



INSTRUCTIONS

1. READ ALL information and instructions before you complete this application. If you have questions, call Pacific Gas and Electric Company's CARE Program toll-free at 1-866-743-2273 or the Hotline at 415-973-7288.
2. DETERMINE if the facility meets the definition of a qualified agricultural employee housing facility. The facility MUST meet ALL criteria to qualify for a monthly discount from the CARE Program.
3. COMPLETE the entire application (please print or type). Complete a separate application for each qualified facility.
4. ATTACH all required documents. (Application is considered incomplete without documents.)
5. MAIL TO: **Pacific Gas and Electric Company
CARE Program
PO Box 7979
San Francisco, CA 94120-7979**

DISCOUNT

The CARE Program provides a monthly discount on energy bills for facilities that meet program criteria. The discount and eligibility criteria were established by the California Public Utilities Commission. The discounted rates are available only to qualified facilities. The facility will receive the discount after the utility receives and approves the application.

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA FOR ORGANIZATIONS

Each facility MUST meet ALL of the following criteria:

- Applicant must be the utility customer of record.
- Applicant must verify that 100% of the residents and/or households meet the current CARE income guidelines, excluding any employee operating or managing the facility who resides on the facility. (See enclosed sheet for current CARE income guidelines.)
- Applicant is required to re-certify CARE eligibility by completing a new application, including how the discount will be used to directly benefit the residents.

CARE: ☎ **1-866-743-2273** Fax: ☎ 415-973-6419 www.pge.com/care CAREandFERA@pge.com

TDD/TTY 1-800-652-4712 for Speech/Hearing-Impaired, Monday – Friday 9:00 a.m. – 11:00 p.m.

California Relay 1-800-735-2929 if you can not utilize the TDD line



ELIGIBLE FACILITIES

EMPLOYEE HOUSING (privately owned), as defined in section 17008 of the health and Safety Code, that is licensed and inspected by state and/or local agencies pursuant to Part I (commencing with Section 17000) of Division 13

- **Supporting documentation required:**
 - ✓ Provide copy of current permit issued by the Department of Housing and Community Development.
- **Total energy used must be 100% residential.**

HOUSING FOR AGRICULTURAL EMPLOYEES (non-migrant and operated by non-profit entities), as defined in Subdivision (b) of Section 1140.4 of the Labor Code, that has an exemption from local property taxes pursuant to subdivision (g) of Section 214 of the Revenue and Taxation Code.

- **Supporting documentation required:**
 - ✓ Provide current copy of federal 501(c)(3) tax exemption or copy of state tax exemption form, and current copy of local property tax exemption form.
- **Total Energy used:**
 - ✓ Master-metered facilities must be 70% residential use.
 - ✓ Individually metered units must be 100% residential use.

APPLICANT'S RESPONSIBILITIES

The applicant is required to:

- Provide proof of facility's eligibility (see Eligible Facilities) and submit required documentation with the application (see requirements on the application).
 - Verify that all individuals residing in the facility meet the CARE income eligibility guidelines (see income guideline sheet) and make a certification to that effect, under the penalty of perjury, under the laws of the state of California.
 - Maintain records of residents' income eligibility, which should come from federal tax return, payroll stubs or similar records acceptable to the utility. These records must be retained for three (3) years from the date of initial application and/or re-certification.
 - Show how the previous year discount was used to directly benefit the residents at re-certification.
 - Maintain accounting entries and supporting documentation of how the discount was used for the direct benefit of the residents. These records must be retained for three (3) years from the date of initial application and/or re-certification.
 - Upon request from the utility, provide documentation of the residents' income eligibility and/or documentation of how the discount was used for the direct benefit of the residents.
 - Provide all information requested by the utility. Failure to do so will result in denial or removal from the program. The applicant may be subject to rebilling for the period they were ineligible for the discount as determined by the utility.
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1 ORGANIZATION INFORMATION: *(please print or type)*

Name on Utility Bill _____

Name of Facility _____
(if different than on bill)

Address _____ City _____ Zip Code _____

Mailing Address _____ City _____ Zip Code _____
(if different)

Primary Contact _____ Secondary Contact _____
(who to contact if utility needs more information) (who to contact if utility needs more information)

Phone (____) _____ Phone (____) _____

Fax (____) _____ Fax (____) _____

E-mail Address _____ E-mail Address _____

2 FACILITY INFORMATION:

Please use a separate application for each TYPE of facility

- EMPLOYEE HOUSING** (privately owned), as defined in Section 17008 of the health and Safety Code, that is licensed and inspected in state and/or local agencies pursuant to part 1 of Division 13.
- HOUSING FOR AGRICULTURAL EMPLOYEES** (non-migrant and operated by non-profit entities), as defined in as defined in Subdivision (b) of Section 1140.4 of the Labor Code, that has received exemptions from local property taxes pursuant to subdivision (g) of the Revenue and Taxation Code.

3 RE-CERTIFICATION *(please print or type)*

If re-certifying the facility's eligibility for continued CARE discounts, please provide an explanation of how last year's discount savings was used by your organization to benefit your clients:

This year's discount will be used for:

4 DECLARATION: *(please read and sign below)*

- Organization is Pacific Gas and Electric Company customer of record
- 100% of all residents of the facility and/or households meet CARE income guidelines.
- Documentation is available to substantiate the above.
- Each Pacific Gas and Electric Company account meets the appropriate residential energy usage criteria.

By signing below, I certify under penalty of perjury that the information on this declaration is truthful and correct. Although this declaration is valid for one year, I will notify Pacific Gas and Electric Company of any changes that may affect eligibility for CARE. Pacific Gas and Electric Company reserves the right to request verification of records demonstrating eligibility at any time and may re-bill the Organization at the applicable rate if appropriate. I understand that the facility name and address may be shared with other energy utilities, if applicable.

Authorized Representative's Signature _____ Date _____

Authorized Representative's Name _____ Date _____

Please complete this application by providing individual account information on the reverse side of this page.

