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At the National Clean Energy Summit in Nevada, President Obama announced that the Loan Programs Office (LPO) has issued guidance for potential applicants on the kinds of distributed energy projects it can support, in the form of supplements to its existing [Renewable Energy and Efficient Energy Projects \(REEE\)](#) and [Advanced Fossil Energy Projects](#) solicitations. In addition, the President announced that the LPO has initiated the process to increase the loan guarantees available under the REEE and Advanced Fossil Energy Projects Solicitations by up to an additional \$1 billion.

President Obama's announcement sends a clear signal that the Energy Department can support distributed energy projects. LPO's guidance provides examples of the types of financial structures LPO will consider in connection with distributed energy projects. A fact sheet about this guidance can be found on [LPO's blog post about the announcement](#).

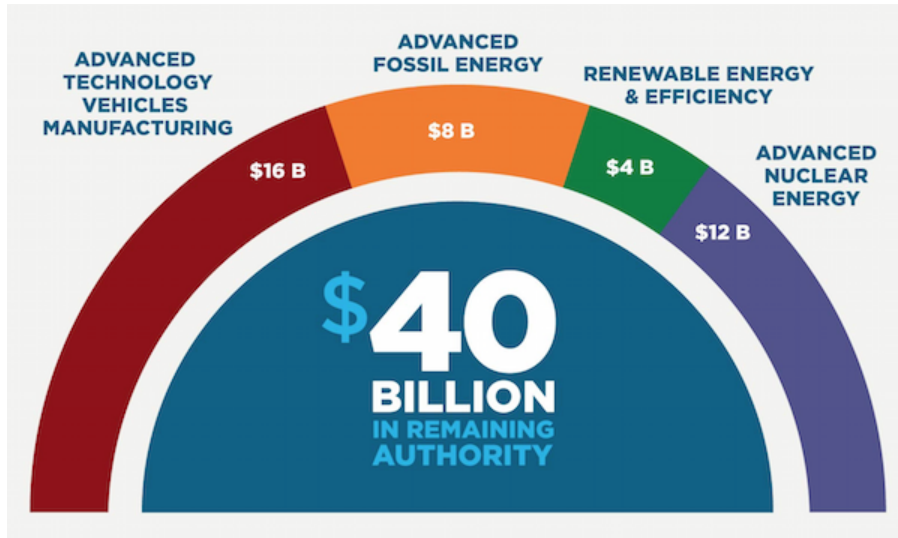
To read more about LPO's distributed energy projects supplements to loan guarantee solicitations, please visit LPO's [Distributed Energy Projects](#) page. The supplements may also be accessed directly at:

- [Distributed Energy Projects Supplement to the REEE Solicitation](#)
- [Distributed Energy Projects Supplement to the Advanced Fossil Solicitation](#)

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(Approximately \$16 Billion in remaining authority)
- [Advanced Fossil Energy Projects](#)
(Approximately \$8 Billion in remaining authority)
- [Renewable Energy and Efficient Energy \(REEE\) Projects](#)
(Approximately \$4 Billion in remaining authority)
- [Advanced Nuclear Energy Projects](#)
(Approximately \$12 Billion in remaining authority)

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