



Sustainable Jersey Grants Program



Funding Available for Energy Projects!

We are pleased to announce that the Gardinier Environmental Fund is contributing \$100,000 to support a Sustainable Jersey Grants Program cycle for municipal governments and public school districts. For this grant cycle, the Gardinier Environmental Fund will fund energy projects focused on energy conservation, efficiency, and renewable energy.

Sustainable Jersey will be flexible with all grant recipient requests to modify their project scope, timeline, and budget due to changing circumstances caused by the COVID-19 pandemic.

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Available Grants

Two \$20,000 Grants
Six \$10,000 Grants

Access Application

The online application can be found here:
<http://bit.ly/2020SJEnergyGrants>

Application Due

Friday, October 30, 2020 at 11:59pm

Eligible Applicants

The applicant must be either a New Jersey municipality or public school district registered with Sustainable Jersey or Sustainable Jersey for Schools with an appointed green team. Joint municipal government and school district projects are encouraged.

Informational Webinar

Wednesday, September 16, 2020 1-2 pm
Visit <http://bit.ly/2020SJEnergyGrantsWebinar> to register

Eligibility Requirements For Previous Grant Recipients

Applicants who received a large (\$10,000 or more) grant from 2020 will be ineligible to apply in this cycle. Eligibility for previous grant recipients with open grants varies. Review the full eligibility requirements on the Sustainable Jersey or Sustainable Jersey for Schools website. Contact Kaitlyn Vollmer, Grants Program Coordinator, at grants@sustainablejersey.com or at 609-771-3189 with help determining the status of and closing out any open grants.

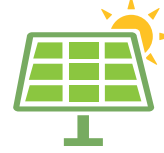
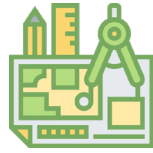
For more information visit...

www.sustainablejersey.com or www.sustainablejerseyschools.com

Questions? Contact grants@sustainablejersey.com or call (609) 771-3189

Eligible Projects

Energy Reliability and Resiliency ● Energy Conservation ● Renewable Energy
Building Electrification ● Energy Efficiency ● Studies, Plans, and Engineering
Alternative Fuel Vehicles / Transportation Electrification



Applicants interested in purchasing alternative fuel vehicles are only eligible to apply for class 4-8 medium and heavy-duty vehicles such as.

- Delivery/Freight Trucks
- School, Shuttle, and Transit Buses
- Garbage Trucks
- Snow Removal Vehicles

Ineligible Projects

Lighting ONLY Upgrade Projects



This includes street lighting, stadium lighting, parking lot lighting, and other exterior and interior lighting. Direct Install projects for the replacement of HVAC equipment, boilers, etc. that also include lighting upgrades will still be considered.



Electric Vehicle Charging Station Purchases

Applicants interested in installing EV charging station(s) should apply for NJDEP's "It Pay\$ to Plug In" program. Details on the NJDEP grants program are provided at <https://www.drivegreen.nj.gov/plugin.html>



Light-Duty Electric Vehicle Purchases

Applicants interested in purchasing light-duty electric vehicles such as police, code enforcement, and utility vehicles should review other funding opportunities listed in the Sustainable Jersey Alternative Fuel Vehicle Procurement Guide available at <http://www.bit.ly/AFVProcurementGuide> and the NJDEP resources flyer available at <http://www.bit.ly/EVResourcesFlyer>

State and Utility Energy Incentive Programs



Proposed grant projects that are eligible for funding from state or utility programs must leverage these resources in the budget of the grant application. A list of available incentive programs is available at <http://www.bit.ly/EnergyIncentivesChart>. Questions about these programs should be directed to quirkn@tcnj.edu or 609-771-2902.

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