NYSERDA CFA Programs

- **Standard Offer- Energy Efficiency Programs (up to $10 Million)**
  - Industrial and Process Efficiency Program
  - FlexTech Program
  - Commercial New Construction Program

- **Competitive Programs ($25 Million)**
  - Net Zero Energy for Economic Development
  - Commercial Industrial Carbon Challenge
Standard Offer Energy Efficiency Programs

- Standard Offer Programs
  - Available beyond the CFA close date (see programs for specific availability)
  - Must pay into the System Benefits Charge
  - Enhanced program opportunities may be available in areas affected by a Natural Gas Utility Moratorium
Standard Offer Energy Efficiency Programs

Industrial and Process Efficiency Program
 Offers performance-based incentives to offset the cost of energy efficiency projects at manufacturers and data centers
   • Industrial Manufacturing, Data Centers, New Construction

FlexTech Program
   • Cost-shared technical services to help businesses make intelligent energy decisions
   • Identify and prioritize energy-saving opportunities through energy studies

Commercial New Construction Program
   • Tiered Levels of Support
   • Financial Incentives for Deep Energy Savings, Net Zero projects, and Smart Buildings
Net Zero Energy for Economic Development

Category A: up to $1 million available per project
- Commercial/Industrial/Municipal or Mixed Use projects
- Rehabbing existing buildings
- New Construction projects

Category B: $2-5 million available per project
- Community-scale Development
- Campuses
- Large-scale Private Development projects
- Minimum Project Threshold:
  - Total project size: 2 million square feet; or
  - Total project cost: $100 million
Net Zero Energy for Economic Development

Program Benefits
• One stop service for incentives
• Streamlined program requirements
• Phased payments to match outlays
• Multi-year program

Support REDC & State Priorities
• Supports the local REDC Strategic Plan
• In an REDC stated Economic Cluster
• Supports State Priority Areas

Geographic Distribution
• Opportunity Available Statewide
• Long Island REDC- not required to pay the System Benefits Charge (SBC)
• All other REDCs- projects must pay SBC
Net Zero Energy for Economic Development

Eligible Costs & Incentives

• **Category A:** 70% of Eligible Costs up to $1 Million

• **Category B:** 75% of Eligible Costs $2-5 Million
  • Planning, Design Parameters, Energy Modeling, Technical Assistance, Bid Documents, Technical Guidelines, Case Studies

Increased Incentive Cap Opportunities

• Category A: up to an additional $1.5 Million
• Category B: up to an additional $1 Million
Commercial & Industrial (C&I) Carbon Challenge

Program Goal:
• Meaningful, cost-effective carbon emission reduction

Program Benefits:
• $15 million available
  • Awards ranging from $500,000 – 5 million
• One-stop-shop for NYSERDA incentives
• Phased payments to match expenditures
  • 70% of award available up-front
  • 30% based on project performance
C&I Carbon Challenge

Eligible Applicants

Commercial and Industrial*:

- Colleges and Universities
- Food and Beverage Processing
- Health Care Facilities
- Manufacturing
- Mining and Extraction
- Municipal Facilities
- Multifamily Residential
- Not-For-Profit and Private Institutions
- Office Buildings
- Public and Private K-12 Schools
- Retail
- State and Local Governments
- Warehouse and Distribution Facilities
- Wastewater Treatment Plants

Size

- Annual average demand > 3 MW at one site or aggregated across multiple customer sites
  - > 1.5 MW of demand from accounts subject to the Systems Benefits Charge

* Including, but not limited to
C&I Carbon Challenge

Eligible Activities

Project Types:

- Energy efficiency improvements
- On-site renewable energy systems (photovoltaics, wind, or solar thermal)
- Ground-source or air-source heat pumps
- Battery storage
- Other process, energy efficiency, or renewable energy measures with carbon emission reduction potential
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