

# BPA Energy Efficiency Weekly Announcements, July 17, 2015

## Events

### **Low Income Energy Efficiency Workgroup Meeting- July 21 in Pasco, Washington -**

BPA invites its public power customers and regional stakeholders to participate in the Low Income Energy Efficiency workgroup. BPA convened this workgroup as agreed to as part of the Post-2011 Review public process. Background on the workgroup and the draft agenda can be found [here](#).

### **Brownbag: Air Northwest - The HVAC Trade Ally Network -**

The Commercial Team has news to share about the launch of the [HVAC TAN](#). Join us on Wednesday, July 29 where we will be discussing the role of Air Northwest as a resource for utilities, and how they will work with trade allies to implement savings in the region...[More](#)

## Program Updates

### **Introducing Air Northwest!**

Bonneville Power Administration is proud to announce the creation of Air Northwest, an HVAC trade ally network. Air Northwest will provide commercial HVAC contractors and distributors across the region with tools to increase the sale and installation of more energy efficient HVAC systems and equipment. ...[More](#)

### **Upcoming Ductless System Manufacturer Promotions -**

Fujitsu and Mitsubishi have announced two manufacturer promotions, one beginning July 15, with product markdowns. Templates, tools and support will be provided by the Northwest Ductless Heat Pump Project and via BPA's Energy Efficiency Marketing Portal to help market these promotions to your customers...[More](#)

## General

### **Changes to UES Measure List Format -**

Recently BPA conducted a survey on proposed changes to the UES measure list format. We are pleased to announce that we will be eliminating 25 columns of data from the UES Measure List effective October 1, 2015. Background on this process and links to the list of columns that have been removed and a template of the UES Measure List that will take effect on October 1 can be found [here](#).



## Reminders

### **Weatherization Program Support Assessment -**

As a result of the RTF's re-calibration of the SEEM modeling tool, weatherization measures – both savings and payments – will be significantly reduced on October 1, 2015. Several customers have contacted BPA program staff to provide input and suggestions on how to manage through this change, but we would like to hear from more of our customers. Please help us by providing feedback on some of the suggestions. <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/BPAWxSupport>

### **BPA to Make Funds Available in the Unassigned Account -**

As BPA heads into the last quarter of Fiscal Year 2015, we will make one more allocation of funds available to customers through the Unassigned Account fund. BPA will release approximately \$900,000. If customers are planning to release any of their Energy Efficiency Incentive funds to the Unassigned Account, BPA is requesting you do so by July 17. BPA will add any funds released by customers and distribute them along with the planned \$900,000 using Unassigned Account allocations. [More](#)

### **Draft Non-Residential Lighting Models for Review -**

The non-residential lighting model is now available for review! BPA posts our draft models for one month for review and comment before we finalize our analysis. Available now are the models associated with Non-Residential Lighting. Extensive review and critical feedback improves the analysis and we deeply appreciate feedback on this work. Please send all comments and feedback to Bonnie Watson, [bfwatson@bpa.gov](mailto:bfwatson@bpa.gov).

### **Non-residential Lighting—comments due by August 7, 2015**

- [Non-residential lighting market momentum savings model](#)
- [Non-residential lighting methodology](#)
- [Aggregated Non-residential Lighting Sales Data](#)

The RTF is Soliciting Applications for Membership -

The Northwest Power and Conservation Council is soliciting applications for appointment to the Regional Technical Forum to serve a three year term beginning January 2016. By serving on the RTF you can help advise the region on technical matters related to conservation and renewable resource development.

Applications (including a letter of interest and resume) are due by Aug. 31. More detail on the RTF and the process to apply for membership can be found [here](#).

**Draft Momentum Savings Allocation Percentages for review EXTENDED through July 30, 2015 -**

BPA has posted draft momentum savings allocation percentages for review. BPA developed the draft momentum savings allocation methods in close collaboration with the public utilities. [Draft Momentum Savings Allocation Percentages](#). We welcome all comments and feedback by July 30, 2015 (extended from June 30.)

BPA fixed an error in the description of the draft allocations spreadsheet for non-HVAC savings shares. Previously, the description said we used the total number of BPA customer utility residential customer count and this has been corrected to the total regional residential customer count (including IOUs and Public Utilities). This change does not impact the draft allocation percentages, just the description on the "READ ME" tab of the workbook.

BPA will review comments and issue a revised method by the end of August (although more time may be necessary if the comments we receive are substantial). Please send comments to your EER or to Bonnie Watson at [bfwatson@bpa.gov](mailto:bfwatson@bpa.gov).