## City Energy Project – San José

Introduction to Benchmarking and Transparency Policy
Package

Meeting 1: February 15, 2018





Delivering world class utility services and programs to improve our health, environment, and economy.







Environmental Services



#### Climate Smart San José

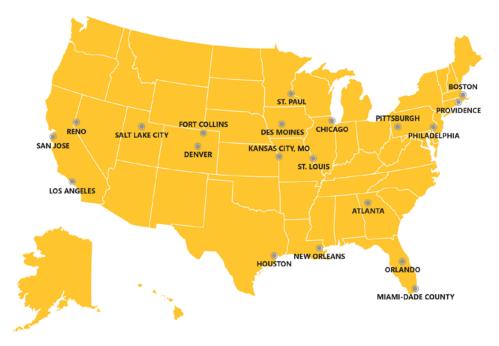








#### City Energy Project - Overview







#### City Energy Project - San José Initiatives

- Benchmarking Policy
- Zero Net Energy Package
  - Trainings
  - Demonstration
  - Incentive Pilot
- Multifamily Needs Assessment
- Commercial Financing Education
- Green Leasing Resources
- Code Compliance Assessment







## Energy Benchmarking

Measuring a building's energy use over time to understand performance relative to like buildings and identify opportunities for savings.

Benchmarking

Reporting

Transparency



## City Energy Project – Benchmarking

## Market fransformation

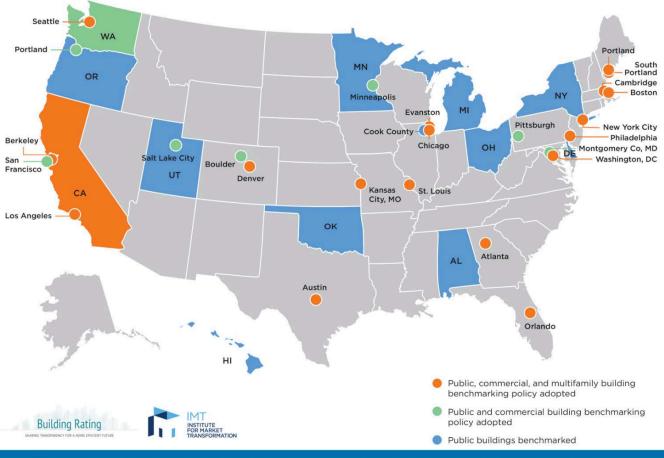
"Market transformation is a process of strategic intervention in the market to bring about widespread, permanent change"



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#### U.S. Building Benchmarking and Transparency Policies







## **Existing Policy Framework**

## **AB 802 - Building Energy Use Benchmarking and Public Disclosure Program**

- Passed in September, 2015
- Requires utilities to disclose energy consumption data of 'all covered buildings'
  - All nonresidential/multifamily buildings with 5 or more active utility accounts
- Requires program to disclose benchmarking energy use
  - All covered buildings over 50,0000 ft<sup>2</sup>





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# Benchmarking and Transparency Benefits

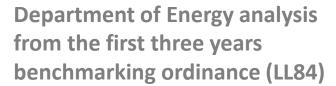
- Market Competition and Consumer Choice
- Energy and Cost Savings
- Job Creation and Economic Growth
- Smarter Government and Utilities



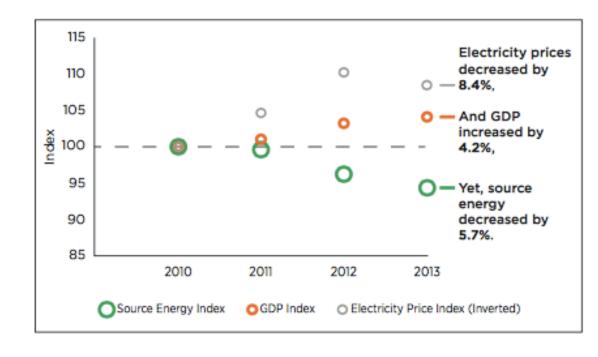




#### Example of Results – New York City



- 5.7% source energy savings 2010-2013
- 4.2 % increase in GDP
- 8.4% decrease in electricity prices

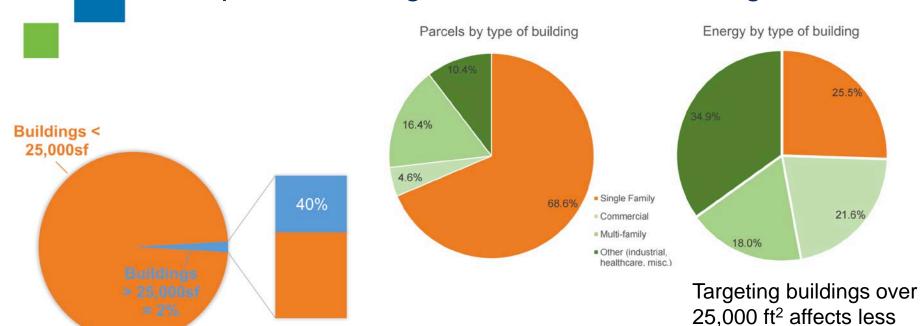








#### Example of Building Stock Profile – Los Angeles



\*Based on analysis by the California Center for Sustainable Communities at UCLA

Citywide Buildings

Citywide

**Energy Use** 



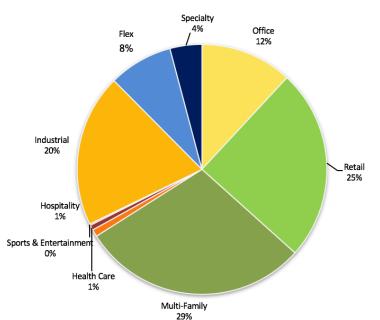
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addressing nearly 40% of Citywide energy use

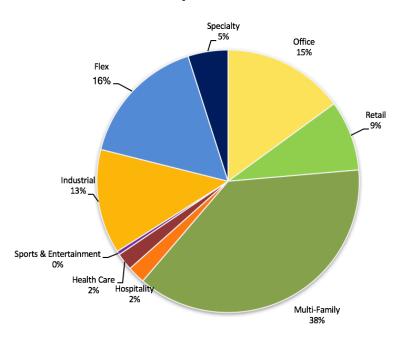


#### San José Building Stock (in gross ft²)





#### $> 50,000 \text{ ft}^2$



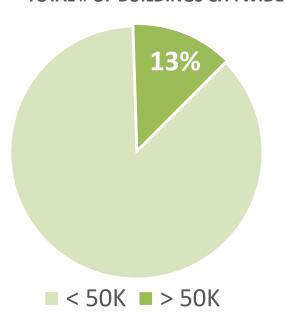




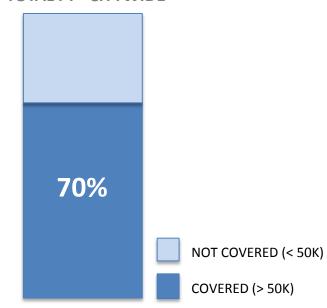


#### 50,000 ft<sup>2</sup> threshold = 1558 buildings

**TOTAL # OF BUILDINGS CITYWIDE** 





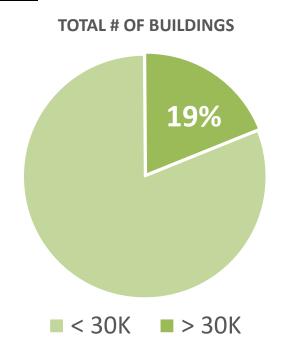


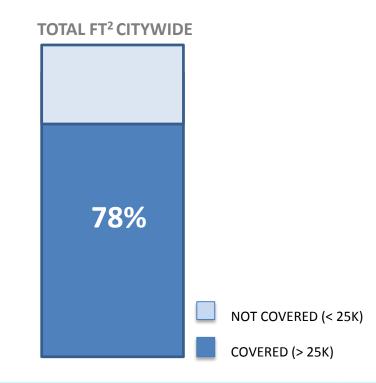






#### 30,000 ft<sup>2</sup> threshold = 2280 buildings



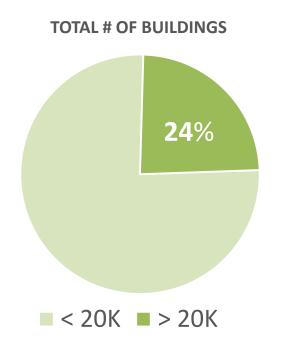


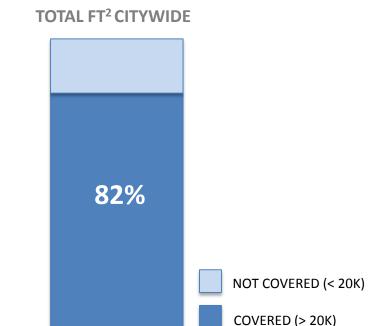






#### 20,000 ft<sup>2</sup> threshold = 2930 buildings



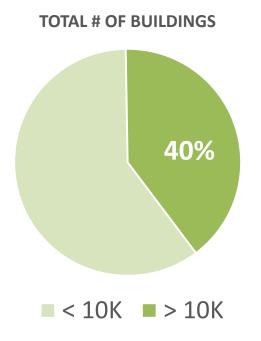


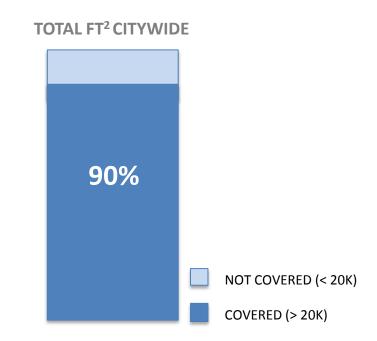






#### 10,000 ft<sup>2</sup> threshold = 4766 buildings











#### Benchmarking Policy Development Process

- Understand Existing Policy Framework
- Characterize Building Stock
- Identify who will lead
  - Policy development
  - Implementation
  - Enforcement
- Identify and Engage Stakeholders
- Collaborate to Develop Policy and Implementation Plan







Meeting 3: Data Access: Privacy, Disclosure and Automation April 19, 2018

Meeting 4: Compliance Pathways May 16, 2018

Meeting 5: Implementation and Enforcement June 14, 2018

Meeting 6: TBD July 18, 2018





- Do you have experience with...
  - energy efficiency?
  - benchmarking or benchmarking software/technology?
  - portfolio wide property or asset management?
- How is energy valued in your organization?
- Is efficiency prioritized?
- What past or current efforts around energy/efficiency has your organization undertaken?
- How proactive is your organization when it comes to energy efficiency?
- Are there priority topics we want to make sure are addressed in task force meetings?

