

## Meeting of Energy Task Force County Administration Building Legal Conference Room November 20, 2009

## **Projects**

- Mazria 14X Stimulus
- PAYS Program
- Upgrades of low-income residential properties (Energy Works)
- Energy efficiency assessment district
- Energy efficiency upgrades of public buildings
- Retrofit Ramp-Up Program
- Energy Board

(On October 19th, the Department of Energy released a Funding Opportunity Announcement for two highly competitive, short turn around, grant opportunities totaling \$454 million. Applications are due December 14th.

The first topic area, the "Retrofit Ramp-Up" program, will award up to \$390 million for innovative programs that are structured to provide whole-neighborhood building energy retrofits. These will be projects that demonstrate a sustainable business model for providing cost-effective energy upgrades for a large percentage of the residential, commercial, industrial and public buildings in a specific community. DOE expects to make 8 to 20 awards for this program, with award size ranging from \$5-75 million.)

## Goals

- Develop specific programs
- Joint City/County
- Create a roadmap
- Find funding
- Calculate economic impact

## Priorities

- Reduce greenhouse gas output
- Save energy and money
- Local jobs
- Economic development (future)
- Achievable on a reasonable time scale