



# **Oregon's Climate Equity and Resilience Through Action Grant**

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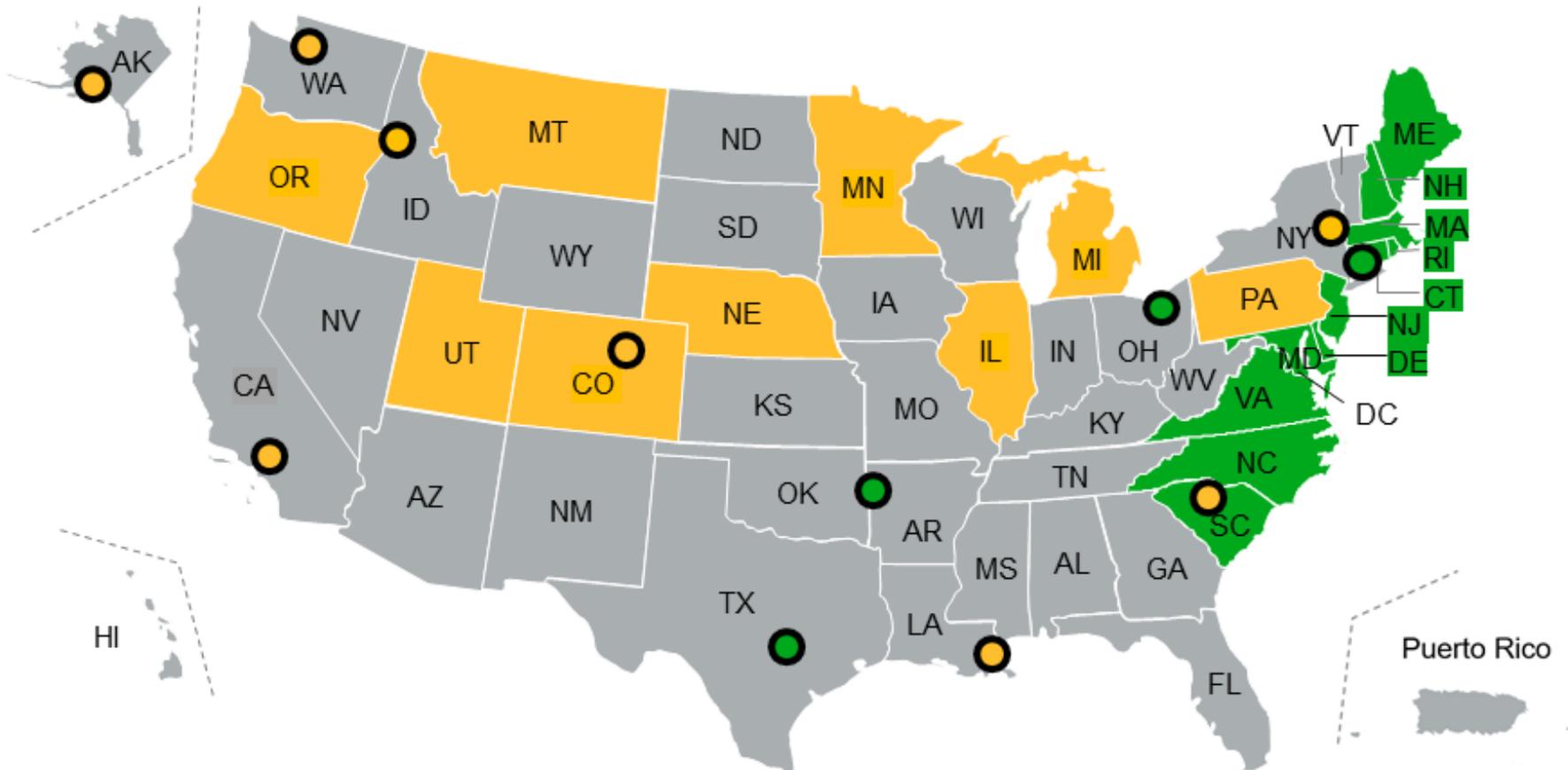
# U.S. Climate Pollution Reduction Grant

- Inflation Reduction Act
- EPA's Climate Pollution Reduction Grant Program (CPRG)
- Oregon's CPRG Implementation Grant: Climate Equity and Resilience Through Action (CERTA) – \$197 million



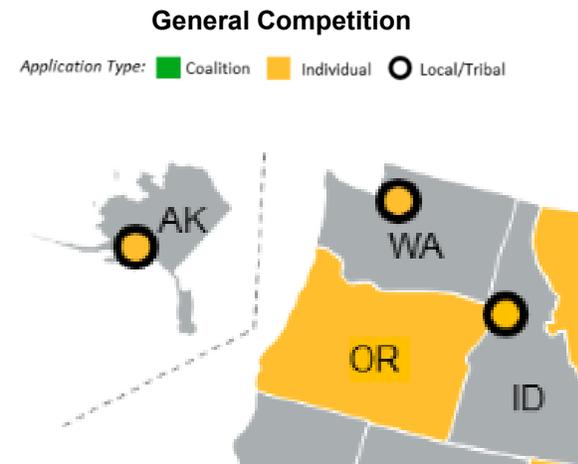
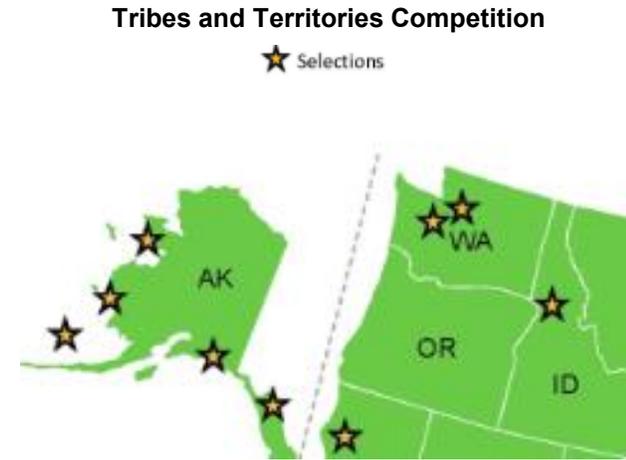
# CPRG: Implementation Grant Awards

Application Type: ■ Coalition ■ Individual ○ Local/Tribal



# PNW Implementation Grant Awards

- Tribes and Territories Competition
  - \$77 million
- General Competition
  - \$284 million
- Overall Pacific Northwest Funding
  - \$361 million

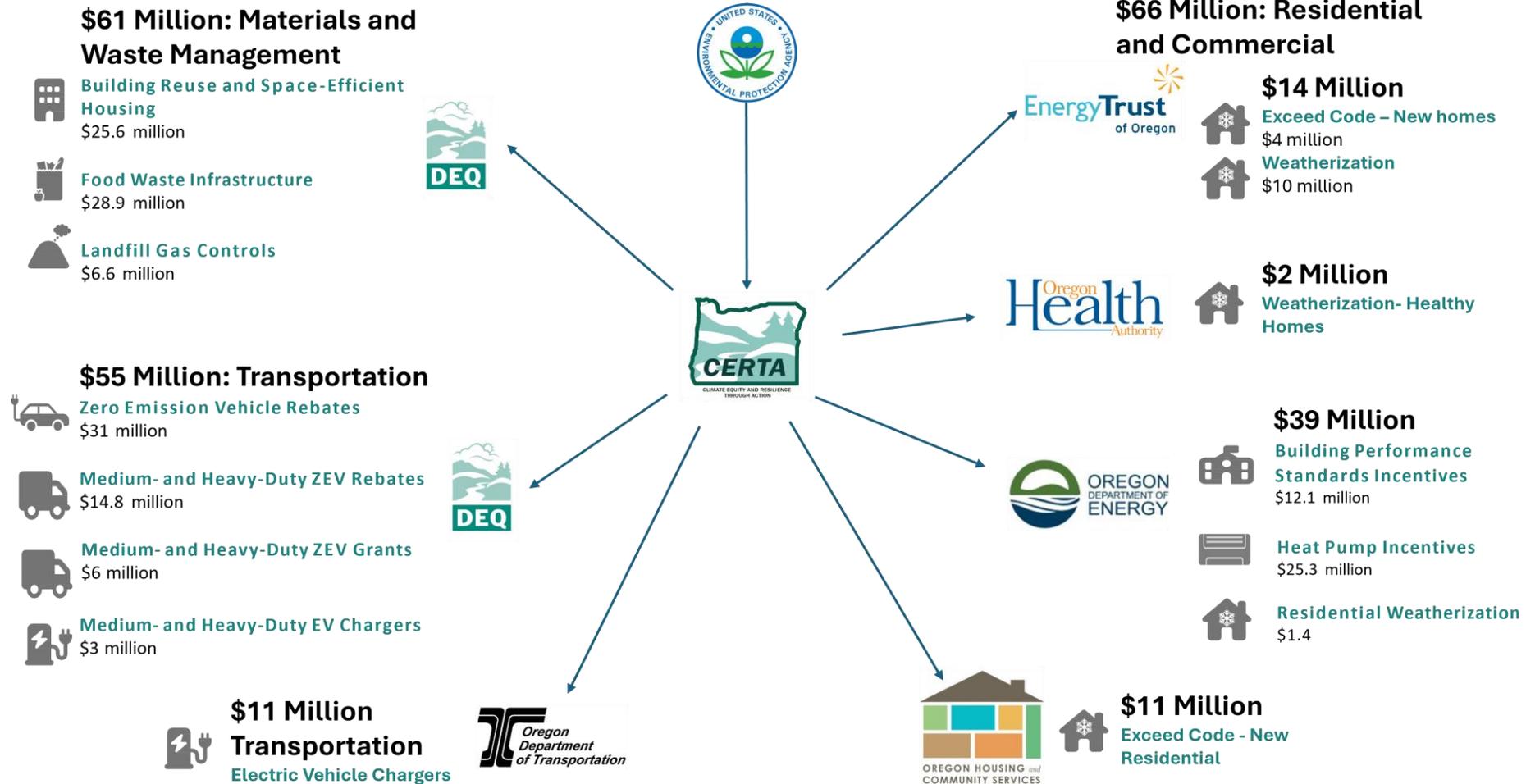


# Oregon's CERTA at a Glance

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- Goal: To reduce greenhouse gas emissions in Oregon
- 5-year grant beginning Oct. 1, 2024
- 6 partners: DEQ, Oregon Departments of Energy, Housing and Community Services, Transportation, Health Authority, and the Energy Trust of Oregon
- 12 measures across three sectors
- Balance of funding existing programs for rapid implementation and new, innovative approaches

# How CERTA Works



# Transportation

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DEQ, Oregon Clean Vehicle Rebate Program: Rebates for electric vehicles, **\$31 million**



ODOT, Community Charging Rebate Program: Rebates for EV chargers, **\$10.9 million**



DEQ, Medium and Heavy-Duty Zero-Emission Vehicle Rebate and Grant Programs: Rebates for zero emission trucks and fleet, **\$20.8 million**



DEQ, Zero-Emission Fueling Infrastructure Grant Program: Rebates to install EV chargers, **\$3 million**

# Residential and Commercial Buildings

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 Energy Trust and OHCS: Rebates to builders for energy efficient housing construction, **\$21 million**

 ODOE: Rebates to commercial building owners to improve energy efficiency in large buildings, **\$12.2 million**

 ODOE: Rebates for heat pumps in owner-occupied housing, rental properties and new residential construction, **\$25.2 million**

 Energy Trust, ODOE, and OHA: Rebates for insulation, window and door repair for existing housing, **\$8.3 million**

# Waste and Materials Management

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DEQ: Rebates to builders for workforce housing that utilizes low-embodied carbon materials and is either space-efficient or made from converted buildings, **\$25.6 million**



DEQ: Grants to large-scale composting facilities and community-based organizations to improve food waste processing, **\$28.9 million**



DEQ: Grants to landfills to improve methane capture, **\$6.6 million**

# CERTA Outcomes



## Transportation

- 4,403 rebates for light duty electric vehicles for low- and moderate-income households
- 688 rebates for L2 charging stations
- 164 rebates for Medium and Heavy-Duty electric vehicles
- 37 grants to replace Medium and Heavy-Duty diesel vehicles with electric
- 20 new Medium and Heavy-Duty electric vehicle charging stations



## Buildings

- 4,500 multi-family and 4,920 single family unit incentives for energy efficiency
- 321 commercial building incentives for early and voluntary compliance
- 12,000 heat pump incentives
- 2,690 incentives for residential weatherization



## Materials

- 940 new affordable housing units (space efficient or building reuse) constructed with low-embodied carbon materials
- Up to 26 new and expanded food waste recovery projects
- Up to 6 landfill projects with added methane emission controls

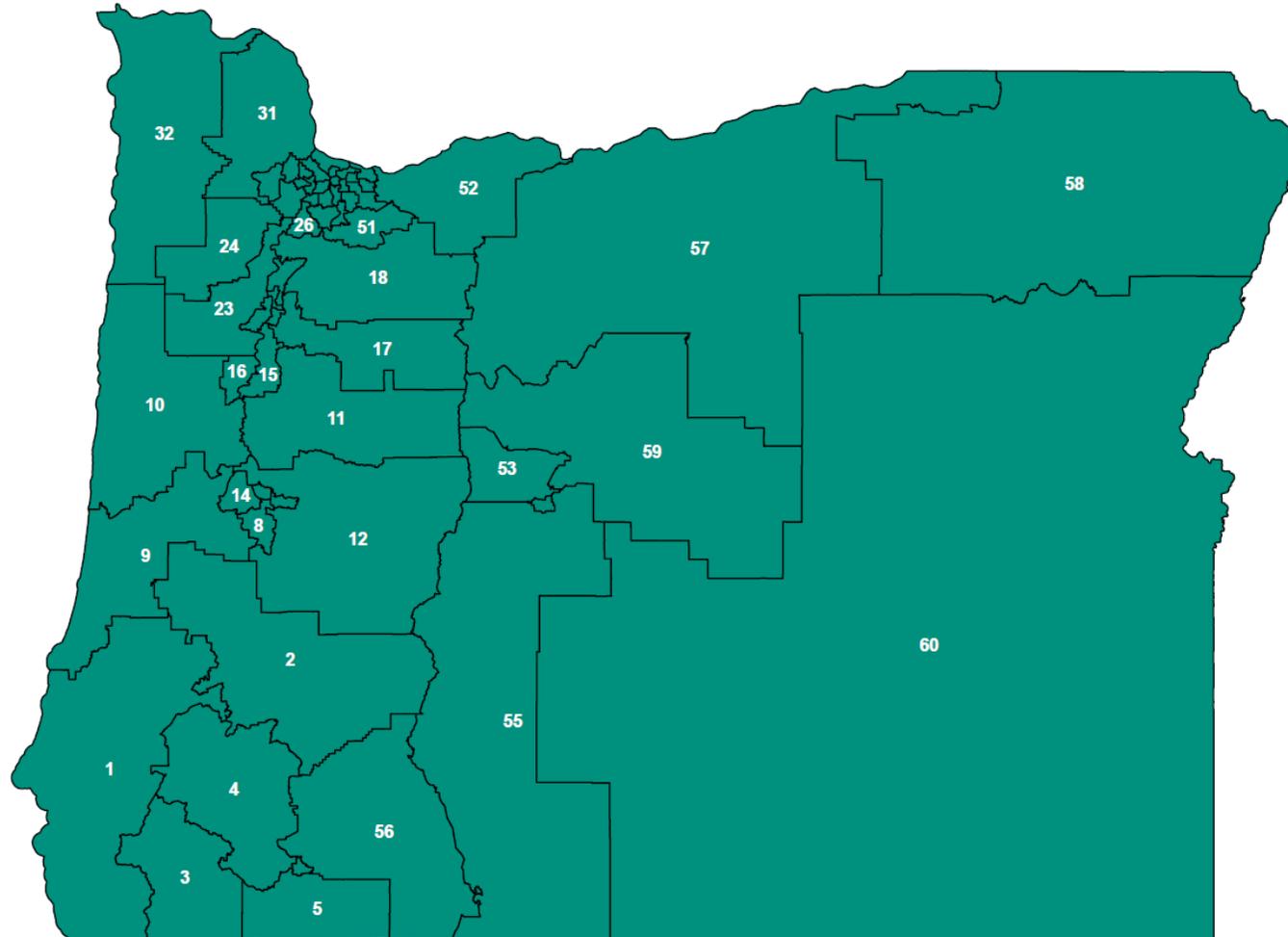
CERTA beneficiaries include Oregon residents, local businesses, community-based organizations, local & Tribal govts

# Accomplishments

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- **~\$30 million spent**
- DEQ has issued **3900 electric vehicles rebates** to low- and moderate-income households (**~\$19 million**)
- ODOE has issued **1200 heat pumps rebates** for owner-occupied homes, rental properties and new residential construction (**~\$2.5 million**)
- Energy Trust of Oregon issued **647 home construction rebates** for new homes that are at least 10% more energy efficient than code and **234 insulation installation rebates** for residences (**~\$1 million**)

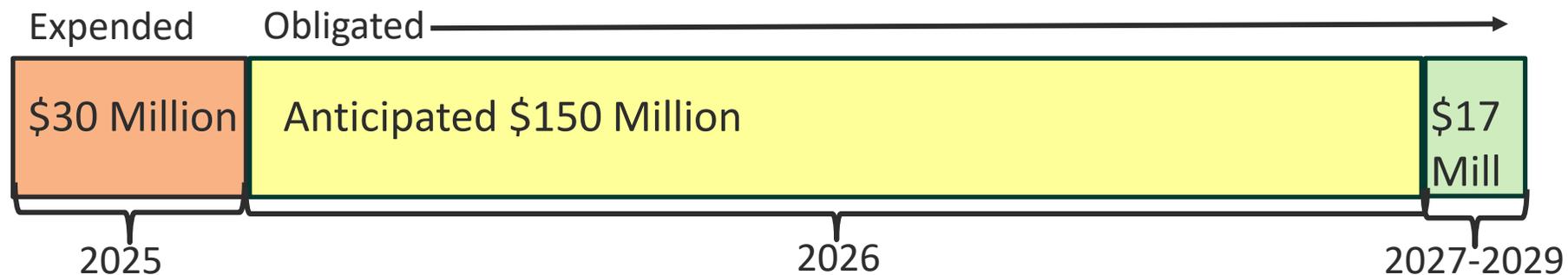
# CERTA Funds Benefitting all of Oregon



*House districts in green  
have received CERTA  
funding to date*

# CERTA Upcoming

- Commercial Building Energy Reduction Incentive Program (ODOE) for early or above compliance of BPS opened for applications in February
- DEQ's landfill methane capture grants RFP to be released in March
- DEQ's food waste grant administrator contract negotiations underway; project RFP to be released in Spring



# Questions

# Title VI and Alternative Formats

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# CERTA Cost Effectiveness

Measure	Cumulative GHG emissions reduction 2025-2030 (MTCO2E)	Cumulative GHG emissions reduction 2025-2050 (MTCO2E)	5-year implementation cost (\$)	Cost per ton GHG reduced 2025-2030 (\$)	Cost per ton GHG reduced 2025-2050 (\$)
<b>Transportation</b>					
Charge ahead	190,000	1,030,000	\$30,996,336.00	\$163.14	\$30.09
Light duty chargers	36,958	824,627	\$10,900,601.00	\$294.95	\$13.22
MHD Rebate	71,484	363,828	\$14,843,772.00	\$207.65	\$40.80
MHD grant	19,106	81,092	\$5,989,342.00	\$313.48	\$73.86
MHD chargers	3,813	113,405	\$3,020,390.00	\$792.13	\$26.63
<b>Sector total</b>	<b>321,361</b>	<b>2,412,952</b>	<b>\$65,750,441.00</b>	<b>\$204.60</b>	<b>\$27.25</b>
<b>Residential and Commercial Bldgs</b>					
New Residential Construction	116,774	556,340	\$21,290,504.00	\$203.00	\$43.00
Building Performance Standard	100,322	221,126	\$12,092,375.00	\$121.00	\$55.00
Heat Pump Program	83,225	368,655	\$25,256,830.00	\$303.00	\$69.00
Residential Weatherization	32,515	132,850	\$8,055,589.00	\$288.00	\$71.00
<b>Sector Total</b>	<b>332,836</b>	<b>1,278,971</b>	<b>\$66,695,298.00</b>	<b>\$200.38</b>	<b>\$52.15</b>
<b>Materials and Waste</b>					
Building reuse and space-efficient housing	70,862	343,487	\$25,585,015.00	\$360.00	\$74.00
Food waste infrastructure	241,500	1,419,561	\$28,867,937.00	\$119.00	\$20.00
Landfill gas controls	275,222	1,100,693	\$6,611,235.00	\$24.00	\$6.00
<b>Sector total</b>	<b>587,584</b>	<b>2,863,741</b>	<b>\$61,064,187.00</b>	<b>\$103.92</b>	<b>\$21.32</b>
DEQ CPRG Administration			\$3,671,870.00		
<b>Total- All Measures</b>	<b>1,241,781</b>	<b>6,555,664</b>	<b>\$197,181,796.00</b>	<b>\$158.79</b>	<b>\$30.08</b>