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http://transition.usaid.gov/our_work/economic_growth_and_trade/energy/;

Department of Energy's Tribal Energy Program (Renewable Energy Resources)

The U.S. Department of Energy's Tribal Energy Program provides financial and technical assistance that enables tribes to evaluate and develop their renewable energy resources and reduce their energy consumption through efficiency and weatherization. The program also offers education and training opportunities designed to foster clean energy technology adoption, promote green jobs and growth, and strengthen native communities.

The Renewable Energy Resources include:

Potential carbon sequestration areas; biomass; geothermal; hydrogen; ethanol; solar; wind; and hydropower. The Program also addresses energy efficiency.

See: Tribal Energy Program <http://apps1.eere.energy.gov/tribalenergy/>

See National Renewable Energy Laboratory's website on types of Renewable Energy Resources: <http://www.nrel.gov/gis/data.html>