



Pilot Cities Application 1-pager Summary

IUS program overview

The goal of IUS is to **help local city leaders, the private sector, financial institutions, and other stakeholders identify, design, and implement more integrated models of basic urban service provision that can sustainably secure energy, water, and food (EWF) services, in a resource-efficient, environmentally friendly manner.** The National Renewable Energy Laboratory (NREL) will provide technical assistance (TA) to two ASEAN cities, selected through the pilot city application process. The two selected cities will implement a pilot project over two years (2022-2023) where targeted TA, capacity building, and private sector engagement will be provided to catalyze investment and implementation of integrated EWF solutions. Learnings from cities will be shared in the network.

Why should you apply?

- Targeted EWF solution for your city
- Actionable steps after the assistance, leading to business plans for implementation
- Future potential access to green climate funds to take the solutions to implementation

Application and Selection Process



Application Format

- Editable PDF document including:
 - Part 1: what types of needs/assistance will your project require
 - Part 2: City background information on government and utility structures
- Additional documentation that supports your application
 - Organizational flow chart of the teams involved and who can make decisions
 - City goals, plans, and projects where EWF interactions are occurring

How to apply

- 1) Designate a Point of Contact for the pilot project and begin the Pilot City Application
- 2) Attend application webinar on **September 27th2021 MDT**. Details to be finalized and sent through.
- 3) **Please reach out to Parthiv Kurup with questions** prior to submitting your application, as we can help you understand what will make the potential project stronger.
- 4) Complete and email the Pilot City Application to Parthiv.Kurup@nrel.gov by October 25th 2021.

Key Selection Criteria Summary (see Guidance Document for full list)

- Active government, community, stakeholder and/or private support for the project. Solutions will be based upon commercially available options.
- 1 application per city, led by the city representative (Point of Contact).