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Natural gas at a residential and light commercial level does not tip the scales in any meaningful way and instead puts additional energy strain on the electric grid amongst already lofty energy goals around electric vehicles. During heat waves, the west coast already undergoes rolling blackouts which have worsened the last few years and until that is addresses, creating additional burden on consumers by eliminating choice and often preference for natural gas is a substantial overreach of local government. We want choice.