

# Energy Efficiency and Conservation Block Grant Program

REDUCE  
fossil fuels

SAVE  
energy

BUILD  
an energy economy

**The Oregon Department of Energy has about \$1.2 million available for grants to eligible local governments for energy efficiency, renewable energy, or transportation-related projects. The funding is available thanks to the 2021 Infrastructure Investment and Jobs Act's Energy Efficiency and Conservation Block Grant Program.**

Local governments are eligible to apply for grants to support projects that reduce fossil fuel emissions, lower a community's total energy use, improve energy efficiency, and build a clean and equitable energy economy. The program is also designed to advance equity, environmental, and energy justice priorities in support of federal Justice40 Initiative goals to deliver benefits to disadvantaged communities.

**Eligible applicants include Oregon units of local government that are not otherwise eligible to receive a direct Energy Efficiency and Conservation Block Grant from the U.S. Department of Energy. In Oregon, several larger cities and some counties are receiving grants directly from the U.S. DOE.**

Interested eligible government bodies should visit ODOE's website for additional details and program requirements. ODOE will fund eligible projects on a rolling basis, with a focus on projects that will benefit Justice40 communities.

**The first program opportunity is open now and will close the earlier of May 21, 2024 or until funds have been fully allocated.**

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