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The rate increase must include a requirement that LADWP allocate a meaningful portion of the revenue to the Rule 20 & Rule 32 underground utility conversion program. Angelinos have been getting an automatic response from LADWP that there is no money available. That has to be corrected in the power rate ordinance. Here is an ordinance by the City of San Jose:

http://www3.sanjoseca.gov/clerk/ORDS\_RESOS/ORD\_27687.pdf

## SECTION 3.

The City Council does hereby request that the Pacific Gas & Electric Company and SBC is this provide payment, computed pursuant to Rule 20 and Rule 32 respectively for the installation of no more than one hundred (100) feet (measured from the property line) of trenching, excavation, conduit installation, backfill, and surface restoration of each customer's individual service lateral to each qualifying premise affected by the District.

## SECTION 4.

The City Council does hereby request that the Pacific Gas & Electric Company pay, from the existing Rule 20A allocation, for the conversion of electric service panels to accept underground service, up to \$1,500 per service entrance, excluding permit fees.

Include the provisions in this ordinance as the policy for Rule 20 & Rule 32 underground conversions by LADWP. If San Jose can do it then Los Angeles can do it.

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