



EQUITABLE BUILDING DECARBONIZATION PROGRAM SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA

NO-COST UPGRADES

Make your home more energy efficient

Qualifying Southern California residents can receive **no-cost home upgrades** designed to boost energy efficiency and improve indoor air quality within your home.

We are the **Equitable Building Decarbonization (EBD) Program**, a state program, supported by local nonprofits, community organizations, and environmental leaders to provide no-cost upgrades and personal support to your community.

What's being offered

Based on your home's unique needs, no-cost upgrades could include:

- Home weatherization and air sealing
- A heat pump water heater
- A heat pump heating and cooling system
- Electric laundry appliances
- An induction cooktop
- Lighting
- Low-flow shower heads
- And more!

How it works



APPLY. Complete the online interest form at SoCalEBD.org or call 424-285-6602. We'll help you determine your eligibility.



GET PERSONAL SUPPORT. If you qualify, a program advisor will guide you through your upgrade process.



HOME ASSESSMENT. Your program advisor will work together with you to identify which upgrades may work in your home.



APPROVAL. You'll review and approve your custom plan, and your program advisor will handle the rest.



INSTALLATION. Certified program installers will perform all work at no cost to you.



FINAL CHECK. A professional will confirm that all of your upgrades are installed and working correctly.

Who is eligible

Income-qualified owners or renters of single-family, multifamily, or manufactured homes in identified Southern California communities are encouraged to apply. We'll help you determine your eligibility.

Frequently asked questions

Is this a real program?

Yes. The EBD program is a statewide effort under the California Energy Commission (CEC). You can learn more about the CEC at www.energy.ca.gov/programs-and-topics/programs/equitable-building-decarbonization-program/ebd-statewide-direct.

Can I do my own improvements or use my own contractor?

For your safety, all work must be completed by the program's trained installers.

Can I choose which upgrades I receive?

Yes. Your program advisor will review the EBD recommendations with you and help determine which upgrades are the best fit for your home. You'll have a say in the final choices, based on what's compatible with your home and your needs.

How do these upgrades help with reducing energy use?

Air sealing helps prevent heating or AC from leaking out of your home, while new, efficient appliances use less energy to do the same job.

How do these upgrades help the environment?

Along with better efficiency to help you use less energy, switching to electric appliances helps reduce harmful emissions and supports improved indoor air quality.

Why this is being offered

Communities receiving state funding face issues with pollution, extreme heat, flooding, and fire risk. These home upgrades can improve your own indoor air quality and comfort, while helping reduce overall pollution.

Your community partner

Clean Energy Alliance (CEA) is a locally controlled, not-for-profit power provider serving over 256,000 customers in the cities of Carlsbad, Del Mar, Escondido, Oceanside, San Marcos, Solana Beach and Vista with a focus on sustainability, competitive rates and community reinvestment. CEA follows a community choice aggregation (CCA) model that allows local governments to purchase power to meet their community's electricity needs, offering an alternative to investor-owned utilities.



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The Equitable Building Decarbonization Program is overseen by the California Energy Commission and administered by the County of Los Angeles in the Southern California region. The program is part of California Climate Investments, a statewide initiative that puts billions of Cap-and-Invest, formerly known as Cap-and-Trade, dollars to work reducing greenhouse gas emissions, strengthening the economy, and improving public health and the environment—particularly in disadvantaged communities. Partial funding is provided by the Home Efficiency Rebates (HOMES) Program, overseen by the U.S. Department of Energy.

