Rural Clean Energy WG: Meeting #4 Agenda
January 26, 2022
9:00 AM-12:00 PM

Agenda

Goals:
- Edit guiding principles
- Brainstorm policy outcomes and specific recommendations

Pre-Work WG:
Review “Homework”: Word document with principles/first pass draft recommendations with room for additions, specifics and edits

Post Meeting 4 Work:
Review draft report outline and strategic plan

Introduction and Welcome 9:00am (5 mins)

Presentation 9:05am 10-15 min

- Edited guiding principles (See Word document in meeting invite)
- Draft policy outcomes and goals
- Recommendations to address barriers (policies, programs and others identified in the meeting)
- General timeline overview for report and expectations/opportunity for the workgroup

Breakout Group 1: Edit guiding principle (~80 minutes) 9:20am

Think, pair share for each principle
- 1 minute to write notes about principle on own
- Send away to random pair and chat for 3-4 minutes for each principle
- Come back and discuss for ~10 min

BREAK 5-10 min

Breakout out group 2: Recommendations 10:45

Round #1 ---5 assigned rooms for each principle to review related recommendations
(See Word document in meeting invite)
1. Room 1 Prioritize sustainable, climate smart business models for the agriculture and forestry sector
2. Room 2 Prioritize universal, affordable, reliable broadband and digital equity for rural communities
3. Room 3 Expand and support rural technical expertise and capacity building
4. Room 4 Expand opportunities to finance resilient clean energy projects and infrastructure improvements
5. Room 5 Ensure the equitable distribution of clean energy projects

-is there anything you cannot live with?
-is there anything missing?
-anything that needs clarifying or defining?

**15 min in room**
**15 min report back (assign a spokesperson)**

**Round #2 --- choose your own room**
-is there anything you cannot live with?
-is there anything missing?
-anything that needs clarifying or defining?

**15 min in room**
**15 min report back (assign a spokesperson)**

**Wrap-up** (5 mins) 11:45
-Steps to complete report
-Opportunities for further input
-Education and community input plan