

# American Recovery and Reinvestment Act

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## **American Recovery & Reinvestment Act**

#### **Energy-Related Funding Includes:**

- \$16.8 B for Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy
- \$2.0 B for DOE Office of Science (including \$400 M for the Advanced Research Projects Agency)
- \$3.4 B for Fossil Energy R&D
- \$4.5 B for Electricity Delivery & Energy Reliability (Smart Grid)
- \$6.0 B for Loan Guarantee Program
- \$5.6 B for GSA (includes high performance green federal buildings and fleets)
- \$300 M for DoD Energy research, including fuel cells



#### \$16.8 billion for Energy Efficiency & Renewable Energy

\$2.5 B	Research, development, demonstration and deployment (\$1.2 B specified for biomass and geothermal; \$50 M for IT efficiency—\$1.25 B in discretionary funds.)
\$5.0 B	Weatherization – Initial applications due MARCH 23; final applications due MAY 12
\$3.1 B	State Energy Program – Closing MAY 13
\$3.2 B	Energy Efficiency and Conservation Block Grants – State applications due MAY 26, all others due JUNE 25
\$400 M	Transportation Electrification – Closing MAY 13
\$300 M	Alternative Fueled Vehicles Pilot (Clean Cities) – Closing MAY 29
\$2.0 B	Advanced Battery Manufacturing – Closing MAY 19
\$300 M	Energy Efficient Appliance Rebate Program/EnergyStar



### Recovery Act — Other Opportunities for Fuel Cells

# Opportunities for hydrogen & fuel cells are not limited to EERE Recovery Act funds.

Recovery Act Opportunity	Potential Fuel Cell Application	Total Amount
Energy efficiency improvements in federal buildings and HUD housing	Stationary fuel cells for CHP	\$4.5 B (federal buildings) \$250 M (HUD housing)
Alternative fueled vehicles GSA federal fleets	Vehicles & fueling infrastructure	\$300 M (GSA)
Transit investments for greenhouse gas and energy reduction	Vehicles & fueling infrastructure	\$100 M (DOT)
Improvements at DoD facilities—including energy efficiency upgrades	Stationary fuel cells with CHP	\$4.2 B (DoD)
Strategic Technologies—including small unit operations, maritime operations, and portable power (DARPA)	Portable power, auxiliary power, stationary power.	TBD (DoD)
Loan guarantees for projects to reduce pollution and GHGs including fuel cells for residential, industrial or transportation applications	AII	\$6.0 B



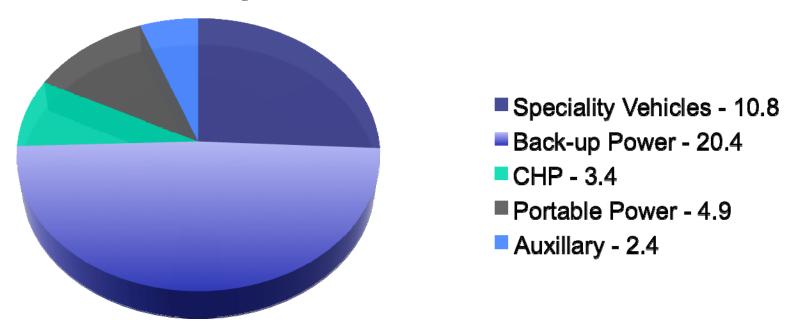
# Recovery Act — Tax Credits

#### Some tax credits affecting hydrogen & fuel cells were expanded.

Hydrogen Fueling Facility Credit	Increases the hydrogen fueling credit from 30% or \$30,000 to 30% or \$200,000.		
Grants for Energy Property in Lieu of Tax Credits	Allows facilities with insufficient tax liability to apply for a grant instead of claiming the ITC or PTC. Only entities that pay taxes are eligible.		
Manufacturing Credit	Creates 30% credit for investment in property used for manufacturing fuel cells and other technologies		
Residential Energy Efficiency Credit	Raises ITC dollar cap for residential fuel cells in joint occupancy dwellings to \$3,334/kW.		



# ARRA Funding for Hydrogen and Fuel Cell Projects - \$41.9 Million





#### Deploying Fuel Cells for Specialty Vehicles



Anheuser-Busch (St. Louis, MO)	\$1.1 million	23 fuel cells in class-1 lift trucks
FedEx Freight East (Harrison, AR)	\$1.3 million	35 fuel cells in class-1 lift trucks
GENCO (Pittsburgh, PA)	\$6.1 million	156 fuel cells in 6 fleets of class-1 and -3 lift trucks
Nuvera Fuel Cells (Billerica, MA)	\$1.1 million	Supplement a fuel cell forklift fleet with 10 fuel cell power packs and a hydrogen fueling system
Sysco of Houston (West Houston, TX)	\$1.2 million	90 fuel cells in class-3 pallet trucks

TOTAL: \$10.8 million

#### **Advantages of Fuel Cells for Specialty Vehicles:**

- Allow for rapid refueling much faster than changing-out or recharging batteries
- Provide constant power without voltage drop
- Eliminate space requirements of batteries & chargers
- May provide substantial cost-savings over battery-powered forklifts



#### Deploying Fuel Cells for Back-up Power



Plug Power Inc. (Latham, NY)	\$2.7 million	Up to 275 kW of backup power at government sites
ReliOn Inc.	\$9.6 million	<ul> <li>Backup power for 25 sites in utility communications network</li> </ul>
(Spokane, WA)	\$8.6 million	<ul> <li>180 backup power installations for telecommunications network</li> </ul>
Sprint Communications (Reston, VA)	\$7.3 million	• 1-kW to 10-kW fuel cell systems for backup power to state/local first responders
Jadoo Power (Folsom, CA)	\$1.8 million	<ul> <li>Evaluation of environmental and cost benefits of using 1-kW fuel cell power system, as opposed to gas/diesel generators and lead acid batteries</li> </ul>

**TOTAL:** \$20.4 million

#### **Advantages of Fuel Cells for Backup Power:**

- Provide longer continuous run-time, greater durability than batteries
- Require less maintenance than batteries or generators
- Can be remotely monitored



#### Demonstrating PEM Fuel Cells for Residential and Small Commercial CHP



CHP fuel cell systems for critical load facilities...

- Provide high-quality, reliable, grid-independent power
- Improve the effectiveness of data center power use by 40%

Plug Power, Inc. (Latham, NY)

\$3.4 million

5-kW stationary CHP systems

#### **BENEFITS of FUEL CELLS for CHP...**

- Low O&M requirements, less down-time
- Less fluctuation in efficiency across variable loads
- Zero emissions
- Low noise and vibration



#### Deploying Fuel Cells for Portable Power

MTI MicroFuel Cells (Albany, NY)

\$2.4 million

1 W consumer electronics power pack

PolyFuel, Inc. (Mountain View, CA)

\$2.5 million

Portable power system for mobile computing

**TOTAL:** \$4.9 million

#### Deploying Fuel Cells for Auxiliary Power

Delphi Automotive (Troy, MI)

\$2.4 million

• 3 – 5 kW SOFC APU for heavy-duty class 8 trucks



# Joint SC - ILC Meeting



# October 13 – 15, 2009

# **Logistics**:

- L'Enfant Plaza Hotel, Washington, DC
  - One block from DOE Headquarters
- Government Per Diem Available: \$233 per night
  - Must register for hotel room by September 14.
  - 1-800-635-5065 or on-line (web address provided on IPHE Website)
- Conveniently located on the subway system (L'Enfant Plaza Metro Station) to allow for participants to easily commute from other lodging.