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REVOLVING LOANS FOR RENEWABLE ENERGY, ENERGY EFFICIENCY, AND ENERGY CONSERVATION

Nearly \$13 million was funded under the federal American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 to provide short-term, low-cost loans to developers of renewable energy projects, renewable component manufacturers, energy efficiency, and energy conservation projects in Nevada. These loans serve as a bridge financing option to provide funding for various startup costs associated with these projects.

Progress

The original \$8.2 million in funding has been built up to more than \$12.8 million, mainly due to moving unspent ARRA funds from other programs into the Loan Fund. According to the U.S. Department of Energy, Nevada was the first state to have 100 percent of its ARRA revolving-loan funds allocated, indicating efficiency by the Energy Office as well as the industry's interest in developing projects in Nevada. Additional funding is being sought to continue to grow the existing the program.

ARRA Special Terms and Conditions

Application

The GOE issues a Request for Applications (RFA) for projects that develop or expand renewable energy systems, energy efficiency projects, energy conservation, and manufacturing of components of renewable energy systems in Nevada. Applicants may apply for a minimum of \$100,000 and a maximum of \$1,000,000. Loan terms will be less than 15 years with an interest rate of three percent.

The GOE expects to post a Request for Applications in the 4th Quarter of 2015.

Projects

| PROJECT | SIZE | TYPE | COUNTY |
|------------------------------------|---------|--------------------|------------------|
| Ro/Truckee River Ranch | 225 kW | Hydro | Nye |
| Residential Reno (2) | 7 kW | Wind | Washoe |
| Residence Washoe Valley (2) | 7 kW | Wind | Washoe |
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| Young Brothers Ranch | 175 kW | Hydro | Lander |
| Avatar Energy | 159 kW | Anaerobic digester | Lyon |
| Avatar - Energy Hill Side | 298 kW | Anaerobic digester | Lyon |
| Avatar - Desert Hills | 199 kW | Anaerobic digester | Lyon |
| Sunburst Energy (6) | 352.8kW | PV | Washoe and Clark |
| Berken Energy | 5,000kW | GeoThermalVoltaic | Lyon |
| Berken Energy | 252 kW | Thermal Voltaic | Lyon |
| Enigma Energy | 500 kW | PV | Clark |
| Van Norman Ranches | 37 kW | Hydro | Elko |
| Van Norman Ranches | 15 kW | Hydro | Elko |
| Andreola Wind Farm | 800 kW | Wind | Lander |
| Andreola Wind Farm | 1.2 kW | Wind | Elko |
| H2 Technologies | | Hydrogen Stations | Carson City |
| Board of Regents | 437 kW | PV | Washoe |
| City of Las Vegas - East Yard | 100 kW | PV | Clark |
| City of Las Vegas - West Yard | 200 kW | PV | Clark |
| City of LV - Durango Hills | 200 kW | PV | Clark |
| Truckee Carson Irrigation District | 375 kW | Hydro | Churchill |

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