SAVE THE DATE: Solar Powering Your Community: Solar Energy Strategy Session

Date: Monday, Oct. 6th, 2014 Time: 9:00 am to 3:00 pm

Venue: South Bay Environmental Services Center 20285 S. Western Ave. St., Client Theater, Torrance, CA 90501

You are invited to a free, day-long solar energy workshop with national experts and local practitioners hosted by the <u>South Bay Cities Council of Governments</u> (SBCCOG).

This interactive workshop is brought to you as a part of the U.S. Department of Energy's SunShot Solar Outreach Partnership's technical assistance program. In the morning session, ICLEI Local Governments for Sustainability USA and The Solar Foundation, in collaboration with local solar practitioners, will provide you with a comprehensive overview of the technology, myths and misconceptions, as well as genuine concerns and barriers of solar development. The session will also visit the national and local solar market status and policy landscape.

The afternoon session will dive deeper into some of the best practices and innovative approaches in solar financing and procurement. If you are available to stay after the workshop ends, there will be time for a solar strategy discussion session and consultation with trainers and interested participants from 3:00 to 5:00 pm.

After the workshop, the Solar Outreach Partnership will be available on an on-going basis to provide you with additional complimentary <u>solar resources</u> and <u>technical assistance</u> to help bring more solar to your community.

If interested, please contact Jennifer Alderete at jennifer@southbaycities.org for more information.