

## ENERGY ORIENTATION WORKSHOPS (EOW)



From: Purchase Area Development District  
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To: All interested businesses / entrepreneurs

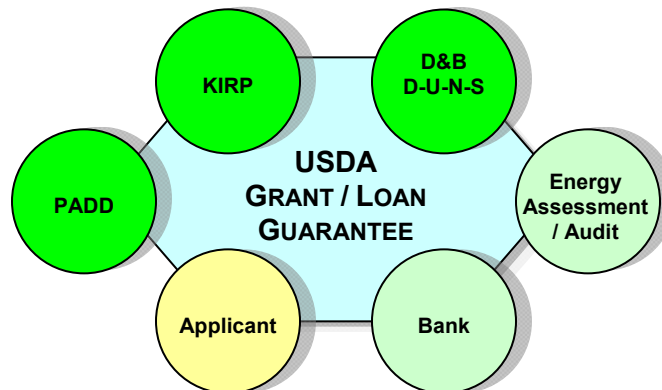
When: Every Wednesday at 11:00 AM at the PADD office  
1002 Medical Drive  
Mayfield, KY 42066

**Registration Necessary!**

Phone: (270) 251-6117 or (270) 247-7171

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*The PADD is offering workshops about "Renewable Energy Systems" and "Energy Efficiency Improvements" to help agricultural producers and rural small businesses purchase and install renewable energy systems and make energy efficiency improvements in rural areas. USDA (Rural Development) is offering a grant and loan guarantee program to help finance such investments. The PADD is providing technical assistance in obtaining such grants (grant writing) and/or loan guarantees (application writing) and will coordinate all involved parties:*



**Who is eligible:**

- An agricultural producer (individual or entity) directly engaged in the production of agricultural products and obtains at least 50% or greater of their gross income from their agricultural business
- A rural small business (a private entity including a sole proprietorship, partnership, corporation, and a cooperative).

**Please bring the following information to the workshop:**

- Full address of your business (project site).
- Short description of your project.
- If already existing, calculation of the project cost.

**If a participant decides to use PADD's service in obtaining a grant or loan guarantee, the following information are necessary to start the process:**

- A letter from your bank, stating that the bank is willing to participate in the project.
- DUNS number for the business; if available (PADD will assist in obtaining such a number)
- A check made out to the Purchase Area Development District that will cover the costs of submitting clearinghouse comments and processing and packaging fees (Project Costs <\$50,000 - \$250 / Project Costs ≥\$50,000 and <\$200,000 - \$500 / Project Costs ≥\$200,000 - \$1,000).