



Energy Block Grants Work!

CAMPAIGN TO SAVE EECBG



McKinney Takes a Comprehensive Approach to Sustainability

The City of McKinney, Texas has contracted with HDR to develop a comprehensive strategy for reducing energy consumption throughout the City with their Energy Efficiency and Conservation Block Grant (EECBG) funding. By laying the groundwork with **preliminary visioning workshops conducted years before EECBG funding became available**, McKinney was able to quickly develop and begin implementing a series of innovative projects to enhance local sustainability.

McKinney is using EECBG funding to ...

- Determine the City's energy consumption baseline and **set realistic goals for reducing energy usage** across multiple sectors.
- Commence an Urban Forest Study that will **increase utilization of greenspace and green infrastructure** throughout the City.
- **Develop a City-wide Bicycle and Pedestrian Master Plan**, to enhance the transportation options open to McKinney residents.

For more information about McKinney's EECBG activities, contact Julie Smith at (972) 547-7616, or jsmith2@mckinneytexas.org.

Impact on McKinney, TX

- \$1.1 million in EECBG funding
- 11,431 metric tons of CO₂e prevented annually
- 14 jobs to be created
- More than 20,000 MWh of electricity saved annually



Organized by Climate Communities, the Energy Block Grants Work! campaign is showcasing how cities and counties across America are using federal Energy Efficiency and Conservation Block Grant (EECBG) dollars to create jobs, save energy, and reduce carbon pollution. For more information, visit www.energyblockgrants.org.