



ENERGY DIVISION

ALABAMA BIODIESEL INCENTIVE PROGRAM APPLICATION

Thank you for your interest in the Alabama Biodiesel Incentive Program administered by the Alabama Department of Economic and Community Affairs (ADECA) Energy Division. It is the goal of this program to increase the availability and use of biodiesel in Alabama. This program will pay up to \$2500 of the cost of cleaning existing fuel tanks in preparation for storage of B20 or higher blend biodiesel for use in fleet vehicles for public K-12 school systems, colleges, universities and local governments. B20 is a 20 percent biodiesel blended transportation fuel.

Successful applicants will be required to provide B20 or higher blend biodiesel for use in fleet vehicles for a minimum of three years. Grantees will also be required to provide information to the ADECA Energy Division on the number of gallons of B20 or higher blend biodiesel dispensed and used to fuel fleet vehicles during this time period.

If, during the three year time period of the agreement, the price of B20 biodiesel on the Alabama State Fuels Contract exceeds the petroleum diesel price by more than 5%, the grantee may temporarily suspend the B20 use requirement and fuel with petroleum diesel fuel. The grantee must return to using B20 when the price differential returns to no more than 5%. The grantee must notify the ADECA Energy Division in writing of its intent to temporarily suspend the use of B20 and again upon resumption.

Due to the limited amount of funds available, submission of an application does not guarantee funding.

This application does not indicate acceptance or approval of any application in response to this request. No grant or contract payment can be made until a fully executed document is in place. Therefore, applications selected for funding shall not perform any work prior to an executed agreement.

APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name: _____

Mailing Address: _____

City: _____ County: _____ Zip: _____

Name of Contact Person: _____

Title: _____

Telephone: () _____ Email: _____

Proposed Project Starting Date: _____

Proposed Project Completion Date: _____

Total Funds Requested (\$2500 maximum): _____

Attach a minimum of three (3) fee quotes for tank cleaning services.

PROJECT DESCRIPTION

Provide a brief narrative addressing plans for the proposed project including the location of the fueling infrastructure and estimates of the number of gallons of B20 or higher blend biodiesel expected to be dispensed annually. Include the basis for fuel usage estimates.

Is the applicant aware of any adverse environmental impact which may arise from the implementation of the proposed project?

Yes _____ No _____

(If yes, attach an analysis of that impact and the applicant's plan to minimize and avoid such an impact.)

APPLICANT AFFIRMATION

The Applicant affirms that tanks cleaned with funds received through this program will be used to store B20 or higher blend biodiesel and this biofuel will be dispensed for use in fleet vehicles for a period of not less than three years from the beginning date of the grant.

I attest that, to the best of my knowledge, all information provided in this application and in conjunction with this application is factual.

Authorized Official (signature)

Project Manager (signature)

Name and Title (type or print)

Name and Title (type or print)

Date

Date

Note: The use of biodiesel in Alabama school system pupil transport buses requires approval by the Alabama Department of Education. After submittal to ADECA all school system applications will be reviewed and subject to approval by the State Director of Pupil Transportation.