

# *“Affordable, Reliable and Clean Energy for all Marylanders”*



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**Maryland Energy**

ADMINISTRATION

*Powering Maryland's Future*

# What is MEA?



- A small, executive agency that reports directly to the Governor of Maryland.

MEA has two main goals:

- Promote Energy Efficiency and the use of Renewable Technology
- Set Maryland's Energy Policy

# Policy Background



Three major policies passed (or amended) during the O'Malley-Brown Administration establishing three of Maryland's current energy-related strategic policy goals:

- **EmPOWER Energy Efficiency Act of 2008:** Reduce per capita electricity consumption and peak demand by 15% by 2015
- **Renewable Portfolio Standard:** Generate 20% of electricity from renewable sources (**in Maryland**) by 2022, with 2% coming from in-State solar sources.
- **Greenhouse Gas Reduction Act of 2009:** Reduce greenhouse gas emissions by 25% by 2020

# Programs



- MEA runs programs to reduce energy consumption and increase the deployment of renewable energy and clean transportation in Maryland.
- Maryland's five major utilities also run programs to reduce consumption under the EmPOWER Energy Efficiency Act of 2008.
- Programs reach all Maryland geographies and multiple building sectors (residential, commercial, agriculture, government)

# Programs



Energy Efficiency	Renewable Energy	Transportation
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Multi-sector approach<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Agriculture</li><li>• Commercial</li><li>• Industrial</li><li>• Residential</li><li>• Local Government</li><li>• State Government</li></ul></li><li>• Varied program types:<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Low income</li><li>• Community grants</li><li>• EPC Assistance</li><li>• Financing</li></ul></li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Multi-sector approach</li><li>• Technologies include:<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Biomass</li><li>• CHP</li><li>• Geothermal</li><li>• Solar PV</li><li>• Solar Thermal</li><li>• Wind</li><li>• Wood Burning Stoves</li><li>• Innovative Technologies</li></ul></li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Vehicles and vehicle charging and refueling infrastructure</li><li>• Multi-sector approach</li><li>• Technologies include:<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Biodiesel</li><li>• E-85</li><li>• Electric vehicles</li><li>• Hybrid vehicles</li><li>• Idle reduction</li><li>• Natural gas</li><li>• Propane</li><li>• Service station resiliency</li></ul></li></ul>

In essence, our program offerings are diverse!

# MEA's Diverse Audience



- **MEA Communicates Data for a Diverse Audience**
  - State legislators
  - Media
  - State and federal agencies
  - Researchers and program administrators
  - And, of course, Maryland residents and businesses

# Data Challenges



- **Transparency**
  - Public data should be accessible for those who need it
- **Clarity**
  - Can't assume our audience has a prior knowledge of energy and environmental issues
- **Consistency**
  - Data needs to be tracked consistently across programs and stored in a centrally accessible location
- **Confidentiality**
  - Do not share residential customer addresses or proprietary business information

# Three main tools



1. **Smart Energy Investment Map**
2. **Smart Energy Investment Dashboard**
3. **Maryland's Open Data Portal**



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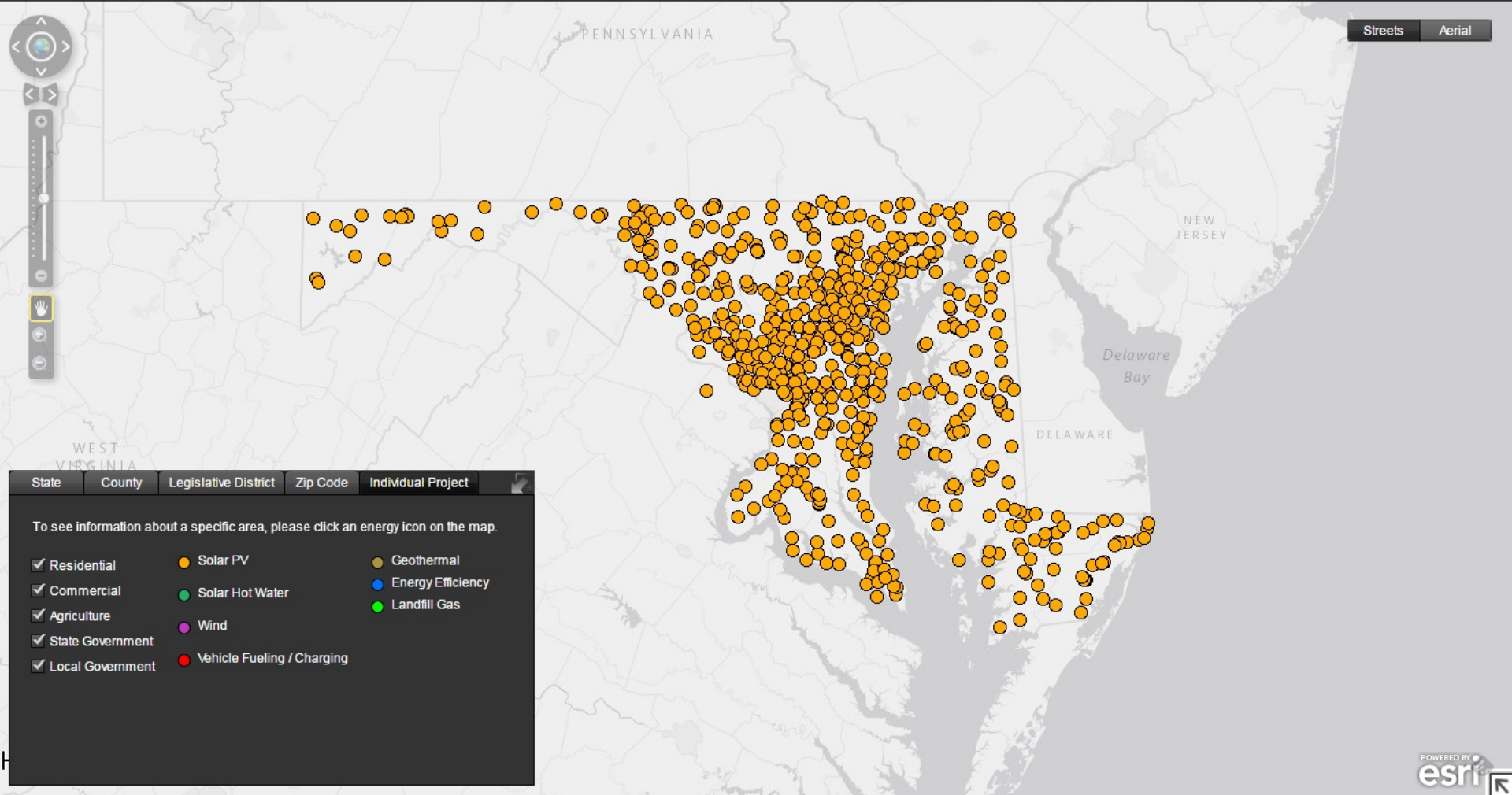


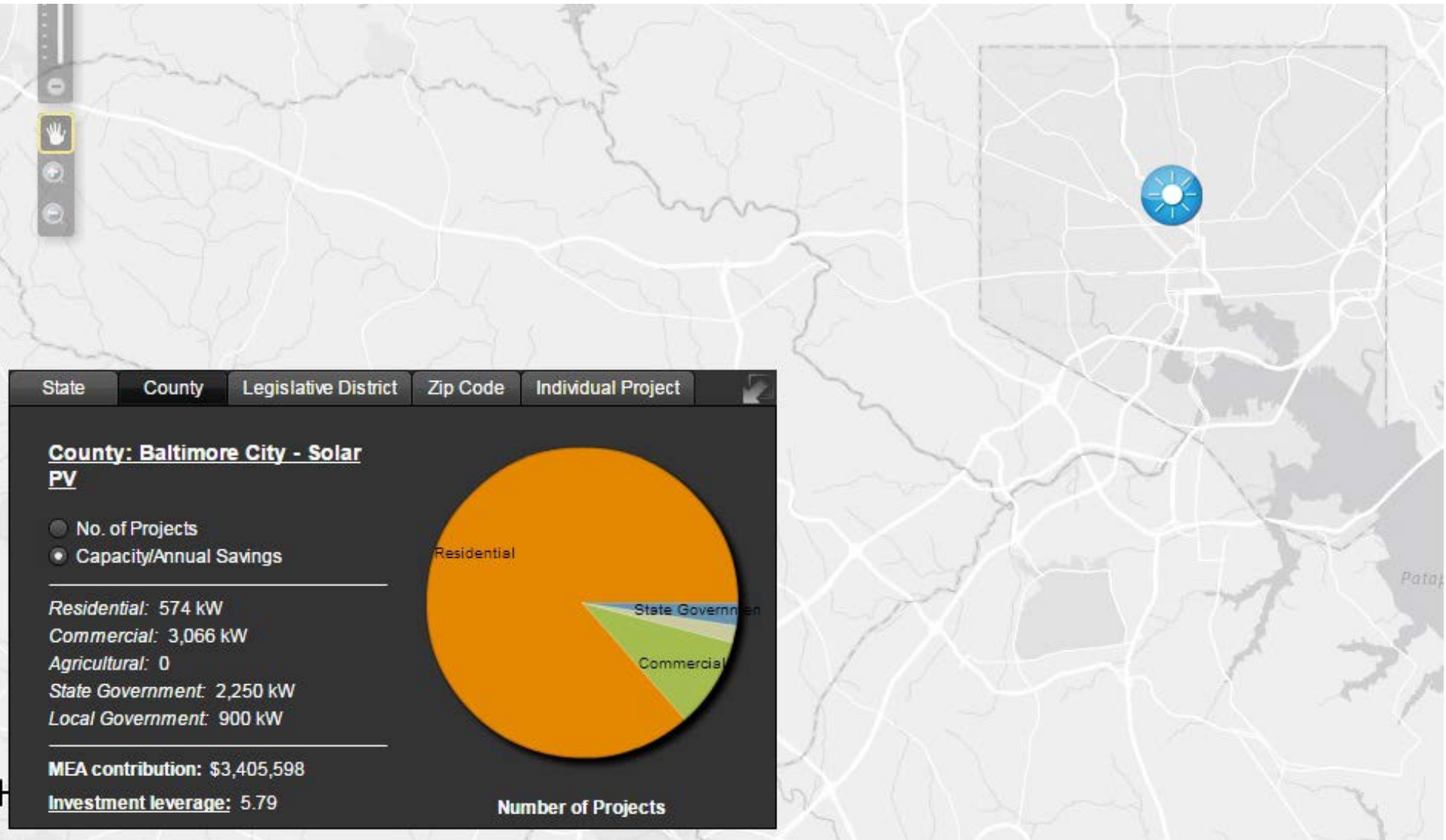
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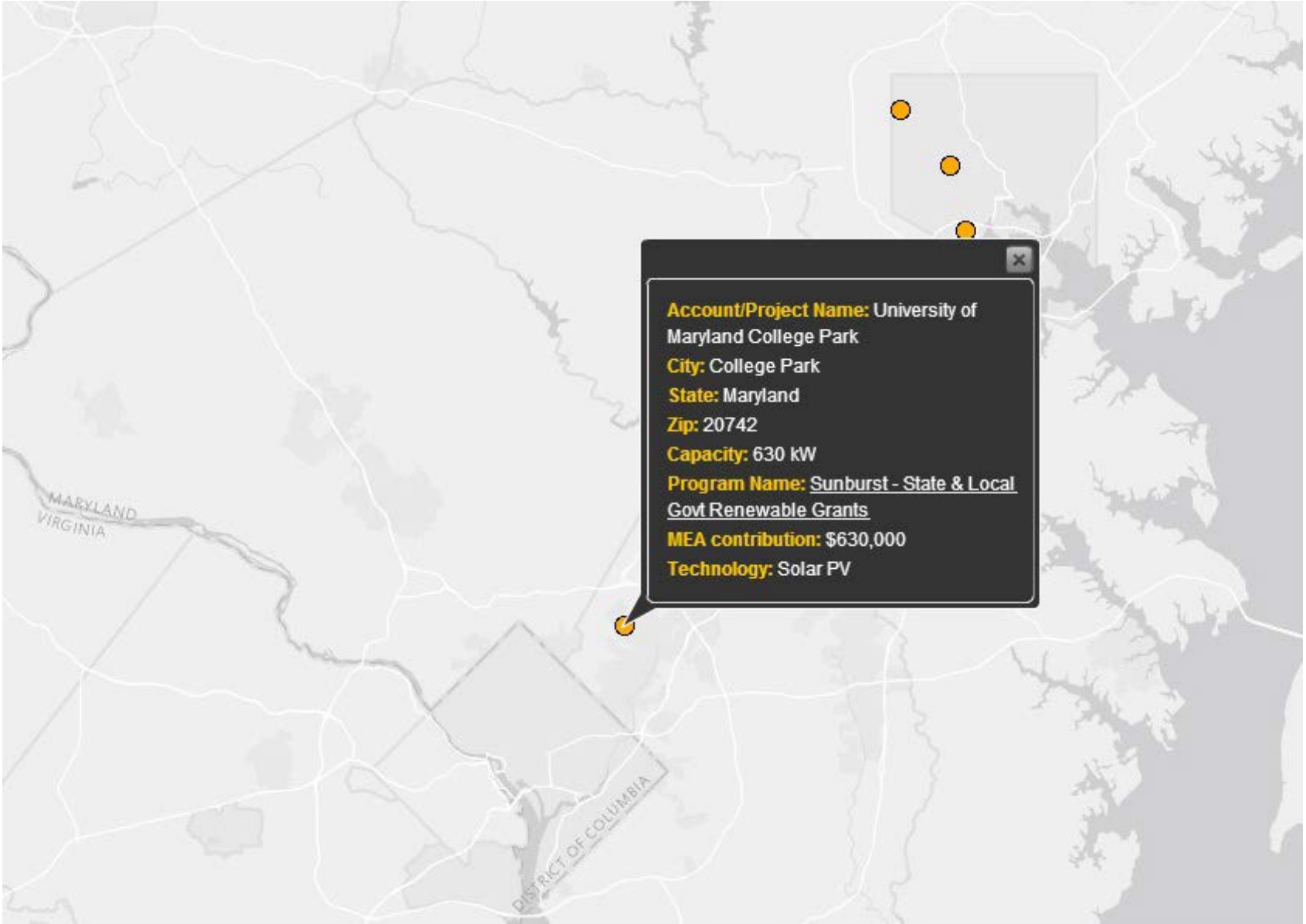
# Smart Energy Investment Map



Search by address or zip code:







The image shows a map of Maryland with a callout box for a solar project. The callout box is black with white text and a close button in the top right corner. It contains the following information:

- Account/Project Name:** University of Maryland College Park
- City:** College Park
- State:** Maryland
- Zip:** 20742
- Capacity:** 630 kW
- Program Name:** Sunburst - State & Local Govt Renewable Grants
- MEA contribution:** \$630,000
- Technology:** Solar PV

The map shows the state of Maryland with a grey rectangle highlighting the location of the project. Three orange dots are visible on the map, representing other projects. The callout box is positioned over the bottom-most dot, which is located near the District of Columbia border. Labels for 'MARYLAND VIRGINIA' and 'DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA' are visible on the map.

# SEIM Challenges



- **Map platform not mobile device compatible**
- **Created for a smaller mix of programs. As MEA's program portfolio expands to include new program models and technologies, it's become more challenging to display everything on one map**

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(a sneak peak)
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# Smart Energy Investment Dashboard



Maryland Energy Administration

Smart Energy Investment Dashboard

Home



Renewable Energy



Energy Efficiency



Transportation

## Welcome to the Maryland Smart Energy Investment Dashboard!

This dashboard illustrates Maryland Energy Administration's contributions to the growth of **affordable, reliable, renewable** energy and **energy efficiency** industries in our state.

Additionally, this tool pinpoints publicly accessible locations of electric vehicle charging stations and other alternative refueling stations in our State.

The Maryland Smart Energy Investment Dashboard largely tracks MEA's investments and is not intended to give a comprehensive summary of all projects and installations across the state. MEA occasionally makes changes in the types of projects eligible for awards; MEA's website has information on currently open programs and the types of projects eligible for awards. Please check the map periodically, as we continue the growth of Maryland's energy economy.

## Select a Section Below to Begin

Renewable Energy



Show MEA contributions to the growth of affordable and reliable renewable energy.

Energy Efficiency



Show MEA contributions to the growth of affordable energy efficiency.

Transportation



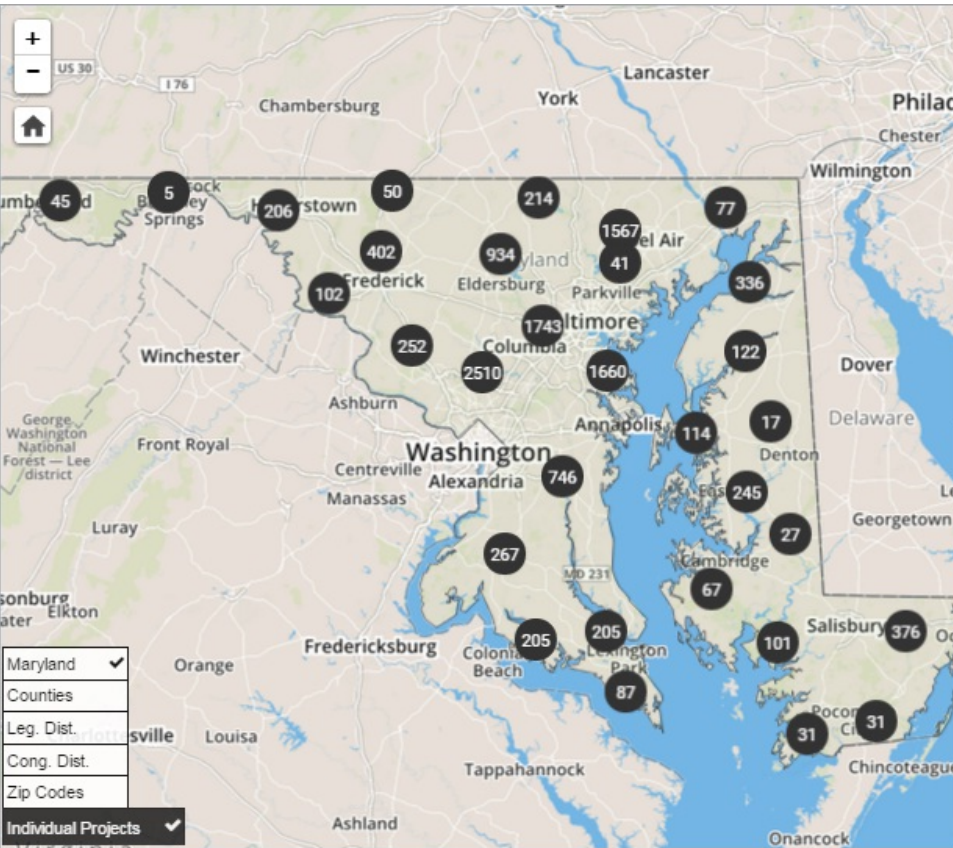
Show MEA contributions to the growth of affordable and reliable clean transportation.

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Eastern Shore Regional GIS Cooperative

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### Project Filters

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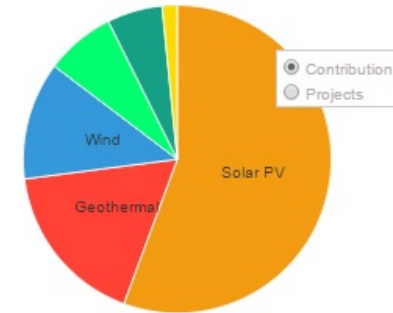
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### Investment Stats

Total Projects	13,184
MEA Contribution	\$45,860,920
Total Project Cost	\$405,999,603
Investment Leverage	11.58

### Technology Type

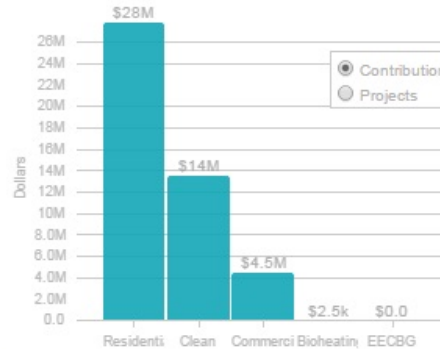


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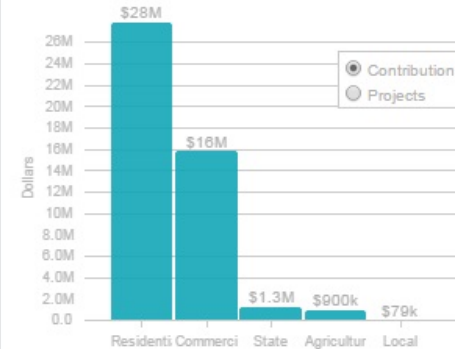
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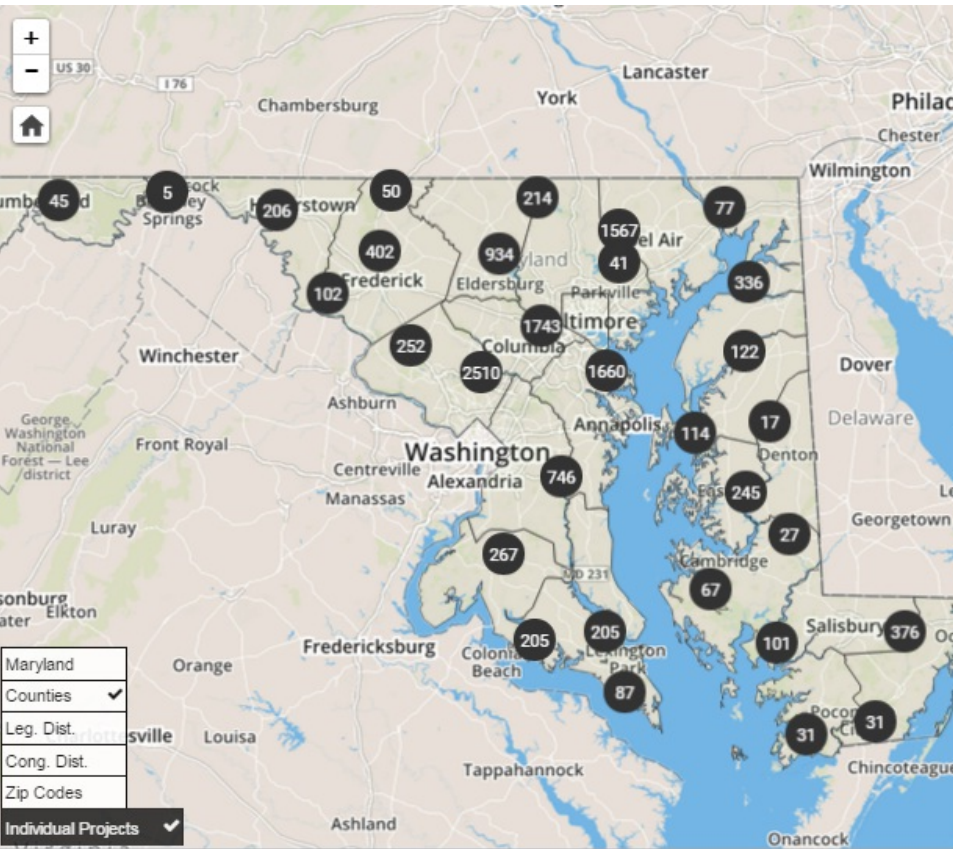
### Activity By Program



### Activity By Sector





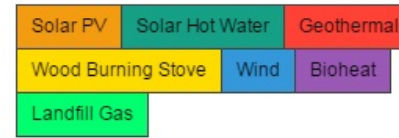


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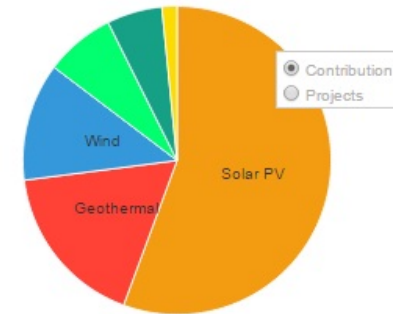
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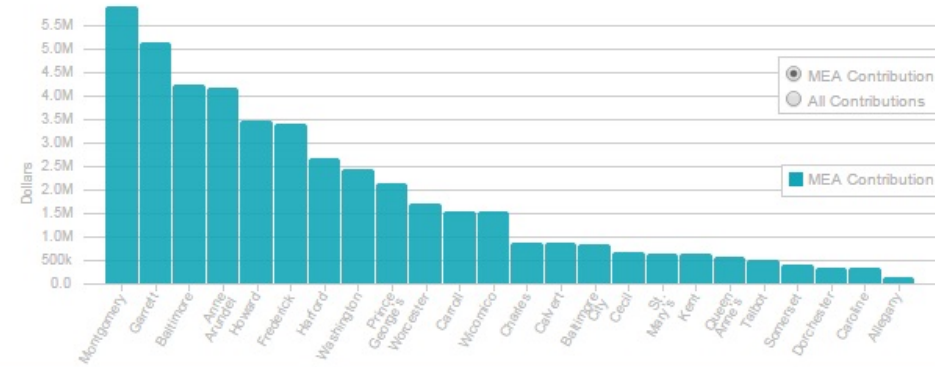
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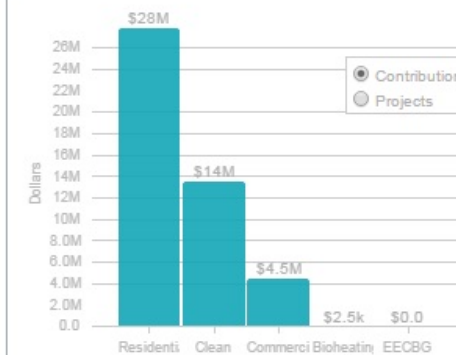


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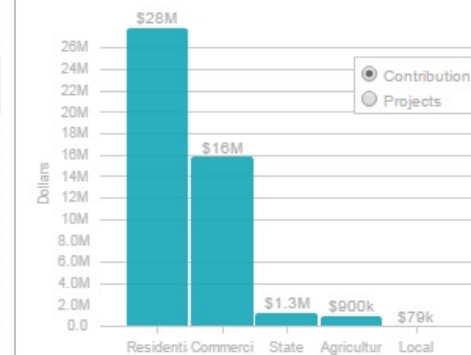
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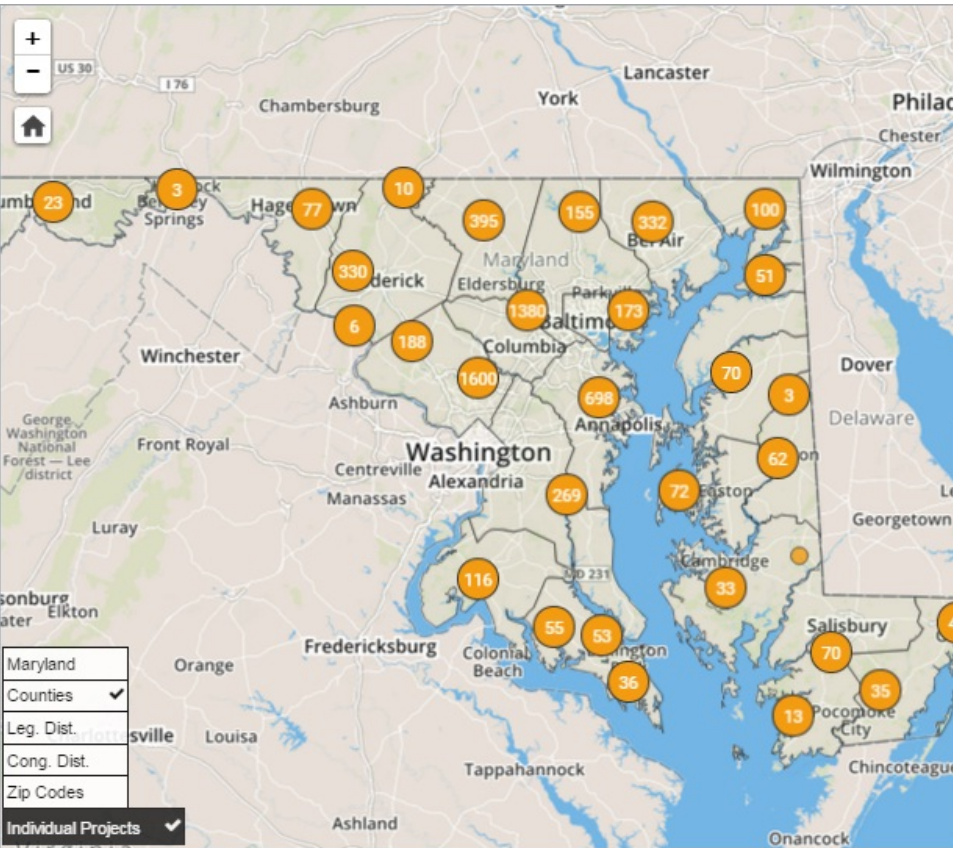


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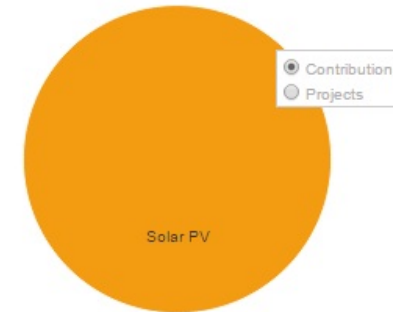
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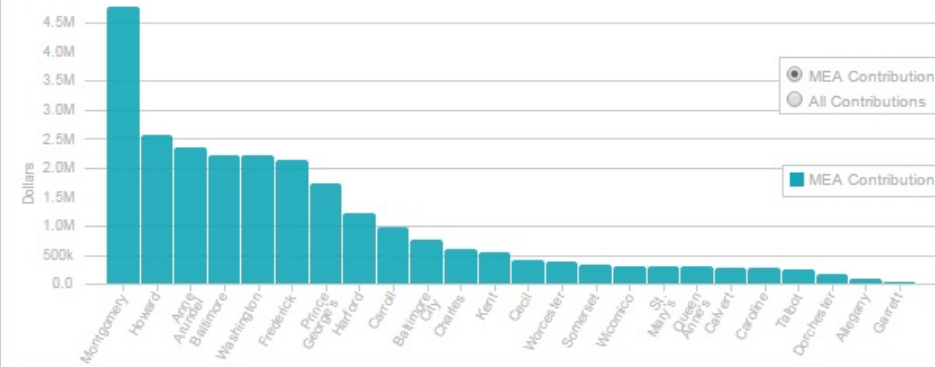
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Total Project Cost	\$262,911,798
Investment Leverage	11.94

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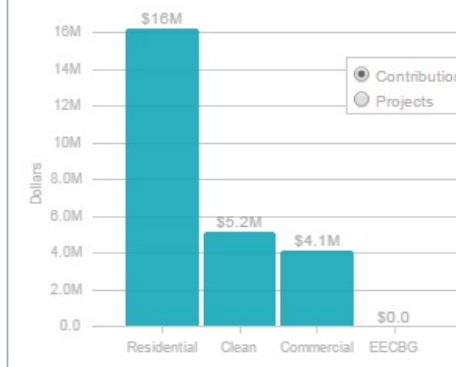


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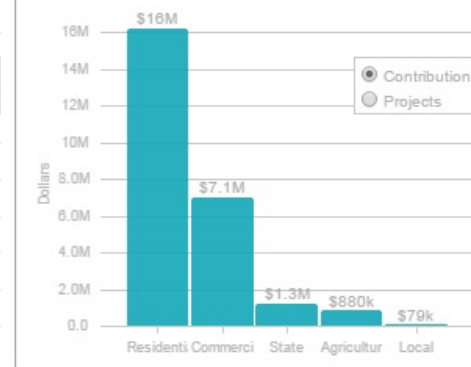
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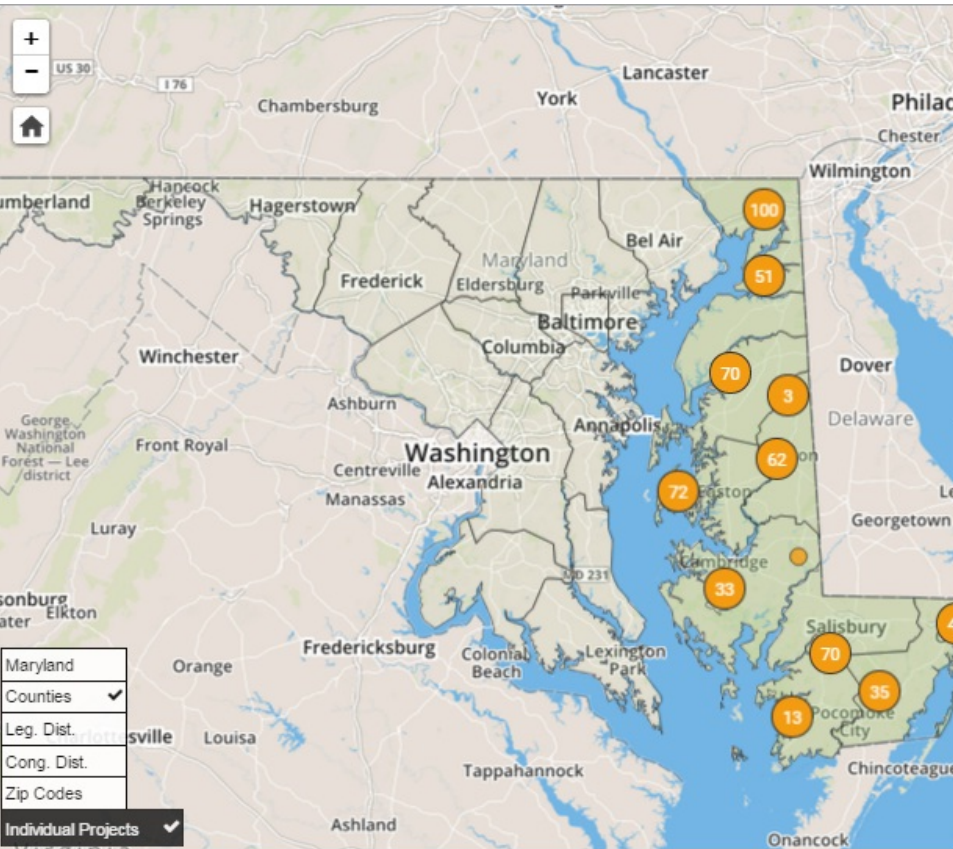


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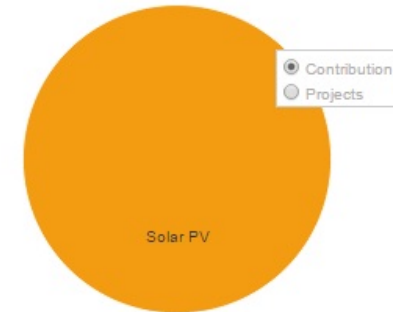
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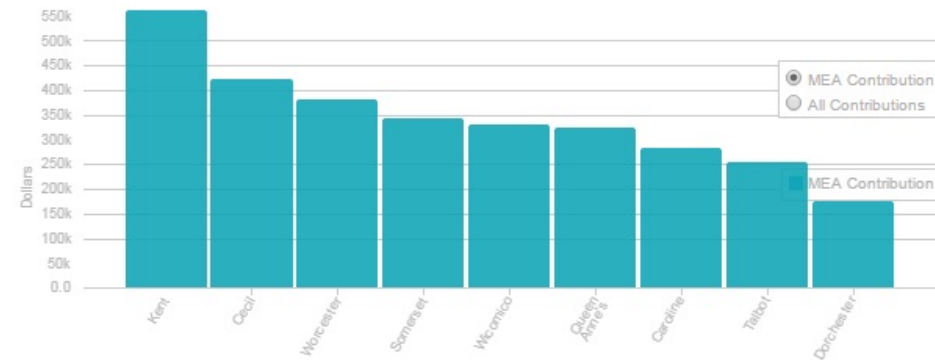
Total Projects	557
MEA Contribution	\$3,078,205
Total Project Cost	\$29,402,855
Investment Leverage	12.37

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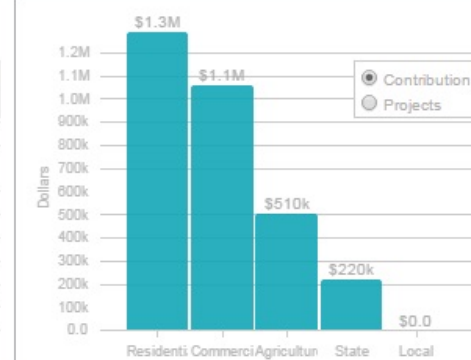
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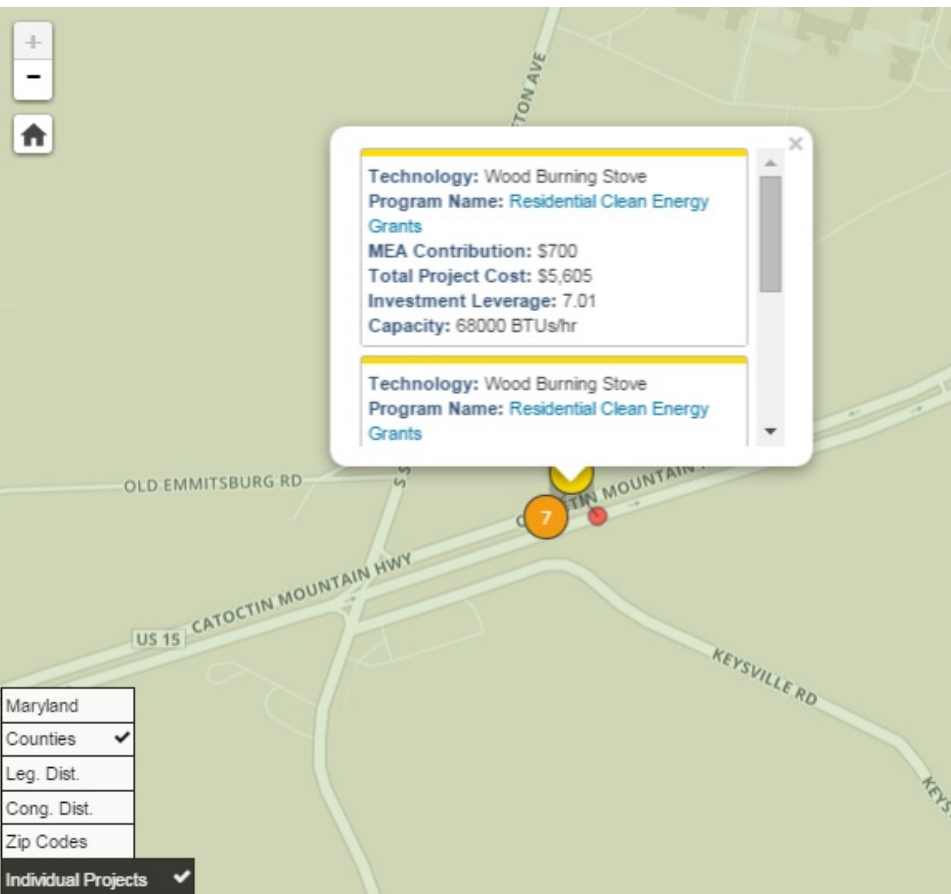


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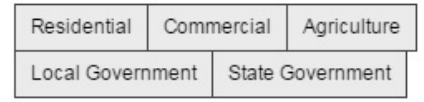
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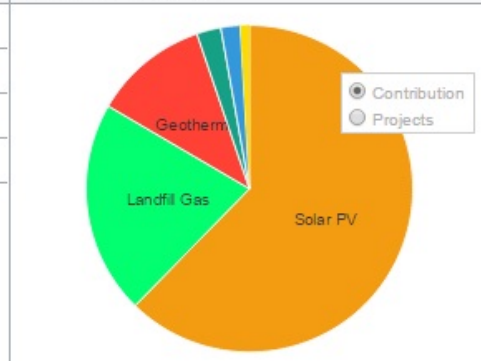
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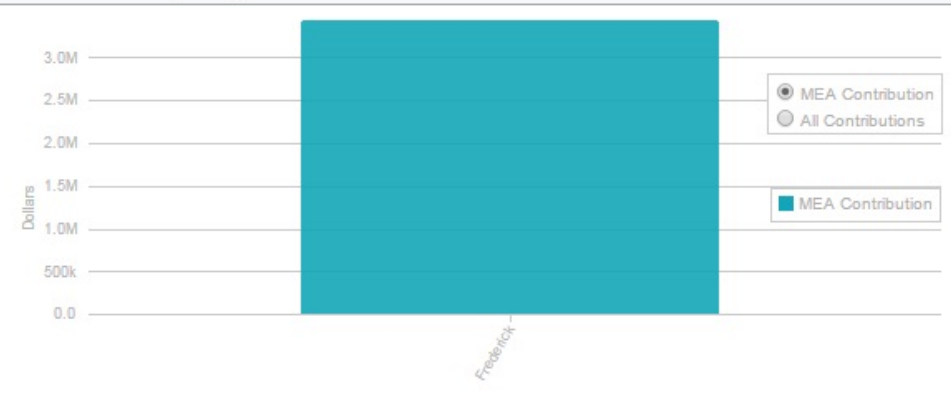
Total Projects	694
MEA Contribution	\$3,435,730
Total Project Cost	\$21,631,799
Investment Leverage	12.04

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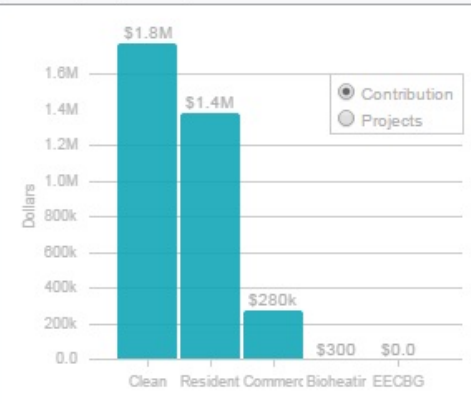


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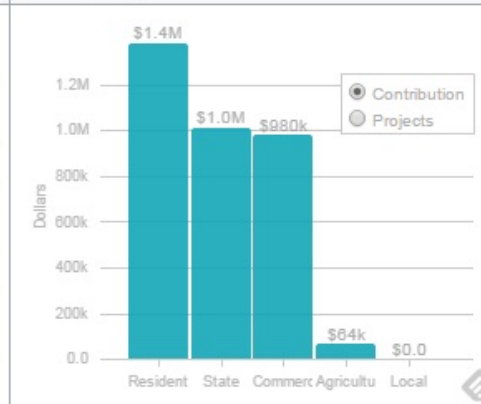
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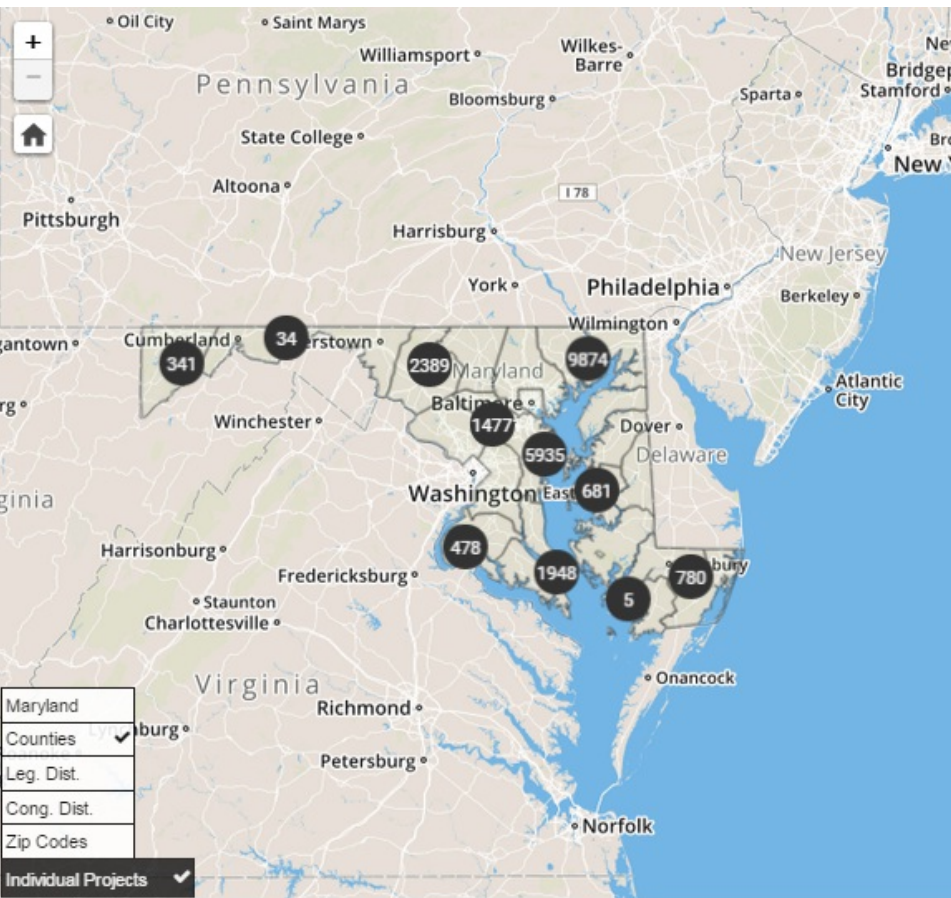


### Activity By Program



### Activity By Sector





- Maryland
- Counties 
  - Allegany
  - Anne Arundel
  - Baltimore
  - Calvert
  - Carroll
  - Cecil
  - Chesapeake
  - Dorchester
  - Frederick
  - Harford
  - Howard
  - Montgomery
  - Prince George's
  - Queen Anne's
  - St. Mary's
  - Talbot
  - Washington
  - Wicomico
  - Worcester
- Leg. Dist.
- Cong. Dist.
- Zip Codes

Individual Projects

### Project Filters

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#### Sector

- Residential
- Commercial
- Agriculture
- Local Government
- State Government

#### Program

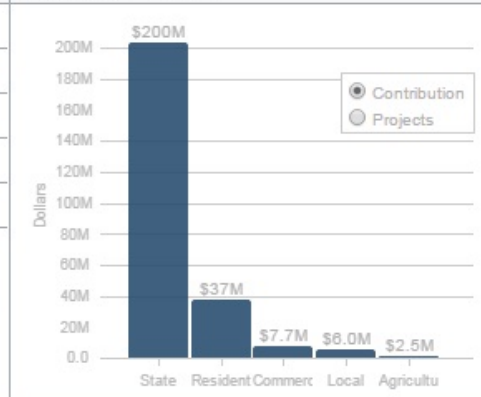
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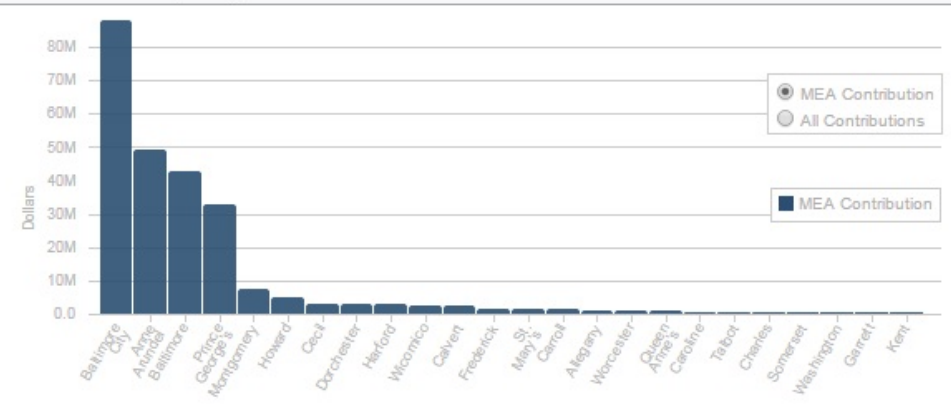
Total Projects	37,462
MEA Contribution	\$257,414,677
Total Project Cost	\$317,814,729
Investment Leverage	0.36
Electricity Savings	181,754,307 kWh

\* Investment Leverage for energy efficiency is low due to financing programs, for which investment leverage is not calculated.  
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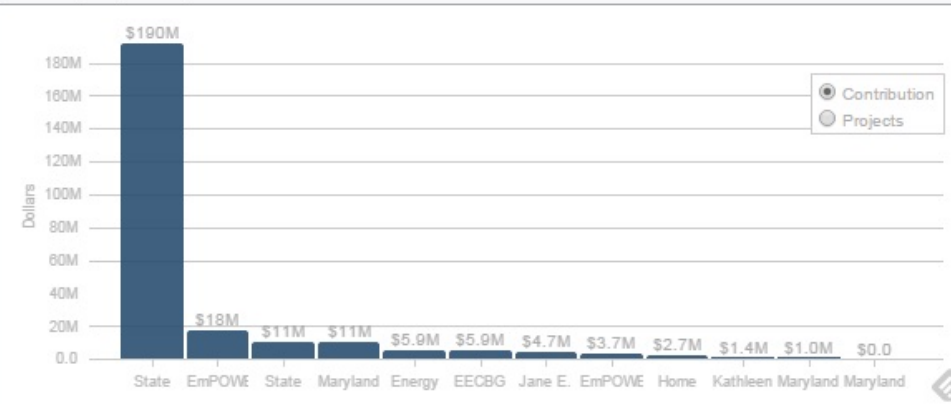
### Activity By Sector

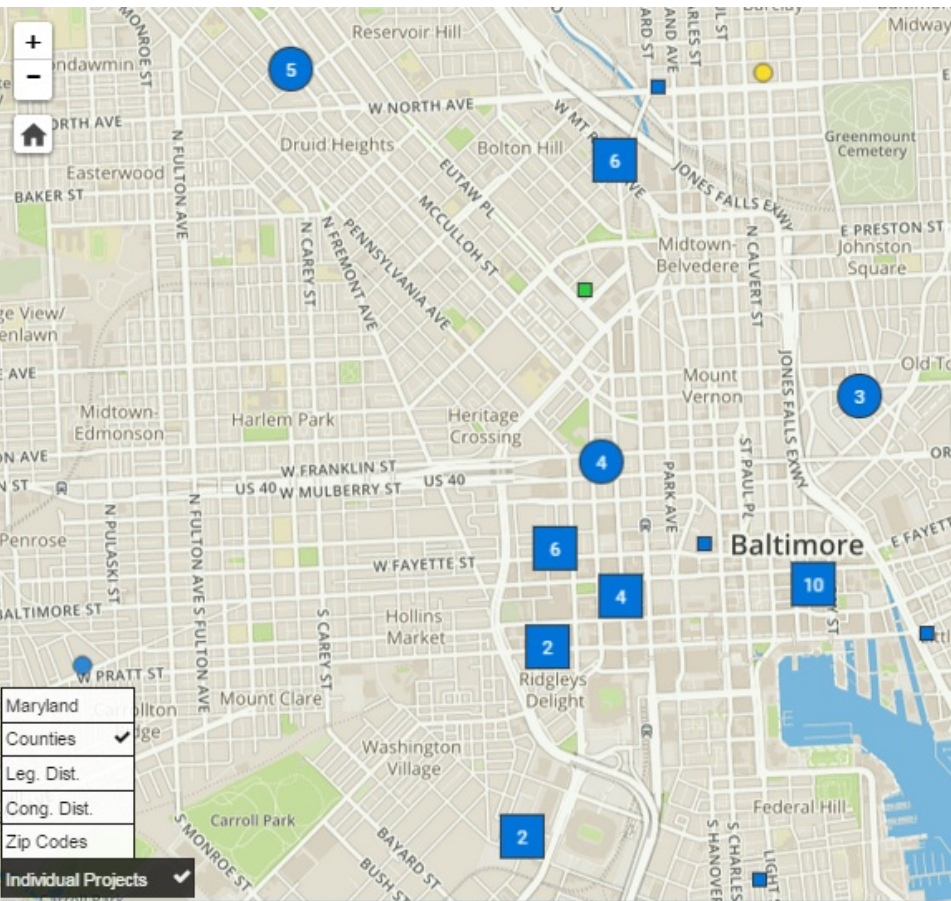


### Contribution By Region



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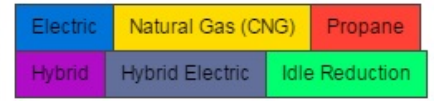


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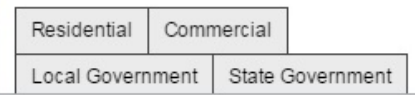
#### Vehicle Technology



#### Charging/Fueling Station Technology



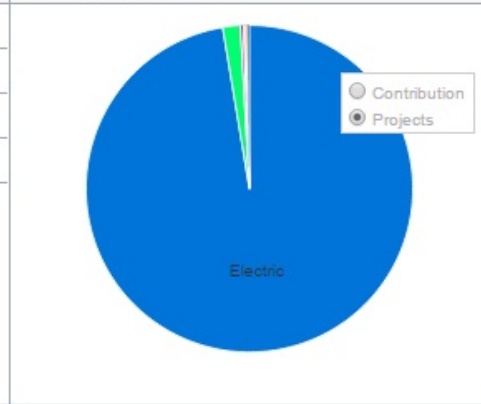
#### Sector



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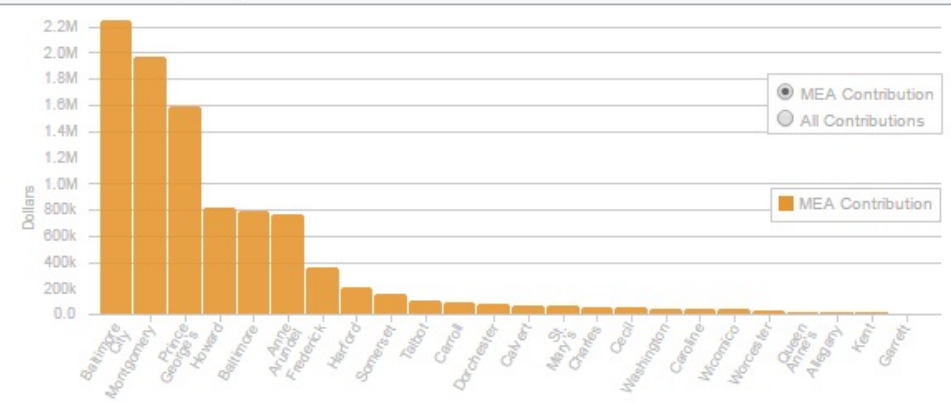
Total Projects	3,195
MEA Contribution	\$9,638,232
Total Project Cost	\$110,938,970
Investment Leverage	11.14

### Vehicle Technology

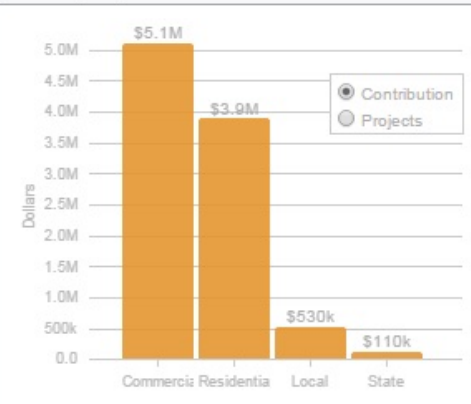


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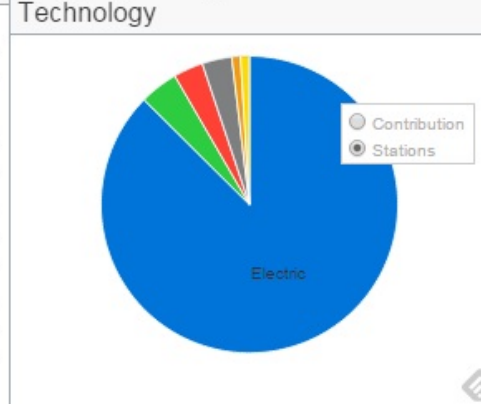
### Contribution By Region



### Activity By Sector



### Charging/Fueling Station Technology



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2. Smart Energy Investment Dashboard
3. **Maryland's Open Data Portal**

# Open Data



- Central location for Maryland's public data
- Run by Department of Information Technology
- Provides Marylanders with an unprecedented level of access to state data, increasing transparency and accountability
- State agencies upload datasets, create graphical illustrations, and generate maps
- Provides MEA the ability to embed charts and maps in our website
- Clean Burning Wood Stove Map: <http://1.usa.gov/1MtXaug>





# Department of Information Technology OPEN DATA PORTAL



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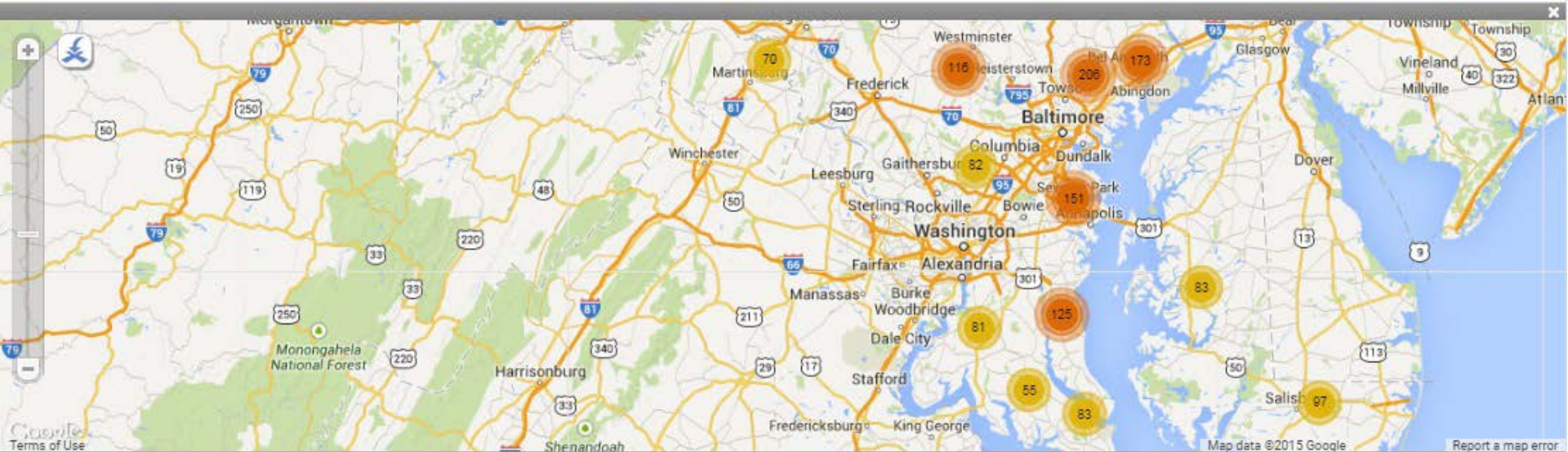
## Clean Burning Wood Stove Grants: Map

Based on Clean Burning Wood Stove Grants

To help Maryland homeowners invest in clean energy, the Maryland Energy Administration provides

Find in this Dataset

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Program Name	Stove Type	Capacity (BTU/hr)	Award Amount	Total Project Cost
1 Residential Renewable Grants	Wood Stove		74.3	\$400.00
2 Residential Renewable Grants	Pellet Stove		1,200	\$700.00
3 Residential Renewable Grants	Pellet Stove		1,500	\$600.00
4 Residential Renewable Grants	Pellet Stove		1,800	\$700.00

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# Helpful Links



- Smart Energy Investment Map
  - <http://energy.maryland.gov/map/index.html>
- Smart Energy Investment Dashboard
  - Coming soon!
- Maryland's Open Data Portal
  - <https://data.maryland.gov/>

# Questions?



# Thank You!



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