

# Climate Economy Model Communities Program - Description of Roles

Vermont Council on Rural Development	Steering Committee/Task Forces	Efficiency Vermont and Green Mtn Power/Local Utility	Visiting Team and Visiting Resource Team (other partners)	Municipality
Serve as lead coordinator and facilitator of the program	Serve as the community partner throughout the program. An initial task will be to identify key themes for the community kick-off and forums.	Work with VCRD and the steering committee to promote and facilitate home and business efficiency and energy transformation	Attend the community forum to listen to brainstorming sessions and provide some reflection on opportunities	Designate at least one point of contact to serve on the steering committee
Coordinate, in partnership with the steering committee, all communications and outreach in relation to the community meetings	Work with VCRD to implement an outreach plan to encourage and facilitate participation in the community kick-off and priority setting forum	Serve as an advisor and partner on any community initiatives where expertise can be helpful or partnership is appropriate	Participate in task forces as technical advisors and as a possible source of resources to move initiatives forward	Support a mailing to the full community promoting the kick-off event and forums and work with steering cmt. to support the community dinner
Work with task forces and partners to plan and implement community initiatives	Work with the municipality to organize and support financially/logistically the community dinner			Participate in the community kick-off and priority setting events
Coordinate with Efficiency Vermont and Green Mountain Power on home and business offerings	Identify teams that will lead and serve on the task forces to move identified initiatives forward			Work with task forces to implement identified community initiatives