

ENERGY EFFICIENCY AND CONSERVATION STRATEGY

Grantee: Murrieta **State:** California **Date:** 02/22/2024

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Local and tribal governments must submit a proposed Energy Efficiency and Conservation Strategy (EECS) to the Department of Energy (DOE) to meet the statutory requirements for the EECBG Program. The recipient must provide the information outlined in Section 1 to meet the EECS requirement. **Please note that questions 4 and 5 of Section 1 are for** *local governments only*. Tribal governments may skip questions 4 and 5 of Section 1 of the EECS. Section 2 of the EECS is optional for both local and tribal governments.

Section 1 (required):

Local and tribal governments must include within their proposed strategy a description of their goals for increased energy efficiency and conservation in the jurisdiction. Does your local government have existing energy efficiency and conservation or related goals?

Yes, our government does have an existing goal and contains the following.

Goal Name	Specific goal (e.g. 80% GHG reduced from 1990 levels)	Target year (e.g. 2050)
GHG reduction goal	80% GHG reduced from 1990 levels	2050
GHG reduction goal	40% GHG reduced from 2016 levels	2030
GHG reduction goal	50% GHG reduced from 2016 levels	2035

Does your local or tribal government have an existing plan or strategy document (e.g., climate action plan, energy conservation plan, comprehensive energy plan, etc.) to reduce energy use, increase energy efficiency, reduce emissions, or train workers for high-quality energy efficiency jobs? **Yes**

Enter web URL address:

Do you intend to update your plan in the next two years? **Yes**

Are you planning to use any of your EECBG Program funds to update your plan? No

Are you planning to use an EECBG Program Blueprint? No

We plan to apply our EECBG Program funds to the following categories of work: **Programs for financing, purchasing, and installing energy efficiency, renewable energy, and zero-emission transportation (and associated infrastructure)**

How will your use of funds help your unit of government meet its strategy/goals? Installation of EV charging infrastructure will help encourage residents and businesses to purchase and use zero emission vehicles. EV infrastructure at public locations will help eliminate range anxiety for EV users in the corridor. The City of Murrieta is uniquely located at the intersection of the I-15 & I-215 freeway and has higher than average EV vehicles per capita. The installation of additional infrastructure will help the City in obtaining its greenhouse reduction goals.

Provide a brief description of your project:

The project will install multiple EV charging stations at two city facilities.

(For local governments only) Local governments must coordinate and share information with the State in which the eligible local government is located regarding activities carried out using the grant to maximize the energy efficiency and conservation benefits under the EECBG Program. Have you coordinated and shared your planned activities with your State? Please describe how you plan to coordinate with your state:

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(For local governments only) Local governments must take into account any plans for the use of funds by adjacent eligible local governments that receive grants under the EECBG Program. Have you taken into account how adjacent eligible units of local governments plan to use their funds?

Section 2 (optional):

Do you have a plan to collaborate with other eligible units of government? **No**

Are you planning to partner with other organizations including utilities, energy industry and financial companies, community-based organizations, labor unions, and other non-profit organizations for your project? **Yes**

1. Please list your partners: Southern California Edison (SCE) local electrical utility.

Have you engaged local stakeholders (such as utilities, energy industry and financial companies, community-based organizations, labor unions, and other non-profit organizations) in the development of your plan and/or how you intend to use your EECBG Program allocation? **Yes**

Will this EECBG Program funding help you to access additional sources of funding? Yes

1. What kind? (Check all that apply) **Local government;Private sector** If other, please explain:

Do you anticipate needing support for your project development/implementation? No

1. What kind of support do you anticipate needing? (Check all that apply) If other, please explain:

Do you anticipate the project(s) you use this funding for will continue after the EECBG Program funding period? Yes

1. Describe how the project(s) have been designed to ensure that it sustains benefits beyond the EECBG Program funding period:EV infrastructure is a critical component to the City's greenhouse gas reduction goals outlined in the City's Climate Action Plan and General Plan.

How do you intend for your project(s) to benefit disadvantaged communities? (Check all that apply)

If other, please explain:

How will your strategy support the goal that 40% of the overall benefits of certain federal investments flow to disadvantaged communities, in line with the Justice40 initiative?

From: <u>EECBG Vouchers</u>
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Subject: U.S. Department of Energy EECBG Program Voucher Application Preapproval - Murrieta

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Dear Martha,

Congratulations! U.S. Department of Energy has approved your Energy Efficiency and Conservation Block Grant (EECBG) Program Equipment Rebate Voucher application, and you can now proceed with equipment purchase and installation.

If you need additional assistance or have any questions, please contact us at <u>EECBGVouchers@icf.com</u> and reference your application number below.

Application Number:

IA-000000432

Thank you,

EECBG Program Voucher Team

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