

**Reznick Group Client Alert:  
Georgia Allocates \$4.4 Million in ARRA Funds  
for Clean Energy Property Rebate Program**

Through the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 (ARRA), the state of Georgia is entitled to more than \$82 million in federal stimulus funds for its state energy program.

Approximately \$4.4 million of this funding has been allocated for the creation of the Clean Energy Property Rebate Program, administered by the Georgia Environmental Facilities Authority (GEFA). This program is designed to offset some of the capital cost for installing renewable energy or energy efficiency equipment and to promote renewable energy adoption in Georgia.

State agency guidelines for this program, as originally released, imposed restrictions on the ability to claim both federal grants and Georgia's Clean Energy Property Rebate Program for the same project. Due to recent efforts from the local level, these guidelines have been modified to eliminate this restriction. Current guidelines allow renewable energy project owners to use both federal and state benefits.

For additional information on Georgia's Clean Energy Rebate Program, and to discuss the potential benefits for your renewable energy project, please contact your Reznick Group professional.

For more information on grant programs and other incentives provided to the renewable energy industry through the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009, please visit our website: [www.reznickgrouprenewableenergy.com](http://www.reznickgrouprenewableenergy.com).