2017 Study Issue

(submitted for consideration by Vice Chair Srivastava)

ESD

Lead Department Environmental Services Department

Sponsor(s) Sustainability Commission

History 1 year ago: 2 years ago:

1. Scope of the Study

a. What are the key elements of the study?

For new construction, of residential/commercial, developers either install solar photovoltaic or solar water panels or living vegetation on their roofs and set aside a minimum defined percentage of the "solar ready" roof that is clear and un-shaded.

Currently Climate Action Plan today only recommends solar hot water.

b. What precipitated this study?
Increasing Sunnyvale's green footprint for new construction and moving to cleaner fuels. Following the lead of what other cities are doing similarly such as: San Francisco, Palo Alto. This will help accelerate city's climate action plan efforts.

c. Is this a multiple year project? No Planned Completion Year