



## BUILDING & ZONING DIVISION MINIMUM PLAN REQUIREMENTS

### RESIDENTIAL SOLAR WATER SYSTEMS

*Please provide the following information*

City of Sarasota  
Building & Zoning

1565 1st Street  
P.O. Box 1058  
Sarasota, FL 34230

**(941) 954-4156**

**I. ONE (1) COPY OF THE APPLICATION COMPLETELY FILLED OUT AND SIGNED. AN APPLICATION FOR A PERMIT FOR RESIDENTIAL SOLAR WATER SYSTEMS MAY ONLY BE SUBMITTED BY ONE OF THE FOLLOWING:**

**A. A licensed, registered plumbing contractor with a plumbing permit;**

**Note:** A licensed, registered Electrical Contractor will be required to obtain a permit for all electrical work.

**B. A certified Residential Solar Water Heating Contractor**

**C. Note 1:** A licensed, registered Electrical Contractor will be required to obtain a permit for all electrical work.

**Note 2:** All potable water connections must be sub-contracted by a licensed, registered Plumbing Contractor with a plumbing permit.

**D. A homeowner who meets certain conditions:**

1. The homeowner must reside in the home. Homeowners will not be granted a Residential Solar Water System permit for rental properties.
2. The homeowner must attest that he or she is performing all work, as stated on the Permit Application Form.
3. The homeowner must obtain a building permit, plumbing permit and an electrical permit when applicable.

**II. TWO (2) COPIES OF PLANS SIGNED AND SEALED BY A STATE CERTIFIED ARCHITECT OR ENGINEER WHICH CERTIFY THE FOLLOWING:**

**A. That the structure will support the weight of the system.**

**B. That the system will withstand 110 miles per hour wind loads.**