

Clean Energy Improvement Program Bylaw Low Carbon Financing Programs

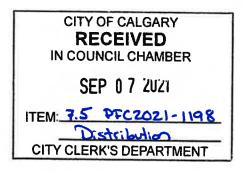
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- Calgarians want to make energy efficiency and renewable energy upgrades to their homes but face the **barrier of high upfront costs**.
- The Clean Energy Improvement Program (CEIP) reduces this barrier by providing flexible financing for clean energy improvements.
- To support economic recovery in response to COVID-19, the Economic Resilience Task Force recommended a low carbon financing program be launched in 2022.



What are we trying to accomplish?



Support energy efficiency and renewable energy upgrades in residential properties

Reduce energy use, costs, and GHG emissions





Generate economic growth in the energy retrofits industry in Calgary and surrounding region



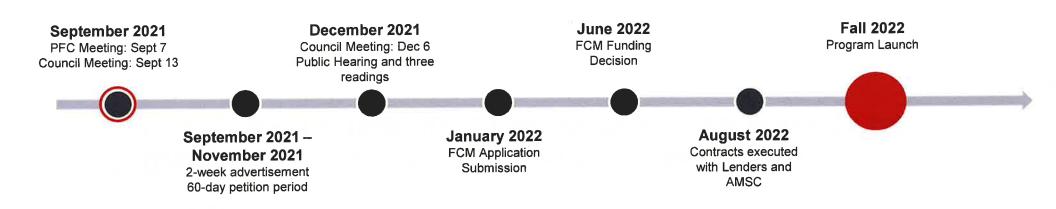
Why CEIP?

- Property Assessed Clean Energy (PACE) programs are successful in other jurisdictions
- Program is already designed by the Alberta Municipal Services Corporation (the program administrator)
- Federal funding available
- Creates foundation of low carbon financing programs in Calgary











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