



Black Hills 2021 CSG RFP Program

Low Income Verification Form

This form is required for acceptance of each CSG Low-Income Subscriber into Black Hills Energy's 2021 Low-Income Community Solar Garden (CSG) Program.

The purpose of this form is to verify that the customer stated below is an active customer of Black Hills/Colorado Electric Utility Company, LLC d/b/a Black Hills Energy, and an active participant in program(s) sponsored by the Representing Organization (shown below), and qualifies as a CSG Low-Income Subscriber under the definition and conditions attached hereto. The Representing Organizations are:

- Energy Outreach Colorado
- Colorado Energy Office
- Colorado LEAP Program
- Grid Alternatives Colorado

Low income organizations that provide permanent or temporary housing for low-income individuals in the Black Hills electric service territory, and whose facilities receive the associated usage bills from Black Hills Energy directly, can also provide written verification that those served by such a facility qualifies as a CSG Low-Income Subscriber under the definition and conditions attached hereto. Additional organizations that can participate in the program and provide verification for CSG Low-Income Subscribers, under the definition and conditions attached hereto, will be addressed by the Company on a case-by-case basis.

Black Hills Energy Customer Information:

Customer Name: _____

Customer Account Number: _____

Customer Meter Number: _____

Customer Service Address: Customer City, State, Zip: _____

Solar Garden ID No.: _____

Representing Organization Verification:

The customer stated above (including the residents of the above-stated service address) is an active customer of Black Hills/Colorado Electric Utility Company, LLC d/b/a Black Hills Energy, and is an active participant in program(s) sponsored by the Representing Organization, and qualifies as a CSG Low-Income Subscriber under the definition and conditions attached hereto.

Name (printed): _____

Signature* _____

*An authorized representative of the Representing Organization

Representing Organization: _____

DEFINITION OF CSG LOW-INCOME SUBSCRIBER AND CONDITIONS

- A Low-Income CSG Subscriber is defined as: (1) non-profit affordable housing or public authority housing¹ for low-income residents only; or (2) low-income occupants of single family housing, where “low-income” is further defined as less than or equal to 185% of Federal Poverty Level (“FPL”) consistent with Colorado law;
- For any Low-Income CSG subscriber from non-profit affordable housing, all residents must meet the low-income definition and must be the beneficiaries of the CSG subscription;
- For any Low-Income CSG subscriber from public authority housing, all residents must meet the low-income definition and must be the beneficiaries of the CSG subscription, and the public authority housing must receive electric usage bills directly from Black Hills;
- For each Low-Income CSG Subscriber, there must be a completed and fully-executed Low-Income Subscriber Agency Agreement submitted by the CSG Subscriber Organization to Black Hills Energy;
- For each Low-Income CSG Subscriber, there must be a completed and fully-executed “Consent to Disclose Utility Data” form submitted by the CSG Subscriber Organization to Black Hills Energy. Access to the form and instructions for use are located on the Black Hills website.
- All Low-Income CSG Subscribers must be Black Hills retail electric service customers in Colorado;
- Each Low-Income CSG Subscriber’s retail customer premise must be located in the same county, or adjacent county, as the solar garden; and,
- No one Low-Income CSG Subscriber can have an allocation higher than 40% of the total garden.

¹ The occupancy by residents may be permanent or temporary.