

## Illinois Adjustable Block Program (ABP) Fund Award Methodology

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Program Administrator,

It is our strong opinion that any distribution of funds relating to the Adjustable Block Program for the Illinois Renewable Energy Jobs Act <u>must 1<sup>st</sup></u> be allocated to entities that are building solar fields for the benefit of Municipal or Non-Profit Entities thus allowing the Taxpayer who funded that program the 1<sup>st</sup> opportunity to benefit from the distribution thru lower operating costs for the Municipality. The lottery system should only be invoked after all Municipal and Non-Profit project applications have been satisfied. This same methodology should be applied whether the proposed Solar Field is a Community Solar Field or Behind the Meter Solar Field. Public interests should be served before that of Private Entities. It is imperative that Public Interest be served before Private Interest are met so that the Citizens of Illinois benefit from the funds they contributed.

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