



Application for Municipal PACE Program Support

Property Assessed Clean Energy (PACE) is a financing mechanism that allows municipalities to offer the option for homeowners to finance home energy improvements through payments that are attached to their property tax bill. There are a number of benefits to PACE, but the primary one is that all charges incurred during the home energy improvements will be included in the PACE charges, which attach to the property, not the individual. If a homeowner decides to sell their home, the PACE charges are connected with the property and would carry over to the new homeowner.

The Province of Nova Scotia is committed to paying the first year on-boarding costs or expanded marketing costs for Municipal PACE programs, whether they be offered through Efficiency Nova Scotia (ENS) or another service provider. This funding is being provided on a pilot basis.

Any supporting documentation that Municipalities feel would be beneficial for the Department to use when reviewing this application should be submitted at the time of the application. This information will be used to analyze the application to ensure it meets the funding's intention.

Submit your completed application along with supporting documents to:

The Nova Scotia Department of Energy
Sustainable and Renewable Energy
12th Floor, 1690 Hollis Street
Halifax, Nova Scotia
B3J 3J9

Attention Karen Daniels
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Municipality Information	Town of Amherst PO Box 516 Amherst, N.S. Contact: Andrew Fisher
Program Administrator Name of the Program Administrator Address and Contact Person	Clean Foundation 126 Portland Street Dartmouth, N.S. B2Y 1H8 Katie Giles
Efficiency Measures PACE Programs must offer the full suite of energy efficiency measures and can provide a limited number of optional measures.	Required Measures - all upgrades eligible within the Home Energy Assessment Those upgrades include: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Insulation: Ceiling – Attic• Insulation: Ceiling - Flat Roof/Cathedral• Insulation: Basement

<p>Please check the optional efficiency measures that residents will be able to complete as part of the program (check boxes on next page).</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Insulation: Crawlspace • Basement Header Insulation • Basement Slab Insulation • Exposed Floor Insulation • Windows, Doors, Skylights • Air Sealing • Drain Water Heat Recovery • Heat Recovery Ventilator • Solar Domestic Hot Water • Solar Air • Ductless Heat Pump (mini-split) • Geothermal • Central Ducted Heat Pump • Pellet Boiler/Furnace • Wood Boiler/Furnace • Pellet Stove • Wood Stove <p>Optional Measures - administrators may choose to include other upgrades such as (please check):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Natural Gas Heating Systems ✓ Electric Thermal Storage ✓ Solar Pool Heater ✓ Heat Pump Pool Heaters ✓ Pool Pumps ✓ Solar Photovoltaic, Net Metering/Off Grid ✓ Well Pump ✓ Electric Vehicle Charging Stations <p>Note: ENS does not currently offer an incentive/rebate for these measures.</p> <p>Other (Please list):</p> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/>
<p>Please provide a brief overview of how funding will be used (example design, implementation, marketing or expanded marketing efforts). In addition, please attach a spreadsheet with a budget overview.</p>	<p>Funding will be used to cover Clean Foundation's on-boarding fee for the program (\$13,300). This fee will be used to cover the costs of program setup such as initial meetings to establish program details, putting the admin process in place, and creation of required documents and</p>

