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Last month, President Obama underscored the importance of innovation in the American auto industry during his visit to one of the many factories upgraded with a \$5.9 billion loan to the Ford Motor Company through the [Advanced Technology Vehicles Manufacturing \(ATVM\) loan program](#). Not long after, Energy Secretary Dr. Ernest Moniz visited the Washington Auto Show to check out the next generation of advanced technology vehicles and highlight DOE's support of American auto manufacturing. [Read more here about DOE support of advanced technology vehicles manufacturing.](#)



[LPO Executive Director Peter Davidson and members of the ATVM team have also been on the road](#), discussing the ATVM program and LPO's role in supporting innovation in the American auto industry. Davidson and the LPO ATVM team were in Detroit for the North American International Auto Show and have also held meetings with state and local government agencies to keep industry informed about the ATVM loan program. To learn if ATVM staff will be visiting your area, or to request a meeting, please email: atvmloan@hq.doe.gov

UPDATED ATVM LOAN PROGRAM GUIDANCE

To better inform potential applicants about the ATVM program's open loan solicitation and approximately \$16 billion in remaining loan authority, [LPO has updated its ATVM guidance](#) and created a [new overview handout outlining the loan program](#).

These documents provide information on general eligibility and application requirements, detail the application process, and provide financial examples of ATVM direct loans.



To date, the ATVM loan program has supported the production of more than 4 million advanced technology vehicles and invested approximately \$8 billion in American auto manufacturing. [Click here for more information on the ATVM loan program application process](#).

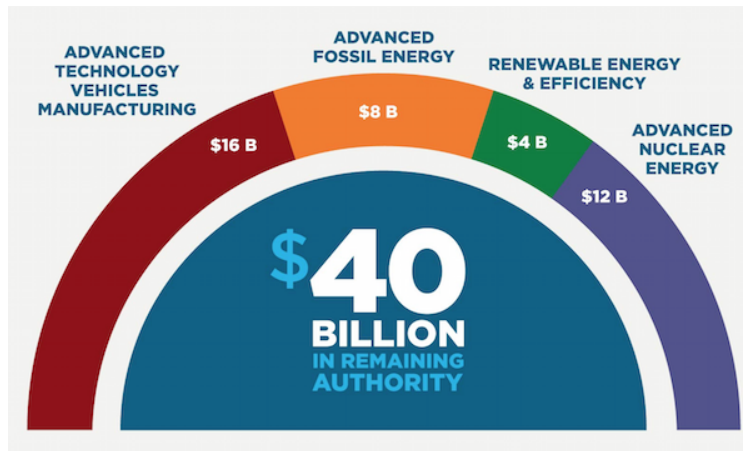
NEW GREENHOUSE GAS EMISSIONS WORKSHEET

[LPO has developed a new format for the Greenhouse Gas Emissions Data Worksheet](#) that applicants use to submit their project feedstock, product, and emissions information. The revised format asks for the same information as the worksheet form attached to each solicitation, but is designed around an applicant's carbon balance, and ensures that a completed worksheet will reflect that a project contains the same amount of carbon coming into the system as is going out.

LPO requests that applicants use the new worksheet form in complying with the requirement of the applicable solicitation for submitting a Greenhouse Gas Emissions Data Worksheet. Applicants that have already filed an application should not submit a new worksheet. [See the new Greenhouse Gas Emissions Data Worksheet online here](#).

CURRENT OPEN SOLICITATIONS

LPO is currently accepting applications for [open solicitations in four technology areas](#):



- [Advanced Technology Vehicles Manufacturing \(ATVM\)](#)
(Approximately \$16 Billion in remaining authority)
- [Advanced Fossil Energy Projects](#)
(Approximately \$8 Billion in remaining authority)
- [Renewable Energy & Efficient Energy \(REEE\) Projects](#)
(Approximately \$4 Billion in remaining authority)
- [Advanced Nuclear Energy Projects](#)
(Approximately \$12 Billion in remaining authority)

To access information about all current solicitations and important solicitation supplements, please visit:

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