

DOE OFFICE OF INDIAN ENERGY

Overview

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Office Overview: Mission and Goals

- The U.S. Department of Energy (DOE) Office of Indian Energy Policy and Programs is charged by Congress to direct, foster, coordinate, and implement energy planning, education, management, and programs designed to:
 - Assist Tribes with energy development, efficiency, and use; build **tribal capacity**
 - Help reduce or stabilize **energy costs** in tribal communities
 - Enhance and strengthen tribal **energy and economic infrastructure** relating to natural resource development and electrification
 - Bring **electrical power and service** to Indian land and homes of tribal members

Office Overview: Offerings

- The DOE Office of Indian Energy works with Tribes to accelerate energy development in Indian Country by providing:
 - **Technical support**—Strategic Technical Assistance Response Team (START) Program; on-demand technical assistance
 - Reliable, accurate **information**
 - Quality **training** (workshops, online curriculum)
 - **Financial assistance** (DOE Office of Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy Tribal Energy Program grants)

Available Information and Assistance for Tribes

- Technical Assistance
energy.gov/indianenergy/technical-assistance
- Federal Energy Development Assistance Tool
energy.gov/indianenergy/fedprograms
- Energy Resource Library
energy.gov/indianenergy/resources/energy-resource-library
- Education and Training
energy.gov/indianenergy/education-and-training

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UPCOMING EVENTS
2015 Energy Symposium
May 12, 2015 to May 14, 2015
Understanding, Developing, and Implementing an EPA-Tribal Environmental Plan Webinar
May 12, 2015
AMERIND Risk Annual Conference and Trade Fair
May 12, 2015 to May 14, 2015
More Events

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UPCOMING FUNDING AND TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE OPPORTUNITIES
USDA Agricultural Conservation Easement Program
May 15, 2015
FEMA Fiscal Year (FY) 2015 Tribal Homeland Security Grant Program (THSGP) Notice of Funding Opportunity (NOFO)
May 19, 2015
START Renewable Energy Project Development Assistance
May 22, 2015
More Funding Opportunities

NEWS
APRIL 30, 2015
Energy Department Extends Deadline to Apply for START Tribal Renewable Energy Project Development

POPULAR TOPICS
Education and Training
Energy Resource Library

FEATURED LINKS
Apply Now for START Renewable Energy Project Development Assistance

www.energy.gov/indianenergy

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Course Audiences

Tribal Leaders

- Primary decision makers
- Understand terminology
- Understand key decision points and influencing factors

Staff/Project Management

- May be self-managing project or managing consultants
- Communicate at key points with decision makers
- Require in-depth knowledge of process



Overall Learning Objectives

- Understand the process for and potential pitfalls of developing and financing commercial-scale renewable energy projects.
- Determine how the development of a renewable energy project could further a Tribe's goals.
- Learn from the experience of other tribal efforts in renewable energy development.
- Have an actionable plan for moving forward with a project.