

# Refuel: San Diego Regional Alternative Fuel Coordinating Council

Kick-off Meeting October 16, 2014



San Diego Regional Alternative Fuel Coordinating Council

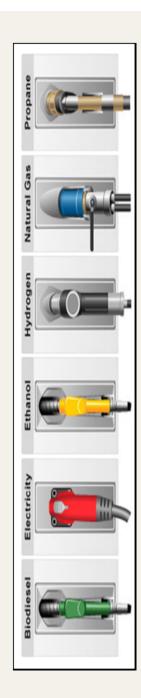
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### California Energy Commission Grant Requirements



# Why are we here?

- Energy Commission Grant
  - 2 year award
  - **-** \$360,040
  - Continue & expand efforts under REVI
  - Further deployment of AFV and AFI
  - Help region achieve energy and climate goals



### Who we are

### Refuel Partners:

- SANDAG: San Diego Association of Governments
- SDRCCC: San Diego Regional Clean Cities Coalition
- SDCAPCD: San Diego County Air Pollution Control District



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Introduction to Refuel: San Diego Regional Alternative Fuel Coordinating Council



### Refuel: Introduction

- San Diego Regional Alternative Fuel Coordinating Council
- Diverse stakeholders
  - Local and regional government
  - Public agencies
  - Utility
  - Education and research institutions
  - Industry
    - Regional
    - Fuel
    - Vehicle



# Refuel: Project Overview

- Assess the current state of alternative fuels in the region
- Identify alternative fuel training, infrastructure, policy, and funding gaps
- Create sector-specific toolkits to provide resources to key stakeholders in alternative fuel readiness
- Address the identified needs and challenges in the San Diego Regional Alternative Fuel Readiness Plan



# Refuel: Alternative Fuels

- Alternative Fuels Overview
  - Electricity
  - Hydrogen
  - Gaseous Fuels
  - Biofuels



### Electricity and Hydrogen

#### **Electricity**



- Vehicle types
  - Plug-in hybrid electric
  - Battery electric
- Vehicles use energy stored in a battery and must be charged externally (i.e. plugged-in).
- Majority of vehicles are light-duty.

### Hydrogen



- FCVs turn hydrogen and oxygen into electricity to power an electric motor.
- H<sub>2</sub> is stored onboard vehicle in high pressure tanks.
- H<sub>2</sub> is produced by reformation or electrolysis.
- Currently limited infrastructure and vehicle models.



### Gaseous Fuels

#### **Natural Gas**



- Mixture of hydrocarbons, primarily methane.
- Stored onboard vehicles in either a compressed gaseous or liquefied state.
- Natural gas vehicles are available in sedans to heavy-duty vehicles.

#### Propane



- Produced from natural gas processing and crude oil refining.
- Stored onboard vehicles as a liquid at moderate pressure.
- Commonly available propane vehicles: light and medium-duty trucks, vans, and shuttle buses.



### **Biofuels**

#### **Ethanol**



- Domestically produced alcohol-based fuel.
- Derived from various plant materials including corn, sugar cane, and grasses.
- Flexible fuel vehicles can operate interchangeably on gasoline and E85.

#### **Biodiesel**



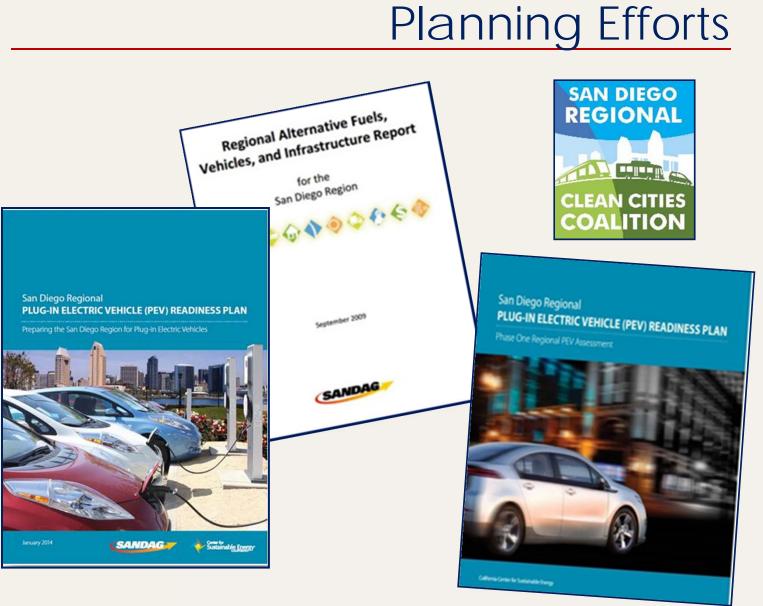
- Manufactured from vegetable oils, animal fats or recycled restaurant greases.
- Biodiesel blends range from B5 to B99.
- Unmodified diesel engines can run on any biodiesel blend.

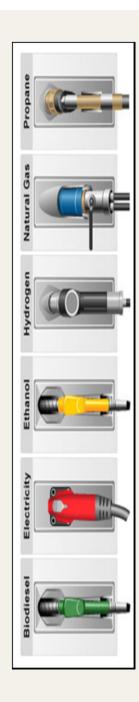
# Potential Alternative Fuel Fleet Applications

Fleet Application <sup>1</sup>	Biodiesel	Electricity	Ethanol (E85)	Hydrogen	Natural Gas	Propane
Passenger Vehicle	B5	PHEV, BEV	FFV	FCV	CNG	LPG
Vanpool-Shuttle	B20	PHEV	FFV		CNG	LPG
Pickup Truck	B20	PHEV	FFV		CNG	LPG
School Bus	B20				CNG	LPG
Sweeper	B20				CNG, LNG	
Other Medium Duty	B20	BEV, HEV			CNG, LNG	LPG
Refuse Hauler	B20	HEV			CNG, LNG	
Transit Bus	B20	BEV, HEV			CNG, LNG	
Regional/Long Haul Truck	B20				CNG, LNG	
Forklift		BEV		FCV	CNG	LPG
Lawn/Landscape mower	B20	-1	1			LPG
Low-speed Vehicle <sup>3</sup>		NEV				LPG



# Previous Alternative Fuel Planning Efforts





### Refuel: Deliverables

- Deliverables
  - Alternative Fuel Coordinating
    Council
  - Alternative Fuel Assessment
  - Sector Specific Alternative Fuel Toolkits
  - Regional Alternative Fuel Readiness
    Plan



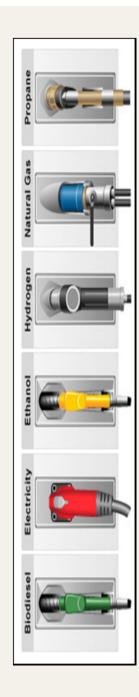
### Refuel: Timeline

- Quarterly meetings
- Readiness Assessment
  - Survey
  - Existing Conditions Report
  - Alternative Fuels Assessment
- Toolkits
  - Sector-specific toolkits
  - Outreach and distribution
- Regional Alternative Fuel Readiness Plan



# Refuel: Quarterly Meeting Schedule

- 1. October 16, 2014 Kick-off
- 2. January 15, 2015
- 3. April 16, 2015
- 4. July 16, 2015
- 5. October 15, 2015



### Refuel: Subcommittee Timeline-ish

- Electric
- Gaseous Fuels
  - Natural Gas
  - Propane
- Biofuels
  - Biodiesel
  - Ethanol
  - Other
- Hydrogen



### Refuel: Subcommittee Meeting Schedule

- Electric:
  - 2014: November
  - 2015: February, May & August
- Gaseous Fuels
  - 2014: December
  - 2015: February, March & June
- Hydrogen
  - 2014: December
  - 2015: March & June
- Biofuels
  - 2015: January, April & July



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Refuel Member Responsibilities



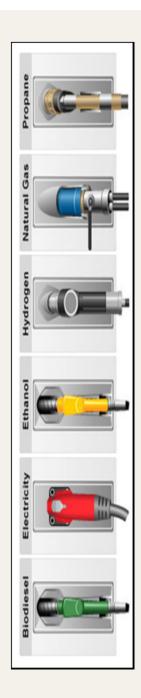
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Refuel Formation Documents

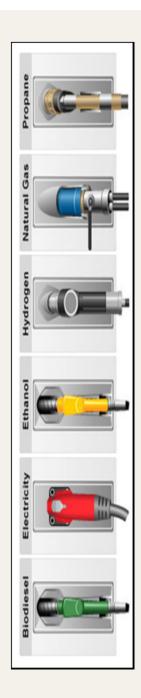
### Mission Statement

To support innovative partnerships and to facilitate and develop a San Diego regional alternative fuel (AF) readiness plan that identifies, reduces or resolves barriers to the widespread deployment of AF infrastructure and vehicles: thereby showcasing the San Diego region as a national leader in AF readiness.



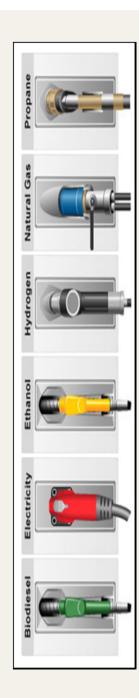
### Goals

- 1. To establish a regional alternative fuel (AF) coordinating council to help streamline practices and address barriers to AF adoption as well as provide real-time learning and sharing across jurisdictions and to diverse stakeholders involved in AF readiness.
- 2. To provide input toward a regionallyaccepted comprehensive AF Readiness Plan that leverages past planning efforts, addresses barriers and complexities, and lays the framework for future AF planning efforts.



### Goals

- 3. To provide consistent messages across jurisdictions, agencies, dealerships, consumers, companies, educational institutions, fuel providers, and others about AFs.
- 4. To leverage and foster partnerships among government, business, academia, and other organizations to promote AF deployment and support economic development in the region.



### Charter

- 1. Purpose
- 2. Responsibilities
- 3. Membership
  - Voting members
  - Local government membership
  - Advisory members
- 4. Meeting time and location



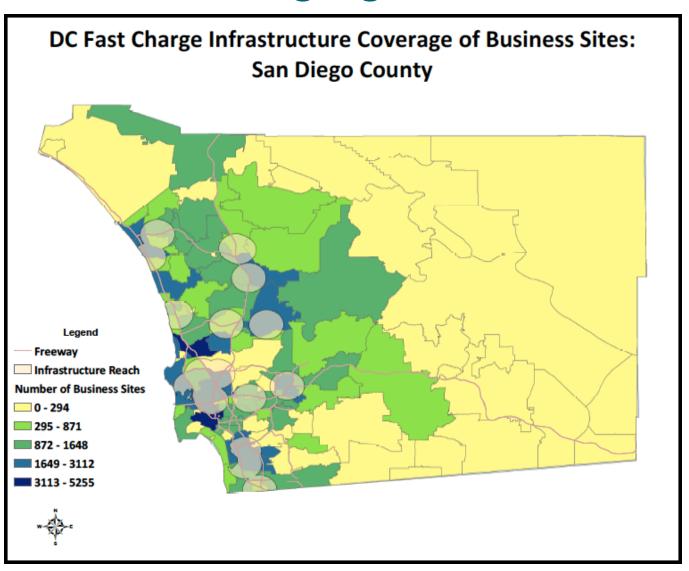
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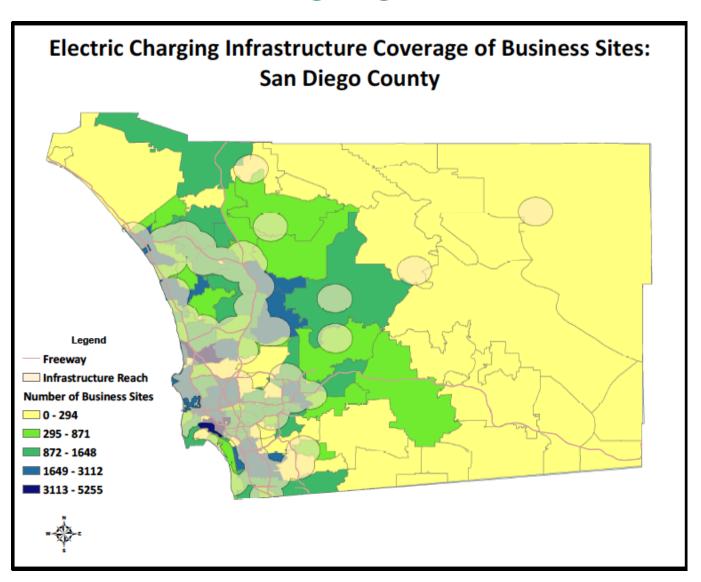
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# San Diego Regional Alternative Fuel Infrastructure

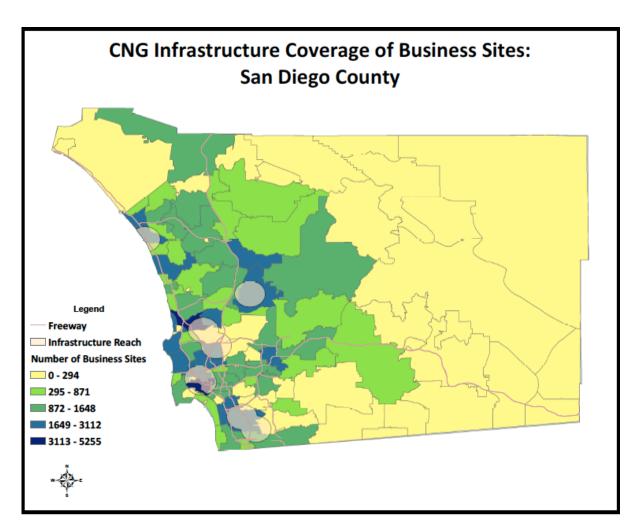
### Electric Charging – DC Fast



### Electric Charging –Level 2

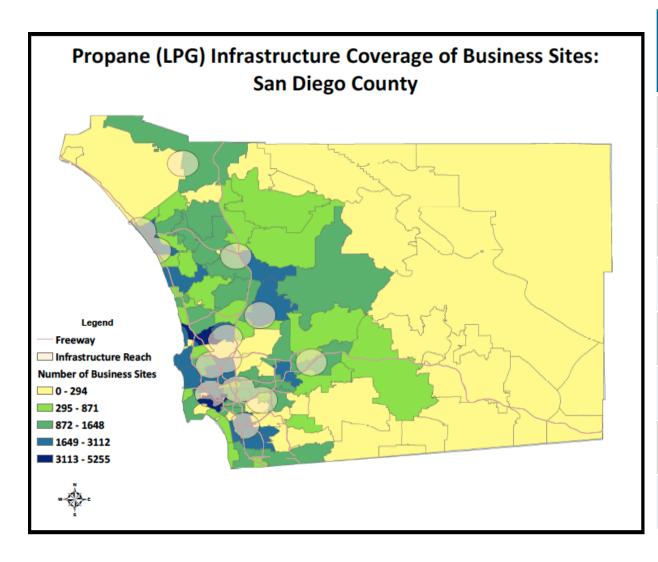


### Compressed Natural Gas (CNG)



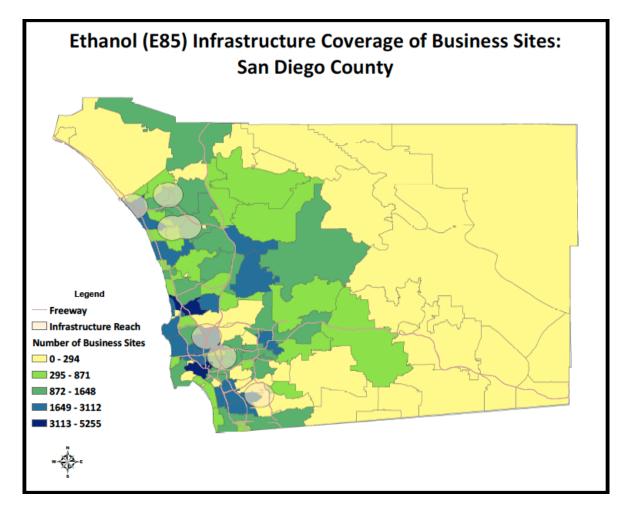
Site Type	Range Length (miles)	% of Sites Covered
All Residence	2.5	17%
All Residence	5	47%
All Business	2.5	28%
All Business	5	57%
HD Business	2.5	24%
HD Business	5	48%

## Propane (LPG)



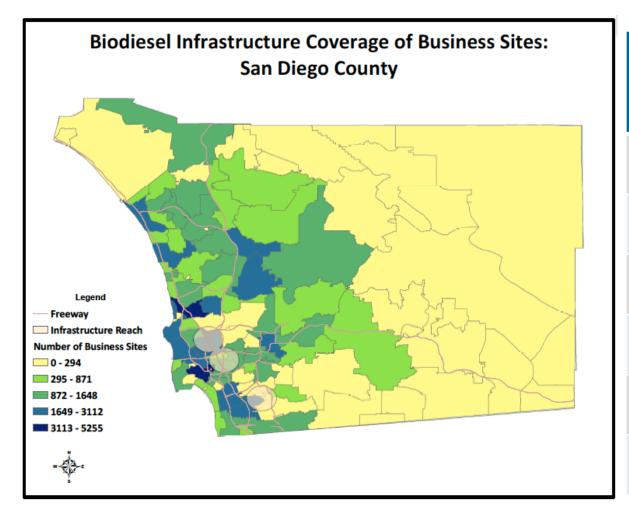
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All Residence	2.5	32%
All Residence	5	66%
All Business	2.5	45%
All Business	5	77%
LD Business	2.5	46%
LD Business	5	78%
MD Business	2.5	43%
MD Business	5	75%

### **Ethanol**



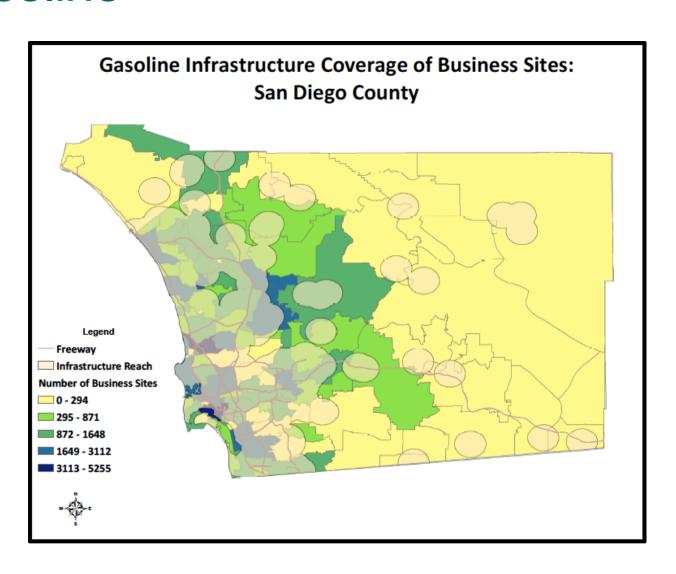
Site Type	Range Length (miles)	% of Sites Covered
All Residence	2.5	19%
All Residence	5	48%
All Business	2.5	24%
All Business	5	50%
LD Business	2.5	26%
LD Business	5	51%

### **Biodiesel**



Site Type	Range Length (miles)	% of Sites Covered
All Residence	2.5	11%
All Residence	5	29%
All Business	2.5	13%
All Business	5	35%
HD Business	2.5	11%
HD Business	5	28%

### Gasoline



# San Diego Regional Barriers to Alternative Fuel Deployment

Alternative Fuel Infrastructure

Alternative Fuel Vehicles

Education and Training