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***Florida's Natural Gas Fuel Fleet Vehicle Rebate –
Public Agency Eligibility and Application Process***

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Clean Cities

- U.S. Department of Energy sponsored program contributing to the energy, environmental, and economic security of the U.S. by supporting reductions in petroleum use in the transportation sector

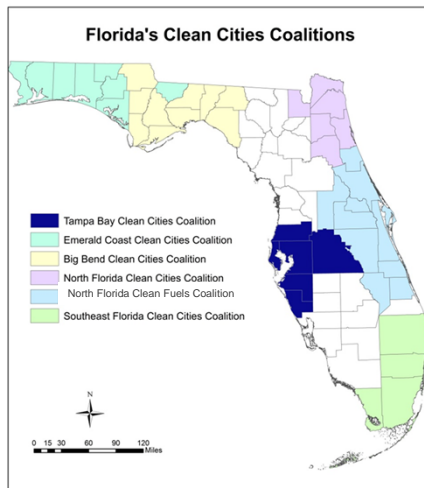


Clean Cities

- Nearly 100 coalitions with 20,000 stakeholders across the U.S.
- Distributed \$377 million to fund more than 500 transportation projects nationwide, which have leveraged more than \$740 million in matching funds
- With MotorWeek, helped produce nearly 100 national TV segments on transportation success stories
- Biodiesel, Ethanol, Electric Drive (EVs, PHEVs, HEVs), Propane, Natural Gas, and Fuel Conservation



Florida's Coalitions



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Ongoing Evaluation of Alternatively Fueled Buses

- CUTR project sponsored by FDOT
- Quarterly tracking and reporting on performance of alt. fuel buses
- Renewed contract – web-based data input through ATEP, visits to all fixed route agencies
- Paratransit and other on-demand vehicle data will be sought



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