Simplified Interconnection Application

Persons interested in applying for the interconnection of a distributed energy resource (DER) to the Utility's distribution system through the Simplified Process are to fill out this Simplified Interconnection Application. The Simplified Interconnection Application is to be used for inverter-based DER technologies with the capacity of 20 kW AC or less and is to be filled out completely by the Applicant. The Simplified Application shall be returned to the Utility with the requested material information and a *non-refundable \$100 application fee.*

Proposed DER interconnections to the Utility's distribution submitted under the Simplified Process may be moved into the Fast Track Process if engineering screens are failed during the Simplified Interconnection Application review. Timeline for review of the Simplified Application is as follows:

- Upon receipt of a Simplified Interconnection Application the Utility has 10 business days to review the application for completeness.
- If the application is deemed incomplete, the Utility shall notify the Applicant of what additional information material is required.
- The Applicant has 5 business days to return the missing information material or their application may lose its queue position and be deemed withdrawn.
- The Utility shall have a total of 20 business days to review the Simplified Interconnection Application, not including time waiting for additional information material to deem the application completed.
- The Utility will notify the Application if the proposed DER system is preliminary approved for interconnection or if the proposed DER system will need to be moved in the Fast Track Process.

The Interconnection Application is to be filled out completely by the applicant or as noted in each section of the application. Section that are noted with * are required to be filled out along with bolded items.

Checklist for Submission to Area EPS Operator

The items below shall be included with submittal of the Interconnection Application to the Area EPS Operator. Failure to include all items will deem the Interconnection Application incomplete.

	Included
\$100 Non-Refundable Processing Fee	🗆 Yes
One-line diagram (See TSM for more details)	🗆 Yes
Documentation showing site control	🗆 Yes
Site Diagram showing DER system layout (See TSM for more details)	🗆 Yes

Possible Additional Documentation (See TSM for more details)

- If requesting the DER export capacity to be limited, include information material explaining the limiting capabilities.
- Schematic drawings for all protection and control circuits, relay current circuits, relay potential circuits, and alarm/monitoring circuits (if applicable).
- Documentation that describes and details the operation of protection and control schemes (if applicable).
- Inverter Specification Sheet(s).

Interconnection Customer/Owner *		
Full Name (match name of electric service account, if applicable):		
Account Number:	Meter Number	•
Mailing Address:		
Email:		Phone:

Application Agent *

Is the Customer using an Application Agent for this application?	🗆 Yes	🗆 No
If Interconnection Customer is not using an Applicant Agent, pl	ease continue	to next section.
Application Agent:		
Company Name:		
Email:	Phone:	

DER Location *

Is the proposed DER system to be located at the Interconnection Customer's mailing address: If Yes, please continue to the next section.
If No, will the proposed DER system be interconnected to an existing electric service? Yes No
Please provide the address or GPS coordinates:

If not an existing service, please state the proposed service entrance size (amps):

General *		
Choose one of the following and provide applicable	e data:	
Application is for a new DER		
Aggregate DER nameplate rating of all generation and storage types (kW AC):		
Application is for a Capacity Addition to an existing DER		
Capacity of existing DER (kW AC):	Capacity proposed to be added (kW AC):	
Application is for a Material Modification to an existing DER		
If Material Modification to existing facility, please describe:		
Distributed Energy Resource will be used for what reason? (Check all that apply):		
□ Net Metering □ To only supply power to Interconnection Customer		
□ To only supply power to Area EPS		
Installed DER System Cost (before incentives): \$		

Distributed Energy	Resource Information	*	
Phase configuration of D	istributed Energy Resource(s): [Gingle-Phase	e 🗖 Three-Phase
DER Type (Check all that apply and list aggregate capacity of each type):			
□ Solar Photovoltaics	Size (kW AC):	□ Wind	Size (kW AC):
□ Storage	Size (kW AC):	□ Other	Size (kW AC):
Please specify other:			

Please specify other:

Export Capacity Limitation *

Is the Maximum Physical Export Capacity request the same as the nameplate capacity:
Yes No

If Yes, please continue to the next section.

If No, what is the Maximum Physical Export Capacity Requested (kW_{ac}):

Is the Export Capacity Limited (e.g. though the use of a control system, power relay(s), or other similar devices setting of adjustment?): Yes No

If Yes, please attach detailed information describing the method of limiting export capacity.

Inverter Interconnected System Information – non ESS (if applicable) *		
Aggregate Inverter Rating (kW AC):	Number of Total Inverters:	
Phase configuration of inverter(s):	hase 🛛 Three-Phase	
Voltage of Inverter(s):		
Inverter Manufacturer:		
1. Model No.	Certification	
	□ UL 1741 □ UL 1741-SA □ UL 1741-SB	
Inverter Rating (kW AC):	Number of Units of this Model:	
2. Model No.	Certification	
	□ UL 1741 □ UL 1741-SA □ UL 1741-SB	
Inverter Rating (kW AC):	Number of Units of this Model:	
3. Model No.	Certification	
	□ UL 1741 □ UL 1741-SA □ UL 1741-SB	
Inverter Rating (kW AC):	Number of Units of this Model:	
4. Model No.	Certification	
	□ UL 1741 □ UL 1741-SA □ UL 1741-SB	
Inverter Rating (kW AC):	Number of Units of this Model:	

Energy Storage System Information (if applicable)		
ESS Inverter Energy Rating (kWh AC):	ESS Inverter Capacity Rating (kW AC):	
How will the ESS be used? Select all Use Cases that apply. □ Outage Protection/Backup Power □ Demand Reduction □ No Export □ Time-of-Use Energy Management □ Increased Self-Consumption □ Other		
Please specify other:		
	Modes that apply. Io Exchange	
If Export Only is Checked, select all that apply. ESS Export is Allowed Solar Export is Allowed Limited Export is Allowed (please specify export limit amount in kW):		
Is the ESS recharging limited to certain times of the day and/or after a power outage? Yes No If Yes, please explain:		
If the ESS shares an inverter that is listed in the previ	ous section, please skip the rest of this section.	
Aggregate ESS Inverter Rating (kW AC): Number of Total ESS Inverters:		
Phase configuration of ESS inverter(s):		
Voltage of ESS Inverter(s):		
ESS Inverter Manufacturer:		
1. Model No.	Certification □ UL 1741 □ UL 1741-SA □ UL 1741-SB	
Inverter Rating (kW AC):	Number of Units of this Model:	
2. Model No.	Certification UL 1741 UL 1741-SA UL 1741-SB	
Inverter Rating (kW AC):	Number of Units of this Model:	
3. Model No.	Certification UL 1741 UL 1741-SA UL 1741-SB	
Inverter Rating (kW AC):	Number of Units of this Model:	
4. Model No.	Certification UL 1741 UL 1741-SA UL 1741-SB	
Inverter Rating (kW AC):	Number of Units of this Model:	

Additional Documentation

Please see the Area EPS Operator's Technical Specification Manual (TSM) for requirements that need to be on the one-line and site diagram and for example application documentation.

Please see the Interconnection Process (C-MIP) for additional requirements related to Site Control and insurance documentation.

Interconnection Agreement *

Propose DER interconnections under the Simplified Process are eligible to sign the Uniform Statewide Contract. Included in this agreement are payment terms for excess power generated by the proposed DER system the Utility may purchase. In lieu of the Utility's Uniform Contract for Cogeneration and Small Power Production Facilities, the Interconnection Customer may choose to instead sign the Utility's Distribution Interconnection Agreement.

The Interconnection Customer request an Interconnection Agreement to be executed in lieu of the Utility's Uniform Contract for Cogeneration and Small Power Production Facilities.

□ Yes □ No

Acknowledgements – Must be completed by Interconnection Customer *

	Initials
The Interconnection Customer has opportunities to request a timeline extension	
during the interconnection process. Failure by the Interconnection Customer to	
meet or request an extension for a timeline outlined in the Interconnection Process	
could result in a withdrawn queue position and the need to re-apply.	
Propose DER interconnection to the Utility's distribution submitted under the	
Simplified Process may be moved into the Fast Track Process if engineering screens	
are failed during the Interconnection Application review. Interconnection Customer	
will be contacted regarding the next steps in the Fast Track Process.	

Application Signature – Must be completed by Interconnection Customer *

I designate the individual or company listed as my Application Agent to serve as my agent for the purpose of coordinating with the Area EPS Operator on my behalf throughout the interconnection process.

Initials

I hereby certify that, to the best of my knowledge, the information provided in this Interconnection Application is true and I have appropriate Site Control in conformance with the Interconnection Process. I agree to abide by the terms and conditions for Interconnecting an Inverter-based Distribution Energy Resource No Larger than 20 kW (Simplified Process) and return the Certification of Completion when the DER has been installed.

Applicant Signature:

Date:

Please print clearly or type and return completed along with any additional documentation