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- The Call for Projects is an opportunity for stakeholders and community members to submit additional projects that may be considered by the LPC for inclusion in the Strategic Investment Plan. It includes:
  - Project sponsor information
  - DRI funding request
  - Description of current conditions at project location
  - Description of proposed project, including status and plan for implementation
  - Description of project benefits
- Closes March 31<sup>st</sup>
- Online submission form will be linked from the Village of Ossining's DRI webpage

## **Project Eligibility**



Projects recommended for DRI funding and included in the Strategic Investment Plan must meet the below eligibility requirements:

## **Eligible for DRI Funding**

- Public improvements
- New development and rehabilitation of existing structures
- Revolving loan and grant funds
- Branding and marketing

## **Not Eligible for DRI Funding**

- Planning activities
- Operation and maintenance
- Pre-award costs
- Property acquisition
- Training and other program expenses
- Expenses related to existing programs

## **Project Criteria**



## Timing

Projects must break ground within two years

## Project Size and Scale

- Projects must be at least \$100,000 in cost
- Residential projects must have at least eight units and an affordable component

#### Private or Local Match

- For public and non-profit projects, DRI funding can be used for 100 percent of project costs.
  However, leveraging is strongly encouraged.
- For private projects, DRI funding covers up to 40 percent of project costs

#### Decarbonization

- Private projects committed to higher energy standards may be eligible for DRI funding up to
  50 percent of project costs
- New and substantial rehabilitation must meet the Stretch Energy Code