



# \$900 Solar Rebate for Income Qualified Single-family Residential Customers

## Who is eligible?

MCE Single-family Residential customers earning 80%, or less, of their County's Area Median Income (AMI)<sup>1</sup> qualify for MCE's Single-family Rebate (see table below displaying 80% AMI values).

Number of People in	Marin	Napa	Solano	Contra Costa
1-person households	\$97,600	\$60,100	\$51,800	\$73,100
2-person households	\$111,550	\$68,650	\$59,200	\$83,550
3-person households	\$125,500	\$77,250	\$66,600	\$94,000
4-person households	\$139,400	\$85,800	\$73,950	\$104,400
5-person households	\$150,600	\$92,700	\$79,900	\$112,800
6-person households	\$161,750	\$99,550	\$85,800	\$121,150
7-person households	\$172,900	\$106,400	\$91,700	\$129,500
8-person households	\$184,050	\$113,300	\$97,650	\$137,850

Before contracting for your solar system, [click here](#)<sup>2</sup> to see if you're **eligible for a FREE solar system** through the Disadvantaged Communities – Single-family Solar Homes (DAC - SASH) program, implemented by GRID Alternatives.

MCE strongly recommends scheduling a free energy audit at your residence to improve your home's efficiency and maximize the benefits from a solar installation. More information on how to sign up for a consultation can be found below.

## What projects qualify?

MCE customers who install photovoltaic systems installed within MCE's service area.<sup>3</sup> The system must be purchased and/or building permits signed after 4/1/20.<sup>4</sup> Applications will not be accepted once funds are exhausted and/or after 3/31/21.

<sup>1</sup> 2020 HCD Values - <http://www.hcd.ca.gov/grants-funding/income-limits/state-and-federal-income-limits.shtml>

<sup>2</sup> [https://www.energyforallprogram.org/?\\_ga=2.159621301.96694526.1553279031-1546427874.1548982882](https://www.energyforallprogram.org/?_ga=2.159621301.96694526.1553279031-1546427874.1548982882)

<sup>3</sup> MCE's service territory includes Marin County and all incorporated cities and towns, Napa County and all incorporated cities and towns, Unincorporated Solano County, Unincorporated Contra Costa County, and the cities of Benicia, Concord, Danville, El Cerrito, Lafayette, Martinez, Moraga, Oakley, Pinole, Pittsburg, Richmond, San Pablo, San Ramon, and Walnut Creek.

<sup>4</sup> Exceptions may apply due to previous agreements with partners.

## How do I apply?

Submit the required forms to MCE at [info@mceCleanEnergy.org](mailto:info@mceCleanEnergy.org) or by mail at:

*MCE Solar Rebate Program  
1125 Tamalpais Ave.  
San Rafael, CA 94901*

## Required forms:

1. MCE Solar Rebate Application Form;
2. MCE Solar Rebate Program Disclaimer Form;
3. Proof of income eligibility, if not on CARE;
4. Photos of your installation system;
5. A copy of the signed Installation Services Agreement;
6. A copy of the invoice for the purchase or installation of your solar system.

## When will I receive the rebate?

It will take approximately one month from the time MCE receives your completed application to the time you receive your rebate check in the mail. You will be notified as soon as your application has been processed for payment.

## How do I schedule a free energy efficiency consultation?

To determine if you're eligible for a free Energy Efficiency consultation please contact:

Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program (for Marin Residents)  
Phone: 415-416-6660

Contra Costa County Department of Conservation & Development- Weatherization Program  
Phone: 925-674-7214  
Email: [laura.glass@dcd.cccounty.us](mailto:laura.glass@dcd.cccounty.us)

Rising Sun Energy Center (for Contra Costa, Marin, Napa, and Solano Counties)  
Audits are available from June to August  
Phone: 510-665-1501  
Email: [info@risingsunenergy.org](mailto:info@risingsunenergy.org)

PG&E's Energy Savings Assistance Program (for Contra Costa, Marin, Napa, and Solano Counties)  
Phone: 888-216-8463

We are committed to helping you find the resources you need and answering any questions you might have. Please contact us at [info@mceCleanEnergy.org](mailto:info@mceCleanEnergy.org) or call 1-415-464-6010

# MCE Solar Rebate Application Form

## Customer Information

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Last Name	First Name
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Property Address	City	Zip Code
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Telephone	Email
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## Project Information

- 1) System Size (AC): \_\_\_\_\_ Kilowatts
- 2) System Purchase Date: \_\_\_\_\_ (DD/MM/YEAR)
- 3) Where will the system be installed?  Same address as above

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Property Address	City	Zip Code
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## Payment Designation (if applicable)<sup>5</sup>

I, the Host Customer, hereby designate my MCE Solar Rebate to the party indicated below. I understand that it is my right to receive the rebate directly from MCE and it is my decision to designate the rebate directly to the Installer or the non-profit GRID Alternatives. Please designate my MCE Solar rebate to the following party:

- Installer \_\_\_\_\_ Company  
Contact Information
- GRID Alternatives

## Signature

I certify that the information above is accurate.

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Property-Owner Signature	Name (please print)	Date
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<sup>5</sup> Payment will be sent directly to Customer unless specified otherwise in the Payment Designation section.

## MCE'S SINGLE FAMILY INCOME QUALIFIED PHOTOVOLTAIC REBATE PROGRAM TERMS AND CONDITIONS

1. **ELIGIBILITY:** The MCE Single Family Income-Qualified Photovoltaic Rebate Program (Program) was developed to reduce the cost of photovoltaic (PV) solar systems for income qualified MCE single-family residential accounts. The Program offers \$900 per account for PV installation. Property owners of single-family residential accounts, or their authorized representative, (Customer), can apply for the Program rebate for their installed system. To be eligible for the rebate, Customer must be: (i) income-qualified as a household at or below 80% The Area Medium Income (AMI) for their county, (ii) have the meter account, that is tied to the solar system, enrolled in MCE's service, and (iii) be for a PV system purchased and/or building permits signed after 4/1/20.
2. **QUALIFYING PROJECTS AND MEASURES:** Qualifying projects include PV solar system installations identified on eligible properties by MCE based on this application.
3. **REBATE AMOUNTS:** The rebate amount for qualifying projects will be \$900 and will be issued once the installed system specifications are final and verified by MCE. Rebates are subject to change and are available until funds are exhausted and/or the Program is terminated. There are a limited number of MCE rebates available on a first come, first serve basis and MCE does not guarantee that all requests will be fulfilled. Any utility, state, or federal solar rebates in addition to MCE's Solar Rebate must be petitioned for by Customer and are the responsibility of Customer.
4. **PV SYSTEM VERIFICATION REQUIRED:** Customer understands that Customer will not receive a rebate until the system verification documents have been verified and approved by MCE and/or its program implementers.
5. **IMPLEMENTATION OF WORK AND PAYMENT OF REBATES:** Customer will be required to submit their PV system verification documents upon project completion, including photos of Customer's installation system, a copy of the signed Installation Services Agreement, and a copy of the invoice for purchase or installation of Customer's solar system. The maximum rebate amount issued is the amount confirmed in the Rebate Reservation form, if applicable, unless otherwise approved in writing by MCE.
6. **CUSTOMER INFORMATION:** Customer authorizes MCE to collect and remit utility information including owner name, account number, electric, gas, and/ or water consumption data and electric, gas, and/or water savings to a third-party evaluation contractor for Program evaluation purposes. The evaluation contractor will keep customer information confidential. Customer information may also be provided to the CPUC and/or MCE's authorized contractors including the technical assistance provider. The Customer agrees that MCE and MCE's authorized contractors may review the building's historic and future energy data to evaluate, measure, and verify actual system performance.
7. **TAX LIABILITY and CREDITS DISCLAIMER:** MCE is not responsible for any taxes which may be imposed on the customer as a result of measures installed under this Program. Customer is responsible for consulting its own tax advisor as to the tax consequences of the rebate issued under this Program as well as any future system output credits on the metered account.
8. **DISPUTES:** Except where otherwise limited by law, MCE reserves the right, at its sole discretion, to make final determinations regarding any disputed issues about the Program, including but not limited to eligibility and incentive or rebate amounts.
9. **PROGRAM CHANGES:** MCE reserves the right to change, modify, or terminate this Program at any time without any liability except as expressly stated herein. MCE will honor all written commitments made in the Rebate Reservation, if such form is used, provided to Customers prior to the date of any change, modification or termination of this Program, provided that project installations are fully completed within the time specified in the Rebate Reservation.
10. **PROGRAM EXPIRATION:** The Program will expire upon the earliest to occur: (i) March 31, 2021, (ii) when funds are depleted, or (iii) when the Program is terminated.

11. **DISCLAIMER:** MCE makes no representations or warranties, expressed or implied, and does not guarantee that the use of the equipment purchased or installed pursuant to this Program will result in energy cost savings.
12. **INSTALLATION REQUIREMENTS:** All work must be performed and completed in accordance with applicable laws, rules, and regulations of local, state or federal authorities having jurisdiction, including but not limited to licensing and permitting requirements. Any removal or disposal of old equipment, materials or debris as necessary to complete the project scope of work shall be done in accordance with all applicable regulations. The contractor selected by Customer shall be solely responsible for the work of any and all subcontractors. MCE is not responsible for the contract that is entered into between Customer and their contractor.
13. **WARRANTY:** The contractor selected by Customer to install measures must provide a warranty for all labor and materials furnished or performed under this Program for Customer from defects in workmanship for a period of at least twelve (12) months after installation is completed. The warranty period shall commence on the date of Customer's signature on a contractual agreement with the contractor. During the warranty period, the contractor shall provide replacement materials and the necessary labor (at no additional cost to MCE or Customer) to replace the defective materials and repair incorrectly operating equipment. The contractor selected by Customer shall be solely responsible for the work of any and all subcontractors.

# MCE Solar Rebate Program Disclaimer

1. I UNCONDITIONALLY AGREE TO WAIVE, RELEASE, DISCHARGE, AND CONVEYANT NOT TO SUE Marin Clean Energy, its officers, members, agents, employees (“MCE”) and Program Partners, from any and all claims and causes of action, whether in law or equity, that I, my agents, assigns, heirs, next of kin, or successors in interest may have for ANY LIABILITY, LOSS, DAMAGE, or INJURY, including liability for personal injury, death, dismemberment, damage to property, or theft, arising out of, related to, or in connection with the MCE Solar Rebate program, whether caused or claimed to be caused by the active or passive negligent acts or omissions of MCE.
2. I AGREE TO DEFEND, INDEMNIFY, AND HOLD HARMLESS MCE from and against any and all liability, including but not limited to claims asserted, demands, causes of action, costs, expenses, losses, attorney fees, injuries, or payments for injury to any person or property, including injury to myself or others claimed to be caused by the acts or omissions of myself or in any way connected with the MCE Solar Rebate program. Also covered is liability arising from, connected with, caused by, or claimed to be caused by, the active or passive negligent acts or omissions of MCE that may be in combination with the active or passive negligent acts or omissions of myself, my agents, or any third party.
3. I AGREE AND EXPRESSLY ACKNOWLEDGE that the foregoing Waiver, Release, and Indemnity Agreement is intended to be as broad and inclusive as is permitted by the law of the state of California, and that if any portion of this Agreement is held invalid, that the balance shall continue in full force and effect; I UNDERSTAND AND EXPRESSLY ACKNOWLEDGE that MCE is relying on my representation that I have the authorization to sign this document; and I CERTIFY that I have read this agreement, understand its contents, voluntarily sign this Waiver, Release, and Indemnity Agreement; and further agree that no oral representations, statements, or inducements apart from this written Agreement have been relied upon.

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Property-Owner Signature	Name (please print)	Date
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## Return Forms to MCE

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San Rafael, CA 94901

## Contact

MCE staff will contact applicants to notify them if their Request for Rebate Payment is approved, if further information is required, or if funds are no longer available to provide rebates at that time.

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