## **Advanced Energy Works for California**

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Stem, headquartered in Millbrae, creates innovative technology services that transform the way energy is distributed and consumed. Stem builds, owns, and operates customersited energy storage, powered its proprietary artificial intelligence (AI). AI optimizes the timing of energy use and facilitates consumers' participation in energy markets, yielding economic and societal benefits while modernizing the grid.

These systems, when not needed onsite to reduce customers' energy bills with demand charge management, form "virtual power plant" networks that perform utility- and grid-facing services. For example, Stem currently has over 100 systems participating in a virtual power plant providing local capacity in the highly congested West Los Angeles Basin. Stem's network of energy storage systems help customers manage their energy costs while providing a non-wires alternative for utilities and grid operators at less cost to ratepayers.



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"What drives me in my career is my desire to create positive change for the environment, and storage is key to enabling the transition to the modernized grid fed by more renewable energy."

- ASHLEY HENDERSON, STEM, INC.

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