

# Building a Bridge to Bankability

How LPO helps finance innovative clean energy, advanced transportation, and tribal energy projects in the U.S.

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### What LPO Does

#### **A Bridge to Bankability**

There are many areas that are mature from a technology standpoint but not mature from an access to capital standpoint that's a nexus where there's a clear mandate for LPO to participate.

- LPO Director Jigar Shah



The U.S. Department of Energy Loan Programs Office (LPO) finances innovative clean energy, advanced transportation, and tribal energy projects, serving as a bridge to bankability for breakthrough projects and technologies, derisking them at early stages of commercialization so they can reach full market acceptance.



# **The Bridge to Bankability**

Providing financing for technologies to go the last mile to reach full market acceptance





## **LPO Application Activity**

#### **April 2022**

#### TOTAL AMOUNT OF LOANS REQUESTED BROKEN DOWN BY TECHNOLOGY AREA



3) Current rolling average of new active applications per week over the previous 24 weeks. Figure rounded down to the nearest 0.1 application.





# **Let's Talk About Your Project**

Contact LPO to see what financing options may be available for your project



Call or write to schedule a no-fee, pre-application consultation: **202-287-5900** | **LPO@hq.doe.gov** 



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