This form provides the California Air Resources Board (CARB) with basic information about the applicant and the project. Each applicant must complete and sign this form in its entirety. **Each form may only address one project application, either Tier I or Tier II**. If an applicant submits multiple applications for the same Tier, each application must be for a distinct project with no overlap with respect to the tasks and technologies described in the Project Summary.

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| **Contact Information** | | |
| Legal Name of Retail Food Facility |  | |
| Federal Tax ID # | **-** | |
| Applicant Information *(Retail Food Facility Owner/operator)* | Name |  |
| Street Address |  |
| City, State, and Zip Code |  |
| Phone Number | Phone: |
| E-Mail Address |  |
| I have read and understood the terms and conditions of the Sample Grant Agreement. | |
| Project Manager  *(Point of contact for all communications. Only complete this section if the Project Manager is a different person than the Applicant)* | Name |  |
| Street Address |  |
| City, State, and Zip Code |  |
| Phone Number | Phone: |
| E-Mail Address |  |
| I have read and understood the terms and conditions of the Sample Grant Agreement. | |
| Recipient for Legal Notices | Name |  |
| Street Address |  |
| City, State, and Zip Code |  |
| Phone Number | Phone: |
| E-Mail Address |  |

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| **Project Title** |
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| **Proposed Term** *Proposed Project Start and End Dates (dates must be consistent with the scope of work in the project summary and the end date of the project must be no later than June 30, 2024)* | |
| **Start Date: / /** | **End Date: / /** |

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| **Project Type**  Select only one Tier per application  This application is for: **Tier I:** Complete Section A.  **Tier II:** Complete Section B |
| **Section A – Tier I Only**  *Place a check in the box applicable to the technologies proposed for Tier I. See Chapter 2 of the Guidelines for a list of eligible technologies.* |
| Installation of an ultra-low-GWP refrigerant (< 10 GWP) at a new facility  Full conversion to ultra-low-GWP refrigerant (< 10 GWP) at an existing facility  Partial conversion to ultra-low-GWP refrigerant (< 10 GWP) at an existing facility |
| **Section B – Tier II Only**  *Place a check in the box applicable to the technologies proposed for Tier II. See Chapter2 of the Guidelines for a list of eligible**technologies.* |
| Refrigerant retrofit from high-GWP (> 3900) to lower-GWP refrigerant (< 1500 GWP) at an existing facility without a permanent system charge reduction of at least 25%.  Refrigerant retrofit from high-GWP (> 3900) to lower-GWP refrigerant (< 1500 GWP) at an existing facility with a permanent system charge reduction of at least 25%. |

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| **Project Location** | |
| Name of Retail Food Facility |  |
| Street Address |  |
| City, State, and Zip Code |  |
| NAICS Code (at least first 5 digits) and Title |  |
| *Check all applicable boxes:*  The proposed project is located in a census tract that is identified as low-income and/or disadvantaged community as defined by the California Climate Investments.  The proposed project is located at and independently owned facility (applicant owns less than 4 stores in California)*.* | |

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| **Project Description** *(brief description of project and proposed technologies)* |
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| **Funding amount requested ($)** | |
| Maximum available funding for Tier I:  $150,000 for existing facilities or $50,000 for new facilities or 100% of the total incremental cost of the ultra-low-GWP technology (whichever is lower)  Maximum available funding for Tier II:   * 25% of refrigerant retrofit costs for refrigerant retrofits projects without a permanent charge reduction. 50% of refrigerant costs will be available for projects located in disadvantaged communities or in independent stores. * 25% of refrigerant retrofit costs based on the anticipated final system charge for projects with a permanent charge reduction of at least 25% and an additional $25 per pound of refrigerant permanently removed from the system. |  |

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| **California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) Compliance** *(for an explanation of CEQA requirements, see Attachment G,* ***CEQA Worksheet***. ***Complete Attachment G regardless of whether the answers to the questions below are “yes” or “no.”****)* | |
| **1.** | **Are the proposed activities considered a “project” under CEQA (i.e., do they have the potential to cause a direct or a reasonably foreseeable indirect physical change in the environment)?** *See California Public Resources Code Section 21065 and 14 California Code of Regulations Section 15378 for a definition of “project.”* |
|  | Yes: skip to question 2.  No: complete the sentence below. |
|  | The activities funded by the agreement will not cause a direct physical change in the environment or a reasonably foreseeable indirect physical change in the environment because … *[complete the sentence]*. |
| **2.** | **If the proposed activities are considered a “project” under CEQA and are not exempt, has the required environmental review been completed?** |
|  | Yes (provide the documentation required in Attachment G CEQA Worksheet).  No, but if a FRIP award is given, it will be completed before the grant agreement end date. |

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| **Certifications**   1. I authorize the California Air Resources Board to make any inquiries necessary to verify the information presented in this application. 2. I have read and understand the terms and conditions contained in the Guidelines. I accept the terms and conditions contained in the Guidelines, and am willing to enter into an agreement with the California Air Resources Board to conduct the proposed project according to the terms and conditions without negotiation. 3. I hereby certify under penalty of perjury that all information provided in this application and any attachments are true and correct. | | |
| Signature of Authorized Representative |  | Date: |
| Printed Name of Authorized Representative |  | |