

Town Energy Planning

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Energy Planning

I. Set long-term goals

Municipal or residential? Minimize fossil fuel use; On-site renewables ; achieve greenhouse gas reductions; do *all* cost-effective efficiency

II. ID who will drive implementation

Energy manager? Energy consultants? Town staff/volunteers?

III. Create and implement plan

Set energy use baseline using EnergyStar Portfolio manager; energy walkthroughs; Create building upgrade plans and do energy audits; Reinvest savings; Create building energy teams

IV. Take on bigger challenges

Promote CleanEnergyOptions; Solar rebate/lease; Home Energy Solutions, conduct town-wide greenhouse gas reduction efforts

Stimulus Energy Block Grants

How to apply?

ASAP- Need to set up account and get town user ID and password

Timeline

- Application materials to be available by September 1st
- Grant applications accepted starting Sept. 1
- Application due date now Oct 15
- Application for Regional Bonus Pool grants due 11/16

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