

# Carbon Neutrality Programs Annual Update

Committee of the Whole November 7, 2023

# **Energy Waste Reduction Programs**

- As of December 31, 2021, Municipal electric utilities are no longer required to offer Energy Efficiency Programs
- BWL continues to manage and grow its portfolio of energy waste reduction programs to support our customers, BWL strategy, and carbon reductions
- In fact, BWL is increasing its targets for energy efficiency:
  - > 1.25% in 2022; 1.35% in 2023 and 1.5% for 2024-26
- Program design in place for 2022-26
  - Currently expanding this plan to include 2027
  - Current contractor in place through 2024

# Energy Waste Reduction Summary -Calendar Year 2022

2022 Program	Goal - Savings (kwh)	Final Results - Savings (kwh)	Goal - Budget (\$)	Final Results - Budget (\$)
Low Income		440,521		\$353,089
Residential		5,078,396		\$532,593
Business		18,237,832		\$2,082,629
Total Portfolio	22,632,207	23,756,749	\$3,517,822	\$2,968,311
Administration			\$ 300,000	\$ 255,236
Evaluation			\$ 200,000	\$ 220,704
TOTAL	22,632,207	23,756,749	\$4,017,822	\$3,444,251

### Energy Waste Reduction- Residential Programs

> Hometown Help

- Services for Income Qualified Customers
- ≻ High Efficiency/ ENERGY STAR<sup>™</sup> Products
  - ≻Lighting
  - > Appliances
  - > Heating and Cooling (HVAC)
- > Appliance Recycling
  > Multifamily Services
  > Education and Pilot Programs



### Energy Waste Reduction - Business Programs

### Small Business

- Enhanced incentives for businesses that meet criteria (number of employees, square footage)
- ► For 2023, program exceeded kwh targets by June!
- Prescriptive Program
  - Lighting, Heating and Cooling incentives
- Custom Program
  - Work with the business directly to identify the best options



### Indoor Agricultural

Education and Pilots



# Install Your Own Solar -Distributed Generation Program



FY2022 New Installs = 101

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# Customer Solar Contribution - FY20 - FY22 (kWh)



FY2020 Total: 114,113 kWh FY2021 Total kWh: 656,466 kWh FY2022 Total kWh: 1,135,815 kWh

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## **Electric Vehicle Programs**

#### \$1,000 Rebate Level - Residential

- Installation of separate meter
- Meter enrolled in Rate RES22 Time of Use Rate
- Hardwired EV chargers

#### \$500 Rebate Level - Residential

- ► No separate meter required
- Account enrolled in RESTOU Time of Use Rate
- Hardwired or portable EV charger

#### \$4,500 Rebate Level - Commercial

- Public or employee charging
- Rebate available for up to 3 chargers per location
- Level 2 charging only, no DC fast charging rebates



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### Other Carbon Neutrality Program Areas/Focus

- > Greenwise Renewable Energy Credits (RECs)
  - > BWL will continue to help residential and commercial customers match up to 100% of their energy with a \$0.013/kWh premium
- > Greenhouse Gas (GHG) Reporting and Accounting
  - In partnership with Environmental Services, BWL began measuring its Scope 1, 2, and 3 emissions across external and internal operations
- Clean Energy Targets- BWL Strategic Plan
  - > BWL achieved its 30% clean energy target by 2020
  - Next target is 50% clean energy (renewables and energy waste reduction) by 2030 - on target
- > Upcoming New Programs
  - Community Solar Programs and Demand Response Programs as part of Clean Energy Projects
  - Real Time Energy Use Pilot and Electrification Programs