

# Project Greenlight

## Pressing “Go” on Community-Scale Clean Energy in Rural Communities

### PARTNERS

**Sustainable Northwest** (regional conservation nonprofit)

**Craft 3** (Community Development Financial Institution)

**Burns Paiute Tribe** (federally recognized Tribal government)

**Lake County Resources Initiative** (rural Community Based Organization)

**Wallowa Resources** (rural Community Based Organization)

### BENEFITS

Empowers rural communities to identify, prioritize and capitalize clean energy projects quickly and efficiently

Builds rural capacity through an innovative combination of technical assistance services and self-serve tools and templates

Reduces transaction costs and staff time through automation and data integration

### PROCESS AND METHODS

Implement an efficient process for prioritizing projects based on value-add and vetting projects for financial viability

Integrate real-time data on revenue and cost-reduction funding sources into decision-making process from the start

Create tools that put data-driven decision making capabilities in the hands of community partners

Build and optimize funding plans in consultation with Craft 3

Coordinate and “triage” technical assistance services to reduce throughput time to full capitalization