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Dear Task Force Members:

Although the wording of the agenda for our next meeting is fairly broad as I stated at our last meeting I would like to see us concentrate on financial options and financing recommendations. In light of fulfilling this objective I developed a couple of questions based on what I heard at our last meeting. This coming Friday I would like to focus on questions which when answered will identify recommendations. For each recommendation we will need to decide if we want it start next year (immediate), over the next year or two (short term) or long term (up to 5 years).

Please send me what you would like to see added or subtracted from this list. PLEASE SEND ALL OF YOUR SUGGESTIONS TO SADY. SADY, PLEASE SEND ALL THE SUGGESTIONS TO ALL THE TASK FORCE MEMBERS. I WILL COMPILE A NEW LIST FOR USE AT THE FRIDAY MEETING. The following are my suggested questions to format a discussion on financing and financing recommendations.

1. What customer classes and customer groups should be targeted for participation in financing programs?
2. What role can and should PACE play in furthering energy efficiency in homes and apartments?
3. Combined with financing options how can multifamily programs be redesigned to provide additional incentives to owners of multi-family properties to replace air conditioning units?
4. Should Austin Energy develop a program to work in partnership with affordable housing owners to coordinate property renovations and energy efficiency upgrades?
5. What is an "ideal" virtual billing process? What parts of the process exist at AE now? What can be done in the near future to further develop a virtual billing process? How long will it take to fully develop virtual billing?
6. What is an "ideal" on bill financing/repayment process? What parts of the process exist at AE now? What can be done in the near future to further develop an on-bill financing/repayment process? How long will it take to fully develop an on-bill financing/repayment process?

Thank you all for your time and dedication to these important issues. I hope to see all of you on Friday.

Best,

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