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Independence Light & Power, Telecommunications Approves New Local Energy Efficiency Funding Program (L.E.E.F. program)

May 25, 2017 – Independence Light & Power Board of Trustees recently approved the implementation of the L.E.E.F. program (RESOLUTION NO. 2017-01). This program promotes Commercial and Industrial energy efficiency projects and provides the upfront capital needed to make qualifying energy-efficient improvements - up to \$50,000 worth. Repayments are made in regular installments on your monthly utility bill. The repayment plan is based entirely on the money those energy-efficient improvements will save, so your utility bill should stay almost the same.

Commercial and Industrial utility customers can take advantage of the program and receive between \$1,500 and \$50,000 for energy efficiency projects, based on the cost and energy savings potential of the planned improvement(s).

Qualifying projects may include:

- Energy efficient LED lighting.
- Variable frequency drive controls for pumps and motors.
- Refrigeration compressors and process pumps.
- Premium efficient electric motors.

“We’re very excited to offer this program”, said Kevin Sidles, General Manager of Independence Light and Power, Telecommunications. “This is a commonsense approach to lowering costs and improving the bottom line, proving that energy efficiency is a wise investment”. “When our customers improve their energy efficiency, it’s a benefit to not only the customer, but to the utility and our community as well.”

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