



CITY OF MORRO BAY
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BUILDING DIVISION COMMUNITY MEMO

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TO: Contractors, Owners & Agents

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SUBJECT: Surge Protection Devices

► Effective immediately, all services supplying dwelling units shall be provided with a surge protection device (SPD). The SPD shall be an integral part of the service equipment or shall be located immediately adjacent to the load center. The SPD shall be type 1 or type 2 and shall be hard wired. [§CEC 230.67]

Applicability:

- New Single-Family Residences
- Accessory Dwelling Units
- Renovations & Remodels that require panel upgrades
- Electrical Panel change-outs
- PV System Installations

NOTE: Incidentals or other projects not listed above may require SPDs as deemed appropriate by the Building Official. Please contact the Building Division for additional questions or concerns.