Welcome to the DC Sustainable Energy Utility

The District of Columbia Sustainable Energy Utility (DCSEU) is designed to help District households, businesses, and institutions save energy and money through energy efficiency and renewable energy programs.

Led by the Sustainable Energy Partnership, the DCSEU is committed to community engagement, economic development, job creation, and environmental preservation.

Programs

We are currently working on three programs, the first of which will launch in late May:

Low-income Multifamily Program

launching in late May

- Free direct installation of energy-efficient lighting, water conservation, and other products in qualified buildings
- General assessment of other energy-saving opportunities

Direct Installation Program for Commercial Buildings

launching this summer

- Focus on smaller businesses
- Free or low-cost direct measure installation and opportunity assessment
- Follow-up on building envelope and equipment measures, including renewable technologies

Home Retrofit Program

launching this summer

• Targeted consumer education, technical assistance, and financial incentives with a focus on direct installation services in existing homes

Partners

The Sustainable Energy Partnership consists of a team of seasoned, local collaborative organizations and individuals that collectively brings together national leadership in energy efficiency, renewable energy, program planning and implementation, and local community networks.

- Vermont Energy Investment Corporation (VEIC) Partnership Lead
- DC Project / WeatherizeDC
- George L. Nichols & Associates
- Institute for Market Transformation
- L. S. Caldwell and Associates, Inc.
- PEER Consultants
- PES Group / Stateline Energy Associates
- Skyline Innovations
- Taurus Development Group

With collaborating organizations:

- Clean Energy Solutions
- Energy Futures Group
- Liuna!
- Mount Lebanon Community Development Corporation
- Optimal Energy
- Stella Associates
- Wider Opportunities for Women

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