

Solar and Battery Storage Rebate Application Process

Application process

Please review eligibility criteria at bchydro.com/solarrebates and/or our **terms and conditions** before purchasing or installing your system to make sure you qualify.

Please note, this process does not apply for remote microgrids communities.



1. FIND A LICENSED CONTRACTOR

Find a licenced contractor. The Canadian Renewable Energy Association (renewablesassociation.ca) and the BC Sustainable Energy Association (bcsea.org) provide helpful public directories.



2. SUBMIT A SELF-GENERATION APPLICATION

Apply to the self generation and rebate program (bchydro.com/selfgeneration) through your online MyHydro account. Your contractor may start a draft application to enter the technical information on your behalf, but you must authorize and submit it.



3. WE'LL REVIEW YOUR APPLICATION

We'll review your application to ensure your system's set up and configuration meets our eligibility and safety requirements. Please do not purchase or install your system until receiving "Application Acceptance" from us.



4. INSTALL YOUR SYSTEM

Once the application is accepted, your contractor can install your system.



5. INSPECT YOUR SYSTEM AND UPLOAD THE DOCUMENTATION

Arrange an inspection of your system and upload your final Electrical Contractor Authorization and Declaration from the Field Safety Representative (FSR), the Field Verification Information document, and final paid invoice.



6. CONNECT TO THE GRID

After we validate your inspection documents, we'll provide approval to interconnect your system to the grid.



7. RECEIVE YOUR REBATE

If your system qualifies for the rebate, you will receive the payment within 30–45 business days after interconnection approval.

Rebate questions?

For solar and battery storage rebate questions, please visit bchydro.com/solarrebates

Self generation questions?

For self-generation application questions, please visit bchydro.com/selfgeneration