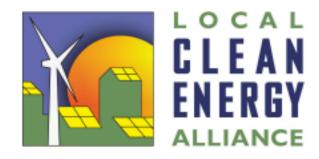
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Dear Community Advisory Committee Members and Alternates,

I am formally extending an offer on behalf of Local Clean Energy Alliance (LCEA) to organize a study session on resilience hubs for the Community Advisory Committee (CAC). LCEA recognizes that this has been a topic of interest to the CAC, and there is a strong desire to better understand resilience hubs and their role in enhancing climate and energy resilience.

We appreciate the CAC's enthusiasm and commitment to learning more about social resilience needs and community-oriented solutions to climate change. We believe a community's ability to address their community's daily needs and tackle climate disaster impacts are closely linked to robust resilience hub programming and energy independence. We are confident that through a study session, the CAC will understand the importance of resilience hubs in pursuing a clean energy system.

LCEA also wants to emphasize the importance of including community voices in this study session. Resilience hubs serve as trusted sources of knowledge and resources in their communities, both during everyday situations and in times of crisis. These spaces have deep understandings of how to address energy and climate resilience needs in their communities. Failing to include them would prevent the CAC from learning from experts in community resilience.

We would like to formally invite the CAC to participate in a study session organized by LCEA. LCEA has many strong and long-lasting relationships with resilience hubs in Ava Community Energy territory. We would be very excited to bring together CAC members and resilience hubs for a formal conversation around resilience. If this is of interest to the CAC, please feel free to email Ayla Paz at ayla@localcleanenergy.org.

Clean Power to the People. Thank you.

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