



Local Development Business Plan Community Engagement Symposium

MARCH 26, 2018 - 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. | Preservation Park, Oakland, CA

Background

The purpose of the [Local Development Business Plan](#) (LDBP) is to provide a roadmap for accelerating the deployment of local clean energy resources through Alameda County's Community Choice Energy program—East Bay Community Energy (EBCE). The LDBP Community Engagement Symposium will provide an interactive forum for review and discussion of the Draft LDBP Work Products and Scenarios.

Goals of the Symposium

Robust community stakeholder engagement has been an integral component of the LDBP project, and community input has supported the development of a unique and innovative plan that will help EBCE maximize local environmental, economic and social benefits. The LDBP Community Engagement Symposium is intended to be an important step in this extensive LDBP stakeholder engagement process. The goal of this special event is to present the core elements and themes of the anticipated plan and provide meaningful opportunities for community stakeholders to engage with the material and the LDBP Project Team and contribute to the formulation of the plan.

What to expect

The Symposium will be an all-day, **no-cost** (coffee, light refreshments and **catered lunch** included) public event. The event will kick off with a morning **Plenary Session**, which will feature special guests and presentations by members of the LDBP Project Team intended to provide valuable insights and themes that set the context for engaging with the material during the morning and afternoon **Workshops** (see Workshop Topics on right).

Please note that each of the Workshops will be offered twice to allow the broadest possible opportunity for attendees to engage with topics of interest. LDBP Project Team members will provide additional information and interactive opportunities for Workshop participants to contribute and provide input on elements of the LDBP. The event will conclude with a closing **Plenary Session** to bring everyone back together to discuss the high-points of the Workshops.

Event Registration

Space is limited, so act now to reserve your spot! Please [click here](#), and follow the instructions to complete your registration. **Please register for Both Plenary Sessions (morning and afternoon), as well as Two Workshops (11 a.m. and 1:30 p.m.).** If you have questions or difficulties registering, please contact kristin@theoffsetproject.org.

Event Location

Preservation Park- 1233 Preservation Park Way, Oakland, CA 94612 (venue phone number: 510-874-7580). Public Transit is strongly encouraged. For Directions [click here](#), and for information about Parking [click here](#). Please allow adequate time for parking and event check-in. We look forward to seeing you at **9 a.m. on March 26th, 2018!**

WORKSHOP

TOPICS:

**LOCAL
DEVELOPMENT &
IMPLEMENTATION
STRATEGIES**

**INTEGRATION
WITH RESOURCE
PLANNING**

**PLANNING
SCENARIOS &
COMMUNITY
BENEFIT**



EBCE

buying and building
cleaner energy