#### CONSERVATION & SUSTAINABILITY INTERFAITH PARTNERSHIP

OUR MISSION IS TO IDENTIFY AND HELP IMPLEMENT WATER AND ENERGY SAVING PROJECTS WITHIN THE INTERFAITH COMMUNITY. WE HAVE COLLABORATED WITH A LARGE NETWORK OF NOT-FOR-PROFIT PARTNERS AND TRADE ALLIES TO PROVIDE OUR MEMBERS MANY OPTIONS FOR STARTING OR CONTINUING ON THE PATH TO SUSTAINABILITY. THE BENEFITS OF OUR PROGRAM INCLUDE COST SAVINGS TO CONGREGATIONS DUE TO ENERGY AND WATER USE REDUCTION. WE BELIEVE THAT THROUGH CONSERVATION AND SUSTAINABILITY INITIATIVES WE CAN STRENGTHEN FAITH COMMUNITIES EVERYWHERE.

# **CSIP PROCESS**

ENCOURAGE ALL CHURCHES

IN YOUR ORGANIZATION OR

COMMUUNITY TO TAKE
ADVANTAGE OF NO-COST

COMMUUNITY

CONSERVATION SUSTAINABILITY MEASURES

### **FACILITY**

## **PERSONNEL**

- PREPARE
  - ASSESSMENT
    - **-UTILITIES**
    - -OTHER
  - BENCHMARKING
    - -FPA
    - -USGBC
- 2. FACILITATE
  - REBATE PROGRAMS -UTILITIES
  - WATER CONSERVATION SELF-AUDIT -CSIP
  - ENERGY STAR / WATERSENSE -EPA
  - ADVANCE -USGBC

- 1. EDUCATE
  - FREE RESOURCES
    - -EPA
    - -USGBC
    - -CCC
- 2. ENGAGE
  - RESIDENTIAL PROGRAMS -UTILITIES

**ACT IMMEDIATELY** 

- 3. CREATE
  - GREEN TEAM
    - -USGBC
    - -CCC

TIP: FOR ORGANIZATIONS, ENERGY SUMMITS ARE A GOOD WAY TO IDENTIFY 10-20 SITES THAT MAY WANT TO PARTICIPATE IN THE SUSTAINABILITY PILOT PROJECT BELOW

#### **ASSESSMENT TO PARISH\***

\*USING ASSESSMENT AND BENCHMARKING INFO FROM STEPS 1 AND 2

NO-COST MEASURES AVAILABLE TO AN INDIVIDUAL CHURCH OR AS AN ENERGY SUMMIT TO AN ORGANIZATION

----- USE THE MEASURES ABOVE TO HELP PREPARE FOR AND FUND THE PROJECTS BELOW ------

## SUSTAINABILITY PILOT PROJECT AVAILABLE TO AN INDIVIDUAL CHURCH OR AN ORGANIZATION

- 3. PLAN
  - ENGINEERING STUDY\*
    - -CSIP
    - -OTHER
- 4. IMPLEMENT
  - PROJECTS
    - -CSIP TRADE ALLIES
    - -OTHER
- 5. TRACK & REPORT
  - - -EPA
    - -USGBC

- LARGE CHOOSE USERS LIKE ENERGY SCHOOLS OFFICE BUILDINGS FOR SUSTAINABILITY PILOT RESULTS. INCLUDE ENTIRE CAMPUS WHERE POSSIBLE.
- 4. ACT
  - PROJECTS
    - -GARDEN
    - -RAIN GARDEN
    - -RAIN BARRELS
    - -LIVING ROOF
    - -TRAINING
    - -FUNDRAISING
    - -OTHER

- PORTFOLIO MANAGER
  - \* INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO FACILITY SYSTEMS & STRUCTURE, ENERGY USAGE & CONTRACTS, RENEWABLE ENERGY OPTIONS, WASTE/RECYCLING, STORMWATER MANAGEMENT, 0 & M COSTS, LANDSCAPING, LOCAL ORDINANCE COMPLIANCE, TRACKING & REPORTING, FORENSIC AUDITS, MAINTENANCE, TRAINING

# **FUND / FINANCE**



- GRANTS
- REBATES & INCENTIVES
- SAVINGS

- · SFLF
- ON-BILL
- PRIVATE PPA/ESCO
- PACE/LLC FUNDRAISING



CSIP PARTNERS: UTILITY COMPANIES, US ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY (EPA), US GREEN BUILDING COUNCIL (USGBC), CATHOLIC CLIMATE COVENANT (CCC), PARTNERS FOR SACRED PLACES (PSP)

