

Zero-Emission Electric Forklifts



Grant funding up to
75% - 100% of Eligible Costs
per forklift

NEW! Higher Funding Limits Available -- Apply now!

Applications accepted on first-come, first-served basis
Maximum funding amount based on Cost-Effectiveness*

Scrap forklifts with internal combustion engines and replace to all-electric equipment

- Eligible equipment includes forklifts with a lift capacity of greater than 8,001 lbs
- Forklift can operate in any sector anywhere in California
- Existing (“Baseline”) equipment must have a Tier 4 or earlier combustion-fueled engine
- Baseline equipment must be used at least 50 hours per year
- New equipment must be placed into service within 18 months from date of Notice to Proceed
- All equipment and the fleet must be in compliance with applicable CARB fleet rules
- (NEW!) Stacking with other State incentive funds that do not claim NOx emission reductions is allowed.

Please refer to the Solicitation Guidance for full details

You will need the following documentation to apply:

About your Organization:




- General and property liability insurance;
- Compliance demonstration with CARB regulations for equipment and for applicant’s fleet; and
- Applicant W-9

About your Equipment:

- Photos of existing equipment with engine tag(s);
- Usage records with hour meter readings for twelve (12) consecutive months from 2019 or later;
- CARB Executive Order(s) for existing engine(s);
- Determination that new equipment is zero-emission;
- Itemized quotes for new zero-emission equipment and any included infrastructure.



For more information, please use these resources:

-  <https://www.californiavwtrust.org/zero-freight-marine/>
-  CaliforniaVWTrust@baaqmd.gov
-  **1-844-9VW-FUND**

*Cost-Effectiveness is based on the amount of emissions reductions that will be achieved by the upgrade to zero-emissions equipment.