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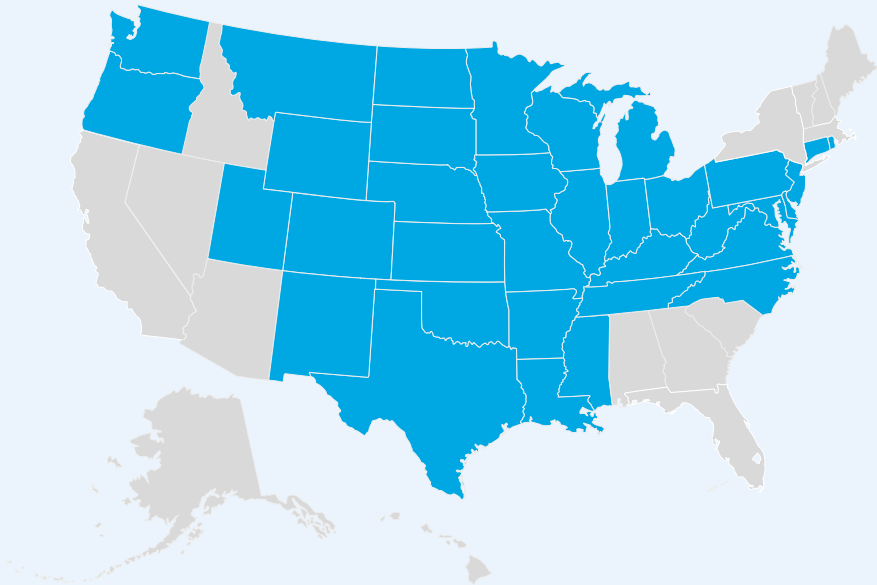
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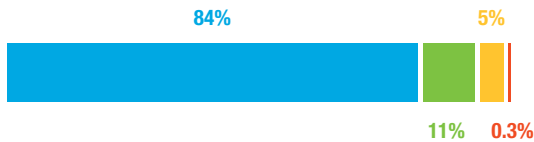


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FY2018 Statement of Activities

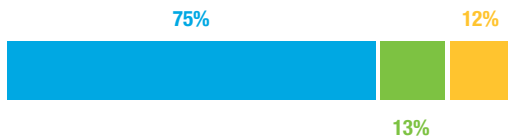
SUPPORT & REVENUE

Contributions	\$3,803,417.50	●
Government Contracts	\$481,783.06	●
Other Contracts	\$223,968.85	●
Other Income	\$15,501.59	●
Total	\$4,524,671.00	



EXPENSES

Program Services	\$3,582,297.14	●
Fundraising	\$622,836.51	●
Management & General	\$584,538.92	●
Total Expenses	\$4,789,672.57	
Change in Net Assets	(265,001.57)	



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Together we can catalyze transformative solutions for a better energy future.

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