



SUBMITTAL REQUIREMENTS FOR RESIDENTIAL GRID-TIED PHOTOVOLTAIC SYSTEMS INSTALLED BY AN ARIZONA-LICENSED CONTRACTOR (DOES NOT APPLY TO COMMERCIAL APPLICATIONS)

FOR RESIDENTIAL GRID-TIED PHOTOVOLTAIC SYSTEMS INSTALLED BY AN ARIZONA-LICENSED CONTRACTOR, THE FOLLOWING IS REQUIRED:

Effective December 4, 2017, when installed by an Arizona-licensed contractor, a building permit will not be required for residential grid-tied photovoltaic systems but shall not apply to commercial applications.

- A separate permit is required for the following, if integrated into the grid-tied photovoltaic system:
 - main panel upgrade or new subpanel
 - backup generator
 - energy storage system batteries
 - an independent photovoltaic panel support structure with usable space underneath with a clear height of not less than 7 feet 6 inches intended for secondary use.
- A Flood Control District Administrative Review Form will be required to address Flood Control District requirements for both roof-mounted and ground-mounted grid-tied photovoltaic systems.
- Ground-mount solar panels **must** meet zoning district building height limitations and principal setback requirements.
- All foundations and footers **must** maintain a 10-foot setback to all portions of the onsite wastewater system
- Contact the local fire district having authority for additional requirements.
- Contact APS for permit/review requirements at <https://www.aps.com/DG>

It is the contractor's and owner's responsibility to ensure compliance with the above requirements.

Commercial alternate power systems require plan review, shall be fully engineered, and show compliance with the requirements of the 2023 National Electric Code, as amended and adopted by Yavapai County.

