



BAY AREA
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The Air District's Competitive Solicitation for Electric Charging Infrastructure

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Solicitation Goal



To fund permanent infrastructure installations or expansions that spur the deployment of zero-emission vehicles and equipment in the Bay Area.

Supported Equipment Categories



- The charging stations may be used to support all categories of heavy-duty equipment and vehicles.
- Examples include but are not limited to:
 - Vehicles above 14,001 GVWR
 - Mobile off-road & agricultural equipment that is ≥ 25 horsepower
 - Locomotives
 - Marine vessels/equipment



Available Funding



- A total of \$30 Million is available.
- 80% targeted for our Priority Communities.
- Goal of at least seven funded sites.
- Max award per site is \$5 million, minimum \$50,000.
- Max award to a single applicant \$15 million.
 - No cap on number of sites.
- Co-funding with other sources is allowed as long as the requirements of all programs are met.

Funding Percentages



Project type	Maximum Percentage of Eligible Cost	
	Outside of disadvantaged community	Within disadvantaged community
Any infrastructure project	Up to 50%	Up to 60%
Any infrastructure project located at a sensitive receptor*	--	Up to 100%
Publicly accessible project	Up to 60%	Up to 70%
Projects with solar/wind power systems **	Private projects up to 65% Public projects up to 75%	Private projects up to 75% Public projects up to 85%
Infrastructure for public school buses	Up to 100%	Up to 100%
Additional incentive for projects also serving the port, railyard, or freight facility	--	+10%***

Tentative Program Schedule



<u>Dates</u>	<u>Activity</u>
Wednesday, July 19 th , 2023	Application period begins, and solicitation opens.
August 15 th , 2023	Deadline for written questions. Questions will be answered as they come in and posted online every two weeks.
Tuesday, September 12th, 2023 - Noon Pacific Time	Application period ends and solicitation closes.
January, 2024	Initial evaluation and ranking will be announced and brought to Board of Directors for approval.
January-February, 2024	Contracts will be executed, and Grantees may begin work on their projects
Within two years from the date of the Notice of Award	All work to install funded stations is completed, Grantees submit reimbursement requests, and stations to be operational and begin to collect data and report annually.
Spring 2029	Grantees that have met their required usage submit their final report.