

Montana State Assistance for Woody Biomass Utilization

Agency	Program Name	Description	Eligibility	Type of Funding	Amount of Funds Available	Application Details	Website
DNRC	Biomass Utilization Program	Assistance for projects that will utilize woody biomass. Project feasibility, planning, and design.	public facilities, non-profits, private businesses, state/local government	Grant	Varies	See website.	http://dnrc.mt.gov/forestry/Assistance/Biomass/FinAsst/FinAsst.asp
DNRC	DNRC Renewable Resource Planning Grant	Planning projects that conserve, manage, develop or protect renewable resources in MT	public entities including state, local and tribal governments; and conservation, irrigation, sewer water, and school districts	Grants	\$5,000-\$15,000 (no match req'd)	open cycle beginning July 1 of odd numbered years	http://dnrc.mt.gov/cardd/ResourceDevelopment/rrgp/RenewableGrantProgram.asp
DNRC	DNRC Renewable Resource Project Grant and Loan Program	Fund projects that conserve, manage, develop or protect renewable resources in MT	public entities including state, local and tribal governments; and conservation, irrigation, sewer water, and school districts	Grants and Loans	Grant: \$100,000 (no match req'd) Loan: debt capacity of borrower	Due May 15 of even-numbered years	http://dnrc.mt.gov/cardd/ResourceDevelopment/rrgp/RenewableGrantProgram.asp
DNRC	DNRC Conservation District Grants (HB 223 Grants)	Fund soil and water conservation projects or natural resource related projects as part of CD's overall plan.	conservation districts	Grants	\$15,000. Grants over \$15,000 require 50/50 match	Due quarterly	http://dnrc.mt.gov/cardd/LoansGrants/ConservationDistrictLoans.asp#HB223
DEQ	DEQ State Buildings Energy Conservation Program	Energy improvement projects for state-owned buildings.	State agencies, universities	Loan	Varies	Open	http://deq.mt.gov/energy/buildings/StateBuildings.mcp
DEQ	DEQ Alternative Energy Revolving Loan	Install alt. energy systems that generate energy for their own use and other facility energy conservation measures. Net metering allowed.	homeowners, small businesses, non-profits and government entities	Loan (3.5% interest)	up to \$100,000 (15-yr term)	Open	http://www.deq.state.mt.us/Energy/Renewable/altenergyloan.asp
DoA	Long Range Building Program, A&E Division	Capital construction, maintenance, and equipment replacement for state-owned buildings.	State agencies, universities	State budget appropriation	Varies	Submit to Dept. of Admin before July 1 of even numbered year.	http://architecture.mt.gov/designconstruction/longrangebuildingprogram/default.mcp
Board of Investments	INTERCAP Program	Property improvements, equipment purchase, energy retrofit projects, preliminary engineering work.	Local gov'ts, state agencies, school districts, university, etc.	Loan	Varies to over \$1,000,000	Open	http://www.investmentmt.com/BondPrograms/INTERCAP/default.mcp
DoC	Distressed Wood Products Industry Recovery and Stabilization Program (WPIRS)	help businesses in the wood products industry retain or create jobs by providing working capital, purchase or lease of land or equipment, updating infrastructure, debt service, etc.	private	Loan			http://recovery.mt.gov/Commerce/WPIRS/default.mcp
DoC	Quality Schools Facility Grant Program	Fund projects and planning for deferred maintenance, energy efficiencies, critical infrastructure needs.	public K-12 schools	Grants	Varies	Applications for 2015 Biennium due Fall 2011	http://commerce.mt.gov/qualityschools/project.mcp
BUSINESS AND ENERGY PROGRAMS AND INCENTIVES							
DoR	Corporate Tax Incentives				http://revenue.mt.gov/forbusinesses/business_tax_incentives/corp_tax_incentives.mcp		
DoR	Property Tax Incentives				http://revenue.mt.gov/forindividuals/taxes_licenses_fees_permits/Property_Taxes/incentivespt.mcp		
MT State Gov	Governor's Office of Economic Development				http://business.mt.gov/		
DoC	Business Resources				http://commerce.mt.gov/businessresources.mcp		
DoC	Biofuels and Biomass, Energy Division				http://commerce.mt.gov/Energy/biomass.mcp		
DoC	Clean and Green Energy Development Incentives				http://commerce.mt.gov/Energy/taxesandincentives.mcp		
DEQ	Biomass Energy Program				http://www.deq.mt.gov/Energy/bioenergy/default.mcp		
DEQ	Montana Incentives for Renewable Energy				http://www.deq.mt.gov/Energy/Renewable/TaxIncentRenew.mcp		
DoE	Incentives for Renewables and Efficiency				http://www.dsireusa.org/incentives/index.cfm?CurrentPageID=1&State=MT&RE=1&EE		