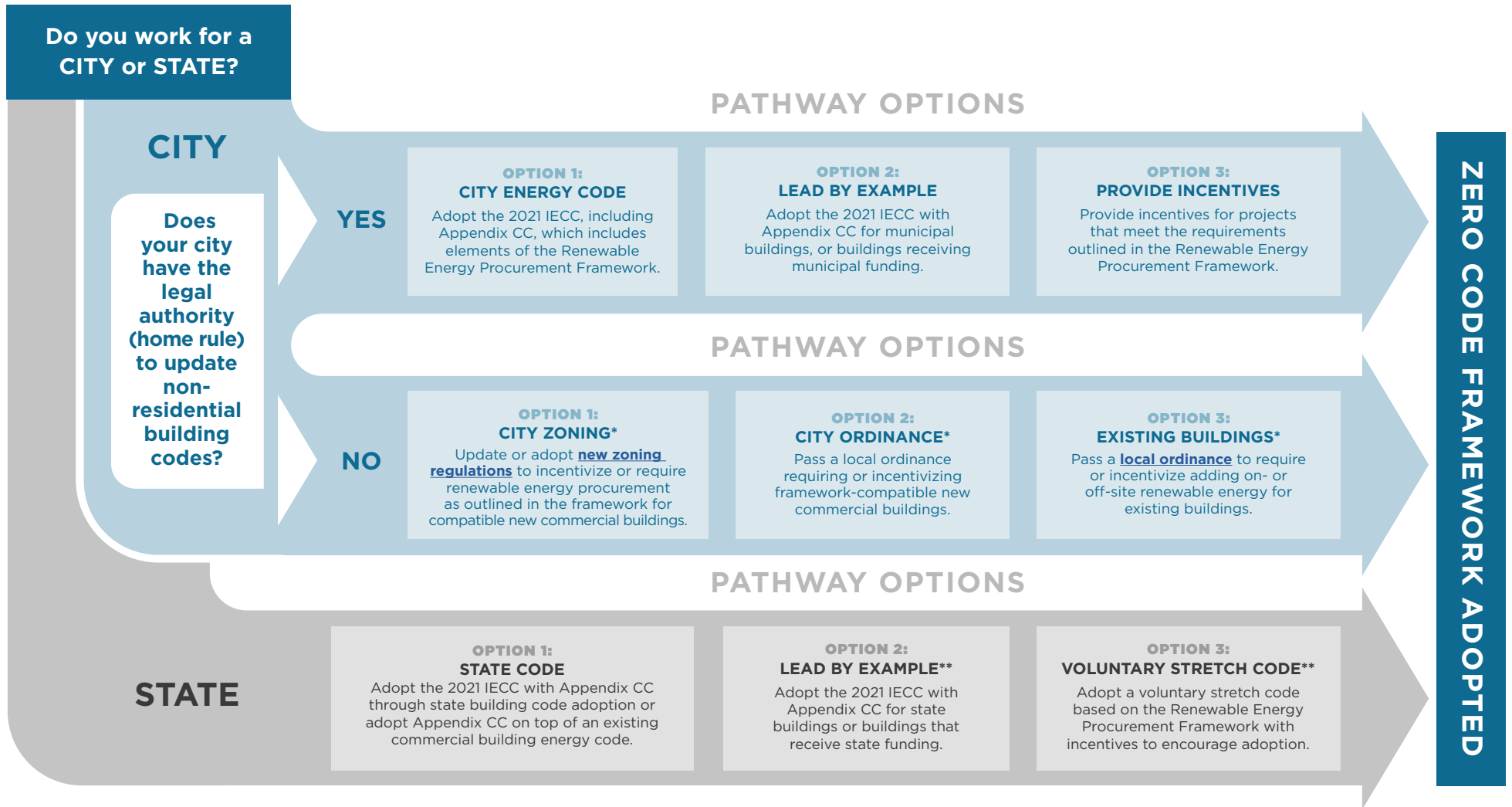


PATHWAYS TO ADOPT THE RENEWABLE ENERGY PROCUREMENT FRAMEWORK

The Zero Code Renewable Energy Procurement Framework can be advanced both inside and outside the building code adoption process. Find the best option for your city or state for adopting the framework, and note that some pathway options can be used in tandem. Some examples of pathways in action are linked below.



DEFINITIONS:

IECC = International Energy Conservation Code

Zero Code Renewable Energy Procurement Framework = 2021 IECC Appendix CC: Zero Energy Commercial Building Provisions

Framework-compatible = efficient buildings that procure or generate enough on- or off-site renewable energy to meet their annual energy needs.

* These pathways do not require a city to update building energy codes

** These options can be used in tandem