TAX POLICY UPDATE

Inflation Reduction Act: Reducing carbon footprint and tax liability



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Today's agenda

TOPIC

Welcome

Inflation Reduction Act of 2022 – Energy security

- Introduction and general concepts
- Clean fuels
- Reducing carbon emissions
- Clean electricity
- Manufacturing
- Clean vehicles
- Building and construction
- Individuals and consumers
- New excise taxes

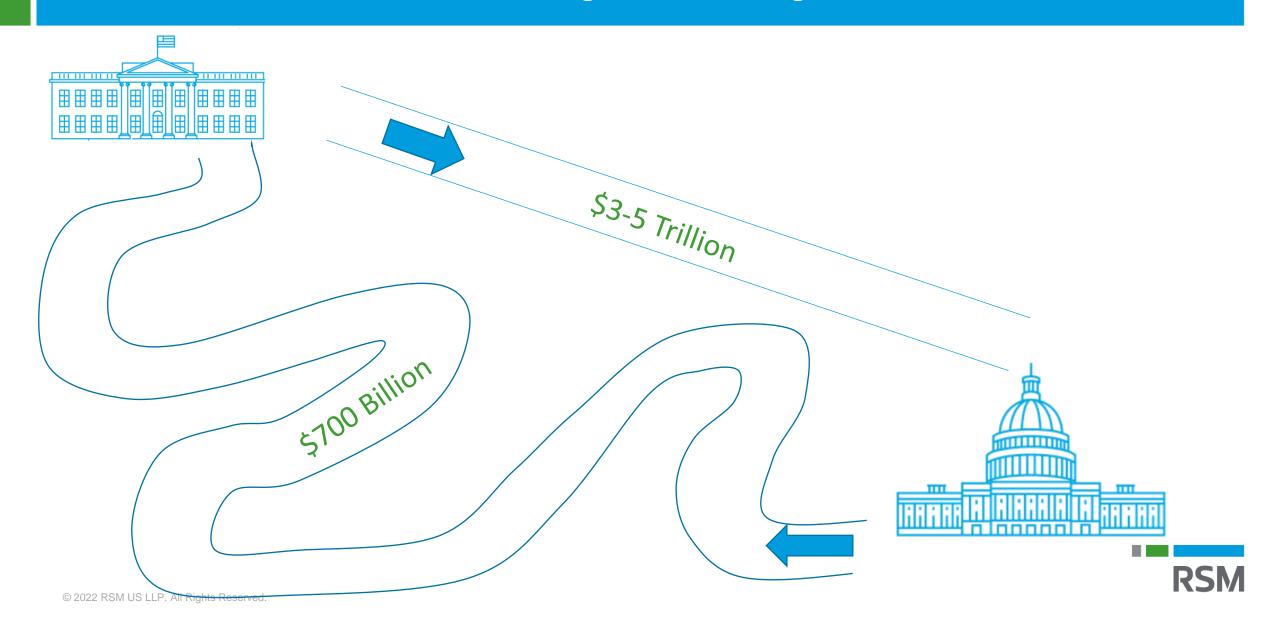
What's next?



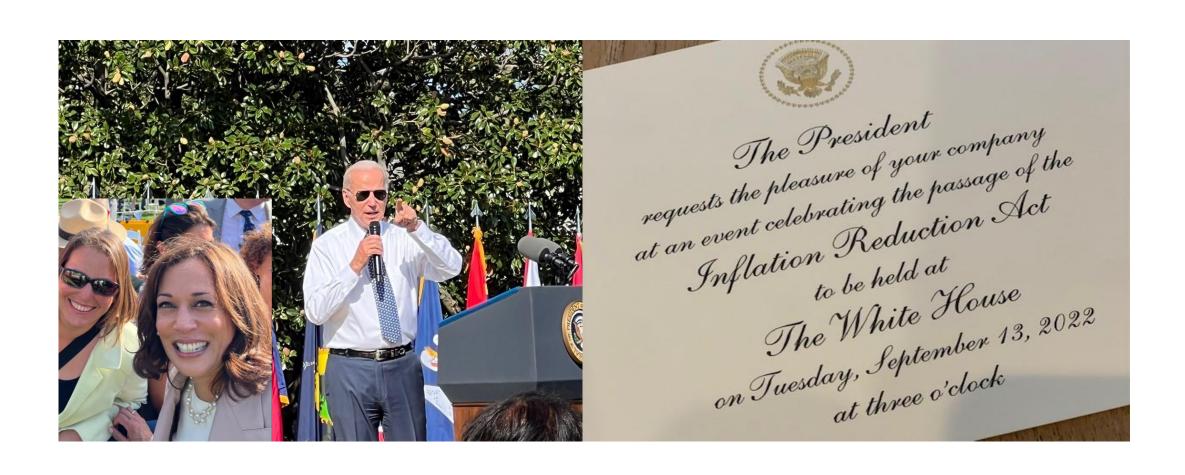
INFLATION REDUCTION ACT: ENERGY SECURITY



Inflation Reduction Act: The long and winding road



Inflation Reduction Act: Win for clean energy





Inflation Reduction Act of 2022 - Clean energy roadmap



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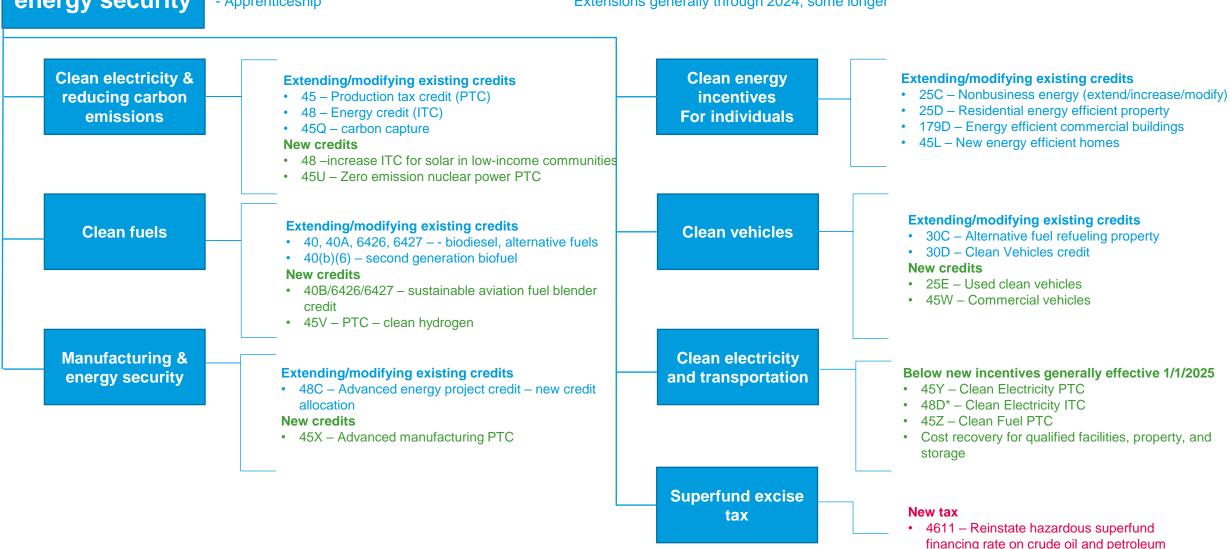
General concepts

Base and bonus rates

- Prevailing wage requirements
- Apprenticeship

Domestic content

"Direct Pay" and transferability of certain credits Extensions generally through 2024; some longer



products

Highlights - General concepts

- What is "energy security"?
 - Develop domestic markets; job creation
 - Shift from petroleum to renewables
 - Carbon emission reductions
- Green compromise
 - Extension of existing credits generally through 2024; some through 2032 (House Ways & Means proposals)
 - New credit regime beginning Jan. 1, 2025 (Senate Finance proposals)



Highlights - General concepts

- Change in regime to base and bonus rates
 - Bonus rate is 5x base rate
 - Prevailing wage and apprenticeship requirements for bonus rate
 - Domestic content requirement may for 10% increase to some credit rates
 - Bonus or set-aside structure to drive investments and economic development in disadvantaged communities



Highlights - General concepts

Monetization

- "Direct Pay" = Refundability for some provisions
- Transferability = Sale of credits for cash for many provisions
- Many unknowns re: administration of provisions



Highlights – Clean fuels



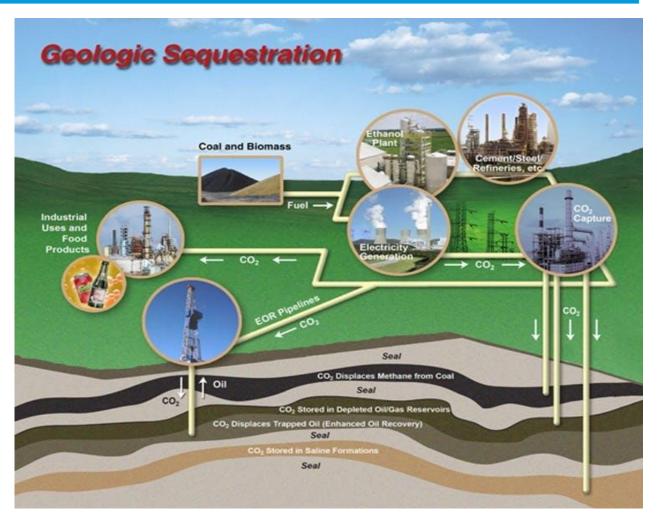
- Extension of existing biofuel credits through 2024
 - Biodiesel
 - Alternative fuel
 - Second generation biofuel
- New credits
 - Sustainable aviation fuel (SAF)
 - Clean hydrogen
- New clean fuel production tax credit regime
 - -2025



Reducing carbon emissions

Carbon capture and sequestration

- Increase credit rates
- Expand availability to claim
- Direct pay five years



Source: U.S. Department of Energy



Highlights – Clean electricity



- Production tax credit (PTC) and investment tax credit (ITC)
 - Solar PTC returns
 - New ITC qualifying property including battery storage, interconnection, renewable natural gas, microgrids, and dynamic glass
 - Increased rate for solar investment in low-income communities
- New credit
 - Zero emission nuclear power
- Direct pay and transferability
- New clean electricity PTC/ITC regime 2025



Highlights – Manufacturing

- New round of allocations for advanced energy project credit
- New advanced manufacturing PTC for U.S. manufactured solar, wind and electric vehicle components
- New credit for semi-conductor manufacturing industry – CHIPS and Science Act of 2022

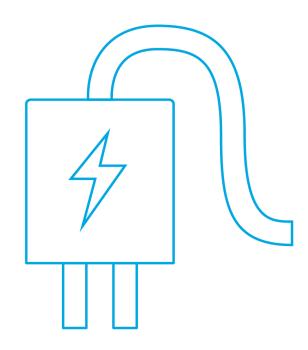






Highlights - Clean vehicles

- Overhaul of clean vehicle credit up to \$7,500 per vehicle
 - Remove cap on vehicles produced
 - Income and MSRP limitations
 - Sourcing of materials and final assembly
- Expansion of alternative refueling property credit
- New credits
 - Commercial vehicles up to \$40,000 per vehicle
 - Used electric vehicles up to \$4,000 per vehicle





Highlights – Building and construction

Energy-efficient commercial building deduction

- Deduction of up to \$5 per square foot for eligible properties placed into service after 2022
- Prevailing wage and apprenticeship requirements to get maximum deduction
- Threshold to qualify as an energy-efficient building decreased to minimum reduction in annual energy costs of 25 percent (down from 50%)
- Deduction calculated on an increasing scale from 25-50 percent

Homebuilder credit

- Retroactively reinstated and extended existing credit through 2022
- For 2023:
 - \$2,500 for EnergyStar constructed homes
 - Up to \$5,000 for certified DOE Zero
 Energy Ready Home (ZERH) homes
- Prevailing wage requirements for multifamily homes for highest credit rates



Highlights – Individuals and consumers

- 10 years of consumer tax credits to make homes energy efficient and run on clean energy
 - Heat pumps
 - Rooftop solar
 - Electric HVAC
 - Water heaters
- \$9 billion in consumer home energy rebate programs, focused on low-income consumers, to electrify home appliances and for energy efficient retrofits.
- \$1 billion grant program to make affordable housing more energy efficient





Highlights – New excise taxes and fees

- Superfund excise tax on crude oil and imported petroleum products
- Coal excise tax now permanent
- New excise tax on the sale of selected drugs by manufacturers, producer or importers during specific "non-compliance" periods
- New methane emissions fee



WHAT'S NEXT?



Inflation Reduction Act: Treasury guidance

Guidance issued Sep. 13, 2022 on one-time biofuel claims Additional guidance:

- When will it be issued?
- In what form?
- What issues will be top priorities?
- How can companies inform the guidance process?



Inflation Reduction Act: What should companies be thinking about today?

- Clean energy assessments
- Project planning
- Modeling financial impacts
- Contract negotiations
 - Clauses for prevailing wage and apprenticeship
 - Tax insurance
- Establishing markets for transferability



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