

Clean Energy Discount

Effective January 1 2022, Metro Vancouver is offering production companies a clean energy discount. Production companies can save \$500/day for a maximum of two days of a film shoot.

The Clean Energy discounted rate applies when the permittee demonstrates that it has substituted at least one 400 ampere (or greater) portable diesel generator with a Clean Energy source for the duration of the filming permit period.

A Clean Energy source is defined as a tie-in to an existing electrical power connection, a battery technology or other non-fossil-fuel source of energy.

Benefits of Clean Energy

- Reduces the overall carbon footprint of the film industry
- Respects communities with quiet and clean energy sources for on-location filming
- Improves air quality for our communities
- Encourages companies to meet sustainability and corporate responsibility goals
- Promotes innovation and forward-thinking for clean energy technology
- Produces savings on equipment, labour, and fuel use
- Demonstrates the film industry's commitment to environmentally friendly solutions
- Inspires further collaboration within the film industry