

# Section B: Community Solar Energy Project Description Project Name: 1245 AIRPORT ROAD \*This name will be used to reference the project in correspondence with the Applicant. I. Applicant Contact Information Applicant Company/Entity Name: LEXINGTON HOLDINGS LLC First Name: Last Name: Daytime Phone: Email: Applicant Mailing Address: PO BOX 846 Municipality: LAKEWOOD County: OCEAN Zip Code: 08701 Applicant is: Community Solar Project Owner Community Solar Developer/Facility Installer ☑ Property/Site Owner Subscriber Organization Agent (if agent, what role is represented) \_ II. Community Solar Project Owner Project Owner Company/Entity Name (complete if known): GC SOLAR NJ LLC First Name: Last Name: Daytime Phone: Mailing Address: PO BOX 846 Municipality: LAKEWOOD County: OCEAN Zip Code: 08701 III. Community Solar Developer This section, "Community Solar Developer," is optional if: 1) the Applicant is a government entity (municipal, county, or state), AND 2) the community solar developer will be selected by the Applicant via a RFP, RFQ, or other bidding process. In all other cases, this section is required. Developer Company Name (optional, complete if applicable): NEXTGRID INC. First Name: \_\_\_\_ Last Name: Daytime Phone: Email: Mailing Address: PO BOX 7775 #73069 County: SAN FRANCISCO Municipality: SAN FRANCISCO Zip Code: 94120 The proposed community solar project will be primarily built by: the Developer ☑ a contracted engineering, procurement and construction ("EPC") company



If the proposed community solar project will be primarily built by a contracted EPC company, complete the following (optional, complete if known):

If the EPC company information is left blank and the proposed project is approved by the Board for participation in the Community Solar Energy Pilot Program, the Applicant must inform the Board of the information below once the EPC company becomes known.

EPC Company Name (optional,	complete if applicable):	
First Name:	Last Name:	
Daytime Phone:	Email:	
Mailing Address:		
Municipality:	County:	Zip Code:
IV. Property/Site Owner Inform	nation	
Property Owner Company/Enti	ty Name: LEXINGTON HOLDINGS LL	.c
First Name:		
Daytime Phone:		- A 1 / /
Applicant Mailing Address: POE		
Municipality: LAKEWOOD		Zip Code: 08701
	New Jersey's	
V. Community Solar Subscriber	Organization (optional, compl	ete if known)
approved by the Board for part inform the Board of the information Comparison Name:  Daytime Phone:  Mailing Address:  Municipality:	icipation in the Community Solation below once the Subscribe any/Entity Name (optional, con Last Name: Email: County:	is left blank and the proposed project is ar Energy Pilot Program, the Applicant must er Organization becomes known.  Implete if applicable):  Zip Code:
VI. Proposed Community Solar	Facility Characteristics	
will be held to the MWdc size in	arger than 5 MWdc will be automoticated in this Application.  on (Address): 1245 AIRPORT ROAD	tomatically eliminated. If awarded, projects
	County: OCEAN  mplete if applicable): 1245 AIRPO	Zip Code: 08701



Property Block and Lot Number(s): 1160.01 - 270			
Community Solar Site Coordinates: -74.177571	Longitude	40.0557284	Latitude
Total Acreage of Property Block and Lots: 7.636	ac	res	
Total Acreage of Community Solar Facility: 2.80	a	cres	
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EDC electric service territory in which the propos	sed community sol	ar facility is locate	d: (select one)
Atlantic City Electric		Central Power & Li	ight
☐ Public Service Electric & Gas	•	nd Electric Co.	
*Project completion is defined pursuant to the oup to and including having subscribers receive be must be fully operational within 12 months of rechange according to the proposed rule amendment.  The proposed community solar facility is an exist of "Yes," the Application will not be consprovisions for projects having received a prior to February 19, 2019.  *An existing project is defined in N.J.A. and/or been approved by the Board for 19, 2019.	however, this data(year) definition at N.J.A. bill credits for their receiving condition ent described in the ing project* nsidered by the Ea subsection (t) condition.	C. 14:8-9.3 as being collected C. 14:8-9.3 as being resubscription to the subscription to the subscription and conditional certification of the solar project having the solar project having the subscription of the subscription	I for informational  Ing fully operational, the project. Projects the Board (subject to ditions).  In B. XIII. for special tion from the Board ting begun operation
VII. Community Solar Facility Siting			
<ol> <li>The proposed community solar project h         If "Yes," attach proof of site control.         If "No," the Application will be deemed in         *Site control is defined as property own         lease, or signed contract for use as a community solar site. The site control munot be contingent on the approval of and</li> </ol>	ncomplete. nership or option t ommunity solar si ust be specific to th	o purchase, signe te or option to co ne project in this A	d lease or option to ontract for use as a



2.	The proposed community solar facility is located, in part or in whole, on preserved farmland* □ Yes ☑ No
	If "Yes," the Application will not be considered by the Board.  *Preserved farmland is defined in N.J.A.C. 14:8-9.2 as land from which a permanent development easement was conveyed and a deed of easement was recorded with the county clerk's office pursuant to N.J.S.A. 4:1C-11 et seq.; land subject to a farmland preservation program agreement recorded with the county clerk's office pursuant to N.J.S.A. 4:1C-24; land from which development potential has been transferred pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40:55D-113 et seq. or N.J.S.A. 40:55D-137 et seq.; or land conveyed or dedicated by agricultural restriction pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40:55D-39.1.
3.	The proposed community solar facility is located, in part or in whole, on Green Acres preserved open space* or on land owned by the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection (NJDEP)
	*Green Acres preserved open space is defined in N.J.A.C. 14:8-9.2 as land classified as either
	"funded parkland" or "unfunded parkland" under N.J.A.C. 7:36, or land purchased by the State
	with "Green Acres funding" (as defined at N.J.A.C. 7:36).
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4.	The proposed community solar facility is located, in part or in whole, on (check all that apply):
	a landfill (see question 7 below)
	a brownfield (see question 8 below)
	an area of historic fill (see question 9 below)
	☑ a rooftop (see question 10 below)
	a canopy over a parking lot or parking deck
	a canopy over another type of impervious surface (e.g. walkway)
	☐ a water reservoir or other water body ("floating solar") (see question 11 below)
	☐ a former sand or gravel pit or former mine
	☐ farmland* (see definition below) ☐ other (see question 5 below):

\*Farmland is defined as land that has been actively devoted to agricultural or horticultural use and that is/has been valued, assessed, and taxed pursuant to the "Farmland Assessment Act of 1964," P.L. 1964, c.48 (C. 54:4-23.1 et seq.) at any time within the ten year period prior to the date of submission of the Application.

5. If you answered "other" to question 4 above, describe the proposed site and explain why it is appropriate for siting a community solar facility:



6.	The proposed community solar facility is located, in part or in whole, on land located in:  — the New Jersey Highlands Planning Area or Preservation Area  — the New Jersey Pinelands
	If the project is a ground mounted project (i.e. not rooftop or canopy), and answered "Yes" to either of the options above, include a letter or other determination from the New Jersey Highlands Council or the New Jersey Pinelands Commission, as relevant, stating that the proposed project is consistent with land use priorities in the area.
7.	If the proposed community solar facility is located, in part or in whole, on a landfill, provide the name of the landfill, as identified in NJDEP's database of New Jersey landfills, available at <a href="https://www.nj.gov/dep/dshw/lrm/landfill.htm">www.nj.gov/dep/dshw/lrm/landfill.htm</a> :
8.	If the proposed community solar facility is located, in part or in whole, on a brownfield, has a final remediation document been issued for the property?
9.	If the proposed community solar facility is located, in part or in whole, on an area of historic fill, have the remedial investigation requirements pursuant to the Technical Requirements for Site Remediation, N.J.A.C. 7:26E-4.7 been implemented?
10.	If the proposed community solar facility is located, in part or in whole, on a rooftop, has the Applicant verified that the roof is structurally able to support a solar system? $\checkmark$ Yes $\bigcirc$ No If "Yes," attach substantiating evidence. If "No," the application will not be considered by the Board.
11.	If the proposed community solar facility is located, in part or in whole, on a water reservoir or other water body ("floating solar"), is the facility located at a water treatment plant or sand and gravel pit that has little to no established floral and faunal resources?



If "Yes," provide supporting details and attach substantiating evidence if needed.

\*All proposed floating solar projects are required to meet with NJDEP's OPPN prior to submitting an Application. Applicants are responsible for contacting NJDEP with sufficient advance notice to ensure that a meeting will occur prior to the deadline to submit an Application. Please see section VIII Permits, Question 2 for more information.

12.	The proposed community solar facility is located on the property of an affordable housing building or complex ☐ Yes ☑ No
13.	The proposed community solar facility is located on an area designated in need of redevelopmen ✓ Yes □ No
	If "Yes," attach proof of the designation of the area as being in need of redevelopment from a municipal, county, or state entity.
14.	The proposed community solar facility is located in an Economic Opportunity Zone, as defined by the New Jersey Department of Community Affairs ("DCA")
15.	The proposed community solar facility is located on land or a building that is preserved by a municipal, county, state, or federal entity
16.	The proposed community solar facility is located, in part or in whole, on land that includes trees
	Construction of the proposed community solar facility will require cutting down one or more trees
	If "Yes," estimated number of trees required to be cut for construction:
17.	Are there any use restrictions at the site?



	will the use restriction(s) be required to be modified by variance or other means?
	If "Yes," explain the modification below.
18.	The proposed community solar facility has been specifically designed or planned to preserve or enhance the site (e.g. landscaping, site and enhancements, pollination support, etc.) This
	represents site improvements beyond required basic site improvements
	how the proposed site enhancements will be made and maintained for the life of the project. If
	implementing pollination support, explain what type of pollination support, how this support is
	expected to help local ecosystems, and whether the proposed pollination support has received
	certifications or other verification.
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	Roof improvements, including new roofs with no penetrations.
	2 ABB charging stations will be installed as an environmental enhancement.
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19.	This question is for informational purposes only, and will not impact the Application's score. The Board is interested in learning more about ways in which "dual use" projects may be implemented
	in the Pilot Program:
	The proposed community solar facility is a "dual use" project: i.e. the project site will remain in
	active agricultural production throughout the life of the project (e.g. crop production under or $\frac{1}{2}$
	between the panels, livestock grazing) □ Yes ☑ No
	*Wildflower planting or other pollination support is not considered dual use for purposes of this
	question (pollination support is question 18).  If "Yes," explain what agricultural production will be maintained on the site and will be consistent
	with the presence of a solar system. Provide any substantiating documentation in an attachment.



## VIII. Permits

1.	attachment to this Application
	If "No," the Application will be deemed incomplete. This requirement only applies to ground
	mounted and floating solar projects. Community solar projects located on a rooftop, parking lot,
	or parking structure are exempt from this requirement.
	*Applicants are not required to submit the Permit Readiness Checklist to NJDEP prior to
	submitting an Application to the Board, except in the case of floating solar projects.
2.	The Applicant has met with NJDEP's OPPN ☐ Yes ☑ No
	If "Yes," attach meeting notes or relevant correspondence with NJDEP's OPPN.
	* If the Applicant met with OPPN or received comments from OPPN (formerly PCER) for this
	project as part of the Program Year 1 Application process, and if the details of the project and the
	site <u>characteristics</u> have remained the same, those <u>comments</u> remain valid. Please include those
	comments or meeting notes as an attachment to the Application.
	*A meeting with NJDEP's OPPN is <u>not required</u> prior to submitting an Application. Exception: all
	floating solar projects are required to meet with NJDEP's OPPN prior to submitting an
	Application. Applicants with a floating solar project are responsible for contacting NJDEP with
	sufficient advance notice to ensure that a meeting will occur prior to the deadline to submit an
	Application.
3.	The Applicant has received all non-ministerial permits* for this project (optional)
	✓ Yes □ No
	*Receiving all non-ministerial permits is not required prior to submitting an Application.
	*A non-ministerial permit is one in which one or more officials consider various factors and
	exercise some discretion in deciding whether to issue or deny a permit. This is in contrast to a
	ministerial permit, for which approval is contingent upon the project meeting pre-determined
	and established standards. Examples of non-ministerial permits include: local planning board
	authorization, use variances, Pinelands or Highlands Commission approvals, etc. Examples of
	ministerial permits include building permits and electrical permits.

- 4. Please list all permits, approvals, or other authorizations that will be needed for the construction and operation of the proposed community solar facility pursuant to local, state and federal laws and regulations. Include permits that have already been received, have been applied for, and that will need to be applied for. These include:
  - a. Permits, approvals, or other authorizations from NJDEP (i.e. Land Use, Air Quality, New Jersey Pollutant Discharge Elimination System "NJPDES", etc.) for the property.
  - b. Permits, approvals, or other authorizations from NJDEP (i.e. Land Use, Air Quality, NJPDES, etc.) directly related to the installation and operation of a solar facility on this property.



c. Permits, approvals, or other authorizations other than those from NJDEP for the development, construction, or operation of the community solar facility (including local zoning and other local and state permits)

An Application that does not list all permits, approvals, or other authorizations that will be needed for the construction and operation of the proposed community solar facility will be deemed incomplete.

If a permit has been received, attach a copy of the permit.

Permit Name & Description	Permitting Agency/Entity	Date Permit Applied for (if applicable) / Date Permit Received (if applicable)
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BUILDING PERMIT	LAKEWOOD	
ELECTRICAL PERMIT	LAKEWOOD	
INTERCONNECTION AGREEMENT	JCPL	
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	The Applicant has consulted the hosting capacity map of the relevant EDC via the EDC's website (links are available on the NJCEP website) and determined that, based on the capacity hosting map as published at the date of submission of the Application, there is sufficient capacity available at the proposed location to build the proposed community solar facility
	If "Yes," include a screenshot of the capacity hosting map at the proposed location, showing the available capacity.
	If the hosting capacity map shows insufficient capacity, the Application will not be considered by the Board, unless the Applicant provides: 1) a letter from the relevant EDC indicating that the hosting capacity map is incorrect in that location, or 2) an assessment from the relevant EDC of the cost of the interconnection upgrade that would be required to enable the interconnection of the proposed system, and a commitment from the Applicant to pay those upgrade costs if the project were to be selected by the Board.
	Exception: Projects located in PSE&G service territory for which the hosting capacity map shows insufficient capacity available at the planned location may be eligible for a waiver of this requirement. If this application is seeking to exercise this waiver, please check "Yes" below and attach the waiver requirements as described in the Board's Order: <a href="https://www.njcleanenergy.com/files/file/CommunitySolar/FY21/8E%20-%20ORDER%20PSEG%20Interconnection.pdf">https://www.njcleanenergy.com/files/file/CommunitySolar/FY21/8E%20-%20ORDER%20PSEG%20Interconnection.pdf</a> .  This project is exercising the PSE&G hosting capacity map waiver:
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6.	5. The Applicant has conducted an interconnection study for the proposed system <i>(option</i> Yes ✓ N	
	If "Yes," include the interconnection study received from the EDC.	
IX. Con	nmunity Solar Subscriptions and Subscribers	
1.	Estimated or Anticipated Number of Subscribers (please provide a good faith estimate or range):  250 - 300	
2.	Estimated or Anticipated Breakdown of Subscribers (please provide a good faith estimate or range of the kWh of project allocated to each category):  Residential: 100%	
3.	The proposed community solar project is an LMI project*	
4.	The proposed community solar project has a clear plan for effective and respectful customer engagement process.	
	If "Yes," attach evidence of experience on projects serving LMI communities or partnerships with organizations that have experience serving LMI communities.	
5.	The proposed community solar project will allocate at least 51% of project capacity to residential customers ✓ Yes  No	
6.	An affordable housing provider is seeking to qualify as an LMI subscriber for the purposes of the community solar project	
	community solar subscription are being passed through to their residents/tenants?	



Additionally, the affordable housing provider must attach a signed affidavit that the specific, substantial, identifiable, and quantifiable long-term benefits from the community solar subscription will be passed through to their residents/tenants.

If "No," please be aware that, if, at any time during the operating life of the community solar project an affordable housing provider wishes to subscribe to the community solar project as an LMI subscriber, it must submit a signed affidavit that the specific, substantial, identifiable, and quantifiable benefits from the community solar subscription will be passed through to its residents/tenants.

	residents/tenants.
7.	This project uses an anchor subscriber <i>(optional)</i> $\Box$ Yes $\Box$ No If "Yes," name of the anchor subscriber <i>(optional)</i> :
	Estimated or anticipated percentage or range of the project capacity for the anchor subscriber's subscription:
8.	Is there any expectation that the account holder of a master meter will subscribe to the community solar project on behalf of its tenants?
	New Jersey's  CIECHTON Program™  njcleanenergy.com
	Additionally, the account holder of the master meter must attach a signed affidavit that the specific, identifiable, sufficient, and quantifiable benefits from the community solar subscription will be passed through to the tenants.
	If "No," please be aware that, if, at any time during the operating life of the community solar project the account holder of a master meter wishes to subscribe to the community solar project on behalf of its tenants, it must submit to the Board a signed affidavit that the specific identifiable, sufficient, and quantifiable benefits from the community solar subscription will be passed through to its tenants.
9.	The geographic restriction for distance between project site and subscribers is: (select one)

☑ Same municipality OR same municipality and adjacent municipalities

Note: The geographic restriction selected here will apply for the lifetime of the project, barring

☐ No geographic restriction: whole EDC service territory ☐ Same county OR same county and adjacent counties

special dispensation from the Board, pursuant to N.J.A.C. 14:8-9.5(a).



10.	Product Offering for LMI subscribers: (The Applicant must also complete and attach one or more product offering form(s) found in Appendix A. See Appendix A for exemptions.)		
	The subscription proposed offers guaranteed or fixed savings to subscribers ✓ Yes □ No If "Yes," the guaranteed or fixed savings are offered as: □ A percentage saving on the customer's annual electric utility bill □ A percentage saving on the customer's community solar bill credit □ Other:		
	If "Yes," the proposed savings represent:  ☐ 0% - 5% of the customer's annual electric utility bill or bill credit ☐ 5% - 10% of the customer's annual electric utility bill or bill credit ☐ 10% - 20% of the customer's annual electric utility bill or bill credit ☐ over 20% of the customer's annual electric utility bill or bill credit		
11.	The subscription proposed offers subscribers ownership or a pathway to ownership of a share of the community solar facility		
	The subscription proposed offers guaranteed or fixed savings to subscribers ✓ Yes ☐ No If "Yes," the guaranteed or fixed savings are offered as:  ☐ A percentage saving on the customer's annual electric utility bill ☐ A percentage saving on the customer's community solar bill credit ☐ Other:		
	If "Yes," the proposed savings represent:  ☐ 0% - 5% of the customer's annual electric utility bill or bill credit ☐ 5% - 10% of the customer's annual electric utility bill or bill credit ☐ 10% - 20% of the customer's annual electric utility bill or bill credit ☐ over 20% of the customer's annual electric utility bill or bill credit		
	The subscription proposed offers subscribers ownership or a pathway to ownership of a share of the community solar facility		



12. The list of approved community solar projects will be published on the Board's website.  Additionally, subscriber organizations have the option of indicating, on this list, that the project is currently seeking subscribers.  If this project is approved, the Board should indicate on its website that the project is currently seeking subscribers
*It is the responsibility of the project's subscriber organization to notify the Board if/when the project is no longer seeking subscribers, and request that the Board remove the above information on its website.
X. Community Engagement
1. The proposed community solar facility is located on land or a building owned or controlled by a government entity, including, but not limited to, a municipal, county, state, or federal entity
with the municipality in which the project is located
3. The proposed community solar project is being developed by or in partnership or collaboration* with one or more local community organization(s) and/or affordable housing providers in the area in which the project is located



If "Yes," explain how and attach evidence of the project being developed by or in partnership or collaboration with the local community organization(s) and/or affordable housing providers.

\*Partnership or collaboration is defined as clear and ongoing involvement by the local community organization(s) and/or affordable housing providers in the approval of the design, development, or operation of the proposed community solar project (e.g. community organization owns the proposed site, community organization is facilitating subscriber acquisition or was involved in the design of the community solar product offering, etc.). Documentation must be specific to the project described in this Application; "generic" documentation of support that applies to multiple projects submitted by the same Applicant will not be accepted.

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See attached, signed, Letters of Support / Indications of Interest

## XI. Project Cost

This section, "Project Cost," is optional if: 1) the Applicant is a government entity (municipal, county, or state), AND 2) the community solar developer will be selected by the Applicant via a RFP, RFQ, or other bidding process. In all other cases, this section is required.

1. Provide the following cost estimates and attach substantiating evidence in the form of an unlocked Excel spreadsheet model:

Applicants are expected to provide a good faith estimate of costs associated with the proposed community solar project, as they are known at the time the Application is filed with the Board. This information will not be used in the evaluation of the proposed community solar project.



XII. Other Benefits

Net Installed Cost (in \$)	
Net Installed Cost (in \$/Watt)	
Initial Customer Acquisition Cost (in \$/Watt)	
Annual Customer Churn Rate (in %)	
Annual Operating Expenses (in c/kWh)	
Levelized Cost of Energy ("LCOE") (in c/kWh)	

2. Pursuant to N.J.A.C. 14:8-9.7(q), "community solar projects shall be eligible to apply, via a one-time election prior to the delivery of any energy from the facility, for SRECs or Class I RECs, as applicable, or to any subsequent compensations as determined by the Board pursuant to the Clean Energy Act." Consistent with the Clean Energy Act of 2018, the Board is no longer accepting applications for the SREC Registration Program ("SRP"). Projects granted conditional approval to participate in PY2 will be eligible to apply for the TI Program.

For indicative <u>purposes</u> only, please indicate all local, state a<u>nd federal</u> tax incentives which will be applied to if the proposed community solar project is approved for participation in the Community Solar Energy Pilot Program:

ITC, MACRS, OPPORTUNITY ZONE, URBAN ENTERPRISE ZONE

1.	The proposed community solar facility will be paired with storage ☐ Yes ☑ No
	If "Yes," please describe the proposed storage facility:

a. Storage system size: \_\_\_\_\_ MW \_\_\_\_\_ MWh

b. The storage offtaker is also a subscriber to the proposed community solar facility

\*Community solar credits will only be provided to community solar generation; credits will not be provided to energy discharged to the grid from a storage facility (i.e. no "double counting").

2. The proposed community solar facility will be paired with one or more EV charging stations

If "Yes," how many EV charging stations: 

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Will these charging stations be public and/or private?

PRIVATE

Please provide additional details:

# ABB EV CHARGING STATIONS



3.	The proposed community solar facility will provide energy audits and/or energy efficiency improvements to subscribers ✓ Yes □ No If "Yes," please provide additional details:
	Energy Audits by: Greener by Design Inc.
4.	The proposed community solar project will create temporary or permanent jobs in New Jersey ✓ Yes ✓ No
	If "Yes," estimated number of temporary jobs created in New Jersey: 15
	If "Yes," estimated number of permanent jobs created in New Jersey: 2
	If "Yes," explain what these jobs are:
	electrician, construction mgr., installer, general contractor, maintenance tech., su
	, softender, softender right, installer, general contractor, maintenance teers, se
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5.	The proposed community solar project will provide job training opportunities for local solar
	trainees
	If "Yes," will the job training be provided through a registered apprenticeship? $\square$ Yes $\overline{\lor}$ No
	If "Yes," identify the entity or entities through which job training is or will be organized (e.g.
	New Jersey GAINS program, partnership with local school):
	Grid Alternatives Program
XIII. Sp	ecial Authorizations and Exemptions
1.	Is the proposed community solar project co-located with another community solar facility (as
	defined at N.J.A.C. 14:8-9.2)?
	If "Yes," please explain why the co-location can be approved by the Board, consistent with the
	provisions at N.J.A.C. 14:8-9
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	<ul> <li>a. That the project is sited on the property of a multi-family building.</li> <li>b. That the project will provide specific, identifiable, and quantifiable benefits to the households residing in said multi-family building.</li> </ul>
3.	Specific sections throughout the Application Form are identified as optional only if: 1) the Applicant is a government entity (municipal, county, or state), and 2) the community solar developer will be selected by the Applicant via a RFP, RFQ, or other bidding process. Is the Applicant a government entity that plans to select the developer via such bidding process?
	If "Yes," attach a letter describing the proposed bidding process and a copy of the request for bids (RFP, RFQ, or other bidding document) that is ready to be issued if the project is granted conditional approval by the Board. The Applicant must further commit to issuing said RFP, RFQ, or other bidding process within 90 days of the proposed project being approved by the Board for participation in the Community Solar Energy Pilot Program. The Applicant will be required to provide the information contained in those optional sections to the Board once it becomes known.
4.	Has the proposed community solar project received, in part or in whole, a subsection (t) conditional certification from the Board prior to February 19, 2019?
5.	The Board has proposed an amendment to the Pilot Program rules, which, if approved, would allow municipally-owned community solar projects to submit an application for a project that requests an exemption from the provisions at N.J.A.C. 14:8-9.10(b)(1) mandating subscriber enrollment via affirmative consent (i.e. an opt-out community solar project). Projects that intend

2. Does this project seek an exemption from the 10-subscriber minimum? ......  $\square$  Yes  $\overline{\,\,\,\,}$  No

If "Yes," please demonstrate below (and attach supporting documents as relevant):



to utilize opt-out subscriber enrollment if the proposed rule amendment is approved by the Board must indicate such intent below. If the Application is selected but the proposed rule amendment is not approved by the Board, the project will be required to proceed using affirmative consent (i.e. "opt-in") subscriber enrollment rules, as currently provided for in the Pilot Program rules at N.J.A.C. 14:8-9.10(b)(1).

A.	This Application is for an opt-out community solar project ☐ Yes ☑ No
В.	The proposed opt-out project will be owned and operated by the municipality for the duration of the project life (excluding a possible period of temporary third-party, tax-credit investor ownership to maximize the financeability of the opt-out project, subject to appropriate contractual provisions that maintain the municipality's ultimate control of the proposed opt-out project)
If "	Yes," the municipality name is:
If "	No," the project will not be considered for eligibility as an opt-out community solar project.
C.	The proposed opt-out project has been authorized by municipal ordinance or resolution
If "	Yes," attach a copy of the municipal ordinance or resolution allowing the development,
	nership, and operation an opt-out community solar project, contingent on the proposed rules
	ng approved by the Board.
	No," the project will not be considered for eligibility as an opt-out community solar project.
D.	The proposed opt-out project will allocate all project capacity to LMI subscribers
If "I	No," the project will not be considered for eligibility as an opt-out community solar project.
E.	Describe the process by which the municipality will identify the customers that will be automatically enrolled in the proposed opt-out project:

F. The municipal applicant has reviewed the proposed rule amendment allowing for opt-out projects, and agrees to adhere to the proposed rules and any subsequent modification if they are approved by the Board. The applicant understands that any approval for the project to operate as an opt-out community solar project is contingent on the proposed rule amendment being approved by the Board. The applicant understands that, if the proposed rule amendment is not approved by the Board, the project, if approved, will be required to







### Section C: Certifications

Instructions: Original signatures on all certifications are required. All certifications in this section must be

# notarized; instructions on how to submit certifications will be provided as part of the online application process. Certifications must be dated after October 3, 2020: PY1 certifications may not be reused in PY2. Applicant Certification The undersigned warrants, certifies, and represents that: (name) am the AUTHORIZED AGENT 1) (title) of the Applicant LEXINGTON HOLDINGS LLC (name) and have been authorized to file this Applicant Certification on behalf of my organization; and 2) The information provided in this Application package has been personally examined, is true, accurate, complete, and correct to the best of the undersigned's knowledge, based on personal knowledge or on inquiry of individuals with such knowledge; and 3) The community solar facility proposed in the Application will be constructed, installed, and operated as described in the Application and in accordance with all Board rules and applicable laws; and 4) The system proposed in the Application will be constructed, installed, and operated in accordance with all Board policies and procedures for the Transition Incentive Program, if applicable; and 5) My organization understands that information in this Application is subject to disclosure under the Open Public Records Act, N.J.S.A. 47-1A-1 et seq., and that any claimed sensitive and trade secret information should be submitted in accordance with the confidentiality procedures set forth in N.J.A.C. 14:1-12.3; and 6) I acknowledge that submission of false information may be grounds for denial of this Application, and if any of the foregoing statements are willfully false, I am subject to punishment to the full extent of the law, including the possibility of fine and imprisonment. Signed and sworn to before me on this 29 day of 501011 2021 HILLS DeAnna Hills NOTARY PUBLIC OF NEW JERSEY

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Name



# **Project Developer Certification**

This Certification "Project Developer / Installer" is optional if: 1) the Applicant is a government entity (municipal, county, or state), AND 2) the community solar developer will be selected by the Applicant via a Request for Proposals (RFP), Request for Quotations (RFQ), or other bidding process. In all other cases, this Certification is required.

The undersigned warrants, certifies, and represents that:

- 1) I, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (name) am the \_\_PROJECT DEVELOPER AGENT (title) of the Project Developer \_\_NEXTGRID INC. (name) and have been authorized to file this Applicant Certification on behalf of my organization; and
- 2) The information provided in this Application package has been personally examined, is true, accurate, complete, and correct to the best of the undersigned's knowledge, based on personal knowledge or on inquiry of individuals with such knowledge; and
- The community solar facility proposed in the Application will be constructed, installed, and operated as described in the Application and in accordance with all Board rules and applicable laws; and
- 4) The system proposed in the Application will be constructed, installed, and operated in accordance with all Board policies and procedures for the Transition Incentive Program, if applicable; and
- 5) My organization understands that information in this Application is subject to disclosure under the Open Public Records Act, N.J.S.A. 47-1A-1 et seq., and that any claimed sensitive and trade secret information should be submitted in accordance with the confidentiality procedures set forth in N.J.A.C. 14:1-12.3; and
- 6) I acknowledge that submission of false information may be grounds for denial of this Application, and if any of the foregoing statements are willfully false, I am subject to

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### **Project Owner Certification**

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Applicant Certification on behalf of my organization; and

The undersigned warrants, certifies, and represents that:

2) The information provided in this Application package has been personally examined, is true, accurate, complete, and correct to the best of the undersigned's knowledge, based on personal knowledge or on inquiry of individuals with such knowledge; and

(name) and have been authorized to file this

- 3) The community solar facility proposed in the Application will be constructed, installed, and operated as described in the Application and in accordance with all Board rules and applicable laws; and
- 4) The system proposed in the Application will be constructed, installed, and operated in accordance with all Board policies and procedures for the Transition Incentive Program, if applicable; and
- 5) My organization understands that information in this Application is subject to disclosure under the Open Public Records Act, N.J.S.A. 47-1A-1 et seq., and that any claimed sensitive and trade secret information should be submitted in accordance with the confidentiality procedures set forth in N.J.A.C. 14:1-12.3; and
- 6) I acknowledge that submission of false information may be grounds for denial of this Application, and if any of the foregoing statements are willfully false, I am subject to punishment to the full extent of the law, including the possibility of fine and imprisonment.

Signed and sworn to before me on this 29 day of January

Signature

Name

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### **Property Owner Certification**

The undersigned warrants, certifies, and represents that:

- 1) I, LEXINGTON HOLDINGS LLC (name) am the OWNER AUTHORIZED AGENT (title) of the Property 1245 Airport Rd., Lakewood NJ 08701 (name) and have been authorized to file this Applicant Certification on behalf of my organization; and
- 2) The information provided in this Application package pertaining to siting and location of the proposed community solar project has been personally examined, is true, accurate, complete, and correct to the best of the undersigned's knowledge, based on personal knowledge or on inquiry of individuals with such knowledge; and
- 3) My organization or I understand that information in this Application is subject to disclosure under the Open Public Records Act, N.J.S.A. 47-1A-1 et seq., and that any claimed sensitive and trade secret information should be submitted in accordance with the confidentiality procedures set forth in N.J.A.C. 14:1-12.3; and
- 4) I acknowledge that submission of false information may be grounds for denial of this Application, and if any of the foregoing statements are willfully false, I am subject to punishment to the full extent of the law, including the possibility of fine and imprisonment.

Signed and sworn to before me on this 20 day of January, 207)

Signature 11115

Name

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# Subscriber Organization Certification (optional, complete if known)

The un	dersigned warrants, certifies, and represents that:
1)	I, (name) am the (title) of the
	Subscriber Organization (name) and have been authorized to file
	this Applicant Certification on behalf of my organization; and
2)	The information provided in this Application package has been personally examined, is true,
	accurate, complete, and correct to the best of the undersigned's knowledge, based on personal
	knowledge or on inquiry of individuals with such knowledge; and
3)	The community solar facility proposed in the Application will be constructed, installed, and
	operated as described in the Application and in accordance with all Board rules and applicable laws; and
4)	My organization understands that information in this Application is subject to disclosure under
	the Open Public Records Act, N.J.S.A. 47-1A-1 et seq., and that any claimed sensitive and trade
	secret information should be submitted in accordance with the confidentiality procedures set
	forth in N.J.A.C. 14:1-12.3; and
5)	I acknowledge that submission of false information may be grounds for denial of this
	Application, and if any of the foregoing statements are willfully false, I am subject to
	punishment to the full extent of the law, including the possibility of fine and imprisonment.
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# Appendix A: Product Offering Questionnaire

Complete the following Product Offering Questionnaire. If there are multiple different product offerings for the proposed community solar project, please complete and attach one Product Offering Questionnaire per product offering. Variations in any product offering require a separate Product Offering Questionnaire. Applicants are expected to provide a good faith description of the product offerings developed for the proposed community solar project, as they are known at the time the Application is filed with the Board. If the proposed project is approved by the Board, the Applicant must notify the Board and receive approval from the Board for any modification or addition to a Product Offering Questionnaire.

Exception: This "Product Offering Questionnaire" is optional if: 1) the Applicant is a government entity (municipal, county, or state), AND 2) the community solar developer will be selected by the Applicant via a Request for Proposals (RFP), Request for Quotations (RFQ), or other bidding process.

This Questionnaire is Product Offering number $\frac{1}{2}$ of $\frac{1}{2}$ (total number of product offerings).
This Product Offering applies to:  LMI subscribers  non-LMI subscribers  both LMI and non-LMI subscribers  1. Community Solar Subscription Type (examples: kilowatt hours per year, kilowatt size, percentage of community solar facility's nameplate capacity, percentage of subscriber's historical usage, percentage of subscriber's actual usage): kilowatt hours per year
<ul> <li>2. Community Solar Subscription Price: (check all that apply)</li> <li>☑ Fixed price per month</li> <li>☐ Variable price per month, variation based on:</li> <li>☐ The subscription price has an escalator of % every (interval)</li> </ul>
3. Contract term (length): months, or years OR ☑ month-to-month
<ul> <li>4. Fees</li> <li>✓ Sign-up fee: Zero</li> <li>☐ Early Termination or Cancellation fees: Zero</li> <li>☐ Other fee(s) and frequency: Subscription Price in #2 above is Zero</li> </ul>
5. Does the subscription guarantee or offer fixed savings or specific, quantifiable economic benefits



If "Yes," the savings are	guaranteed or fixed:
$\square$ As a percent	age of monthly utility bill
$\square$ As a fixed gu	aranteed savings compared to average historic bill
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□ Other: 20	0.1% of bill credits

6. Special conditions or considerations:

