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# Multifamily Selling and Servicing Guide

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## 401.03 Technical Solar Report

### Requirements

For a Green Rewards Mortgage Loan where the Borrower wants to install a Solar Photovoltaic System (Solar PV System) as an Efficiency Measure, you must retain a Solar Technical Consultant that is certified by the North American Board of Certified Energy Practitioners (NABCEP) to complete a Technical Solar Report, including Appendix I: Analysis Tool for a Technical Solar Assessment ([Form 4099.I](#)), per the Instructions for Performing a Multifamily Property Condition Assessment ([Form 4099](#)).

### Guidance

If you use the Origination Fee to pay the Borrower's costs for the Technical Solar Report, Fannie Mae will reimburse you when you deliver the Green Mortgage Loan if a Solar PV System is selected as an Efficiency Measure.

### Operating Procedure

You must ensure:

1. The HPB Consultant completes the HPB Module.
2. The Solar Technical Consultant completes a Technical Solar Report, including [Form 4099.I](#), that
  - identifies and quantifies the renewable energy generation potential at the Property, and
  - details the system design specifications of any recommended Solar PV System.
3. If the Technical Solar Report confirms the Property is suitable for a Solar PV System, and the Borrower elects to install a Solar PV System at the Property as an Efficiency Measure, the HPB Consultant incorporates the Solar PV System design specifications, and any required roof replacement or additional structural support, from the Technical Solar Assessment ([Form 4099.I](#)) into [Form 4099.H](#).
4. For reimbursement, you submit the Technical Solar Report invoice per the [Green Mortgage Loan Job Aid](#).



# Glossary

## B

**Borrower** Person who is the obligor per the Note.

### **Synonyms**

- Borrowers
- Borrower's

## G

**Green Mortgage Loan** Mortgage Loan secured by a Property that incorporates features expected to have a positive environmental outcome including, but not limited to, reducing energy and water consumption at a Property, generating energy, or meeting criteria set by a third-party green building certification organization.

### **Synonyms**

- Green Mortgage Loans

**Green Rewards Mortgage Loan** Mortgage Loan secured by a Property where the Borrower agrees to undertake 1 or more Energy- and Water-Efficiency Measures that comply with [Part III, Chapter 4: Green Mortgage Loans, Section 403: Green Rewards Mortgage Loans](#).

### **Synonyms**

- Green Rewards Mortgage Loans
- Green Rewards

## H

**HPB** High Performance Building

## O



## Origination Fee

Fee you charge the Borrower for underwriting and originating the Mortgage Loan.

### **Synonyms**

- Origination Fees

## **P**

## Property

Multifamily residential real estate securing the Mortgage Loan, including the

- fee simple or Leasehold interest,
- Improvements, and
- personal property (per the Uniform Commercial Code).

### **Synonyms**

- Properties
- Property's

## Property Condition Assessment

Assessment of the Property's physical condition and historical operation.

### **Synonyms**

- PCA
- PNA
- Physical Needs Assessment
- PCAs

## **S**

## Solar Photovoltaic System

A renewable energy system located on the Property that converts sunlight into electricity and/or a battery storage system containing lithium ion batteries or equivalent technology capable of storing electricity received from the electric grid or a renewable energy system and delivering stored electricity to the Property.

### **Synonyms**

- Solar PV System