Incentives for Sustainability

Rebate Guidance and Terms & Conditions

Non Profit Community and Sporting Facility Rebates

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How To Use This Guide

This document outlines the Terms and Conditions associated with each of the Incentives for Sustainability available to Non-Profit Community and Sporting Facilities located within the City of Adelaide boundaries of postcodes 5000 and 5006 and provides guidance on how to apply for each of these rebates.

The document is broken up into discrete sections including:

- A Summary of Available Rebates and their overarching eligibility
- The General Eligibility Criteria and Conditions that apply to all City of Adelaide Incentives for Sustainability
- Guidance for each individual rebate that outlines:
 - o Rebate specific eligibility criteria and conditions
 - Details of whether pre-commitments are available or required for that rebate and any specific conditions surrounding that pre-commitment
 - The supporting document you will require to be able to successfully submit your application
 - Details on how to check if Development Approval
 (DA) is required for your proposed project
 - Any other specific information that you may need to consider as part of your decisionmaking process

Applications can be made via the City of Adelaide's SmartyGrants page at

cityofadelaide.smartygrants.com.au

Before you apply, please read and understand all relevant sections of this document and note the supporting documentation required for your application.

You can use the Table of Contents and the Summary of Available Rebates on the following pages to skip to the relevant sections for specific rebates you wish to apply for.

If after reading through this guide you have any further questions or concerns regarding the City of Adelaide Incentives for Sustainability, please contact the City of Adelaide Customer Service on (08) 8203 7203 or at incentives@cityofadelaide.com.au

Information is also available at cityofadelaide.com.au

The icons below are used throughout this document to help you understand how these rebates can help you.

Smart Energy	Use your energy efficiently with money back on energy smart technologies and appliances.
Green Energy	Save money and create renewable electricity with solar.
Electric Vehicles	Get money back on electric vehicle charging stations.
Water Wise	Use water wisely with water saving devices.
Resource Recovery	Reduce waste and recover resources with innovative technologies and reusable products.
Measure and Learn	Measure your progress and learn more with incentives for Climate Active certification, environmental ratings, assessments, and community-led action and business engagement on climate change.
Active Transportation	Get active and save on e-bikes, cargo bikes and more.

Summary of Available Rebates

Solar PV

20% up to \$5,000 for solar systems based on size.

Energy Storage

50% up to \$2,000 for energy storage systems.

Energy Monitoring

50% up to \$100 for stand-alone energy monitoring display where no solar PV or battery system is installed.

Retailer Energy Productivity Scheme (REPS) Top Up

25% up to \$500 for any appliance purchase or upgrade which receives a REPS rebate (lighting excluded).

Appliance Electrification

50% up to \$5,000 for commercial replacement of gas or wood burning appliance with electric or solar powered (e.g. hot water).

Electric Vehicle Charging Stations

- 50% up to \$250 for electric bicycle charging station.
- 50% up to \$1,000 for electric vehicle one way charging station (7 kW to <50 kW).
- 25% up to \$2,000 for electric vehicle 'smart'* charging station (7 kW to < 50 kW).
- * Smart stations include those with demand management capabilities or two-way charging capabilities.

Electric Vehicle Charging Stations Demand Management

- 25% up to \$1,000 for a stand-alone system.
- 50% up to \$10,000 for an advanced system with virtual power plant capabilities.

Carbon Neutral Certification – organisations, precincts, events, buildings

- 50% up to \$4,000 for a consultant to prepare a Greenhouse gas emissions inventory and emissions reduction strategy.
- 25% up to \$2,500 for a consultant to undertake a greenhouse gas inventory independent audit.

Performance Ratings

50% up to \$5,000 for a Building Environmental Ratings (e.g. Green Star, EarthCheck, Living Building). *NABERS not funded.

Water Saving Devices

- 50% up to \$500 for a rainwater tank larger than 2,000 L, plumbed to an appliance or fixture for private use.
- 50% up to \$5,000 for a rainwater tank larger than 10,000 L plumbed into common areas or multiple premises.
- 50% up to \$1,000 for a sub-meter, or replacement of your exiting SA Water meter, with a smart meter that has real-time digital capabilities.

Commercial Green Waste Diversion

50% up to \$5,000 for the purchase or hire of commercial rapid composters, commercial dehydrators or similar systems to divert green waste from landfill. Pre-commitment required.

Business Sustainability Training Support

50% up to \$200 for attendance at multi-session training courses designed to build small to medium business capacity to improve sustainability and/or reduce emissions. Pre-commitment required.

Home Energy/Sustainability Assessments

50% up to \$200 for a Residential Efficiency Scorecard (RES) or similar. If not RES, pre-commitment required.

Food Organics Collection

Two-months expenses up to \$400 for contracting a food organics collection service.

Hard Waste Collection – Making Space for Resource Recovery

50% up to \$400 for a one-off hard waste pickup to remove unwanted items and increase storage space for resource recovery items.

Suppliers of Reusable Delivery Transport Containers

50% up to \$500 for services that deliver back-of-house supplies in reusable containers to your business.

Initial Purchase of Reusable Delivery Transport Containers

50% up to \$10,000 for initial purchase of reusable transport containers between supplier and business.

Commercial Dishwasher

50% up to \$7,000 for purchase of commercial dishwasher to improve opportunities to use, wash and reuse items.

Indoor sorting bins

50% up to \$5,000 for purchase of indoor sorting bin (e.g. recycling, organics) and educational signage.

Reusable takeaway containers

50% up to \$3,000 for purchase or subscription of reusable takeaway coffee cups and food containers through reusable supplier.

Active Transportations

- 20% up to \$500 for the purchase of an e-bike for commuting or fleet use.
- 20% up to \$1,000 for the purchase of an e-bike conversion kit.
- 20% up to \$1,000 for the purchase of a Cargo Bike for fleet use.
- 20% up to \$200 for the purchase of bike parking racks for staff or visitors.

General Eligibility Criteria and Conditions

- The property must be located within the City of Adelaide municipal area.
- 2. Applications must be submitted within 12 months of **project completion**.
- 3. Incentive funding is subject to Council's annual budget processes and funding is limited.
- 4. Council reserves right to cease incentives at any time without notification and applications are not guaranteed to receive funding (except where pre-commitment has been approved and activated).
- 5. Eligibility of specific products or services is at Council discretion. Council reserves the right to reject any applications.
- Rebates will be applied to the out-of-pocket installation or service cost incurred by the owner, occupier of the premise or body corporation, after all other incentives, grants, rebates, and discounts received have been deducted.
- The applicant acknowledges and agrees that the City of Adelaide accepts no liability in respect of any claim, cause of actions, loss or damage arising out of, or in relation to, any device purchased, or service procured under the incentives.
- 8. Sustainability measures/devices supported through the incentives must be installed by appropriately licensed and accredited installers, and maintained in accordance with any relevant guidelines, and in a manner which does not pose risks to the health or welfare of any person.
- 9. Where a Council Development Application (DA. is required, a rebate will be provided once the DA is granted, the system is installed according to the conditions set out in the DA, and the relevant paperwork is submitted.
- 10. If approved, it may take Council up to 30 working days to pay the rebate.
- 11. Council may request provision of information associated with the project including data for the preparation of a case study.

- 12. If the location for installation of a device supported through the incentives is within a strata or community title property, proof of the approval to install the device from the body corporate or equivalent must be provided with the application. (Refer to the relevant Strata Agreement).
- 13. If a tenant is applying for a reimbursement, a written letter of permission from their landlord must be provided with their application to be eligible for the rebate.

Solar PV



Description/Categories

≥1.5 kW to <10 kW Solar PV

Solar PV systems of 1.5 kW and up to and including 10 kW capacity are eligible to receive 20% of the installed system cost up to a maximum of \$1,000.

10 kW to <20 kW Solar PV

Solar PV systems of more than 10 kW up to and including 20 kW are eligible to receive 20% of the installed cost of the system up to a maximum of \$2,500.

≥20 kW Solar PV

Solar PV systems of more than 20 kW are eligible to receive 20% of the installed cost of the system up to a maximum of \$5,000.

Rebate Specific Eligibility Criteria and Conditions

- All General Eligibility Criteria and Conditions must be met
- 2. Limit per category: maximum of one application per retail electricity meter (National Meter Identifier NMI).
- Solar PV systems purchased on a solar lease or power purchase agreements are eligible if the outright ownership is vested with the property owner or tenant at the end of the contracted term.

Pre-commitments

Pre-commitments are available for:

- Tenants or Commonwealth Concession Card holders
- Solar PV systems of 10 KW or more

Pre-commitments are subject to funding availability at the time of application and will not be offered once 75% of the available funding has been allocated.

For more information on pre-commitments, refer to the separate Pre-commitments Procedure document available on cityofadelaide.com.au/sustainabilityincentives

Supporting Documentation

Please ensure you have the following documentation available to attach to your application:

- Itemised receipt/s for the supply and installation of the system, demonstrating full payment, discounts, or other grants, OR for pre-commitments, quote/s for proposed work and supporting system information.
- Electrical Certificate(s) of Compliance (CoC)
- Photos demonstrating installed panels are not visible from the street (applicable for heritage properties).

If applicable, a copy of your:

- Commonwealth Concession Card
- Written approval from your body corporation, landlord or equivalent
- Tenancy Agreement
- Decision Notification Form for Development Approvals (DA)

Development Approval (DA)

A Development Approval may be required.

For further details, refer to the Development Approvals Guidance on page 26.

Please speak to your installer and Council's Development Assessment staff (phone: (08) 8203 7185) to discuss planning and building requirements specific to your property.

Other Considerations

Please ensure you have considered the following when deciding to install a Solar PV system:

- 1. Use a licensed and Clean Energy Council (CEC) accredited installer.
- 2. Contact your electricity retailer to discuss implications of installing a solar photovoltaic system on your property.
- 3. Obtain all relevant approvals, including from the property landlord, body corporation, SA Power Network and Council (phone Development Assessment on (08) 8203 7185).

Energy Storage





Description/Categories

Energy Storage systems are eligible for up to 50% of the installed system cost to a maximum of \$2,000.

Rebate Specific Eligibility Criteria and Conditions

- All General Eligibility Criteria and Conditions must be met
- 2. Limit per category: maximum of one application per retail electricity meter (National Meter Identifier NMI).
- 3. The system must be installed by a licenced electrical installer and in accordance with relevant regulations, standards and current CEC guidelines, including Grid-Connect Accreditation with either Battery Endorsement or Stand-Alone Power Systems (for more information, see cleanenergycouncil.org.au/consumers/buying-battery-storage).
- 4. The system must be installed to optimise internal electricity consumption and not be configured as a mains electricity supply back-up system only.
- 5. Rebate for the installed system cost relates to the energy storage system equipment and installation only. It excludes additional costs such as switchboard upgrades.
- 6. Energy storage systems purchased on a lease or power purchase agreements are eligible if the outright ownership is vested with the property owner or tenant at the end of the contracted term.

Pre-commitments

Pre-commitments are available for Energy Storage Systems of any size.

Pre-commitments are subject to funding availability at the time of application and will not be offered once 75% of the available funding has been allocated.

For more information on pre-commitments, refer to the separate Pre-commitments Procedure document available on cityofadelaide.com.au/sustainabilityincentives

Supporting Documentation

Please ensure you have the following documentation available to attach to your application:

- Itemised receipt/s for the supply and installation of the system, demonstrating full payment, discounts, or other grants, OR for pre-commitments, quote/s for proposed work and supporting system information
- The manufacturer's technical specifications for the energy storage unit
- Electrical Certificate(s) of Compliance (CoC)

If applicable, a copy of your:

- Written approval from your body corporation, landlord or equivalent
- Tenancy Agreement
- Decision Notification Form for Development Approvals (DA)

Development Approval (DA)

A Development Approval may be required.

For further details, refer to the Development Approvals Guidance on page 26.

Please speak to your installer and Council's Development Assessment staff (phone: (08) 8203 7185) to discuss planning and building requirements specific to your property.

Other Considerations

Please ensure you have considered the following when deciding to install an Energy Storage Battery system:

- Familiarise yourself with the CEC's information about battery and storage safety (cleanenergycouncil.org.au).
- 2. Use a licensed and Clean Energy Council accredited installer.
- 3. Contact your electricity retailer to discuss implications of installing an energy storage system on your property.
- 4. Obtain all relevant approvals, including from the property landlord, body corporation, SA Power Network and Council (phone Development Assessment on (08) 8203 7185).

Energy Monitoring



Description/Categories

Stand-alone energy monitoring display installed on a premise where no solar PV or battery system is eligible for up to 50% of the installed system cost to a maximum of \$100.

Rebate Specific Eligibility Criteria and Conditions

- All General Eligibility Criteria and Conditions must be met
- 2. Limit per category: Eligible Community and Sporting Premises maximum of one application per rateable, rate exempt or rate rebated premise.
- 3. The energy monitoring system must provide real-time energy monitoring of mains power consumption for the premise.
- 4. The Energy Monitoring System must be installed by a licenced electrical installer and in accordance with relevant regulations
- 5. Smart electricity (utility) meters are not eligible for this incentive.

Pre-commitments

Pre-commitments are available for: Tenants or Commonwealth Concession Card holders

Pre-commitments are subject to funding availability at the time of application and will not be offered once 75% of the available funding has been allocated.

For more information on pre-commitments, refer to the separate Pre-commitments Procedure document available on cityofadelaide.com.au/sustainabilityincentives

Supporting Documentation

Please ensure you have the following documentation available to attach to your application:

 Itemised receipt/s for the supply and installation of the system, demonstrating full payment, discounts, or other grants, OR for pre-commitments, quote/s for proposed work and supporting system information.

- Electrical Certificate(s) of Compliance (CoC) signed by the licenced electrical contractor undertaking the installation detailing the electrical works completed.
- Manufacturer's technical specifications for the energy monitoring system.

If applicable, a copy of your:

- Commonwealth Concession Card
- Written approval from your body corporation, landlord or equivalent
- Tenancy Agreement
- Decision Notification Form for Development Approvals (DA)

Development Approval (DA)

Development Approval should not be required for this installation.

However, please speak to your installer and Council's Development Assessment staff (phone: (08) 8203 7185) to discuss planning and building requirements specific to your property if there is any uncertainty.

Other Considerations

Please ensure you have considered the following when deciding to install an energy monitoring system:

- 1. Use a licensed electrical contractor to install the energy monitoring system.
- 2. Familiarise yourself with the way your selected energy monitoring system works to ensure you obtain the most benefit from the system.

Appliance Electrification



Description/Categories

Commercial properties are eligible for 50% of the out-of-pocket costs associated with the replacement of gas or wood burning appliance with electric or solar powered (e.g. hot water) up to \$5,000.

Eligible appliance categories are:

- Hot Water Systems
- Heating Ventilation and Air Conditioning Systems
- Cooking Appliances Stove Tops
- Cooking Appliances Ovens
- Other Gas Appliances

Rebate Specific Eligibility Criteria and Conditions

- All General Eligibility Criteria and Conditions must be met
- 2. Limit per appliance category:
 - a. Eligible Residential, Business, Community and Sporting Premises – maximum of one application per rateable, rate exempt or rate rebated premise.
 - Building Owners, Community Corporations and Body Corporates – maximum of one application per site record.
- The appliance must be replacing a gas or wood burning appliance with either an all-electric or solar powered appliance.

Pre-commitments

Pre-commitments are available for: Tenants or Commonwealth Concession Card holders

Pre-commitments are subject to funding availability at the time of application and will not be offered once 75% of the available funding has been allocated.

For more information on pre-commitments, refer to the separate Pre-commitments Procedure document available on cityofadelaide.com.au/sustainabilityincentives

Supporting Documentation

Please ensure you have the following documentation available to attach to your application:

- Itemised receipt/s for the supply and installation of the system, demonstrating full payment, discounts, or other grants, OR for pre-commitments, quote/s for proposed work and supporting system information.
- Electrical Certificate(s) of Compliance (CoC)
- Photos demonstrating installation of eligible appliances.
- The manufacturer's technical specifications for appliances being installed

If applicable, a copy of your:

- Commonwealth Concession Card
- Written approval from your body corporation, landlord or equivalent
- · Tenancy Agreement
- Decision Notification Form for Development Approvals (DA)
- Gas and Plumbing Certificate(s) of Compliance (CoC)

Development Approval (DA)

A Development Approval may be required.

For further details, refer to the Development Approvals Guidance on page 26.

Please speak to your installer and Council's Development Assessment staff (phone: (08) 8203 7185) to discuss planning and building requirements specific to your property.

Other Considerations

Please ensure you have considered the following when deciding to replace your gas appliances with electric or solar powered alternatives:

- 1. Use a licensed electrical or gas contractor to install and remove your appliances when applicable.
- Obtain all relevant approvals, including from the property landlord, body corporation, SA Power Network, and Council (Phone Development Assessment on (08) 8203 7185)

Electric Vehicle Charging



Description/Categories

Electric Vehicle Charging Stations

50% up to \$250 per bicycle charging station

7 kW to <50 kW electric vehicle charging station(s):

- a. 50% up to \$1,000 per dedicated unidirectional (one way) charging station
- b. 25% up to \$2,000 per dedicated 'smart'* charging station
- * Smart stations include those with demand management capabilities or two-way charging capabilities

Electric Vehicle Charging Station Demand Management

- a. 25% up to \$1,000 for stand-alone system with basic demand control
- b. 50% up to \$10,000 for network-integrated system with advanced demand control including virtual power plant capabilities

Rebate Specific Eligibility Criteria and Conditions

- All General Eligibility Criteria and Conditions must be met
- Limit per category: maximum of one application per retailer electricity meter (National Meter Identifier – NMI). The application may include multiple electric vehicle chargers.
- 3. A demand management system must be controlling four or more electric vehicle chargers on a single NMI.
- 4. Software subscription and monitoring service fees are not eligible.

Pre-commitments

Pre-commitments are available for all applications for either Electric Vehicle Charging Stations or Demand Management Systems.

Pre-commitments are subject to funding availability at the time of application and will not be offered once 75% of the available funding has been allocated. For more information on pre-commitments, refer to the separate Pre-commitments Procedure document available on cityofadelaide.com.au/sustainabilityincentives

Supporting Documentation

Please ensure you have the following documentation available to attach to your application:

- Supporting system information and evidence of works
- Itemised receipt/s for the supply and installation of the system, demonstrating full payment, discounts, or other grants, OR for pre-commitments, quote/s for proposed work and supporting system information.
- Electrical Certificate(s) of Compliance (CoC)

If applicable, a copy of your:

- Embedded Generator Agreement (Vehicle to Grid chargers)
- · Commonwealth Concession Card
- Written approval from your body corporation, landlord or equivalent
- Tenancy Agreement
- Decision Notification Form for Development Approvals (DA)

Development Approval (DA)

A Development Approval may be required for public electric vehicle charging stations that are not incidental or ancillary to the approved use of the land.

Please speak to your installer and Council's Development Assessment staff (phone: (08) 8203 7185) to discuss planning and building requirements specific to your property.

Other Considerations

Please ensure you have considered the following when deciding to install an Electric Vehicle Charger or demand management system:

Obtain all relevant approvals, including from the property landlord, body corporation, SA Power Network and Council (phone Development Assessment on (08) 8203 7185).

Climate Active Certification



Description/Categories

Climate Active greenhouse gas inventory and audit

50% up to \$4,000 for a consultant to prepare a greenhouse gas emissions inventory and emissions reduction strategy

25% up to \$2,500 for a consultant to undertake a greenhouse gas inventory independent audit

Rebate Specific Eligibility Criteria and Conditions

- All General Eligibility Criteria and Conditions must be met
- 2. This rebate is available for the following:
 - a. Organisations
 - b. Buildings
 - c. Precincts
 - d. Events
- 3. Limit per category: Maximum of one application per twenty four (24) month period.
- 4. Only consultant service fees associated with an organisation, precinct, building or event seeking Climate Active carbon neutral certification, are eligible. For accredited consultants undertaking the process for their own organisation, precinct, building or event certification, evidence of time spent and hourly rate of the staff undertaking the assessment will be required.
- 5. It is recommended that a pre-commitment agreement be in place prior to submission of a Climate Active application for carbon neutral certification.
- 6. Organisations must have their primary registered business address (i.e. largest premise by number of staff) within the City of Adelaide.
- 7. Precincts, buildings, and events must be within the City of Adelaide.

Pre-commitments

Pre-commitments are available for Climate Active Certification applications.

Pre-commitments are subject to funding availability at the time of application and will not be offered once 75% of the available funding has been allocated.

For more information on pre-commitments, refer to the separate Pre-commitments Procedure document available on cityofadelaide.com.au/sustainabilityincentives

Supporting Documentation

Please ensure you have the following documentation available to attach to your application:

- Itemised receipt/s for the supply of service, demonstrating full payment, discounts, or other grants, OR for pre-commitments, quote/s for proposed work and supporting system information.
- For accredited consultants undertaking the process themselves, evidence of time spent and hourly rate of the staff undertaking the assessment.
- Supporting information about scope of services, evidence of completed works

Development Approval (DA)

Development Approvals are not required for this incentive.

Other Considerations

Please ensure you have considered the following when deciding to undertake a Climate Active Certification:

- Familiarise yourself with the requirements for Climate Active Certification at climateactive.org.au
- 2. Familiarise yourself with, and consider participating in, the Carbon Neutral Adelaide Partners Program. Further information can be found at carbonneutraladelaide.com.au

Performance Ratings



Description/Categories

Building environmental ratings* are eligible for 50% of the out-of-pocket expenses up to \$5,000.

Eligible categories are:

- Green Star
- EarthCheck
- Living Building
- Other
- * NABERS not funded

Rebate Specific Eligibility Criteria and Conditions

- All General Eligibility Criteria and Conditions must be met
- 2. Limit per category:
 - a. Residential, business, non-profit community and sporting facilities – maximum of one application per rateable, rate exempt or rate rebated premises per twenty four (24) month period.
 - b. Landlords and body corporations maximum one application per site record per twenty four (24) month period.
- 3. Eligible ratings include any rating scope and/or type offered by the Green Building Council of Australian (Green Star), EarthCheck, or the Living Future Institute Australia. Other certification schemes may be eligible at Council discretion.
- 4. The rating must be completed by an accredited assessor.
- 5. Only consultant service fees associated with an eligible rating are eligible. For accredited consultants undertaking the process for their own building, evidence of time spent and hourly rate of the staff undertaking the assessment will be required.
- 6. NABERS ratings are not eligible for this incentive.

Pre-commitments

Pre-commitments are **required** for any ratings scheme not specifically listed above and are available for all Performance Ratings applications.

Pre-commitments are subject to funding availability at the time of application and will not be offered once 75% of the available funding has been allocated.

For more information on pre-commitments, refer to the separate Pre-commitments Procedure document available on cityofadelaide.com.au/sustainabilityincentives

Supporting Documentation

Please ensure you have the following documentation available to attach to your application:

- Itemised receipt/s for the supply of service, demonstrating full payment, discounts, or other grants, OR for pre-commitments, quote/s for proposed work and supporting system information.
- For accredited consultants undertaking the process themselves, evidence of time spent and hourly rate of the staff undertaking the assessment
- Supporting information about scope of services, evidence of completed works

Development Approval (DA)

Development Approvals are not required for this incentive.

Other Considerations

Please ensure you have considered the following when deciding to undertake a Performance Rating:

- 1. Familiarise yourself with the requirements of your chosen rating scheme.
 - a. GreenStar new.gbca.org.au
 - b. EarthCheck earthcheck.org
 - c. Living Building living-future.org.au
- 2. Ensure your rating is undertaken by an accredited assessor for your chosen scheme.
- For commercial office applicants, familiarise yourself with the CitySwitch program and it's NABERS discount for signatories – cityswitch.net.au

Water Saving Devices



Description/Categories

- 1. The purchase, installation and plumbing of a rainwater tank to an appliance or fixture for private use with a minimum total capacity of 2,000 litres is eligible for a rebate of 50% up to \$500.
- 2. The purchase, installation and plumbing of a rainwater tank to an appliance or fixture for use in common areas or multiple premises (e.g. strata/community building) with a minimum total capacity of 10,000 litres is eligible for a rebate of 50% up to \$5,000.
- 3. The purchase, installation and plumbing of a sub-meter, or the replacement of your existing SA Water meter, with a smart meter that has real-time digital capabilities is eligible for a rebate of 50% up to \$1,000.

Rebate Specific Eligibility Criteria and Conditions

- All General Eligibility Criteria and Conditions must be met
- 2. Limit per category:
 - a. Residential, business, non-profit community and sporting facilities maximum of one application per rateable, rate exempt or rate rebated premises.
 - b. Landlords and body corporations maximum one application per site record.
 - c. The application may include a maximum of 20 digital water meters.
- 3. Single premise use rainwater tanks must be \geq 2,000 litres total capacity and plumbed into a toilet, hot water service or washing machine.
- Common area use rainwater tanks must be
 ≥ 10,000 litres total capacity and plumbed into a
 common laundry, public conveniences or a toilet or
 hot water service or washing machine in a
 negotiated number of dwellings.
- 5. Rainwater tanks installed for garden use alone are not eligible.
- 6. Digital water meters must have real-time digital capabilities and must be installed by a registered plumber.
- 7. Rebate for a digital water meter only covers costs associated with the purchase and installation of the device and does not cover any ongoing costs associated with the meters.

Pre-commitments

Pre-commitments are available for: Tenants or Commonwealth Concession Card holders

Pre-commitments are subject to funding availability at the time of application and will not be offered once 75% of the available funding has been allocated.

For more information on pre-commitments, refer to the separate Pre-commitments Procedure document available on cityofadelaide.com.au/sustainabilityincentives

Supporting Documentation

Please ensure you have the following documentation available to attach to your application:

- Itemised receipt/s for the supply and installation of the system, demonstrating full payment, discounts, or other grants, OR for pre-commitments, quote/s for proposed work and supporting system information.
- Plumbing Certificate(s) of Compliance (CoC)

If applicable, a copy of your:

- · Commonwealth Concession Card
- Written approval from your body corporation, landlord or equivalent
- Tenancy Agreement
- Decision Notification Form for Development Approvals (DA)

Development Approval (DA)

A Development Approval may be required.

For further details, refer to the Development Approvals Guidance on page 26.

Please speak to your installer and Council's Development Assessment staff (phone: (08) 8203 7185) to discuss planning and building requirements specific to your property.

Other Considerations

Please ensure you have considered the following when deciding to install a water saving device:

- 1. Use a licensed installer.
- 2. Obtain all relevant approvals, including from the property landlord, body corporation, SA Water and Council (phone Development Assessment on (08) 8203 7185).
- 3. If considering a smart water meter not supplied by SA Water, please be aware that:
 - a. Smart meters connect to and in some cases, replace the existing water meter on your property. Your property's existing water meter is owned and maintained by SA Water. You will need to contact SA Water if you would like to connect your own smart meter.
 - b. To help you, SA Water will provide and install an intermediary device which you can connect to. A fee applies for this installation, which SA Water can quote you. The fee will depend on the model of the existing water meter and the location of your property.
 - c. All third party meter options are subject to SA Water terms and conditions. Find out more at sawater.com.au

Commercial Green Waste Diversion



Description/Categories

Commercial rapid composters, commercial dehydrators or similar systems to divert green waste from landfill are eligible for 50% of the out-of-pocket expenses related to the outright purchase or the first 12-months of a rental agreement up to \$5,000.

Rebate Specific Eligibility Criteria and Conditions

- All General Eligibility Criteria and Conditions must be met
- 2. Limit per category: maximum of one application per rateable, rate exempt or rate rebated premises.
- 3. A trade waste application may be required from SA Water to operate a commercial composter, dehydrator, or similar system on site if the system dispels wastewater to the sewer network.

 Applicants must contact SA Water's Trade Waste Officer on (08) 7424 1336 during business hours to discuss the specifics of their chosen system. The name of the officer and date of contact must be included in the application and, if required, a copy of an approved trade waste application must be provided.
- 4. A clear statement affirming the landfill avoidance strategy to be employed must be included as part of the application. This could include:
 - a. Privately Contracted Green Waste Removal Service
 - b. Providing green waste to community garden
- 5. If the chosen landfill avoidance strategy is a privately contracted Green Waste Removal Service, evidence of organic waste services from a licensed waste contractor over a consecutive period of two months must be provided. Billing invoices from a licensed waste operator must be presented, and the billing period must not overlap.
- Organic waste bins must be stored in compliance with the City of Adelaide Waste Management by-laws 2018. A copy of these by-laws can be found here.
- If an individual business is applying, waste must be managed by that business and not by a building manager or landlord.
- 8. Rebates only cover costs related to the out-right purchase or the first twelve (12) months of a rental agreement. It will not cover maintenance or other costs associated with running the system.

9. When systems are acquired under a rental agreement, a copy of the rental agreement must be provided as part of the application.

Pre-commitments

Pre-commitments are **required** for any commercial green waste diversion application.

Pre-commitments are subject to funding availability at the time of application and will not be offered once 75% of the available funding has been allocated.

For more information on pre-commitments, refer to the separate Pre-commitments Procedure document available on cityofadelaide.com.au/sustainabilityincentives

Supporting Documentation

Please ensure you have the following documentation available to attach to your application:

- Itemised receipt/s for the supply and installation of the system, demonstrating full payment, discounts, or other grants, OR for pre-commitments, quote/s for proposed work and supporting system information.
- The manufacturer's technical specifications for the system being installed
- Evidence of landfill avoidance strategy
- Name of SA Water Trade Waste Officer and date of contact

If applicable, a copy of your:

- SA Water trade waste application approval
- Rental Agreement for the system
- Written approval from your body corporation, landlord or equivalent
- Tenancy Agreement
- Decision Notification Form for Development Approvals (DA)

Development Approval (DA)

Development Approval should not be required for this installation.

However, please speak to your installer and Council's Development Assessment staff (phone: (08) 8203 7185) to discuss planning and building requirements specific to your property if there is any uncertainty.

Other Considerations

Please ensure you have considered the following when deciding to install a commercial composter, dehydrator or similar system:

- Obtain all relevant approvals, including from the property landlord, body corporation, SA Water and Council (phone Development Assessment on (08) 8203 7185).
- For cafés interested in doing more to reduce waste, register for free with Responsible Cafés: cityofadelaide.com.au/business/supportresources/waste-recycling-for-business/ responsible-cafes

Business Sustainability Training Support



Description/Categories

Multi-session training courses designed to build small to medium business capacity to improve sustainability and/or reduce emissions are eligible for 50% of the course fee up to \$200.

Rebate Specific Eligibility Criteria and Conditions

- All General Eligibility Criteria and Conditions must be met
- 2. Limit per category: maximum of two applications for individuals per organisation per twelve (12) month period.
- 3. Courses must meet the following conditions to be eligible:
 - a. Cover one or more topics related to sustainable business operations or climate change literacy
 - b. Completed over two or more sessions
 - c. Builds internal capacity to improve sustainability and/or reduce emissions for the business' operations
- 4. This rebate will not cover the cost to attend conferences, tradeshows or award ceremonies.
- 5. This rebate will not cover the cost of overseas, interstate or intrastate travel expenses.

Pre-commitments

Pre-commitments are **required** for any Business Sustainability Training Support application.

Pre-commitments are subject to funding availability at the time of application and will not be offered once 75% of the available funding has been allocated.

For more information on pre-commitments, refer to the separate Pre-commitments Procedure document available on cityofadelaide.com.au/sustainabilityincentives

Supporting Documentation

Please ensure you have the following documentation available to attach to your application.

For Pre-commitment:

- Quote/s for proposed course outlining full cost and any other discounts or grants to be applied.
- Supporting information about scope of course.

For Final Payment:

 Itemised receipt/s for the course completion, demonstrating full payment, discounts, or other grants.

Development Approval (DA)

Development Approvals are not required for this incentive.

Home Energy/ Sustainability Assessments





Description/Categories

Residential Efficiency Scorecard (RES) assessments or similar are eligible for 50% of out-of-pocket expenses up to \$200.

Rebate Specific Eligibility Criteria and Conditions

- All General Eligibility Criteria and Conditions must be met
- 2. Limit per category: maximum of two applications for individuals per organisation per twelve (12) month period.
- 3. Assessments must be undertaken by an accredited practitioner.
- 4. Residential Efficiency Scorecard assessments are eligible without pre-commitment. Other home energy or sustainability assessments may be eligible at Council discretion, however pre-commitment would be required.

Pre-commitments

Pre-commitments are **required** for any assessment that is not the Residential Efficiency Scorecard and are also available for: Tenants or Commonwealth Concession Card holders

Pre-commitments are subject to funding availability at the time of application and will not be offered once 75% of the available funding has been allocated.

For more information on pre-commitments, refer to the separate Pre-commitments Procedure document available on cityofadelaide.com.au/sustainabilityincentives

Supporting Documentation

Please ensure you have the following documentation available to attach to your application:

- Itemised receipt/s for the supply of service, demonstrating full payment, discounts, or other grants, OR for pre-commitments, quote/s for proposed work and supporting system information.
- Supporting information about scope of services, evidence of completed works

If applicable, a copy of your:

- If not a Residential Energy Scorecard assessment, please provide details of the assessment being conducted and the accreditations of the practitioner undertaking the assessment
- Commonwealth Concession Card (for pre-commitment)
- Tenancy Agreement (for pre-commitment)

Development Approval (DA)

Development Approvals are not required for this incentive.

Other Considerations

Please ensure you have considered the following when deciding to undertake a Residential Efficiency Scorecard (RES) Assessment or similar: Familiarise yourself with RES and identify accredited practitioners at homescorecard.gov.au

Food Organics Collection Service



Description/Categories

Use of food organics collection services are eligible for two-months of out-of-pocket expenses up to \$400.

Rebate Specific Eligibility Criteria and Conditions

- All General Eligibility Criteria and Conditions must be met.
- 2. Limit per category:
 - a. Business, non-profit community sporting facilities
 maximum of one application per rateable, rate
 exempt or rate rebated premise.
 - b. Landlord, building owners, and body corporations– maximum of one application per site record.
- 3. Billing invoices from a licensed waste operator must be presented, and the billing period must not overlap.
- 4. Food organics waste bins must be stored in compliance with the City of Adelaide Waste Management by-laws 2018.
- 5. If an individual business is applying, waste must be managed by that business and not by a building manager or landlord.
- 6. A copy of the food organics contract agreement must be provided as part of the application. Food organics costings must be distinguished from other waste streams.
- 7. Any residual value is forfeited.
- 8. Limited supply available.

Pre-commitments

Pre-commitments are available for all applications for the food organics collection service rebate.

Pre-commitments are subject to funding availability at the time of application and will not be offered once 75% of the available funding has been allocated.

For more information on pre-commitments, refer to the separate Pre-commitments Procedure document available on cityofadelaide.com.au/sustainabilityincentives

Supporting Documentation

Please ensure you have the following documentation available to attach to your application:

 Itemised receipt/s for two consecutive months from a licensed food organics collection operator, demonstrating full payment, discounts, or other grants, OR for pre-commitments, quote/s for proposed collection services and supporting information.

If applicable, a copy of your:

- Written approval from your body corporation, landlord or equivalent
- Tenancy Agreement

Development Approval (DA)

Development Approvals are not required for this incentive.

Other Considerations

Please ensure you have considered the following when deciding to use a food organics collection service:

- 1. Use a licensed food organics waste contractor.
- 2. Ensure that you have the storage space for the food organics bin/tub and have considered educational material for correct use.
- 3. Obtain all relevant approvals, including from the property landlord, and body corporation.
- 4. For café's interested in doing more to reduce waste, register for free with **Responsible Cafés**.

Hardwaste Collection – Making Space for Resource Recovery



Description/Categories

Use of a private waste contractor to remove unwanted materials in storage area to increase space for resource recovery items (e.g. bins, reusable containers) are eligible for 50% of the one-off hard waste collection cost up to \$400.

Rebate Specific Eligibility Criteria and Conditions

- 1. All General Eligibility Criteria and Conditions must be met.
- 2. Limit per category:
 - a. Business, non-profit community sporting facilities
 maximum of one application per rateable, rate
 exempt or rate rebated premise.
 - b. Landlord, building owners, and body corporations– maximum of one application per site record.
- 3. Billing invoices from a licensed waste operator must be presented.
- 4. If an individual business is applying, hard waste must be owned and managed by that business and not by a building manager or landlord.
- 5. Evidence must be provided to show how space recovered through hard waste pickup will be used for resource recovery/reusable systems. Site visit may occur to ensure storage space setup matches evidence provided.

Pre-commitments

Pre-commitments are **required** for the hard waste rebate application.

Pre-commitments are subject to funding availability at the time of application and will not be offered once 75% of the funding has been allocated.

For more information on pre-commitments, refer to the separate Pre-commitments Procedure document available on cityofadelaide.com.au/sustainabilityincentives

Supporting Documentation

Please ensure you have the following documentation available to attach to your application:

- Itemised receipt for the one-off hard waste collection service, demonstrating full payment, discounts, or other grants, OR for pre-commitments, quote/s for proposed collection services and supporting information.
- Simple diagram noting how space recovered through hard waste pickup will be used for resource recovery/ reusable systems.
- Photos demonstrating how the improved space is used for resource recovery/reusable systems after the hard waste pickup is complete.

If applicable, a copy of your:

• Written approval from your body corporation, landlord or equivalent.

Development Approval (DA)

Development Approvals are not required for this incentive.

Other Considerations

Please ensure you have considered the following when deciding to complete a hard waste pickup:

- 1. Use a licensed private waste contractor.
- 2. Obtain all relevant approvals, including from the property landlord, and body corporation.
- 3. Consider donating gently-used items to a local thrift store or not-for-profit organisation.

Suppliers of Reusable Delivery Transport Containers



Description/Categories

Use of suppliers that provide goods in reusable delivery containers (i.e., reusable plastic crates) are eligible for up to 50% of cost to a maximum of \$500 over a consecutive period of two months.

Rebate Specific Eligibility Criteria and Conditions

- 1. All General Eligibility Criteria and Conditions must be met.
- 2. Limit per category:
 - a. Business, non-profit community sporting facilities
 maximum of one application per rateable, rate
 exempt or rate rebated premise.
 - b. Landlord, building owners, and body corporations– maximum of one application per site record.
- 3. Evidence of reusable transport containers (e.g., reusable crates, kegs) used by supplier must be provided (swap system).
- 4. Beer kegs, pallets, bakery crates, large drums/tanks and milk crates are not eligible for this rebate.
- 5. Billing invoices over a consecutive two-month period from a supplier must be presented, and the billing period must not overlap.
- 6. The rebate applicant must be receiving supplies transported with reusable delivery containers. Supplier can be located outside the CoA as long as the recipient of this rebate is located within the Adelaide CBD or North Adelaide. The rebate cannot be used by a supplier to replenish their existing stock of reusable containers.

Pre-commitments

Pre-commitments are **required** for any reusable transport containers application.

Pre-commitments are subject to funding availability at the time of application and will not be offered once 75% of the funding has been allocated. For more information on pre-commitments, refer to the separate Pre-commitments Procedure document available on cityofadelaide.com.au/sustainabilityincentives

Supporting Documentation

Please ensure you have the following documentation available to attach to your application:

- Itemised receipt/s for the supply of goods within reusable transport containers, demonstrating full payment, discounts, or other grants, OR for precommitments, quote/s for proposed collection services and supporting information.
- Photos demonstrating use of reusable transport containers.

Development Approval (DA)

Development Approvals are not required for this incentive.

Other Considerations

Please ensure you have considered the following when deciding to receive goods in reusable transport containers:

- Ensure that you have the storage space to stage reusable containers that will need to be collected by the supplier.
- 2. Obtain all relevant approvals, including from the property landlord, and body corporation.

Initial Purchase of Reusable Delivery Transport Containers



Description/Categories

Initial purchase of reusable transport containers (e.g., collapsible reusable crates, kegs) are eligible for 50% of out-of-pocket expenses up to \$10,000.

The purpose of this incentive is to encourage businesses to find new ways to minimise their single-use packaging (i.e., cardboard) for the back of house deliveries (e.g. fresh produce).

Rebate Specific Eligibility Criteria and Conditions

- 1. All General Eligibility Criteria and Conditions must be met.
- 2. Limit per category:
 - a. Business, non-profit community sporting facilities
 maximum of one application per rateable, rate
 exempt or rate rebated premise.
 - b. Landlord, building owners, and body corporations– maximum of one application per site record.
- 3. Evidence of reusable transport containers (e.g., reusable crates, kegs) purchased must be provided.
- 4. Beer kegs, milk crates, bakery crates, large drums/tanks, and pallets are not eligible for this rebate.
- 5. The rebate applicant must be either a CoA business receiving supplies transported with the purchased reusable delivery containers or be a CoA business transporting products with purchased reusable containers (swap system).
- 6. Reusable transport containers must be made with at least 50% recycled material. Reusable containers must comply with SA Health and Transport standards.
- 7. The rebate cannot be used by a supplier to replenish their existing stock of reusable containers.

Pre-commitments

Pre-commitments are **required** for any reusable transport containers application.

Pre-commitments are subject to funding availability at the time of application and will not be offered once 75% of the funding has been allocated. For more information on pre-commitments, refer to the separate Pre-commitments Procedure document available on cityofadelaide.com.au/sustainabilityincentives

Supporting Documentation

Please ensure you have the following documentation available to attach to your application:

- Itemised receipt/s for the initial purchase of reusable transport containers, demonstrating full payment, discounts, or other grants, OR for pre-commitments, quote/s for proposed collection services and supporting information.
- Agreement between business receiving goods and supplier noting the use/reuse of containers. Either the supplier or business receiving the materials must be located within the City of Adelaide.
- Photos demonstrating use of reusable transport containers provided by supplier.

Development Approval (DA)

Development Approvals are not required for this incentive.

Other Considerations

Please ensure you have considered the following when deciding to purchase and/or receive goods in reusable transport containers:

- 1. Ensure that you have the storage space to stage reusable containers that will need to be collected by the supplier.
- 2. Obtain all relevant approvals, including from the property landlord, and body corporation.
- 3. More information on food safety can be found here: Food safety | City of Adelaide

Commercial Dishwasher







Description/Categories

Purchase of a commercial dishwasher to support reusable container use is eligible for 50% of the out-of-pocket costs up to \$7,000.

Rebate Specific Eligibility Criteria and Conditions

- 1. All General Eligibility Criteria and Conditions must be met.
- 2. Limit per category:
 - a. Business, non-profit community sporting facilities
 maximum of one application per rateable, rate
 exempt or rate rebated premise.
 - b. Landlord, building owners, and body corporations– maximum of one application per site record.
- 3. Dishwasher must be used to improve reusable systems.
- 4. Applicant must provide details on how the dishwasher will improve reuse systems.
- 5. Dishwasher must have high energy star rating.

Pre-commitments

Pre-commitments are **required** for any commercial dishwasher applications.

Pre-commitments are subject to funding availability at the time of application and will not be offered once 75% of the funding has been allocated.

For more information on pre-commitments, refer to the separate Pre-commitments Procedure document available on cityofadelaide.com.au/sustainabilityincentives

Supporting Documentation

Please ensure you have the following documentation available to attach to your application:

 Itemised receipt/s for the supply and installation of the system, demonstrating full payment, discounts, or other grants, OR for pre-commitments, quote/s for proposed work and supporting system information.

- Electrical Certificate(s) of Compliance (CoC)
- Photos demonstrating installation of eligible appliances.
- The manufacturer's technical specifications for appliances being installed
- Details on how the dishwasher will help improve reusable use systems.

If applicable, a copy of your:

- Written approval from your body corporation, landlord or equivalent
- Tenancy Agreement
- Gas and Plumbing Certificate(s) of Compliance (CoC)

Development Approval (DA)

A Development Approval may be required for this incentive.

Please speak to your installer and Council's Development Assessment staff (phone: (08) 8203 7185) to discuss planning and building requirements specific to your property.

Other Considerations

Please ensure you have considered the following:

- 1. Use a licensed electrical or gas contractor to install and remove your appliances when applicable.
- 2. Obtain all relevant approvals, including from the property landlord, body corporation, SA Power Network, and Council.

Indoor Sorting Bins



Description/Categories

Purchase of indoor resource recovery sorting bins and educational signage are eligible for 50% of the out-of-pocket expenses up to \$5,000.

Rebate Specific Eligibility Criteria and Conditions

- 1. All General Eligibility Criteria and Conditions must be met.
- 2. Limit per category:
 - a. Business, non-profit community sporting facilities
 maximum of one application per rateable, rate
 exempt or rate rebated premise.
 - b. Landlord, building owners, and body corporations– maximum of one application per site record.
- 3. Indoor bins must match existing back-of-house bin collection services. Eligible streams include food organics, 10c containers, co-mingled recycling, paper and cardboard, electronic waste and batteries. Bins for materials processed as alternative fuel will not be eligible for this rebate.
- 4. Bin colours must match the National Australian standard (e.g. green/FOGO, yellow/co-mingled recycling, blue/paper and cardboard).

Pre-commitments

Pre-commitments are available for any indoor bins and educational signage application.

Pre-commitments are subject to funding availability at the time of application and will not be offered once 75% of the funding has been allocated.

For more information on pre-commitments, refer to the separate Pre-commitments Procedure document available on cityofadelaide.com.au/sustainabilityincentives

Supporting Documentation

Please ensure you have the following documentation available to attach to your application:

- Itemised receipt/s for the supply of indoor bins/ signage, demonstrating full payment, discounts, or other grants, OR for pre-commitments, quote/s for proposed collection services and supporting information.
- Photos demonstrating use of indoor bins
- Photos of back-of-house bulk bins/wheelie bins that match the purchased indoor bins.

Development Approval (DA)

Development Approvals are not required for this incentive.

Other Considerations

Please ensure you have considered the following when deciding to purchase indoor bins and education signage.

- 1. Obtain all relevant approvals, including from the property landlord, and body corporation.
- 2. Discuss the new indoor bins with your facility manager and cleaning staff to ensure the bins are emptied and sorted correctly.

Reusable Takeaway Container Supplier



Description/Categories

Purchase or subscription of reusable takeaway containers/coffee cups are eligible for 50% of the out-of-pocket costs up to \$3,000 over a consecutive period of three months.

Rebate Specific Eligibility Criteria and Conditions

- 5. All General Eligibility Criteria and Conditions must be met.
- 6. Limit per category:
 - a. Business, non-profit community sporting facilities
 maximum of one application per rateable, rate
 exempt or rate rebated premise.
 - b. Landlord, building owners, and body corporations– maximum of one application per site record.
- 7. Billing invoices over a consecutive three-month period from a supplier must be presented, and the billing period must not overlap.
- 8. The rebate applicant must be for providing reusable coffee cups or takeaway containers to customers or tenants (swap system).
- 9. Rebate cannot be used to replace existing crockery/cutlery.

Pre-commitments

Pre-commitments are available for any reusable takeaway container supplier application.

Pre-commitments are subject to funding availability at the time of application and will not be offered once 75% of the funding has been allocated.

For more information on pre-commitments, refer to the separate Pre-commitments Procedure document available on cityofadelaide.com.au/sustainabilityincentives

Supporting Documentation

Please ensure you have the following documentation available to attach to your application:

- Itemised receipt/s for the supply or subscription of reusable takeaway coffee cups or containers, demonstrating full payment, discounts, or other grants, OR for pre-commitments, quote/s for proposed collection services and supporting information.
- Photos demonstrating use of reusable takeaway containers.

Development Approval (DA)

Development Approvals are not required for this incentive.

Other Considerations

Please ensure you have considered the following when deciding to purchase or subscribe to a takeaway container supplier.

- 1. Ensure that you have the storage space to stage reusable containers.
- 2. Obtain all relevant approvals, including from the property landlord, and body corporation.
- 3. Ensure that your premise has the capacity to wash containers if applicable, including potential arrangement with cleaning staff.

Active Transportation



Description/Categories

E-bikes:

- a. 20% up to \$500 for the purchase of an e-bike for commuting or fleet use.
- b. 20% up to \$1,000 for the purchase of an e-bike conversion kit

Cargo bikes:

20% up to \$1,000 for the purchase of a Cargo Bike for fleet use

Bike Parking Racks:

20% up to \$200 for the purchase of bike parking racks for staff or visitors

Rebate Specific Eligibility Criteria and Conditions

- All General Eligibility Criteria and Conditions must be met
- 2. Limit per category:
 - a. Eligible Residential, Business, Community and Sporting Premises – maximum of one application per rateable, rate exempt or rate rebated premise.
 - b. Building Owners, Community Corporations and Body Corporates maximum of one application per site record. An application may include up to two (2) bikes.
- 3. Bike parking racks must support the parking of a minimum of three (3) bikes.
- 4. Purchases must be from a South Australian business

Pre-commitments

Pre-commitments are available for: Tenants or Commonwealth Concession Card holders

Pre-commitments are subject to funding availability at the time of application and will not be offered once 75% of the Sustainability Incentives Scheme's (the Scheme) funding has been allocated.

For more information on pre-commitments, refer to the separate Pre-commitments Procedure document available on request from

incentives@cityofadelaide.com.au

Supporting Documentation

Please ensure you have the following documentation available to attach to your application:

- Itemised receipt/s for the supply and installation of the system, demonstrating full payment, discounts, or other grants, OR for pre-commitments, quote/s for proposed work and supporting information.
- Receipt must demonstrate that the business the bikes or racks were procured from is based in South Australia

If applicable, a copy of your:

- Commonwealth Concession Card
- Written approval from your body corporation, landlord or equivalent
- Tenancy Agreement
- Decision Notification Form for Development Approvals (DA)

Development Approval (DA)

Development Approval should not be required for this installation.

However, please speak to your installer and Council's Development Assessment staff (phone: (08) 8203 7185) to discuss planning and building requirements specific to your property if there is any uncertainty.

Other Considerations

Please ensure you have considered the following when deciding to purchase a new e-bike, cargo bike, or bike parking rack:

- All bikes must be used in accordance with South Australian Road rules: sa.gov.au/topics/driving-andtransport/cycling
- 2. The suitability of any bike for your individual requirements. The bike should be suitable for regular use for commuting and/or transporting equipment.

Development Approval (DA) Guidance

Please speak to your installer and Council's Development Assessment staff (phone: (08) 8203 7185) to discuss planning and building requirements specific to your property.

A Development Approval will be required for:

- 1. Any solar PV system, hot water system, or rainwater tank on a State Heritage listed place.
- 2. Any solar PV system, hot water system, or rainwater tank on a Local Heritage listed place and/or in a Historic Area Overlay of the Planning and Design Code where the system can be seen by a person standing at ground level on a public street.
- 3. Installation of a solar PV system with a total weight exceeding 100kg on the roof of a building, unless all of the below are met:
 - a. The weight load does not exceed 100kg at any one point of attachment to the roof
 - b. The panels (and associated components) are not overhanging any part of the roof
 - c. The underside of the panels are no more than 100 mm above the surface of the roof at any one point.
- Any solar PV system installed by an installer not recognised by the Minister (i.e. not a Clean Energy Council (CEC) Accredited Designer and Installer of Solar PV systems).
- 5. Any water storage tank that is on the roof or at roof height.
- 6. Installation of a rainwater tank (and other supporting structure) with:
 - a. Total floor area exceeding 10 square meters
 - b. Not located wholly above the ground
 - c. With any part higher than four meters above the natural surface of the ground.

For Solar and Energy Storage System Installations

It is important your installer has valid Clean Energy Council Accreditation.

Check your installer has valid CEC Accreditation within South Australia (SA) here: cleanenergycouncil.org.au/consumers/buying-solar/find-an-installer

If CEC training was obtained outside of SA, their Australian Institute of Building Surveyors (AIBS) South Australian Supplementary Training for Solar Photovoltaic installations number will need to be provided in addition to the CEC number.

Glossary of Terms

Certificate of Compliance: A document provided by a Regulator certifying that work has been performed in accordance with a relevant regulation, standard or guidance.

Clean Energy Council (CEC): The peak body for the clean energy industry in Australia.

City of Adelaide Municipal Area: The municipal boundary of the City of Adelaide is defined as properties within the postcodes 5000/5006.

Commonwealth Concession Card Holder: An individual who has a Commonwealth-issued Health Care Card or Pensioner Concession Card.

Development Approval: The process of acquiring the necessary consents to proceed with development of land, buildings and infrastructure. You can contact our Development Approval Team on (08) 8203 7185.

Electrification: The transition from fuel burning appliances to all-electric or solar powered appliances.

Embedded Network: Private electricity networks that serve multiple premises. The owner is then responsible for the purchase and on selling of energy to the multiple premises.

Energy Efficiency: The use of less energy to perform the same task or produce the same result.

Energy Efficient: Above average energy efficiency compared to equivalent equipment available.

Innovative: A new or uncommon technology, or a new application of a proven technology.

Like-for-like Replacement: Replacing an appliance with another that is of the same asset category, size and basic configuration.

Maintenance: All actions necessary for retaining an asset as near as practicable to an appropriate service condition, including regular ongoing day-to-day work necessary to keep assets operating, excluding rehabilitation or renewal.

Measurable Impact: A measurable impact is defined as meeting one or more of the following criteria:

- 1. Electrification with an energy efficient replacement
- A half star improvement in NABERS or Greenstar rating
- 3. An energy efficiency improvement of more than 10%

National Meter Identifier (NMI): A unique 10 or 11-digit number used to identify every electricity network connection point in Australia.

Project Completion: When an appliance is installed, or a course/assessment is finalised.

Renewal: Activities that restore, rehabilitates, replaces an existing asset to its original capacity.

Small to Medium Enterprise/Business: A business with up to 200 employees based on headcount not FTE.