

Agricultural Irrigation Certification

Bonneville Power Administration Residential Exchange Program Credit

Under the terms of the Northwest Power Act, your farm is currently receiving or may be eligible for the Bonneville Power Administration's (BPA) Residential Exchange Program (REP) "energy credit". This credit is applied to your monthly electric bill from Pacific Power. The credit is based on your farm electrical load subject to the terms, conditions and limitations in the Northwest Power Act and BPA Customer Load Eligibility Guidelines.

As your local electric provider, BPA requires Pacific Power to obtain a completed certificate on your account at least once every ten years to certify whether your irrigation meter is eligible for the BPA credit. Qualified irrigation and pumping loads may receive benefits up to a maximum 400 horsepower/month (222,000 kilo-watt hours per month) per farm (Irrigation/Pumping Load Cap).

Two or more parcels of farm land under the same direct or indirect ownership and/or control, whether in fee simple or a leasehold interest, located within a utility's service territory, will be treated collectively as a single farm, unless demonstrated otherwise by the owner or lessee to the satisfaction of BPA. In order for two or more parcels to constitute separate farms, the parcels must have unaffiliated ownership and control (direct and indirect), must maintain separate financial statements, accounting records, and tax returns, and must not share any equipment or labor with the other parcel.

Subdividing or reorganizing a farm that continues to have the same direct or indirect ownership and/or control will not increase the Irrigation/Pumping Load Cap. If the owner of a large farm attempts to subdivide the farm into smaller parcels in order to increase the amount of benefits, the owner would be subverting the intent of Congress. Such subdivision is not permitted.

Completing this form is very important. If you fail to accurately complete, sign, and promptly return the form Pacific Power will be required to remove the BPA credit from your monthly electric bill. Pacific Power may contact you after reviewing your completed certificate to ask questions and/or obtain additional information or documentation regarding your BPA credit eligibility.

If you have questions about the certificate, please contact Pacific Power Customer Service representatives at 1-800-715-9238.

Agricultural Irrigation Account Information (as it appears on your Pacific Power electric bill)

In order for Pacific Power to administer this program, the customer name **must** match the name of the valid Tax ID or Social Security Number (SSN) provided below. All qualified sites or meter numbers provided for this customer must be billed under the same account number.

Farm Classification for Exchange Load

a) Do you grow agricultural products and/or raise livestock on your property?

Yes

No

If yes, briefly describe what product(s) are grown and/or raised.

b) Do you conduct any “incidental” processing activities (e.g., washing, sorting, grading, and packaging the product to prepare for shipment to market) on your farm property?

Yes

No

If yes, briefly describe the incidental processing activities conducted on your farm.

c) Do you conduct any “commercial” processing (i.e., significantly change the original state of the product) activities on your farm property?

Yes

No

If yes, briefly describe the commercial processing activities conducted on your farm.

d) Do all processing activities (either incidental or commercial) involve products grown or raised on your farm only? If not, please identify the products and explain the circumstances.

Yes

No

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e) Do the farm activities, incidental, commercial processing loads and irrigation loads share the same meter (Mixed-Use Meter)?

Yes No

If yes on the Mixed-Use Meter, what percentage of that meter's total electrical load would you estimate is used for commercial _____%; for irrigation _____% processing on an annual basis?

If this farm is associated with a canal company, irrigation district, or similar joint operating entity, please indicate the name of the entity:

If so, what is your percentage share and/or the number of shares? _____% Number of Shares _____

**Canal Companies, Private Irrigation Districts, and Other Irrigation/Pumping Entities
Certification of Claim for the BPA Credit**

A canal company, private irrigation district, or other irrigation/pumping entities are only eligible to receive BPA credits to the extent that its shareholders with unused individual BPA credits allow their excess credits to be applied to their share of the entity's agricultural pumping electric load.

The shareholders listed own shares in the account identified above. Water is pumped on their behalf for the irrigation of land used primarily for agriculture. The shareholder farm name and electric account number must be as stated on each shareholder's Pacific Power electric bill. The customer must obtain and keep on file each shareholder's written permission to have the individual's excess BPA credit allocation applied to the entity's irrigation pumping loads.

In the event that BPA or Pacific Power has questions related to this certification of claim form, they may contact:

Name _____ Phone Number _____

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Certification

By signing this certification, I affirm that all the information provided above is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. I understand that any false statements made in this application may subject the certifying party to civil and criminal liability.

In the event any claimed BPA credits are disallowed by the Bonneville Power Administration under its agreement with Pacific Power, the customer identified above will promptly pay to Pacific Power the full amount of the credit disallowed upon final determination by the Bonneville Power Administration. The shareholders have given their permission in writing to have their allocation of BPA credit applied to the account listed in this certificate.

Signature _____
Print Name _____
Date _____

Please return the completed certificate to:

BPA Certification
Pacific Power
P. O. Box 25308
Salt Lake City, UT 84125-9925

For additional information regarding residential load eligibility, please contact Pacific Power at 1-800-715-9238, or refer to Pacific Power's website <http://www.pacificpower.net>, or BPA's website at <http://www.bpa.gov/Finance/ResidentialExchangeProgram/Pages/FY-14-15-ASC-Utility-Filings.aspx>