

# American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009

Possible Funding Opportunities Available for Pima Association of Governments Projects

**Grant/Program:** Innovative Technology Loan Guarantee Program

**Authorizing Agency:** The United States Department of Energy

**Authorizing Agency Contact Person:** Loan Guarantee Program Office, U.S. Department of Energy CF 1.3, 1000 Independence Avenue - SW, Washington D.C. 20585, Phone: (202) 586-8336, Fax: (202) 586-7366.

**Available Funding:** \$6,000 Million

**Distribution or Appointment of Formula:** Competitive.

**Grant/Program Description:** The Energy Policy Act of 2005 (EPAct05) authorizes the U.S. Department of Energy to issue loan guarantees to eligible projects that "avoid, reduce, or sequester air pollutants or anthropogenic emissions of greenhouse gases" and "employ new or significantly improved technologies as compared to technologies in service in the United States at the time the guarantee is issued."

**Possible Qualifying PAG Projects:**

- Energy Efficient Downtown Central Energy Plant
- Solar Retrofits of Public Housing
- Solar Retrofits of Publicly Owned Buildings
- Weatherization and Energy Efficiency Housing Rehabilitation

**Eligibility Requirements:** Entities that have the authority to enter into, and is seeking, a loan guarantee issued by the Secretary for a loan or other debt obligation of an eligible project. An eligible project is described in the Grant/Program Description above.

**Grant/Loan Priorities:** Priority will be given to Guaranteed Loans already approved or in the process of being approved.

**Application Instructions:** The U.S. Department of Energy has a pre-application requirement as well as an actual application process. Details are outlined in the application packets located at <http://www.lgprogram.energy.gov/Solicitationfinal.pdf>.

**Application Deadline:** None - continuous.

**Websites Available:**

U.S. Department of Energy, Innovative Technology Loan Guarantee Program - <http://www.lgprogram.energy.gov/index.html>