

BlocPower

Greener, Smarter, Healthier Buildings for All Since 2014

Presentation to City of Los Altos Environmental Commission



About BlocPower

- BlocPower is a Black-led climate tech company & benefit corporation founded in 2014, focused on greening and modernizing residential and small commercial buildings
- BlocPower develops, implements, and finances energy efficiency and clean energy projects for building owners in dense, often Lower & Moderate Income urban areas.

Notable Partners & Financiers























Turnkey Building Electrification Programs & Projects

Data & Technology

BlocMaps, a one-stop planning tool to electrify buildings, neighborhoods, and cities



Instant Building ReportAllow owners to receive an estimate for electrification

<u>Financing</u>

Full stack responsible financing that bridges capital + incentives



Community Driven Enablers

Job creation through Workforce Development to upskill and hire underrepresented workers into a Just Transition

Community connectivity through Wifi low-cost, high speed internet access to neighborhoods in need

Community Advisory Boards to drive program setup & accountability

Justice reframes the typical adoption curve and centers the transition in historically underserved communities



Typical Market-based Adoption Curve
Adoption driven by access to resources & risk tolerance



Early-adopters: Risk takers who have resources and desire to try new things

Majority Laggards: Make decisions based on past experience; not economically able to take risk on new ideas

LMI-First Adoption Spiral
Adoption driven by potential to benefit



A **just transition** centering on those with highest energy burden, negative health impacts, and the compounded burdens of historical racism



Menlo Park, California partners with climate technology company BlocPower in historic commitment to electrify over 10,000 homes and buildings by 2030.

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The citywide commitment, the first of its kind on the west coast, will create a program that aims for affordability, areen job creation program, and equity measures.







Menlo Park Implementation Plan



Phase 1

First 15 buildings:Begin ContractorEcosystem

Phase 2

- 100 buildings (50 Single family / 50 multi family

Phase 3

- Next 1000 homes

8,000+ buildings

- -Establish Community Advisory Board
 - -Workforce Development Pilot

- Established relationships with contractors

-Build data model with lessons learned



BlocPower Municipal Commitments

BP Capability	Mechanism	San Luis Obispo, CA	Menlo Park, CA	Ithaca, NY
	Committed Through	Sustainability Department	City Council Resolution	City Council Contract
Data	BlocMaps (City)		Х	Х
	Instant Building Report (Building Owners)	Х	Х	Х
Financing	Public Private Financing		Х	X
	Project Funding	Х	Х	Х
Community Impact	Community Advisory Board	Х	Х	Х
	Wi-Fi		Х	
	Workforce Development		Х	X



Thank you