

Early Bird Benchmarking

The Montgomery County Department of Environmental Protection (DEP) would like to extend a big thank you to our Early Bird Benchmarkers!

These organizations earned the esteemed title of **Early Bird Benchmarker** by voluntarily reporting calendar year 2014 building profile and energy use data to DEP by August 1, 2015. These organizations have greatly assisted DEP with developing data analyses and new guidance and outreach materials, and are well-positioned to meet the upcoming requirements of the County's Benchmarking Law.



We also acknowledge the leadership our own **Montgomery County Department of General Services (DGS)** has demonstrated by meeting their initial June 1, 2015 deadline. County buildings were given a deadline ahead of private sector deadlines so we might lead-by-example. DGS has contributed invaluable input, feedback, lessons learned, and best practices to enhance our benchmarking support for the rest of the County.