



Meeting Slides and Recording

QUESTION AND ANSWER SESSION FOR DRAFT WILDFIRE MITIGATION MATURITY MODEL AND SURVEY GUIDELINES

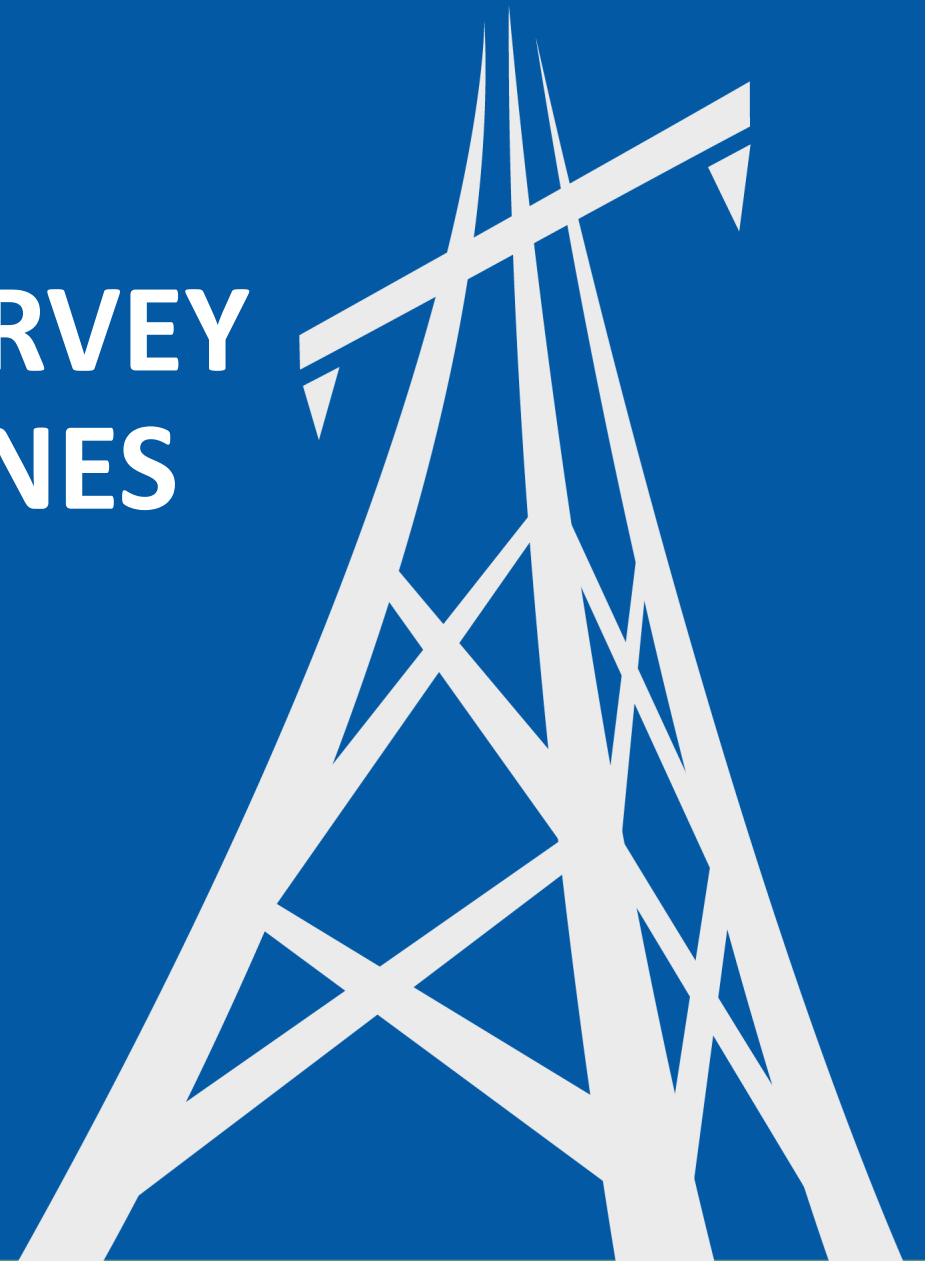
The Office of Energy Infrastructure Safety (Energy Safety) held a public Question and Answer (Q&A) for the Draft Wildfire Mitigation Maturity Model and Survey Guidelines on March 11, 2025. A recording of the meeting can be found on Energy Safety's YouTube channel at <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=s4DIUdfDK84>. The slides shown during the meeting are attached to this document.



DRAFT WILDFIRE MITIGATION MATURITY SURVEY MODEL & SURVEY GUIDELINES

Question-and-Answer Session

March 11, 2025

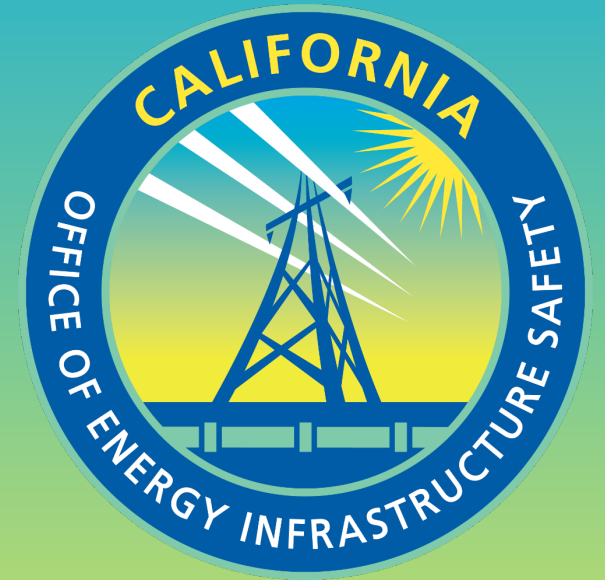


WELCOME & INTRODUCTION

AGENDA

March 11, 2025 | 10:30 a.m. – 12 p.m.

10:30 a.m. – 10:40 a.m.	Introduction from Energy Safety
10:40 a.m. – 11:50 a.m.	Questions from Electrical Corporations and Stakeholders
11:50 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.	Upcoming Dates & Next Steps



SAFETY MESSAGE



- Be aware of your surroundings
- Know your emergency exits and evacuation route(s)
- Feel something, say something
- Take regular breaks; get up and stretch
- Keep emergency contact information readily available

OBJECTIVES



- Provide a brief overview of the Draft Wildfire Mitigation Maturity Model and Survey Guidelines (MM/MS Guidelines), the Draft Maturity Survey Excel file, and the primary changes made to this iteration of the documents
- Provide an opportunity for Electrical Corporations (ECs) and stakeholders to ask questions regarding the MM/MS Guidelines and Maturity Survey Excel file



- Ask verbal questions at the open Q&A session
- Raise your hand on Teams when you have a question
- Enter written comments in the chat
- Identify yourself prior to speaking
- Energy Safety is recording this Q&A session and will post on Energy Safety's website and the WMP-Guidelines docket (<https://efiling.energysafety.ca.gov/EFiling/DocketInformation.aspx?docketnumber=WMP-Guidelines>)



Introduction – Draft Maturity Model and Survey Guidelines

OVERVIEW



The **Maturity Model** is:

- A quantitative method to assess EC wildfire risk mitigation capabilities and examine how ECs propose to continuously improve in key areas of the WMP
 - Organized into 7 categories with 38 total capabilities

The three main objectives of the Maturity Model are:

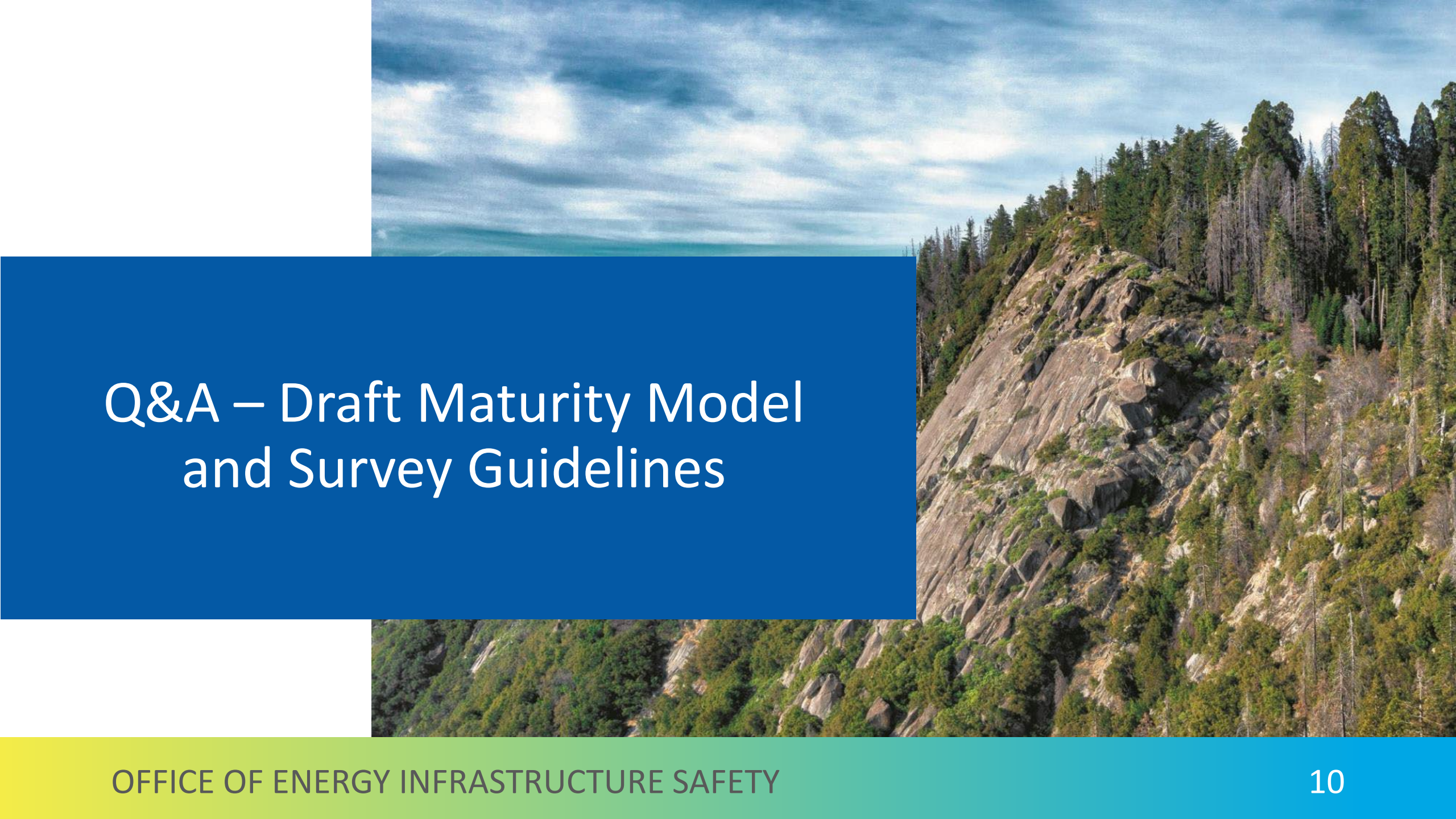
1. Provide a tool to measure an EC's maturity in mitigating wildfire and outage risk
2. Drive year-over-year continual improvement
3. Create a quantitative history of EC maturity growth for examination in future years

The **Maturity Survey** is an Excel workbook tool to enable an EC to report its existing and planned maturity level for each sub-capability of the Maturity Model

PRIMARY CHANGES/UPDATES



- Scoring concepts remains the same as previous iteration
- Changes to MM/MS Guidelines
 - Added one capability – (Best Management Practices for Transmission Right-of-Ways)
 - Edited and removed portions of sub-capabilities to improve clarity and reduce overlap
- Changes to Maturity Survey
 - Now an Excel tool for ECs to fill out and submit to Energy Safety
 - Changed to reflect the modifications made to the Maturity Model



Q&A – Draft Maturity Model and Survey Guidelines

QUESTION-AND-ANSWER

If you wish to comment:

- Press the “raise hand” button on Teams
 - Participants will be unmuted in order of hands raised
- Dial-in participants need to press *5 to raise hand



Upcoming Dates & Next Steps

UPCOMING DATES & NEXT STEPS (1 of 2)



- Reply Comments are due March 12, 2025
- If substantive changes are made to these draft documents, there will be a second draft of these Guidelines published and an additional comment period prior to adoption
- If no substantive changes are made, adoption is currently scheduled for March 19 @ 10am
- Docket WMP-Guidelines is your primary source of information regarding WMP evaluations:
<https://efiling.energysafety.ca.gov/EFiling/DocketInformation.aspx?docketnumber=WMP-Guidelines>

UPCOMING DATES & NEXT STEPS (2 of 2)



Maturity Survey Response Submission Dates

Electrical Corporation(s)	Submission Date
Pacific Gas & Electric Company	April 18, 2025
Bear Valley Electric Services, Inc.	April 18, 2025
San Diego Gas & Electric Company	May 2, 2025
Southern California Edison Company	May 16, 2025
Liberty Utilities	June 27, 2025
PacifiCorp	July 11, 2025
Horizon West, Trans Bay Cable, and LS Power	July 25, 2025



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