An Inclusive Offshore Wind Research & Innovation Hub for NYC

Project Proposal for a Tactical Framework Report

WHAT

Develop a **tactical framework report** that guides creation of an offshore wind research and innovation hub in NYC

WHY

Without thoughtful planning, the opportunity will pass to ensure inclusion and economic benefit for disadvantaged and environmental justice communities as the offshore wind industry takes off

WHERE

New York City

WHO

The National Offshore Wind R&D
Consortium (an industry non-profit) and
Karp Strategies (a WBE-, SBE-, and DBEcertified New York City consulting firm) –
both with extensive industry and local
knowledge

TASKS GUIDING QUESTIONS 1. Define the Study What are we looking at and who does it help? What do NYC stakeholders need and think? 3. Case Study Research How have others done this well? What are the opportunities and constraints of this? What are the strategies to realize the hub? Who comes to the table to make this happen?

EXPERIENCE

In Clean Energy, Working With: Atlantic Shores Offshore Wind, Equinor, MassDevelopment, National Grid, New York Power Authority (NYPA), New York State Energy Research & Development Authority (NYSERDA), NREL, RWE, States of Maine, New Jersey, Maryland, and Virginia, Stonybrook University, US Department of Energy

With Disadvantaged Communities, Working With: Brooklyn Public Library, Brownsville Community Justice Center, Cities for Financial Empowerment, Neighbors in Action, NYC Department of Homeless Services, NYC Housing Authority, Red Hook Initiative, Two Bridges Neighborhood Council, YMCA



