American Recovery and Reinvestment Act

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY • SOUTH DAKOTA RECOVERY ACT SNAPSHOT

Funding for selected DOE projects: $74.8 million

DOE Recovery Act projects in South Dakota: 31

Clean energy tax credits and grants: 1

For total Recovery Act jobs numbers in South Dakota go to www.recovery.gov

South Dakota has substantial natural resources, including biomass, wind, geothermal, and hydroelectric power. The **American Recovery & Reinvestment Act (ARRA)** is making a meaningful down payment on the nation's energy and environmental future. The Recovery Act investments in South Dakota are supporting a broad range of clean energy projects, from energy efficiency to smart grid and geothermal power. Through these investments, South Dakota's businesses, the University of South Dakota, non-profits, and local governments are creating quality jobs today and positioning South Dakota to play an important role in the new energy economy of the future.

EXAMPLES OF SOUTH DAKOTA FORMULA GRANTS

Program	State Energy Program	Weatherization Assistance Program	Energy Efficiency Conservation Block Grants	Energy Efficiency Appliance Rebate Program
Award (in millions)	$23.7	$24.5	$14.8	$0.8
	The South Dakota Department of Tourism and State Development has received $23.7 million to invest in state-level energy efficiency and renewable energy priorities.	The State of South Dakota has received $24.5 million to scale-up existing weatherization efforts in the state, creating jobs, reducing carbon emissions and saving money for South Dakota's low-income families. Over the course of the Recovery Act, South Dakota expects to weatherize more than 2,300 homes.	Twenty-five communities in South Dakota received a total of $14.8 million to develop, promote, implement, and manage local energy efficiency programs.	The South Dakota Department of Tourism and State Development has received $772,000 to offer consumer rebates for purchasing certain ENERGY STAR® appliances, which reduce energy use and save money for families, while helping the environment and supporting the local economy.

EXAMPLES OF SOUTH DAKOTA COMPETITIVE GRANTS AND TAX CREDITS

Award		
	$6.1 million	$4 million
	The Black Hills Corporation in Rapid City was awarded a **$6.1 million Smart Grid Investment Grant** to install over 69,000 smart meters and communications infrastructure that will help consumers reduce their energy use and save money.	**Sioux Valley Energy** in Coleman received a **$4 million** grant to install a smart grid network for all of the company's consumers that will improve the efficiency and reliability of the system while helping consumers save money.

Funding Allocation Table (Figure 1)

Total dollar amounts in this document are accurate as of June 1, 2010. Please note that Recovery Act Programs are ongoing and the dollar amounts are subject to change. Recipient locations are based on project sites rather than recipients' headquarters locations.

Recovery Act Pillar	Flagship Program Names & Funding Type[1]	Number of Selections	Selected Amount (in millions)[2]
Energy Efficiency	*Weatherization Assistance Program (F)*	1	$24.5
	State Energy Program (F)	1	$23.7
	Energy Efficiency and Conservation Block Grant (F)	25	$14.8
	Energy Efficient Appliance Rebate (F)	1	$0.8
	TOTAL Energy Efficiency	28	$63.8
Electric Grid	*Smart Grid Investment and Demonstrations Project (CM)[3]*	2	$10.2
	State and Local Energy Assurance and Regulatory Assistance (F)	1	$0.8
	TOTAL Electric Grid	3	$11.0
TOTAL - DOE Programs[4]		**31**	**$74.8**
Tax Credits/ Payments[5]	*Payments for Renewable Energy Generation in Lieu of Tax Credits (1603)*	1	$0.03
	TOTAL Tax Incentives	1	$0.03
TOTAL - DOE/Treasury + DOE		**32**	**$74.9**

[1]F=Formula Grant, CM=Competitive Grant, C=Contract

[2]" Selected" indicates DOE has selected a potential funding recipient, which begins the process of negotiating an agreement. This does not necessarily indicate that a final agreement has been reached.

[3]Projects may cross state boundaries, signifies HQ location.

[4]Total does not include administrative funds.

[5]Jointly administered by DOE and the U.S. Department of Treasury.