

Community Announcement

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Community Housing Development Corporation (CHDC) has announced today its expansion of their transportation program. In 2016, CHDC launched its #DriveClean campaign to create awareness of their advanced technology vehicle finance program, which served selected disadvantaged zip codes in 6 Bay Area counties.

Today CHDC is proud to announce that they will now serve eligible low-income residents within the following 6 Bay Area counties: Contra Costa, San Francisco, Santa Clara, Alameda, Santa Cruz and Solano. The project provides loans, and price buy-down grants of up to \$5,000 for financing hybrid-electric vehicles, plug-in hybrid-electric vehicles, battery-electric vehicles and fuel-cell-electric vehicles -- to individuals who live in these Bay Area counties.

"It's been a privilege working with families and helping them get into reliable transportation, which has increased our ability to impact their lives. So far, over 35 families have benefitted from the program since its inception. We have assisted them with the financing and grants needed to get into cleaner cars. As a result of our success, we're now able to expand to every low-income resident in the counties we serve and not targeted zip-codes only" said Vivian Rahwanji, Program Director. With this recent expansion, many more residents of the 6 Bay Area counties are expected to benefit from CHDC's transportation program (Financing Assistance Pilot Project).

For more information, visit <https://drivingclean.chdcnr.com/>

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