



Building Division – Residential Rooftop Solar Photovoltaic Permitting

The purpose of this web page is to provide an expedited, streamlined solar permitting process that complies with the Solar Rights Act and AB 2188 (Chapter 521, Statutes 2014) to achieve timely and cost-effective installations of small residential rooftop solar energy systems. The City of Concord encourages the use of solar systems by removing unreasonable barriers, minimizing costs to property owners and the city, and expanding the ability of property owners to install solar energy systems. The process described herein allows the city to achieve these goals while protecting the public health and safety. The process has been created based Municipal Code Title 15, Chapter 15.115 (Solar Energy Systems) provisions.

Application Instructions

An applicant for a Residential Rooftop Solar Photovoltaic (PV) permit may apply to the City for streamlined permitting by submitting one of four preconfigured applications of the system to be installed:

- [Central Inverter Configuration A](#)
- [Central Inverter Configuration B](#)
- [Central Inverter Configuration C](#)
- [Micro-Inverter Configuration D](#)

Payment methods accepted by the City of Concord include the following: Credit Cards (Visa, MasterCard, and American Express) and in person by cash, check or credit card. Please submit a completed [Credit Card Authorization Form](#) if you would like to pay by credit card.

Please submit the completed permit application and other documents to:

bldgpermits@cityofconcord.org

Attn: Building Permit Technician

1950 Parkside Drive, MS/51

Concord, CA 94519

925-671-3107

Once an application for Solar PV has been approved, the permit may be picked up at this address.

If you have any questions about the permit application or review process, please contact a Permit Technician at the above contact information.

Inspection Inspections

Please refer to the Building Division's [Inspection Services](#) page for information on calling for inspections and requesting specific time frames for the inspections.

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