



## June 2026

This month brought long summer days and major milestones in our renewable energy portfolio, from local solar to record-breaking wind and battery storage projects. Read on to learn about these milestones, plus upcoming community events and incentives for home batteries and EV chargers.

### Ava and Prologis Celebrate New Local Solar Project in Oakland



On June 5, Ava and Prologis came together with partners from the CPUC and state and local elected leaders to celebrate a new rooftop solar project that will bring clean, affordable energy to local residents. Located atop a Prologis logistics hub in East Oakland, this project will generate solar power and a 20% bill discount for income-qualified Ava customers (known as Ava's Solar Discount Program).

This is the first of five projects we're developing in partnership with Prologis through California's Disadvantaged Communities Green Tariff (DAC-GT) program. Four more sites are being built in Hayward, San Leandro, and Tracy, totaling 7.28 MW of solar capacity and serving approximately 3,000 households.



#### More Renewable Energy on the Grid

Last week, we also celebrated two critical renewable energy resources coming online:

- [SunZia](#) (developed by Pattern Energy) is the largest wind farm in the Western Hemisphere—and one of the largest renewable energy infrastructure projects in U.S. history. Ava is a proud offtaker of 250 megawatts of wind power, adding a critical renewable resource to our portfolio.
- [Tumbleweed](#) (developed by REV Renewables) is the first major battery storage facility in the U.S. capable of discharging for eight hours straight. We've contracted for 50 megawatts of battery capacity, and are honored to be a part of this milestone that helps strengthen grid reliability and accelerate California's clean energy transition.

## Community Resilience Hub Workshop This Thursday

Join Emerald Cities Collaborative and the Local Clean Energy Alliance for a Resilience Hub Workshop on how community spaces can prepare for outages using solar and battery storage!

This event is hosted in partnership with Glad Tidings International, Green the Church, California Interfaith Power & Light, and the City of Hayward. Participants will hear from community partners about what makes a resilience hub and how to participate in the [Ava Resilience Hub Initiative](#) (including technical assistance and funding opportunities).

**When:** June 25, 2026, 12 pm - 2 pm

**Where:** Glad Tidings Family Life Center Gymnasium (27709 Tyrrell Ave, Hayward, CA)

[RSVP Here](#)

## Test Ride an E-Bike This Weekend



Explore and compare different e-bike styles and models on a safe, closed track. Whether it's your first time on an e-bike or you're ready to upgrade, this free community event is the perfect place to explore your options!

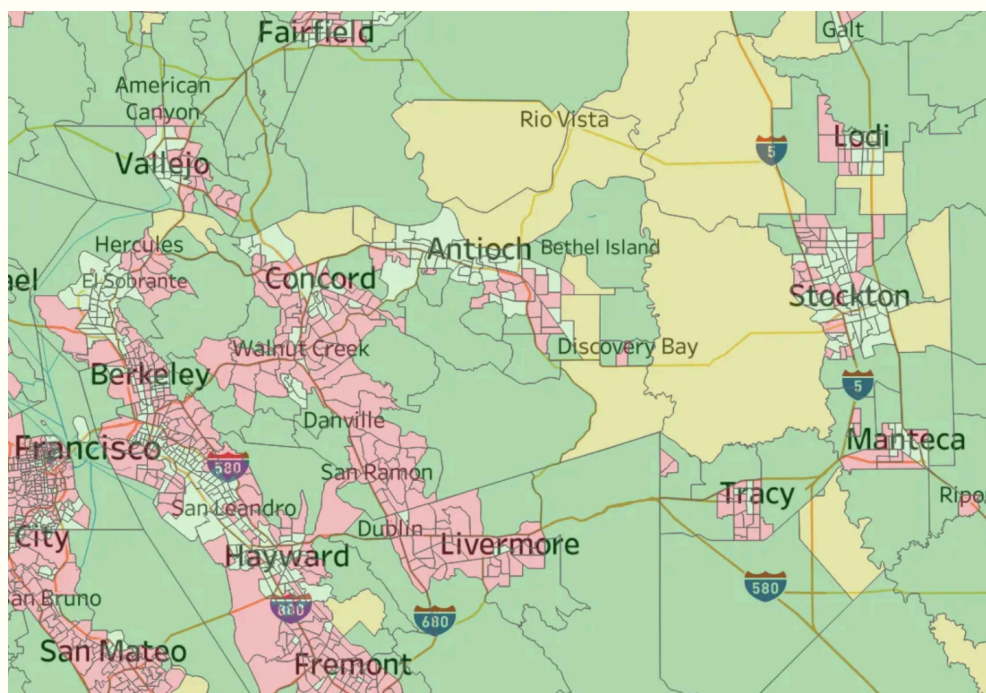
**When:** June 27th, 2026, 11 am - 3 pm

**Where:** Coliseum BART Station parking lot, San Leandro St, Oakland, CA

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## Federal Tax Credit for Home EV Chargers Expires June 30

Thinking about installing a home EV charger? If you install before June 30, you could get a federal tax credit (also known as the [Alternative Fuel Vehicle Refueling Property Credit](#)) of 30% of the cost, up to \$1000.



You'll need to live in a qualifying census tract to be eligible for the credit. [Check this map](#) for a quick reference!

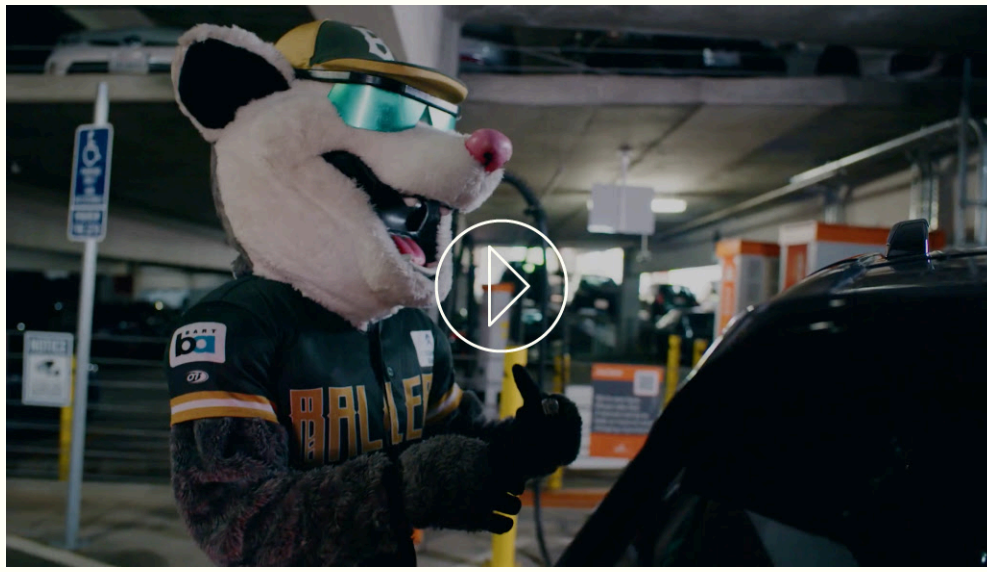
## New Program: SmartHome Battery

SmartHome Battery offers installation rebates for a new home battery connected to solar, and ongoing participation payments for connecting your battery to Ava's virtual power plant. Whether you already have a home solar and battery system or are thinking of installing one, enrolling in SmartHome Battery can help maximize your investment while helping the grid!

[Learn more about eligibility and enrollment](#)

## Get Scrappy to the Game!

We're proud to be an official partner of the Oakland Ballers for another season! See you at Raimondi Park this summer—and if you're looking for a place to charge your EV before the game, head to our downtown Oakland Ava Charge station just 5 minutes away.



## Upcoming Public Meetings

### Executive Committee Meeting

July 1, 2026 | 3:00 PM

### Community Advisory Committee

July 13, 2026 | 6:00 PM

### Board of Directors Meeting

July 15, 2026 | 6:00 PM

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