

Department of Energy

Washington, DC 20585

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The Honorable Tom Cole Chairman, Committee on Appropriations U.S. House of Representatives Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Chuck Fleischmann Chairman, Subcommittee on Energy and Water Development Committee on Appropriations U.S. House of Representatives Washington, DC 20515 The Honorable Patty Murray Chair, Committee on Appropriations U.S. Senate Washington, DC 20510

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Subject: Notification of Public Announcement of Selection of Applications for Negotiation

of [Insert Financial Assistance Award(s) and/or Other Transaction Agreement(s)] under Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) [Insert FOA Number: DE-

FOA-XXXXXXXX

Dear Chairs Cole, Murray and Fleischmann:

On [insert date], the Department of Energy (DOE) intends to publicly announce selections for negotiation of financial assistance awards as described in the attached table. [You may also use "During the week of MMDDYYYY" or "Before MMDDYYYY" instead of "On MMDDYYYY".] (Date should be at least 3 full business days in advance but not more than 2 weeks from the date of the notification.)

[Insert brief description of the FOA in layman's terminology- no technical or scientific language. Avoid use of acronyms.]

[For actions that will require funding from future appropriations, provide an explanation justifying future funds by congressional control point. This notice should differentiate and clearly articulate if annually appropriated funding, IIJA, or IRA (or a combo). In addition, this notice should differentiate and clearly articulate which fiscal year(s) is the source of funding versus the fiscal year(s) the funding is expected to be obligated/expended/etc. on awards. This narrative should match the information on the attached table.]

This information is market sensitive, predecisional and not public at this time. We request you do not further disseminate this information. If you are considering disseminating this predecisional information, we respectfully request that you consult with the Department prior to making such a decision.

Staff from the Office of Budget, Office of the Chief Financial Officer will follow up with additional details as appropriate. If you have any questions, please contact Ms. Megan Roessing, Deputy Director for External Coordination, Office of the Chief Financial Officer at 202-586-0176.

Sincerely,

cc:

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro Ranking Member Committee on Appropriations U.S. House of Representatives

The Honorable Susan Collins Vice Chair Committee on Appropriations U.S. Senate

The Honorable Marcy Kaptur Ranking Member Subcommittee on Energy and Water Development U.S. House of Representatives

The Honorable John Kennedy Ranking Member Subcommittee on Energy and Water Development U.S. Senate