BUILDING A CLEAN ENERGY ECONOMY AND INVESTING IN INFRASTRUCTURE CAN CREATE 41,100 JOBS IN WEST VIRGINIA

MODERNIZING THE GRID:
15,740 JOBS
A federal investment of $273 million per year creates jobs in building retrofits, solar, onshore wind, bioenergy, geothermal, small-scale hydro, broadband, and electric grid updates.

SUSTAINABLE TRANSPORTATION:
8,284 JOBS
A federal investment of $69 million per year creates jobs in public transportation expansion/upgrades, including rail and a high efficiency automobile fleet.

CLEAN & EFFICIENT MANUFACTURING: 1,930 JOBS
A federal investment of $195 million per year creates jobs in industrial efficiency (combined heat and power) and manufacturing research and development.

REPAIRING THE DAMAGE & CARBON FARMING:
14,992 JOBS
An federal investment of $1.28 billion per year creates jobs in regenerative agriculture, farmland conservation, plugging oil & gas wells, land restoration (reclamation), and repairing dams/levees, gas pipelines, and wastewater and inland waterways.

A True Transition for Fossil Fuel Workers
An investment of $143 million per year in transition support for displaced workers, including pension guarantees, re-employment, wage insurance, retaining support, and relocation assistance.

Energy Cost Savings
The average West Virginia household should be able to save in the range of 30 – 40 percent on their overall annual energy bill.

Source: PERI, Impacts of the Reimagine Appalachia & Clean Energy Transition Programs for West Virginia

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