

Step 1: Go to [www.lus.org](http://www.lus.org) click on "Our Environment" then "Net Metering" and download the Lafayette Utilities System Net Metering Interconnection Standards. (The standards can also be picked up at 1314 Walker Road Lafayette, LA 70506)

Step 2: Read all standards and fill out the four page application included in the Net Metering Interconnection Standards.

Step 3: Submit the completed four page application to LUS at 1314 Walker Road Lafayette, Louisiana 70506; Attn: Jack Robertson (for residential customers) or Keith Zerangue (for commercial customers).

Step 4: LUS will review your application. Upon approval of your application, an approval letter from LUS will be sent to you. This letter will instruct you that a permit may now be issued and the construction of your renewable energy facility may commence.

Step 5: If applicable, pay for necessary costs directly related to the interconnection as specified in Sections 3.3, 3.8.5, 3.12.1, 3.15, and 3.16 of the Lafayette Utilities System Net Metering Interconnection Standards.

Step 6: Read Lafayette Utilities System Standard Interconnection Agreement for Net Metering Facilities. After your facility has passed final inspection, fill out Article I. Standard Information - Sections 1, 2, 3, and 4 and Article II. Interconnection Agreement Terms and Conditions – Sections 8 and 10. DO NOT fill in any of the dates in Article II. The Lafayette Utilities System Standard Interconnection Agreement for Net Metering Facilities must be submitted to LUS forty-five (45) days prior to intended interconnection with the utility grid. This Agreement can be downloaded from the Lafayette Utilities System website at [www.lus.org](http://www.lus.org) click on "Our Environment" and then "Net Metering". It can also be picked up at 1314 Walker Road Lafayette, LA 70506.

Step 7: If your system meets all requirements necessary, LUS will complete the interconnection agreement and inform you that you may now interconnect with the utility grid.

Note: Your Renewable Energy Facility must comply with the following:

- Lafayette Utilities System Net Metering Interconnection Standards – latest edition
- Local and state laws, ordinances, and codes
- National codes such as the National Electric Code; National Electric Safety Code; Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers, Inc.; and Underwriters Laboratories Inc.

Your facility must comply with the above, especially the synchronization, disconnection, and safety measures outlined in the Lafayette Utilities System Net Metering Interconnection Standards prior to interconnection.