



Emerging Energy Technology Fund



Testing Safe and Efficient Exhaust Thimble



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“...make grants to eligible applicants for demonstration projects of technologies that have a reasonable expectation to be commercially viable within five years that are designed to:

- test emerging energy technologies or methods of conserving energy;
- improve an existing energy technology; or
- deploy an existing technology that has not previously been demonstrated in Alaska. “



Arctic Field Testing of Eocycle Wind Turbine



Wind-Diesel Battery Hybrid for Kwigillingok

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Energy Technology includes renewables, energy conservation and efficiency, hydrocarbons, enabling technologies and integrated systems.

- (2010) Program Legislation: AS 42.45.375
- Program Regulations: 3 AAC 107.700-799

EETF: Process

- Two-step review process
 - Project abstracts and full applications
- Project abstracts reviewed by AEA staff and a seven-member advisory committee
 - Evaluated on technical merit
- Priority given to:
 - Alaska entities
 - Projects demonstrating post-secondary partnerships
 - Matching funds or in-kind commitments
 - Demonstration of potential for widespread deployment
- Top-ranking projects invited to submit detailed project applications and deliver presentations to AEA staff and the advisory committee

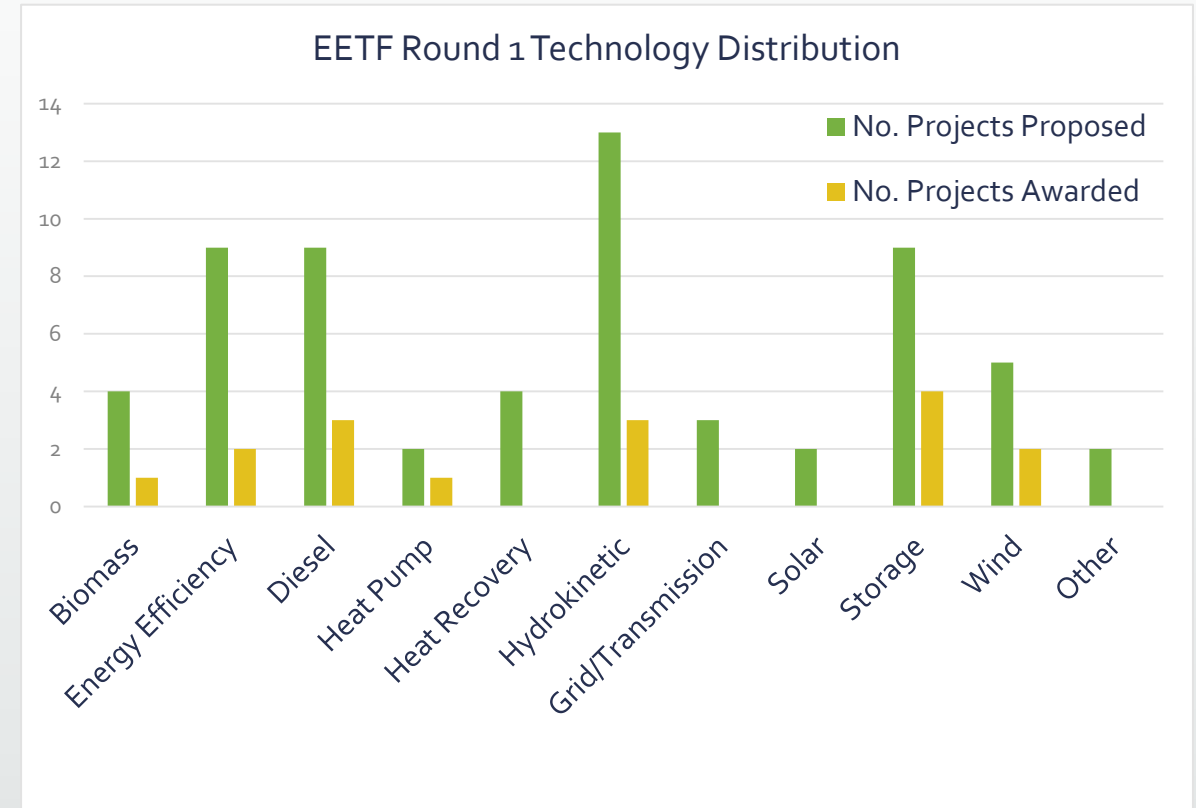
EETF: Project Awards

2012: First round of projects selected and funded

- Funds available: \$8.9 million (through Denali Commission matching grant)
- Projects selected: 16 (15 awarded funding)
- Juneau, Fairbanks, Kodiak, Delta Junction, Nenana, Nikiski, Igiugig, Tuntutuliak, Kwiglingok and Kotzebue

2014: Second round of projects selected

- Funds available \$2.4 million
- Projects recommended: six, pending funding
- Expecting award announcement within the month





Modified '97 Eagle Talon EV Test bed



Modified 15 kW Genset

EETF: Project Highlight

Ultra-Efficient Generators and Diesel Electric Propulsion (Kodiak)

- Technology aims to provide more efficient diesel power generation
- Can be used in marine propulsion and stationary powerhouses
- Power dense motor and inverter/controller invented by operators of a machining and fabricating shop in Kodiak
- Commercial availability anticipated at project's end

EETF: Project Highlight

Cold Climate Heat Pump Demonstration (Fairbanks)



Installation of Slinky Loop



Installed 6-ton Heat Pump

- Cold Climate Housing Research Center demonstrating the potential for ground source heat pumps as an efficient and economic heat source in colder climates
- Different ground surface treatments are applied to compare effects on the loop field
- Next phase is data collection

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