



The City of Moreno Valley
Public Works Department
Electric Utility Division

Moreno Valley Electric Utility (MVU) Solar Electric Incentive Program

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Program Background

The MVU Solar Electric Incentive Program was approved by the City Council of the City of Moreno Valley on December 11, 2007. This complies with Senate Bill 1 (SB1) of the State of California, which was signed into law in August 2006.

Program Purpose

The purpose of SB1 was to:

- Include publicly-owned utilities in the California Solar Initiative
- Encourage the development and use of solar energy
- Provide information to the public concerning solar devices
- Offset part or all of the consumer's own electricity demand

Program Details and Eligibility Requirements

The program starts on January 1, 2008 and runs for 17 years.

- MVU customers only (customers connected to MVU's electrical distribution system)
- System must be located on the same premises of the end-use consumer
- Base incentive level is \$2.80/watt (the base level decreases by 7% each year)
- All components must be new and unused, with a warranty of not less than 10 years, and installed in conformance with the manufacturer's specifications and in compliance with all applicable electrical and building code standards
- Electric meter must be in place to monitor and measure the system's performance and the quantity of electricity generated by the system

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