



**Joint Legislative Committee on Emergency Management
Assembly Committee on Emergency Management**

Joint Oversight Hearing

**Critical Lifeline Disruptions: How California is Prepared for Extreme Incidents:
Electricity, Gas and Public Safety Power Shutoffs**

Monday, April 8, 2024

Room 112 of the Capitol

Upon Adjournment of the Assembly Emergency Management Committee

AGENDA

Opening Comments

- Assemblymember Freddie Rodriguez, Chair
- Senator Monique Limon, Vice Chair, Joint Committee on Emergency Management

Panel One: Perspectives on preparing for and responding to lifeline disruptions

- Mary Jo Flynn-Nevins, Chief of Emergency Services, Sacramento County
- Damon Covington, Chief, City of Oakland Fire Department
- Lori Nezhura, Deputy Director of Planning, Preparedness and Prevention, California Office of Emergency Services (Cal OES)
- Anale Burlew, Chief Deputy Director, California Department of Forestry and Fire Protection (CAL FIRE)

Panel Two: Efforts to prepare for and mitigate lifeline disruptions

- Angie Gibson, Vice President, Emergency Preparedness & Response, Pacific Gas and Electric
- Thom Porter, Director of Emergency Management, San Diego Gas and Electric
- Forest Kaser, Deputy Executive Director, Safety, Enforcement, and Policy, California Public Utilities Commission
- Shannon O'Rourke, Deputy Director, Office of Energy Infrastructure Safety