



## GLOBAL ENERGY EFFICIENCY ACCELERATOR PLATFORM

# Building Efficiency Accelerator: How does the BEA help with policy design?

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## What does the BEA provide?

Local action prioritization process



Collaborative, multi-stakeholder assessments and workshops to define and prioritize policies and projects

Tools, expertise and solutions



Technical support through trainings, tools. Access to network of subject matter experts and service providers.

#### **Funding opportunities**



Connect projects in need to financial partners who can provide funding to efficiency actions

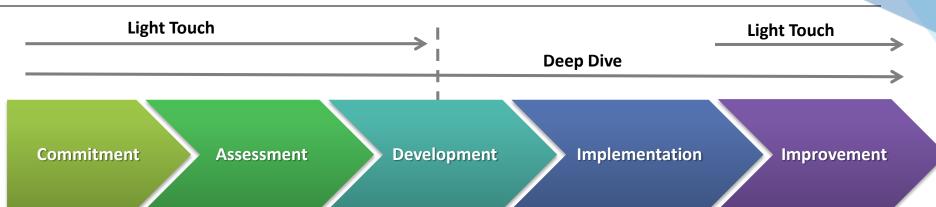
International recognition and collaboration



Recognition of efficiency actions at international events. Knowledge sharing through a global network of peers.



## **BEA City Engagement Process**



- Expression of interest submitted by the city to the Accelerator
- Commitments discussed and agreed with the city's authorities
- A high-level assessment, using available tools and data, to explore local opportunities for energy efficiency improvements through policy and programs
- Organization of multi-stakeholder workshop on specific actions and areas of interest
- Review/update action plans for energy efficiency programs or projects
- Introductions to financial organizations

- Access state-of-theart technical solutions and best practice policy, program and project expertise through SE4ALL Accelerator network partners
- Program/project initiated
- Funding approach identified

Establishing an energy efficiency performance baseline and tracking of annual performance improvement

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 Participation in peer-to-peer, best practice sharing events through virtual meetings and in-person summits



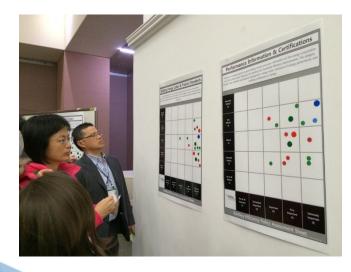
## Menu of city-level actions to improve building efficiency

	Codes & Standards	<ul> <li>Building energy codes and product standards establish minimum requirements for energy performance.</li> </ul>
	Targets	<ul> <li>Targets to align interests and spur action to improve efficiency in the building sector.</li> </ul>
	Performance Info & Certifications	• Data, baselines, disclosure and certifications for market differentiation of building performance or attributes.
	Finance & Incentives	<ul> <li>Programs and incentives to provide funding to building efficiency improvements.</li> </ul>
SOIC	Government Leadership Programs	<ul> <li>Programs to support government efficiency, including public building retrofits and innovative procurement.</li> </ul>
	Building Owner & Occupant Actions	<ul> <li>Building operations, occupant behavior.</li> </ul>
	Technical & Financial Services Capacity	<ul> <li>Market development and skilled workforce for private providers of building construction, services &amp; equipment</li> </ul>
	Utility Actions	<ul> <li>Planning and programs by utility companies for energy efficiency improvement.</li> </ul>

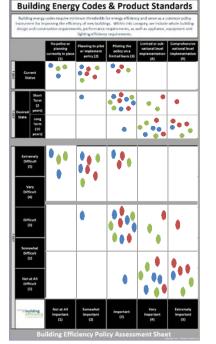
Source: Institute for Building Efficiency, Driving Transformation (2012) and WRI.

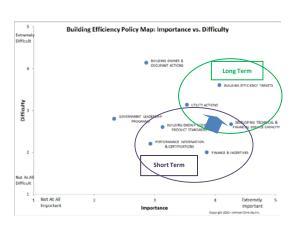
## **Building Efficiency Policy Assessment Tool**

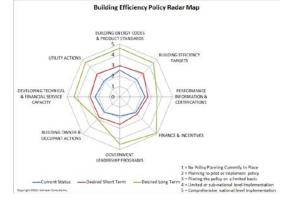
- Workshop tools to obtain stakeholder input for prioritizing and sequencing actions
- Part of *Driving Transformation*, and forthcoming WRI update
- Available for download at <u>http://bit.ly/1RP3wLa</u>













## **Case Study: Mexico City**

- September 2014 commitment from Mexico City government to:
  - Implement a building energy code
  - Retrofit public buildings
- Launch event and workshop for common vision March 2015
  - 100 multi-stakeholder participants including city government, federal government, businesses, finance, civil society and consulting
- Action plan now underway: 4 workgroups chaired by Mexico City government staff and an SE4All partner, project managed by WRI/CTS EMBARQ
  - Technical workshop on building retrofits and finance
  - Recommendations on action by government and stakeholders delivered in October; Actions announced at COP 21 in December
  - Program implementation: January 2015-October 2016









Tanya Muller, Secretary of the Environment, discussing Mexico City's leadership actions



Mayor Mancera at COP21 Buildings Day

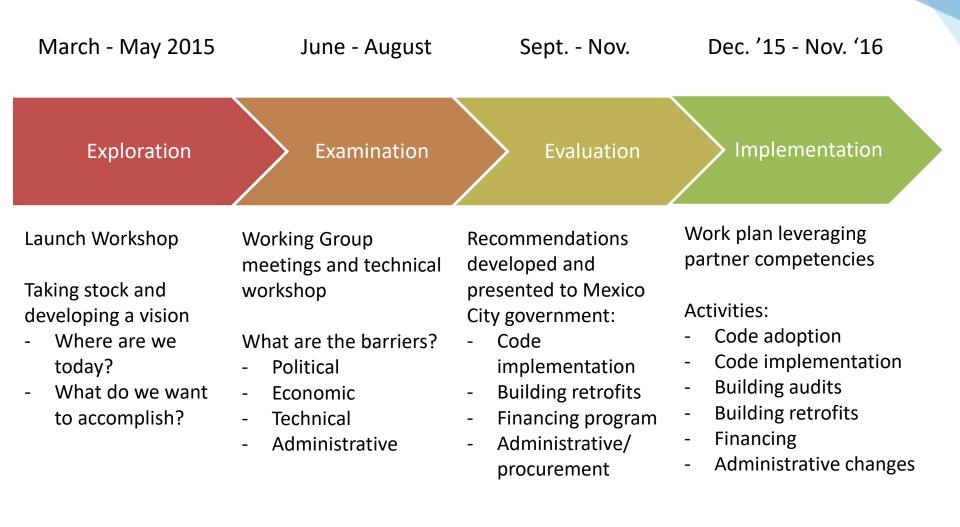


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#### We welcome new national and sub-national partners!

## **Upcoming Commitment and Recognition Opportunities**

Climate Action 2016 Summit – Washington	May 2016
Energy Efficiency Global Forum – Washington	May 2016
International Sustainable Building Conf. – Costa Rica	May 2016
Global Green Growth Forum – Copenhagen	June 2016

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