Beehive Emission Reduction Plan





The Beehive Emission Reduction Plan is a greenhouse gas reduction planning initiative led by the Utah Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) that will allow DEQ and other agencies, municipalities, and groups to secure emission reduction-related funding under the Inflation Reduction Act, the Infrastructure Investment and Jobs Act, and other sources.

DEQ has extensive emission reduction planning experience and wants to coordinate with partners to ensure that funding is leveraged to support balanced, state-driven solutions that pave the way for continued growth while maintaining a high-quality of life in Utah.

The Environmental Protection Agency's Climate Pollution Reduction Grant awarded DEQ \$3 million to carry out the planning phase. During the implementation phase, \$4.6 billion will be available nationwide in competitive grants for entities that have projects that are included in DEQ's priority emission reduction plan.

Timeline

In September 2023, EPA is expected to release Notice of Funding Opportunity (NOFO) for emissions reduction plan implementation grant funding.

Notice of Funding Opportunity for implementation grant

FALL 2023

Implementation grant funding applications

APRIL 1, 2024

Status Report

SUMMER-FALL OF 2027

Priority Emission Reduction Plan MARCH 1, 2024 Comprehensive Emission Reduction Plan SUMMER-FALL OF 2025

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