 2018.
PCE plans to provide 100 percent renewable energy by 2025, while the statewide goal is currently set at 60 percent renewable by 2030. More information is available at www.PeninsulaCleanEnergy.com.