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Join the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) for these no-cost ENERGY STAR® online training sessions and learn how to improve the energy efficiency of the nation's commercial and industrial buildings by 10 percent or more. You can register for these and other ENERGY STAR training sessions at <http://energystar.webex.com> by clicking on the title of the session you wish to join and clicking the "Registration" link.

Benchmarking in Portfolio Manager for Large Portfolios

Thursday, October 26 || Wednesday, November 10 || Thursday, December 9, 2:00 – 3:00 PM ET

For users more familiar with Portfolio Manager, this session discusses tools available to those with a large portfolio of buildings. Topics discussed include best practices for bulk data management for new and existing accounts with real-life examples of organizations that have successfully benchmarked large portfolio of buildings.

Benchmarking in Portfolio Manager for Local and State Governments

Thursday, October 14 || Tuesday, November 9 || Tuesday, December 7, 2:00 – 3:00 PM ET

This session will review EPA's online energy management tool, Portfolio Manager, which allows you track the progress of energy efficiency efforts and compare the energy use of your buildings to peer buildings across the country. Attendees will learn how to measure and track energy use and carbon dioxide emission reductions to establish baseline energy use, prioritize investments, set goals, and track improvements over time.

Benchmarking Wastewater Plants in Portfolio Manager

Wednesday, November 3, 2:00 – 3:15 PM ET

Learn how to track the progress of energy efficiency efforts and compare the energy use of wastewater treatment plants to other peer facilities across the country. Attendees will learn how to measure and track energy use and carbon dioxide emission reductions in wastewater treatment plants to establish baseline energy use, prioritize investments, set goals, and track improvements over time.

Computer Power Management with ENERGY STAR

Tuesday, October 19 || Tuesday, November 16 || Tuesday, December 14, 1:00 – 2:00 PM ET

Computer Power Management is helping organizations realize energy and financial savings that are available by managing computer and monitor power settings. Organizations using this software can save up to \$50 per computer annually. This training session introduces an innovative software tool that enables you to manage your computer and monitor power from a central location and also reviews educational outreach materials. Who should participate? IT staff, energy managers, building managers, and upper management.

ENERGY STAR and Green Building Rating Systems

Thursday, October 21 || Thursday, November 18 || Wednesday, December 8, 2:00 – 3:30 PM ET

During this session, attendees will learn how to use EPA tools and resources to help meet requirements for green building rating systems such as the U.S. Green Building Council's Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design (LEED), the Green Globes system, and others. Attendees will discover how ENERGY STAR tools and resources work together with these systems to address building energy performance, both for new and existing facilities.

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Financing Energy Efficient Upgrades with ENERGY STAR

Thursday, October 7 || Thursday, November 4 || Thursday, December 2, 2:00 – 3:00 PM ET

Learn how public sector organizations are improving energy efficiency with innovative solutions to financial barriers. Attendees will learn about financing projects in the public and private sectors, the basics of performance contracting, and how EPA's tools and resources can help you make the decision to improve your facilities now or later.

Generating a Federal High Performance Sustainable Buildings Checklist in ENERGY STAR Portfolio Manager

Wednesday, October 13 || Tuesday, November 2 || Wednesday, December 1, 2:00 – 3:00 PM ET

EPA's ENERGY STAR program, DOE's Federal Energy Management Program, and the General Services Administration have partnered together to incorporate the High Performance Checklist into EPA's Portfolio Manager tool to assist Federal agencies with assessing their existing building stock against the Guiding Principles for Sustainable Existing Buildings, and for reporting on the sustainability data element of the Federal Real Property Profile (FRPP).

K-12 Benchmarking 101

Wednesday, October 27 || Tuesday, November 30 || Thursday, December 16, 2:00 – 3:00 PM ET

Learn the basics of benchmarking your K-12 buildings using EPA's Portfolio Manager tool. Portfolio Manager can help measure and track energy and water use across an entire portfolio of buildings and identify weak links in energy performance. Buildings can earn an energy performance rating as compared to peer facilities across the country, and top performing buildings are eligible for national recognition.

Purchasing and Procuring Efficient Equipment

Wednesday, October 20 || Wednesday, November 17 || Wednesday, December 15, 1:00 – 2:00 PM ET

Purchasing ENERGY STAR qualified products can reduce your organization's energy use and costs. This training includes information about ENERGY STAR resources to help your organization purchase products with superior energy performance; guidelines that define energy performance for numerous products; sample procurement language for stipulating energy performance attributes to vendors; and energy saving software that calculates the life cycle costs of ENERGY STAR products and their less efficient counterparts.

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