

Revision to Scope of VCS Program Resources

Dear Colleagues,

The following resources helped to inform Verra's assessment of current perspectives on the likely additionality of project types currently eligible under the VCS Program.

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