Energy Improvement in Rural or Remote Areas

OPEN DATE

Mar-23

IMPORTANT DATES

- Program rollout March 1, 2023 (3 programs: 1) Energizing Rural Communities, 2) Regular Program & 3) Community-based Energy Projects)
- Deadlines for program 1 & 2 already passed
- Program 3: Community-based Energy Project Pre-Apps due 7/13/23
- Program 3: Community-based Energy Project Apps due 10/12/23

FEDERAL $ AVAILABLE ($THOUSANDS)

$1,000,000

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TBD

RECIPIENT(S)

Industry Partners, Utilities, National Laboratories, Universities, State and Local Governments, Community Based Organizations, Tribal, and Environmental Groups

ELIGIBLE ENTITIES

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GRANT INFORMATION & HOW TO APPLY

https://www.energy.gov/bil/energy-improvement-rural-or-remote-areas

KEY FEDERAL CONTACT(S)

Office of Clean Energy Demonstrations: DL-OCED-Engagement@hq.doe.gov

DESCRIPTION

To provide financial assistance to increase environmental protection from the impacts of energy use & improve resilience, reliability, safety, & availability of energy in rural or remote areas of the United States.

EXAMPLE PROJECT(S)

Cost-effectiveness of energy generation, transmission, or distribution systems; siting or upgrading transmission and distribution lines; reducing greenhouse gas emissions from energy generation by rural or remote areas; (D) providing or modernizing electric generation facilities; developing microgrids; & increasing energy efficiency

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Watch program conference video here: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=whJS_B6gVbA