Solar PV Inspection Checklist for REI #ELE- ______________ Installer__________________

Job Address___________________________________ City/Township____________________

PV Inverter

☐ Is the PV system utility-interactive or stand alone? 690.2
☐ Is all the equipment listed for PV application? 690.4
☐ Is the system grounded or ungrounded? (if ungrounded, the system needs to comply with 690.35)
☐ Has DC Ground-Fault Protection been provided and properly labeled? 690.5 & 690.35(C)?
☐ What is the maximum PV system voltage? 690.7
☐ Is all listed equipment rated for the maximum voltage? 690.7
☐ Determine the maximum circuit current for the PV Source and Output Circuit; Inverter
Output Circuit; Stand-Alone Inverter Input Circuit; and DC to DC Converter Output (refer to
inverter documentation)

Wiring Methods and Disconnecting Means

☐ Are the conductor and cable ampacities determined at 125% before adjustment factors? 690.8 (B)
☐ How are the PV Source and Output Circuit protected from overcurrent? 690.9 (A&B)
☐ Do AC or DC OCPD’s have the appropriate voltage, current and interrupt ratings? 690.9(C)
☐ Has arc-fault circuit protection been provided for DC source and/or output circuits? 690.11
☐ Is a rapid shutdown required and if so, how is it accomplished and identified? 690.12
☐ Is the PV disconnect permanently marked and installed in a readily accessible location? 690.13
☐ Has the fuse disconnecting means, if required, been installed? 690.16
☐ Are PV source or output circuits > 30 volts in a raceway or guarded if readily accessible? 690.31
☐ Is single conductor cable used outdoors Type USE-2 or listed & labeled PV wire? 690.31(C)
(Ungrounded systems must be labeled PV wire only. 690.35)
☐ Are PV source or output circuits on or inside a building in a metal raceway and marked? 690.31(G)
☐ Are all connectors polarized, guarded, latching-type or tool-safeguarded, rated to interrupt the
available current or labeled “Do Not Disconnect Under Load”? 690.33
System Grounding

☐ Has the system been grounded at one single point? 690.42
☐ Are all exposed non-current carrying metal parts of the PV system grounded? 690.43(A&B)
☐ Are the mounting structures or systems used for equipment grounding? 690.43(C&D)
☐ Are the interconnecting devices used for equipment grounding listed and identified? 690.43(C&D)
☐ Is the EGC properly sized and protected if exposed and smaller than #6? 690.50, 250.122, 250.120(c)
☐ Has the grounding electrode system been installed? 690.47
☐ If both are present, has the DC grounding electrode system been bonded to the AC GES? 690.47(C)
☐ Was an auxiliary electrode installed at the array? 690.47(D)

Interconnection

☐ Has a plaque or directory been installed at each disconnecting means (capable of interconnection) denoting all electric power sources & power production sources? 705.10
☐ Has the point of connection to other sources been installed per 705.12? 690.64
☐ Is the supply side disconnect readily accessible and within 10’ of the connection point? 705.12(A)
☐ Are the utility interactive inverters connected to the system through a dedicated circuit breaker or fusible disconnecting means? 705.12(D)(1)
☐ Does the bus or conductor ampacity comply with 705.12(D)(2)?
☐ Have all the required labels been applied?

Required Documentation

- Manufacturer’s specifications for the inverter
- Manufacturer’s specifications for the module
- Manufacturer’s specifications for the optimizer (if used)
- Verification that the racking system grounding and bonding is listed