Interagency Working Group on Coal and Power Plant Communities and Economic Revitalization



Fueled by historic levels of federal investment opportunities, the goal of the Interagency Working Group on Coal and Power Plant Communities and Economic Revitalization (Energy Communities IWG) is to drive more funding and more resources to more energy communities more quickly to help rebuild and diversify their economies.

OUR MISSION	Create	Grow and	Clean up	Support
	good-paying jobs	diversify economies	environmental damage	energy workers

Since 2021, energy communities have been selected for more than \$20 billion in federal investments.

Awards by Primary Program Area	Total Investments	
Energy Infrastructure	\$9,672,546,679	
Environmental Cleanup	\$2,621,011,584	
Economic Development	\$2,611,556,160	
Other Infrastructure	\$2,318,774,271	
Telecommunications / Broadband	\$1,759,956,870	
Transportation Infrastructure	\$1,052,428,199	
Health and Safety	\$301,336,716	
Education and Workforce Development	\$243,795,637	
Other Program Areas	\$177,584,434	

Resources

Clearinghouse

The centralized online clearinghouse features billions of dollars in existing federal funding, tax credits and technical assistance opportunities from across the federal government.

Rapid Response Teams (RRTs)

Several RRTs are active across the country to provide focused, sustainable, on-the-ground assistance in communities or regions experiencing fossil fuel facility closures.

Stakeholder Testimonials

"We were really excited when the [Energy Communities IWG] was formed... They're going into communities that are impacted by the transition and they're willing to talk with communities about what their ideas are instead of a top-down approach." — Colorado stakeholder

"Resources like the Navigator that are set up through the [Energy Communities IWG] are critical to understanding what resources are available, and then being able to access those resources as well." — Illinois stakeholder

Getting Started Guide

This step-by-step guide is intended to help communities and workers start the process of planning or responding to ongoing economic, demographic and social shifts in their regions.

Navigator

Our dedicated team of experts can answer questions and direct energy community stakeholders to the federal agency partners or resources best positioned to support their needs.



For more information and additional resources, visit EnergyCommunities.gov







