Northwest CHP Regional Application Center



FACT SHEET

About Us

Mission

The Northwest CHP Application Center assists organizations with CHP projects that are economically viable and make efficient use of energy.

Objectives

The Northwest CHP Application Center covers the states of Alaska, Idaho, Montana, Oregon, and Washington. Its headquarters is in Olympia, WA, and is part of the Washington State University (WSU) Extension Energy Program.

The Northwest CHP Application Center is one of eight regional application centers. It works in partnership with DOE's Distributed Energy Program and the other regional centers. The Northwest CHP Application Center has strong state-based efforts (see State Contacts listed on http://www.chpcenternw.org).

Areas of focus and expertise include:

- ★ Industrial CHP operated in cooperation with the Department of Energy's Industrial Technologies Program (especially forest products and food processing)
- \star Opportunity fuels are targeted for projects including biogas, hog fuel and waste heat
- ★ District energy systems including HeatMapCHP software that is the international standard for district energy system design and re-design
- ★ Target markets vary in the region but include forest products, dairy and feed lot operators, food processing, wastewater plants, micro-grids, and waste heat industrial
- \star Support of the CHP initiative and the legal, institutional, and regulatory aspects of CHP

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Pacific Northwest CHP Initiative:

The purpose of the Pacific Northwest CHP Initiative is to encourage the development of a policy, regulatory and statutory framework to help ensure rapid development and use of CHP. This initiative led the development of the CHP Pacific Northwest Roadmap. The Pacific Northwest Initiative works in cooperation with similar initiatives throughout the country. See the regional initiatives page on the U.S. Combined Heat and Power Associations web site for more information.

To see a summary of regional and state-by state Northwest CHP policy and initiative actions, click here.

The on-line library has articles on CHP policy, barrier reduction, markets, roadmaps, and the legal, institutional and regulatory aspects of CHP.



Northwest website: http://www.chpcenternw.org