

ComEd Energy Efficiency Community Partnership Program

Stakeholder Advisory Group Meeting

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- ✓ ComEd believes that a community approach to delivering energy efficiency programs needs to be explored
- ✓ We have developed a two-prong approach / strategy –
 1. Within the City of Chicago, find ways to leverage City resources, skills, etc to support both ComEd's and the City's objectives
 2. Outside the City, develop an approach to work within the many municipalities and communities in ComEd's service territory.

Today's discussion will focus on the "Outside Chicago" approach

ComEd's Objectives -

- ✓ Increase the delivery of cost-effective energy efficiency initiatives in communities throughout the ComEd service territory
- ✓ Meet all regulatory requirements for cost recovery
- ✓ Develop and implement a replicable pilot project that assists communities in meeting their climate change and other sustainability objectives

- ✓ **Establish partnerships with key municipal groups and individual municipalities**
 - Metropolitan Mayors Caucus
 - US Conference of Mayors
 - Clinton Climate Initiative
- ✓ **Develop a project approach that will result in municipal action that supports energy efficiency**
 - Simple & Replicable
 - High Profile
 - Attracts external resources
- ✓ **Projects must maintain or, preferably, increase the cost-effectiveness of the ComEd programs**
 - Lower cost through cost-sharing
 - Increase productivity / penetration rate
- ✓ **Expected Approach – Municipality vs. Municipality contest**

- ✓ **Select municipal partners for pilot project with established commitment to sustainability and climate issues**
 - Established relevance to local government mission
 - Existing resource commitments
- ✓ **Identified potential municipal participants that meet program criteria -**

Evanston	Aurora
Carol Stream	Hoffman Estates
Oak Park	Elgin
Highland Park	Northbrook
Orland Park	Palatine
Schaumburg	Villa Park
Wilmette	

✓ **Support pledged informally**

- DCEO
- Metropolitan Mayors Caucus
- U.S. Conference of Mayors
- Clinton Climate Initiative
- NRDC
- Museum of Science and Industry

✓ **Will issue formal requests for their support**

- ✓ Define participant
 - Requirements
 - Benefits
- ✓ Finalize list of communities to approach
- ✓ Determine strategy for approaching and engaging participants
- ✓ Get formal requests for support to third parties
- ✓ Set date for Planning Design meeting