



Equity+ Certification Form SVP EV Charging Station Incentive Program

Applicants must demonstrate their status as an equity Applicant if they are applying for Equity+ funding lanes. Where applicable, use one of the approved methods of self-certification listed.

Check the box next to the category(ies) below for which your project applies and attach the requested documentation. If the category selected has multiple options for documentation, please check the box of the option for which you will be providing documentation.

Applicant is listed on the **City of Santa Clara's Housing & Community Services Division's Affordable Housing Resource Guide** as an "Affordable Housing Facility".

Applicant is a **Certified Minority Business Enterprise** as defined by California Public Contract Code, Article 12; Woman-Owned Small Business; or a Veteran-Owned Small Business; or a LGBT- Owned Small Business. Attached is documentation of one of the following:

Documentation of the Applicant's Small Business (SB) or Disabled Veteran Business Enterprise (DVBE) certification by the California Department of General Services, Procurement Division (DGS-PD), Office of Small Business and Disabled Veteran Business Enterprise Services (OSDS). Certification must be current. Documentation of the Applicant's certification as a Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE) from CALTRANS, the US Department of Transportation, or another DBE Certifying Agency. Certification must be current. For Applicants who meet the underlying criteria of one of the categories above but lack the resources to secure official certification, documentation via a self-certification narrative, written on company letterhead, that explains in detail the company's ownership structure and how that meets the relevant requirements. SVP staff reserves the right to ask for follow-up information as needed to satisfy this criteria. Narratives are limited to a maximum of 500 words.

Applicant is a **Public Transit Agency** installing infrastructure in a designated Disadvantaged Community, defined as having a CalEnviroScreen 3.0 or 4.0 score in the top 25 percent, or in a Low- Income Community, as defined by AB 1550. Attached is documentation of one of the following: The address of the infrastructure to be built using SVP's funds that is located within a Disadvantaged Community or Low-Income Community census tract.

For transit agencies that primarily serve Disadvantaged Communities and/or Low-Income Communities but are proposing infrastructure to be located outside of a Disadvantaged Community and/or Low-Income Community census tract, a self-certification narrative, written on agency letterhead, that documents that at least 50 percent of the transit agency's ridership lives in Disadvantaged Communities and/or Low-Income Communities. SVP's staff reserves the right to ask for follow-up information as needed to satisfy this criteria. Narratives are limited to a maximum of 500 words.

Applicant is a **Public School District** installing infrastructure in a designated Disadvantaged Community, defined as having a CalEnviroScreen 3.0 or 4.0 score in the top 25 percent, or in a designated Low-Income Community, as defined by AB 1550 and/or a School District serving greater than 50 percent of students served by the school district are Free and Reduced-Price Meals students. Attached is documentation of one of the following:

The address of the infrastructure to be built using SVP's funds that is located within a Disadvantaged Community census tract. A self-certification narrative, written on agency



letterhead, that documents that at least 50 percent of the students served by the school district are eligible for free or reduced price meals. SVP’s staff reserves the right to ask for follow-up information as needed to satisfy this criteria. Narratives are limited to a maximum of 500 words.

Applicant is a **California Native American Tribe**, California Tribal Organization, or Non- Governmental Organization serving Tribal entities. Attached is documentation of one of the following:

If the Applicant is a Federally Recognized Tribal Government listed under the list of Indian Entities Recognized by and Eligible to Receive Services From the United States Bureau of Indian Affairs, check this box - no attachment is required.

If the Applicant is not a Federally Recognized Tribal Government, the Applicant's 501(c)(3) Determination Letter from the Internal Revenue Service (IRS.)

Applicant is a **non-profit organization** that qualifies for tax-exempt status with the Internal Revenue Service under Internal Revenue Code Section 501(c)(3). Attached is the Applicant's 501(c)(3) Determination Letter from the IRS.

Applicant is installing infrastructure in a **Designated Disadvantaged Community (DAC)**, defined as having a CalEnviroScreen 3.0 or 4.0 score in the top 25 percent, or in a Low-Income Community, as defined by AB 1550. The address of the infrastructure to be built using SVP’s funds that is located within a Disadvantaged Community or Low-Income Community census tract.

Name (Print):	
Title:	
Date:	
Signature:	