# Net Energy Metering and Rooftop Solar



East Bay Community Energy (EBCE) customers that install new solar or other self-generation technologies are automatically enrolled in EBCE's Net Energy Metering (NEM) program.

#### Interested in Installing Solar?

A rooftop solar installation can help offset some, or all, of your electricity use. Bill credit for NEM customers is calculated using the retail rate, which is the same rate you would pay to buy that energy.

#### **How it Works**

- EBCE's NEM policy is designed to ensure your true up/ cash out value is just as beneficial as PG&E's
- You keep your annual PG&E true up for your delivery and transmission charges
- Under EBCE's service, billing occurs on a monthly basis. If you are a net generator in a given month, you accrue generation credits. If you are a net consumer, the credit balance will be applied. If there is insufficient credit balance, you are charged for the net amount. For many customers, the monthly billing helps avoid a large yearly true-up charge.
- If at the end of the year your bill credit is positive (meaning that you generated more electricity than you used throughout the year), you will receive compensation from EBCE in April. If your payout is less than \$100, you will receive a bill credit. If your payout is greater than \$100, EBCE will send you a check.
- Customers interested in adding rooftop solar must first apply to PG&E for interconnection approval.

#### Want to do more?

Opt up to Renewable 100. To opt up, visit ebce.org/change-my-plan/.

#### **Questions?**

The full NEM tariff can be found on ebce.org/nem.

For more information:

Visit our website at **ebce.org**, call us at 1-833-699-EBCE (3223), or email us at **customer-support@ebce.org**.

### See reverse side for Monthly Bill Credit chart and Annual Payout Credit chart.



## **Monthly Bill Credit**

EBCE NEM PROGRAM	2018 JURISDICTIONS <sup>1</sup>	2021 JURISDICTIONS <sup>2</sup>	BILL CREDIT PER KWH
Standard	Anytime	Anytime	Retail
Legacy Municipal	Interconnected after 6/1/2018	N/A	Retail + \$0.01
CARE/FERA	Interconnected after 6/1/2018	Interconnected after 4/1/2021	Retail + \$0.01

1. Albany, Berkeley, Dublin, Emeryville, Fremont, Hayward, Livermore, Oakland, Piedmont, San Leandro, Union City and unincorporated areas

2. Newark, Pleasanton, and Tracy

### **Annual Payout Credit**

EBCE NEM PROGRAM	ANNUAL PAYOUT CREDIT KWH	
Standard	PG&E Net Surplus Compensation (NSC)	
Legacy Municipal	Retail + \$0.01	
CARE/FERA	Retail + \$0.01	



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