

Funding Opportunities for Your Business or Organization

Explore available grants, loans and tax credits for qualifying energy efficiency projects.



The following incentives for energy efficiency projects cover diverse industries, including agriculture, commercial and small business sectors. Incentives are divided into federal, state and local options and range from tax credits to specific grants from agencies like the USDA. Find financial support options and combine them with Potomac Edison incentives to maximize your savings and energy efficiency.

Federal

Program Name	Funding Type			Potomac Edison Program		Contact
	Grant	Loan	Tax Credit	SBDI**	All	
179D Commercial Buildings Energy – Efficient Tax Deduction			✓		✓*	Internal Revenue Service 800-829-4933
U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) – Rural Energy for America Program (REAP)	✓				✓	energy@fewss.org 240-625-2583
U.S. Small Business Administration Loans		✓		✓		answerdesk@sba.gov 800-827-5722

*Does not include retro-commissioning

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State

Program Name	Funding Type			Potomac Edison Program		Contact
	Grant	Loan	Tax Credit	SBDI**	All	
Data Center Maryland Sales and Use Tax Exemption Incentive Program			✓		✓	kelly.adams1@maryland.gov 410-767-6438
Advantage Maryland (MEDAAF)	✓				✓	County contacts can be found below***
Build Our Future Grant Pilot Program	✓				✓	buildourfuture.commerce@maryland.gov
Cannabis Business Assistance Fund	✓			✓		cannabis.financing@maryland.gov
Environmental Product Declaration Assistance Fund	✓				✓	robin.bailey1@maryland.gov
Maryland Manufacturing 4.0	✓				✓	m4grant.commerce@maryland.gov
MARBIDCO Rural Business Energy Efficiency Improvement Loan Fund		✓			✓	info@marbidco.org
MDPACE Property Assessed Clean Energy Loans (Maryland Commercial PACE)		✓			✓	agillespie@mdcleanenergy.org
Maryland Clean Energy Capital Program (MCAP)		✓			✓	agillespie@mdcleanenergy.org
Open Energy Innovation Grant Program	✓				✓	garry.aime@maryland.gov 443-306-8149
Maryland Smart Energy Communities (MSEC) Grant	✓				✓	msec.me@maryland.gov 443-826-0530
Mechanical Insulation Grant Program	✓				✓	insulation.me@maryland.gov 410-537-3031

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***Contacts per county for Advantage Maryland (MEDAAF):

Frederick & Carroll Counties
Tamar Osterman
443-902-4487

Garrett, Allegany & Washington Counties
Andrew Sargent
443-447-4999

Howard County
Ivy Gales
667-646-8513

Montgomery County
Carla Merritt
410-458-2326

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Resilient Maryland Program	✓				✓	brandonw.bowser@maryland.gov david.comis@maryland.gov
Commercial, Industrial & Agricultural Grant Program	✓				✓	ci.me@maryland.gov 410-537-3031
Jane E. Lawton Conservation Loan Program		✓		✓		lawton.me@maryland.gov
Energy and Environment for Maryland Manufacturers (E2M2) Program	✓				✓	skeith@mdmep.org

Local

County & Program Name	Funding Type			Potomac Edison Program		Contact
	Grant	Loan	Tax Credit	SBDI**	All	
Allegany County Business Expansion Deferred Loan (BEDL) Program		✓		✓		alleganyworks@alleganygov.org 301-777-5967
Frederick County Frederick County Small Business Tax Credit			✓	✓		301-600-1058
Frederick County Frederick County Commercial & Industrial Business Tax Credit			✓		✓	301-600-1058
Garrett County Property Tax Incentive Program			✓		✓	kdurst@garrettcountry.org 301-334-1921
Montgomery County Property Tax Credit			✓		✓	michael.parent@montgomerycountymd.gov 240-777-8931

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Montgomery County Montgomery County Green Bank (MCGB) – Technical Assistance Program (TAP)		✓			✓	info@mcgreenbank.org 240-453-9000
Montgomery County Montgomery County Green Bank (MCGB) – Small Business Energy Savings Support (SBESS)		✓		✓		info@mcgreenbank.org 240-453-9000
Washington County Property Tax Credit – High Performance Commercial Tax Credit			✓		✓	240-313-2280
Washington County Agriculture Incentives & Financial Programs	✓	✓			✓	240-313-2280
Allegany, Garrett & Washington Counties Senator George C. Edwards Fund	✓	✓			✓	info@senatoredwardsfund.org

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Let's Talk

Contact us with any questions or to take a closer look at your funding opportunities.

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By participating in energy efficiency and peak demand reduction programs, customers agree to allow their utility to retain ownership of all Capacity Rights, which refers to the demand reduction associated with any energy efficiency or peak demand reduction measures for which incentives were provided by the Company. Your utility will aggregate these energy efficiency demand reduction attributes into the PJM capacity market with proceeds being used to offset the program costs.