

BPA Energy Efficiency Weekly Announcements, February 2, 2012

Events

Energy Smart Awareness Brown Bag -

February 15, 2012 - E Source Services Provided to BPA's Customers -

BPA sponsors a membership to E Source for all of its public utility and federal (Northwest facilities) customers. As an E Source member, you have free access to the [E Source Efficiency & Demand-Response Programs Service](#), and E Source [Technology Assessment Service](#) as well as exclusive access to the resources and events provided by E Source.

To ensure our utility customers have the information necessary to achieve the greatest value from this resource, BPA is hosting a Brown Bag webinar that will describe the services E Source provides for BPA's customers, how they can help your utility's efficiency programs, and how you can access them... [More](#)

General

Updates to PTCS program changes to address customer concerns -

During the recent brown bag webinar about BPA's PTCS program, we received a great deal of feedback from our customers about the new quality assurance inspection rules being implemented. Specifically several customers expressed concern over both the lack of a negative change notice and the differences between utility and contractor requirements for QA inspections. Having heard your feedback BPA is working to address your concerns... [More](#)

Reminders

Final Close-out of FY 2011 Capital Budget Overspend is Released -

On January 24, 2012 BPA released a final decision document that resolves the Energy Efficiency capital budget overspend from the 2011 fiscal year. Additionally, BPA released a response to public comments, and the final allocation of EEI budgets for FY 2013. These documents as well as historical information on this situation can be [found here](#).

We recognize that this has been a challenging period, and would like to offer our sincerest thanks for the engagement our customers and regional stakeholders have provided during this difficult process.

