Coastal Enterprises (CEI) integrates financing, business and industry expertise, and policy solutions to increase good jobs, advance environmentally sustainable enterprises, and grow more broadly shared prosperity in Maine and other rural regions. CEI is committed to building an economy that works for everyone, particularly people with low incomes, women, minorities and people of color.

CEI’s lending and investment products respond to the financing needs of businesses and projects in rural communities. CEI offers microloans up to $50,000 and business loans up to $3 million. Through its subsidiaries, CEI offers venture capital, solar project and New Markets Tax Credit (NMTC) financing.

As a mission-driven investor, CEI works closely with individuals and businesses to address operational, workforce, and environmental challenges, focusing particularly on key natural resource-based industries that can contribute to an inclusive and environmentally sustainable economy. In addition to providing comprehensive business advice, CEI staff members provide housing counseling and financial training for individuals and families in Maine, recognizing that building assets and managing debt, as well as a good job, are key ingredients for family financial security.

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