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# Garfield Clean Energy 2022 Annual Report

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## Residential Program Summary

Residential activity summary	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Year
Residential upgrades completed	21	120	83	30	254
Total project costs	\$117,209	\$223,791	\$217,575	\$85,878	\$644,453
Total rebate amount	\$13,635	\$49,866	\$65,652	\$11,722	\$140,877
Estimated annual energy cost savings	\$8,050	\$34,288	\$33,230	\$14,967	\$77,430
Annual Carbon Savings (Tonnes/yr)	47.15	173.01	166.75	84.20	395.82

## ReEnergize Program Summary

2022 ReEnergize Garfield County Program to date	Qualified to date*	Home visits	Upgrades complete	ReEnergize funding allocated	Total paid for completed projects
Parachute / Battlement	20	8	27	\$21,701	\$20,915
Rifle	20	9	25	\$29,896	\$20,715
Silt	12	6	27	\$10,007	\$5,170
New Castle	20	7	31	\$19,114	\$17,477
Glenwood Springs	36	13	52	\$36,790**	\$32,172
Carbondale	20	7	18	\$16,928	\$16,928
<b>Countywide total</b>	<b>128</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>180</b>	<b>\$134,437</b>	<b>\$109,901.49</b>

As of 1/3/23

\*Qualified number includes all ReEnergize applicants who qualified for CARE and WAP. All others are ReEnergize numbers only.

\*\*GWS is allocating about \$18,000 towards helping LMI families served by Glenwood Springs Electric. This amount is not removed from the allocation amount for GWS.

**We currently have 20 approved waitlist participants for 2023.**

**ReEnergize Program upgrades:** High efficiency hot water heaters, windows, insulation, air sealing, LEDs, programmable thermostats, ENERGY STAR fridges, Mini-split heat pump.

## Commercial Program Summary

Commercial activity summary	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
Commercial upgrades completed	7	2	1	0
Total project costs	\$117,471	\$29,588	0	0
Total rebate amount	\$27,060	\$5,000	\$5,240	0
Annual Carbon Savings (Tonnes/yr)	191.12	30.94	107.75	0
Estimated annual cost energy savings	\$31,147	\$5,413	\$16,510	0
Commercial building walk-throughs	7	0	2	3

\*Q4 saw no rebates due to ongoing planning by organizations in addition to supply chain and contractor limitations.

Commercial walk-throughs	Community	Date	Project status
Q1 walk-throughs: 7			
Ascendigo Autism Services	Carbondale	1/3/2022	In Planning
City of GWS Community Center	Glenwood Springs	2/17/2022	Completed Install
City of GWS Arts Center	Glenwood Springs	2/17/2022	Completed Rebate
CO Rocky Mtn. School	Carbondale	2/18/2022	In Planning
Glenwood Caverns	GWS	2/22/2022	Completed Rebate
Town of Parachute	Parachute	3/2/2022	Bid Collection
Iron Mountain Hot Springs	Glenwood Springs	3/17/2022	Completed Rebate
Q2 walk-throughs: 0			
Q3 walk-throughs: 2			
Thunder River Theater Company	Carbondale	9/28/2022	Scheduled
Carpet One Floor and Home	Glenwood Springs	9/29/2022	Scheduled
Q4 walk-throughs: 3			
Caravan Inn	Glenwood Springs	11/18/2022	Scheduled
Climate Control Company	Glenwood Springs	12/14/2022	Scheduled
River Center	New Castle	12/21/2022	In Planning

## Outreach and events

Garfield Clean Energy events and trainings 2022				
Event / Webinar name	Date	Location	Participants	Media hits
ReEnergize	2/28/2022	Carbondale Public Library	12	6
ReEnergize	3/1/2022	Glenwood Springs Public Library	20	6
ReEnergize	3/2/2022	New Castle Public Library	7	6
ReEnergize	3/2/2022	Silt Public Library	15	6
ReEnergize	3/3/2022	Rifle Public Library	15	6
ReEnergize	3/4/2022	Parachute Public Library	2	6
Partners in Energy	5/11/2022	Morgridge Commons	29	4
Bike There Event	6/22/2022	Garfield County Libraries/RFTA stations	193	3
COSSA Solar Event	6/24/2022	Rifle Public Library	50	2

Partners in Energy #2	7/13/2022	Morgridge Commons	27	0
Presentation on EV charging infrastructure	8/18/2022	Virtual meeting to the Town of New Castle Climate and Environment Commission	8	0
Table at Hispanic Heritage Month celebration	9/18/2022	Rifle Public Library	30	0
Partners in Energy #3	9/21/2022	Morgridge Commons	18	0
Funding for EV Charging Stations in Multifamily Housing Complexes and Workplaces	12/15/2022	Public webinar hosted on Zoom	18 (45 views on YouTube)	3

### Media stories

2/21/2022 – Aspen Daily News

New ReEnergize Garfield County program offering \$150K in financial aid

[https://www.aspendailynews.com/news/new-reenergize-garfield-county-program-offering-150k-in-financial-aid/article\\_191677ea-92ca-11ec-8a40-a3dd1838baff.html](https://www.aspendailynews.com/news/new-reenergize-garfield-county-program-offering-150k-in-financial-aid/article_191677ea-92ca-11ec-8a40-a3dd1838baff.html)

2/23/2023 – Glenwood Springs Post Independent

New Garfield County program offers \$150,000 in financial aid for home energy upgrades

<https://www.postindependent.com/news/new-garfield-county-program-offers-150000-in-financial-aid-for-home-energy-upgrades/>

2/24/2022 – El Sol de Valle (AND)

El nuevo programa ReEnergize Garfield County ofrece \$150,000 en ayuda financiera

[URL not available]

3/1/2022 – KMTS Connections

ReEnergize interview

<https://www.kmts.com/connections>

3/10/2022 – Sopris Sun

Garfield Clean Energy looks back and ahead

<https://soprissun.com/2022/03/09/garfield-clean-energy-looks-back-and-ahead/>

3/28/2022 – Glenwood Springs Post Independent

Holy Cross joins Garfield Clean Energy

<https://www.postindependent.com/news/business/business-briefs-for-monday-march-21/>

4/1/2022 – Glenwood Springs Post Independent

ReEnergize program funding running out

<https://www.postindependent.com/news/reenergize-program-so-popular-that-funding-is-running-out/>

5/4/2022 – Glenwood Springs Post Independent

Garfield Clean Energy seeks volunteers for energy plan update; sessions start May 11

<https://www.postindependent.com/news/garfield-clean-energy-seeks-volunteers-for-energy-plan-update-sessions-start-may-11/>

5/5/2022 – Rifle Citizen Telegram

Garfield Clean Energy seeks volunteers for energy plan update; sessions start May 11

<https://www.postindependent.com/news/garfield-clean-energy-seeks-volunteers-for-energy-plan-update-sessions-start-may-11/>

5/26/2022 – Sopris Sun

GCE board tour of CMC solar array

<https://soprissun.com/2022/05/25/scuttlebutt-calendar-may-26-2022/>

6/16/2022 – Glenwood Springs Post Independent

Glenwood Art Center restoration includes energy efficiency

<https://www.postindependent.com/news/glenwood-art-center-restoration-includes-energy-efficiency-sponsored/>

6/20/2022 – Glenwood Springs Post Independent

BikeThere Bike to Work Day is Wednesday in Glenwood C'dale

<https://www.postindependent.com/news/glenwood-springs-celebrates-bikethere-bike-to-work-day-on-wednesday/>

7/7/2022 – Sopris Sun

Garfield, neighboring counties prepare for solar surge

<https://soprissun.com/garfield-neighboring-counties-prepare-for-solar-surge/>

7/11/2022 – Glenwood Springs Post Independent

Garfield and neighboring counties prepare, pave way for solar surge

<https://www.postindependent.com/news/garfield-neighboring-counties-prepare-pave-the-way-for-solar-surge/>

7/18/2022 – Big Pivots

Solar surge on the Western Slope

<https://bigpivots.com/solar-surge-on-the-western-slope/>

9/7/2022 – Glenwood Springs Post Independent

ReEnergize helps Rifle family beat the heat and save money

<https://www.postindependent.com/news/reenergize-funding-helps-rifle-family-beat-the-heat-and-save-money-sponsored/>

9/16/2022 – Glenwood Springs Post Independent

Solar array, storage facility adds to CMC's legacy

<https://www.postindependent.com/news/solar-array-storage-facility-adds-to-colorado-mountain-colleges-sustainability-legacy/>

9/16/2022 – Glenwood Springs Post Independent

County to install paid EV charging stations at Rifle admin building

<https://www.postindependent.com/news/garfield-county-to-install-paid-ev-charging-stations-at-rifle-admin-building/>

10/5/2022 – Glenwood Springs Post Independent  
Public input sought for Garfield countywide energy plan  
<https://www.postindependent.com/news/public-input-sought-for-garfield-countywide-energy-plan/>

12/26/2022 – Glenwood Springs Post Independent  
CLEER names Morgan Hill as associate director  
<https://www.postindependent.com/news/cleer-names-morgan-hill-as-associate-director/>