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**GSFA ADVANCE REBATE PAYMENT (ARP) PROGRAM
PROGRAM TERM SHEET**

The Self-Generation Incentive Program – Equity Resiliency Budget (**SGIP-ERB**) under the California Public Utilities Commission (**CPUC**) provides incentives for of energy storage technologies to customers in California who live in Tier 2 or Tier 3 High Fire Threat Districts (**HFTD**) or have had two or more Public Safety Power Shutoff (**PSPS**) events and require electricity for medical, health and safety of ratepayers. Though these incentives are generous it is believed that there are instances where out-of-pocket cost to the ratepayer required for equipment ordering and installation, prior to program reimbursement presents a barrier to participation.

Golden State Finance Authority (**GSFA**) Advance Rebate Payment (**ARP**) Program helps alleviate this problem by providing upfront bridge funding (**ARP Funds**) to the SGIP Developer on behalf of the homeowner for SGIP-ERB approved projects.

ARP Funds	<p>Applicant agrees to assign GSFA as the recipient of the SGIP-ERB incentive. By doing so, GSFA will provide ARP Funds, on behalf of the Applicant, to the Developer in Advance of the incentive, or Rebate. The SGIP-ERB incentive will be sent directly to GSFA, as they are assigned the recipient of the incentive, thus reimbursing the advanced GSFA ARP funds.</p> <p>ARP Funds are provided though GSFA and through a grant from the State of California Energy Commission (CEC), as part of an award to the CEC by the Federal Department of Energy under the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act.</p> <p>Funds are limited. Completed ARP applications will be approved on a first-come, first-serve basis.</p>								
Distribution of Funds	<p>ARP Funds are distributed in two installments:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The first, prior to project implementation, assist the Developer with the procurement of equipment and other related items; and 2. The final payment to the Developer occurs after project completion, upon approval of the Incentive Claim Application by the SGIP Program Administrator. 								
Fees or Costs to Applicant	<p>None. No program fees or cost are passed on to the Applicant or the Developer. Developers are not to charge Applicant any fees or costs for participating in the GSFA ARP Program.</p>								
ARP Program Eligibility	<p>ARP Applicant must have an approved single-family SGIP-ERB reservation as illustrated by an SGIP-ERB Confirmed Reservation Letter. Multifamily and non-Residential SGIP-ERB projects are not allowed under the GSFA ARP Program.</p>								
Project Eligibility	<p>Project must be a single-family residence that meets SGIP-ERB criteria:</p> <table border="1" data-bbox="337 1312 1498 1545"> <thead> <tr> <th data-bbox="342 1318 467 1346">Criteria:</th> <th data-bbox="472 1318 1494 1346">Eligibility Requirement</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td data-bbox="342 1350 467 1402">1.</td> <td data-bbox="472 1350 1494 1402">a) Property located in a Tier 2 or Tier 3 HFTD; or, b) Have experienced two or more PSPS events prior to the date of Application.</td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="2" data-bbox="342 1407 1494 1434">AND:</td> </tr> <tr> <td data-bbox="342 1438 467 1545">2.</td> <td data-bbox="472 1438 1494 1545">a) Be Equity Budget eligible; or, b) Have a serious illness/condition that is life-threatening if electricity is disconnected; or, c) Eligible for medical baseline program; or, d) Household reliant on electric pump wells for water supplies.</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	Criteria:	Eligibility Requirement	1.	a) Property located in a Tier 2 or Tier 3 HFTD; or, b) Have experienced two or more PSPS events prior to the date of Application.	AND:		2.	a) Be Equity Budget eligible; or, b) Have a serious illness/condition that is life-threatening if electricity is disconnected; or, c) Eligible for medical baseline program; or, d) Household reliant on electric pump wells for water supplies.
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Participating Developer Eligibility	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must be an approved SGIP Developer in good standing under SGIP. • Must be in good standing with the State of California Contractors State Licensing Board. • Must be in good standing with the Better Business Bureau. • Must maintain Commercial General Liability Insurance, Workers Compensation Insurance, and Surety Bond Insurance. <p>GSFA reserves the right to review Developer Eligibility requirements at any time, and to request any necessary documentation to do so.</p>								