

CCGBC Green Awards 2023 Application

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GREEN OPERATIONS CATEGORY



CENTRAL COAST
GREEN BUILDING COUNCIL

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ELIGIBILITY

Building owners, business owners, and design + construction professionals are all welcome to submit projects that are built or unbuilt.

Companies/persons within San Luis Obispo, Santa Barbara, and Ventura Counties may submit work outside of our tri-county region, however projects will receive points from the judges for being local.

The Green Operation Category is intended for new, remodeled, or tenant improvement projects with a focus on the improvement of their green operations or programs.

Past Green Awards winning projects will only be considered eligible if they have achieved a new/different certification (like Living Building Challenge or O&M, etc.) beyond what they earned when they submitted last time, and it must be submitted for a different category.

The format of submission is only this application. CCGBC will be compiling the project boards, all you need to do is give us the information! We summarize and synthesize for the boards, and give those plus all of the data submitted to the judges.

The Green Operations Award will be judged based on the following criteria:

1. Building Systems
2. Energy Systems / Renewables
3. Water Conservation
4. Operational Plan Implementation
5. Indoor Air Quality Improvement
6. Transportation Impact Reduction
7. Waste Reduction / Diversion
8. Green Education & Leadership
9. Green Cleaning & Maintenance
10. Green Innovation Design
11. Green Business Benefits

Entry Fees:

CCGBC Members: \$150 For First Entry + \$75 for each additional entry

Non-CCGBC Members: \$250 For First Entry + \$150 for each additional entry

Green Awards & Gala : November 2023 in Santa Barbara. Location TBD.

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APPLICATION INFORMATION

Contact person information for this application.

Name

Firm Name

Street Address

Phone Number

Email Address

Project Information for this application.

Name of Owner (First, Last)

Project Name

Year Built

Project Address

Project Category:

- K-12
- Community College
- University
- Community Center
- Library
- Public Safety
- Government
- Other

Mark which applies to your project.

Built projects will be judged alongside built projects, unbuilt alongside unbuilt projects.

- Built Project
- Unbuilt Project

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PROJECT TEAM MEMBERS INFORMATION

Architect

Landscape Architect

Interior Design

Structural Engineer

Mechanical Engineer

Electrical Engineer

Civil Engineer

Energy Consultant / Modeler

Commissioning / HERS Rater

Contractor

Additional Team Members

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Project Description (max 250 words)

Square Footage:

Type of Square Footage (ex. New Gross Floor Area) :

Type/Method of Construction (Ex. Cold-Formed Steel Framing) :

of Stories :

Certification Achieved :

- Registered / Not Yet Certified
- LEED Silver
- LEED Gold
- LEED Platinum
- WELL Certified
- None
- Other

Attach Proof of Certification with submission

Is Your Project Net-Zero Energy, Net-Zero Carbon or Net Zero Water?

- Net Zero Energy
- Net Zero Water
- Net Zero Carbon
- N/A

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Please provide the following information about your Green Home:

An N/A answer is acceptable, as not all questions apply to all projects.

1. Building Systems

Describe any upgrades or major changes to building systems made during the project. If no upgrades occurred, please describe existing systems. Please provide metrics and supporting analysis* (max. 200 words)

Description of Supporting Documentation

Attach Supporting Documents

2. Energy Efficiency and Renewables

Describe the strategies used to achieve energy savings. This may include installing efficient lighting, Energy Star appliances, efficient building envelope measures, etc. (max. 150 words)

What is the annual energy savings (%) realized through this project OR Energy Star Score?

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Briefly describe what, if any, renewable energy systems were used on this project. Include system size, rated kWh generation and upload documentation of installation. (max. 150 words)

Description of Supporting Documentation

Attach Energy Savings, Energy Analysis, Energy Model, etc.

3. Water Conservation

Please describe the strategies used to achieve water savings. This may include installing efficient toilets or "water sense" fixtures, efficient irrigation systems/timers, low-water landscapes, recirculating pumps, graywater use, catchment, or rainwater barrels, etc. (max. 150 words)

What is the annual water savings (%) over an estimated/ established baseline usage?

Description of Supporting Documentation

Attach Water Savings Documents

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4. Operational Plan/ Implementation

Describe the implementation process for sustainable operational policies and plans. (max. 150 words)

Description of Supporting Documentation

Attach Supporting Documents

5. Indoor Air Quality Improvement

Describe the environmentally preferable materials or strategies used on the project to improve indoor air quality. This could include zero-VOC finishes and sealants, zero-formaldehyde cabinetry, ductless heating/cooling, non-carpet flooring, etc. (max. 150 words)

Describe the buildings ventilation strategies including natural ventilation, operable window, ceiling fans, ductless heating/cooling etc. (max 150 words)

6. Transportation Impact Reduction

Describe any measure taken to reduce the transportation impact of your business. This may include bicycle lockers, showers, car pools, bus pass programs, low-emissions vehicle parking, etc. (max. 150 words)

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7. Waste Reduction / Diversion

Describe measures implemented to reduce waste. This could include sorted construction waste, deconstruction, donations, recycling, or composting for example. (max. 150 words)

8. Green Education & Leadership

Describe any educational or leadership programs in place for engaging staff or the general public. (max. 200 words)

Name the top 3 measures from project that were most successful?

9. Green Cleaning & Maintenance

Toxic substances are often introduced into an indoor environment via cleaning products. What programs are in place to foster sustainable operations and maintenance of the building? Include products (and their third party certifications if available), materials and procedures as relevant. (max. 150 words)

Toxic substances can also be introduced into an environment via pest control or weed control products. Is there a non-toxic product plan in place?

- Yes
- No

If "Yes", please describe your non-toxic pest control and/or weed control measures.

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10. Green Innovative Design

Describe any innovative design features of this project, the reason for choosing them, and their impact. In addition describe the project teams approach to building integration, design and implementation. (max. 200 words)

11. Green Business Benefits

Describe the business benefits you have achieved. This may include marketplace visibility, sales/profits, employee and customer satisfaction/retention, decreased resource costs, etc.(max. 200 words)

Additional Project Information (Optional)

What were the benefits the project team and owner realized in the pursuit of LEED certification? (max. 200 words)

What site or building challenges did your integrated team face when implementing high performance design and/or operations? (max. 200 words)

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ADDITIONAL SUPPORTING DOCUMENTATION

You may upload three additional supporting document files such as site or floor plans. Please provide a caption description for each uploaded file.

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Supporting Documentation #1 Caption and Description

Supporting Documentation #2 Caption and Description

Supporting Documentation #3 Caption and Description

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PROJECT IMAGES

Please provide up to SIX IMAGES in JPG format, no larger than 3 MB & no smaller than 300 DPI

These photos will be used for publication purposes (i.e., CCGBC website, project posters, Green Awards Book, etc.) Please select photos that best represent your project. Be sure to **provide a caption** and appropriate **photo credits** for publication.

Image #1 Caption and Description

Image #2 Caption and Description

Image #3 Caption and Description

Image #4 Caption and Description

Image #5 Caption and Description

Image #6 Caption and Description

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AUTHORIZATION

I authorize USGBC-CCGBC to use the images and information provided in this application for publication on the USGBC-CCGBC website, on poster presentations at USGBC-CCGBC events and in upcoming Green Case Study presentations (books, calendars, webinars).

Authorized Signature:

Please note any authorization exclusions:

Thank You!

Thank you for helping us recognize and celebrate outstanding projects within our community! We hope that you will join in November 2023 for the Green Awards Gala!

More details to be released soon!

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