



CITY OF ANNAPOLIS ELECTRIC LEAF BLOWER REBATE PROGRAM



Appendix A – Application Process

- 1. Verify eligibility. Check to make sure you're located in the incorporated City of Annapolis limits by using our address check map:
 - https://www.google.com/maps/d/viewer?mid=1LtdUwoGzeA6oIRe0ilaasz0RINWwSb4&ll=38.97012438124843%2C-76.49840285857843&z=14.
- 2. Review Project Guidelines:
 - Review the City of Annapolis Electric Leaf Blower Rebate Program Application
 Instructions which can be found at https://cbtrust.org/grants/annapolis-leaf-blower-rebate/ before purchasing leaf blower. Purchases must meet the criteria outlined to receive a rebate.
- 3. Purchase electric leaf blower.
 - Please ensure that the leaf blower emits sound less than or equal to 65 dB and meets all other program guidelines.
- 4. Fill Out and Submit an Application:
 - To apply online (recommended), please review the Online Application Submission Instructions below.
 - To apply via paper application, download the application form at https://cbtrust.org/grants/annapolis-leaf-blower-rebate/ or contact us to get a copy mailed to you. Completed paper application forms should be mailed to the following address:

City of Annapolis Electric Leaf Blower Financial Assistance Program Chesapeake Bay Trust

108 Severn Avenue

Annapolis, MD 21403

- 5. Trust Reviews Application.
 - Please expect about 2 weeks for the Trust to review your application and supporting documentation. They will reach out if any other information is needed.
- 6. Receive Rebate Approval
 - The rebate check will arrive via mail at the mailing address included in your application.

Online Application Submission Instructions

The Trust uses an online system for the application process and project management. Go to https://cbtrust.org/grants/annapolis-leaf-blower-rebate/ and click on "Get Started" to begin a new application. This will open a new window asking you to log in or create an account on our online system. If you have applied to the Chesapeake Bay Trust in the past, please use your existing username and password (if you have forgotten your password, click on 'forgot password' to reset your password). If you have not applied to the Chesapeake Bay Trust before, click on "New Applicant" to set up an account.

At the start of the online application form, you will be asked to complete an eligibility review which is meant to assist you in determining if your project meets the requirements of this program. You will then be asked to provide the following information. Complete the application to the best of your ability.

1. Applicant and Project Information Tab

- Provide the applicant's name, mailing address, phone, email address, and applicant type. The applicant must be a Single-family (including townhomes) property owner, renter, nonprofit (including religious institutions, private schools, homeowners associations (HOA) and condominium associations), landscape contractor, or lawncare buisness within the Incorporated City of Annapolis limits.
- Provide the property information including the property address. For landscape contractors, provide the organization or business name and the tax ID number.
- Provide project information including the project goals

2. Supporting Documents Tab

o Upload all required supporting documents – see below for a checklist

Proof of Residence (Only required for renter – submit a bill or rental agreement	
that has your full name and address)	
Paid Receipts/Invoices	
- For residents: Receipts/Invoices must show that the leaf blower was shipped to or	
purchased within the state of Maryland	