

Multifamily Housing Energy Efficiency and Weatherization Programs Forum

Multifamily Home Energy Retrofit Coordinating Committee

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AGENDA

9:30	Welcome Ophelia Basgal – HUD Regional Administrator
9:45	<i>PART ONE: Overview of California Energy Efficiency Efforts Supporting Multifamily Low Income Rental Housing Sector</i> <i>Core Question – How does the current program structure serve multifamily low income rental housing sector?</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• CPUC: Directions and policies for providing energy efficiency to multifamily low income rental housing• IOUs: Details on LIEE programs serving multifamily low income rental housing• CSD: Details on WAP/LIHEAP programs serving multifamily low income rental housing <i>(Note: Utility LIEE programs will soon be known as Energy Saving Assistance Programs)</i>
10:45	<i>PART TWO: Low-income Housing Practitioner Perspectives</i> <i>Core Question – What is the affordable housing experience with multifamily weatherization/energy efficiency programs? What are key interests and objectives in accessing program?</i> Perspectives on experience & lessons from affordable housing practitioners <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Eden Housing• East Bay Asian Local Development Corporation• BRIDGE Housing• California Housing Partnership Corporation
11:30	<i>PART THREE: Whole Building Approaches</i> <i>Core Questions –How does California’s plans to launch whole building multifamily programs under Energy Upgrade CA intersect with multifamily low income rental housing and adoption of whole building models? What are best practices/models for delivering a whole building program for multifamily low income rental housing?</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• StopWaste – Defining Whole Building• AEA – NY Experience and Model• HMG– Emerging “Whole Building” Models: SMUD Experience

1:30	<p>PART FOUR: Challenges and Opportunities for Coordinating and Integrating Weatherization and Energy Efficiency Resources</p> <p><i>Core Question – How does the Energy Upgrade CA “whole building” program concept fit in with existing low income programs? How can the energy efficiency programs serving multifamily low income rental housing be better designed, coordinated, and leveraged to support “whole building” approaches and what challenges and opportunities exist to achieving a more integrated delivery of energy efficiency products and services?</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CSD – WAP/LIHEAP Wx perspectives on enhancing coordination and leveraging • IOU s – LIEE perspectives on enhancing coordination and leveraging • CPUC/DRA –Perspectives on opportunities for program coordination across energy efficiency programs? • CHPC & Enterprise: Getting to Whole Building Solutions
2:45	<p>PART FIVE Challenges and Opportunities for Building Program Capacity</p> <p><i>Core Question – Is there training or technical assistance that is needed in order to build competencies and capacity to serve multifamily low income rental housing? What supplemental training and technical enhancements are necessary to build competencies and capacity to serve multifamily building types? How can a performance based auditor /verifier model be integrated to the current contractor delivery model?</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CSD – Multifamily audit readiness and training needs • RHA – Summary of current training offerings and potential inclusion of multifamily protocols • AEA – Technical and workforce challenges and model multifamily training programs and training opportunities • Build It Green – Energy Upgrade CA and HERS Multifamily training curriculum
3:45	<p>WRAP UP – HERCC Support</p> <p>AUDIENCE DISCUSSION: How can the participants in today’s discussion support the mutual objectives to enhance weatherization/energy efficiency programs and services for multifamily low income rental housing?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Enhance programs to benefit the currently underserved low-income tenants in multifamily rental housing • Achieve deeper and more cost-effective energy savings than current programs are capturing • Supporting design and implementation of “whole building” approaches for low income multifamily housing? <p>Next Steps</p>