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Industrial and Waste Agenda

1. Introduction

4. Questions

2. Panel Discussion

5. Closing

3. Agency Presentations



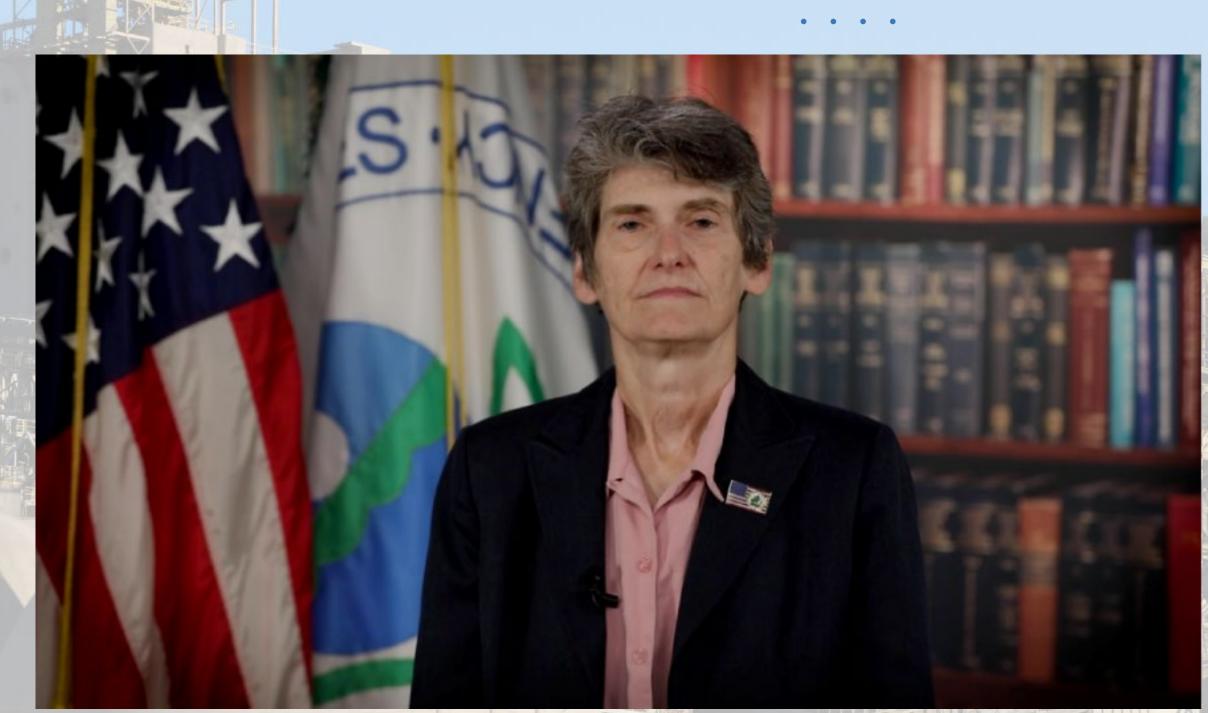














Why We Are Here

What are the Climate Pollution Reduction Grants (CPRG) and how do they relate to why we're here today?





Panel Discussion

Moderated by Stephanie Grumet EPA, Senior Policy Advisor



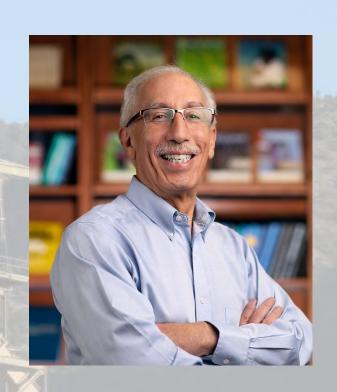
Meet Our Panelists











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Methane Emissions Reduction Program

Methane Emissions Reduction Program Overview



- Inflation Reduction Act provides new authorities under Clean Air Act Section 136 to reduce methane emissions from oil and gas
- EPA, Department of Energy (DOE) and DOE's National Energy Technology Laboratory (NETL) are partnering to provide
 - More than \$1 billion in **financial assistance** for methane monitoring and to reduce methane emissions from the oil and gas sector.
 - <u>Technical assistance</u> to help states, industry, and other partners implement solutions that reduce methane emissions.

First Notice of Intent

- In July, EPA, DOE and NETL issued a notice of intent announcing the first in a series of funding opportunities.
- Up to \$350 million in formula funding to eligible state to assist industry to voluntarily identify and permanently reduce methane emissions from low-producing conventional wells.
- States also will be able to use a portion of their award for environmental restoration and to invest in their monitoring capacity for low-producing conventional wells
- Following this non-competitive solicitation, EPA and DOE intend to offer one or more additional competitive solicitations to monitor and mitigate emissions from the oil and gas sector, which will be available to a broader range of applicants.

Anticipated Funding Opportunity Announcement Later This Summer

Registration Systems for State Applicants

- It is anticipated that States will have 30 days to apply important to register now
- Register with the System for Award Management (SAM) and obtain a Unique Entity Identifier (UEI) number - https://sam.gov/content/home
- Register with <u>Grants.gov</u>
- More information on the Notice of Intent: https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-
 opportunity.html?oppId=349508

Stay Informed About the Methane Emissions Reduction Program

Join our mailing list and stay connected –
 https://www.epa.gov/inflation-reduction-act/methane-emissions-reduction-program





DOE Industrial Decarbonization Programs

Kelly Visconti Acting Deputy Director Facilities and Workforce Assistance August 7th, 2023





Advanced Energy Manufacturing and Recycling Grant Program (BIL 40209)









Greenhouse Gas Emission Reduction Projects

Status and Timeline

- Round 1 FOA (\$350M) Applications
 Closed: 6/8/23
- Round 1 Selections: ~Fall 2023
- Release Round 2 (\$350M): TBD

\$750 Million in funding through FY2026

Benefiting small- and medium-sized manufacturing firms

Projects in communities that have experienced coal mine or coal-fired power plant unit closures



Advanced Energy Manufacturing and Recycling Grant Program (BIL 40209)

Key Dates	First Round Closed; Selections Fall/Winter 2023 Second Round Funding Opportunity Announcement anticipated early 2024	
Amount	Total Program Size: \$750M (through FY2026) Award Size: \$5M-\$100M	
What does the program do or fund?	Re-equips an industrial or manufacturing facility with equipment designed to reduce the greenhouse gas emissions of that facility substantially below the greenhouse gas emissions under current best practices	
Greenhouse gas reduction eligible activities?	 (I) Low- or zero-carbon process heat systems; (II) Carbon capture, transport, utilization, and storage systems; (III) Technology relating to energy efficiency and reduction in waste from industrial processes; or (IV) Any other industrial technology that significantly reduces greenhouse gas emissions, as determined by the Secretary 	
How will the programs fund greenhouse gas reduction measures? (Incrementally, match requirement, constraints, stackability, etc.)	Deployment of infrastructure that will bring significant greenhouse gas reductions to energy-intensive industries that are part of clean energy supply chains	
Type of program (grant, tax, credit, etc.)	Grant	
Who can apply?	Small-Medium Manufacturers that are located near covered census tracts (previous coal mines, previous coal-fired powerplants, adjacent census tracts)	
Other key information (url, contact, etc.)	URL: Advanced Energy Manufacturing and Recycling Grants Department of Energy Map: BIL Section 40209: Coal Communities Email: 40209Program@hq.doe.gov	



48C Investment Tax Credit: Overview

48C Expanded with \$10B in Funding

- Competitively-awarded Investment Tax Credit (ITC) first established by the 2009 Recovery Act
- Expanded by IRA with \$10B for
 - 1. clean energy manufacturing/recycling
 - 2. critical materials
 - 3. industrial GHG emissions reductions projects
- DOE will accept a first round of applications in 2023 to allocate up to \$4B of the program's \$10B total, with additional application rounds in the future
- Selected projects receive a 30% ITC (6% if apprenticeship and prevailing wage requirements are not met)
- In certain circumstances, applicable entities can elect for direct pay in lieu of a tax credit

Key Considerations for Round 1

- Open to all project sizes and DOE will not predetermine funding allocated to each category
- At least 40% of credits will be allocated to projects in energy communities, if sufficient meritorious applications are received

48C FUNDING CARVE-OUT FOR COAL COMMUNITIES





48C: Helpful Links and Timeline

Timeline and Review

Notice Released: May 31

Informational Webinar: June 27

Concept Papers
Due: Aug 3

Full Applications

Due: Fall 2023



May 31, 2023 IRS Notice

https://www.irs.gov/pub/irs-drop/n-23-44.pdf

DOE 48C overview & FAQs

https://www.energy.gov/infrastructure/qualifyingadvanced-energy-project-credit-48c-tax-credit-program

48C eXCHANGE web portal

https://48c-exchange.energy.gov

- Non-tax questions of this notice email: <u>48CQuestions@hq.doe.gov</u>
- For applicant registration and/or submission related questions email InfrastructureExchangeSupport@hq.doe.gov



48C Investment Tax Credits

Key Dates	Concept papers due August 3 rd , 2023 at 12pm ET	
Amount	Program Size: \$10B total (\$4B in Round 1) Award Size: 30% ITC (6% if prevailing wage and apprenticeship requirements are not met). There is no limit or maximum credit per project specified for round 1 allocations	
What does the program do or fund?	 Clean energy manufacturing and recycling projects Industrial greenhouse gas (GHG) emission reduction projects Critical material projects 	
Greenhouse gas reduction eligible activities?	The industrial GHG emission reduction project category includes projects that re-equip an industrial or manufacturing facility with equipment designed to reduce GHG emissions by at least 20% through the installation of one of more of the following: • low- or zero-carbon process heat systems • carbon capture, transport, utilization and storage systems • energy efficiency and reduction in waste from industrial processes • any other industrial technology designed to reduce GHG emissions as determined by the Secretary	
How will the programs fund greenhouse gas reduction measures? (Incrementally, match requirement, constraints, stackability, etc.)	Provides an investment tax credit for eligible qualifying advanced energy projects. Under § 48C(f), a credit shall not be allowed under this section for any qualified investment for which a credit is allowed under §§ 48, 48A, 48B, 48E, 45Q, or 45V. Notice 2023-44 further clarifies that a § 45X Facility cannot produce an eligible component for purposes of the § 45X credit if such facility includes eligible property that has been taken into account for purposes of the credit allowed under § 48C after August 16, 2022.	
Type of program (grant, tax, credit, etc.)	Investment tax credit	
Who can apply?	A taxpayer with a qualified investment in any of the projects described as eligible in Appendix A of IRS Notice 2023-44 may apply for a § 48C(e) allocation. Manufacturers can receive a refund for 48C ITC tax credits only if they are a tax-exempt organization (i.e., non-profit), state, municipality, the Tennessee Valley Authority, Indian Tribal government, any Alaskan Native Corporation, or any rural electric cooperative.	
Other key information (url, contact, etc.)	URL: https://www.energy.gov/infrastructure/qualifying-advanced-energy-project-credit-48c-program Map: https://arcgis.netl.doe.gov/portal/apps/experiencebuilder/experience/?id=a44704679a4f44a5aac122324eb00914&page=homeEmail: 48CQuestions@hq.doe.gov	



Industrial Demonstrations Program

The Industrial Demonstrations Program offers up to \$6 billion for transformational, advanced industrial facilities that can achieve deep decarbonization in energy intensive industrial subsectors.

Project Types



Near-Net-Zero Facility Builds



Facility-level Installations and Overhaul Retrofits



System Upgrades and Retrofits for Critical Unit Operations or Single Process Lines

Program Priorities

Deep decarbonization, by demonstrating significantly less carbon-intensive industrial production processes

Timeliness, through rapid technology demonstrations that can address emissions in the near-term, meet funding horizons, and be replicated by fast followers

Market viability, with projects spurring follow-on investments and partnerships between buyers and sellers of materials

Community benefits, tailored through labor and community engagement; diversity, equity, inclusion, and accessibility; environmental justice; and opportunities for communities



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O 8/11 @ 5 p.m. ET Applications Due

Winter 2023/2024
Selections Announced



Industrial Demonstrations Program (BIL 41008 and IRA 50161)

Industrial Demonstrations Program (BIL 41008 and IRA 50161)		
Key Dates	Full applications due Aug. 11, 2023; selections winter 2023/24	
Amount	Program Size: ~\$6B Award Size: \$35 – 500M	
What does the program do or fund?	First- or early-of-a-kind technology demonstrations for replicable projects that can offer deep decarbonization, timeliness, market viability, and community benefits for energy-intensive industrial subsectors	
Greenhouse gas reduction eligible activities?	Near-net-zero facility builds; overhaul retrofits for existing industrial facilities; upgrades and retrofits for unit operations or single process lines	
How will the programs fund greenhouse gas reduction measures? (Incrementally, match requirement, constraints, stackability, etc.)	Minimum 50/50 cost-share for projects	
Type of program (grant, tax, credit, etc.)	Cooperative agreement (functionally a grant)	
Who can apply?	 For-profit organizations (BIL 41008) Owners or operators of a domestic, non-federal, non-power industrial or manufacturing facility engaged in energy-intensive industrial processes. This includes co-owners or co-operators (IRA 50161) 	
Other key information (url, contact, etc.)	URL: energy.gov/OCED/IDP Map: N/A Email: OCED_Industrial@hq.doe.gov	







Question & Answer Session



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Climate Pollution Reduction Grants

Investing in America: Climate Action Funding Fair

Investing in America: Climate Action Funding Resource Guide



Questions? Please email irastakeholders@epa.gov.

