

SOUTH COAST AIR QUALITY MANAGEMENT DISTRICT'S ALTERNATIVE GRANTS FOR PROFESSIONAL WET CLEANING EQUIPMENT

Professional Wet Cleaning Grant Program

As an alternative to the \$10,000 financial assistance program for professional wet cleaning, the AQMD is also offering a limited number of grants of \$12,500 to each dry cleaner to convert to dedicated professional wet cleaners and serve as demonstration sites for this technology.

Professional Wet Cleaning

- Cleans full range of garments typically dry cleaned
- Has the comparable cost to dry cleaning
- Exempted from AQMD permits and inspections

The Grant

Professional Wet Cleaning Grants include:

- \$12,500 grants for the purchase of wet cleaning equipment
- Equipment manufacturer discounts for certain equipment
- Free technical training in use and operation of wet cleaning equipment
- Free assistance in selection and installation of wet cleaning equipment
- Free assistance in obtaining financing for remaining portion of the equipment costs
- Free assistance in developing a marketing plan to advertise the cleaner as an environmentally-friendly neighborhood business

CLEANER'S OBLIGATIONS

- Operate facility as a dedicated professional wet cleaner without any other technology (Hydrocarbon, CO₂, Green Earth, or other) onsite
- Serve as a demonstration site for professional wet cleaning technology

Contact for More Information & Applications for the Grant

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