

# BPA Energy Efficiency Weekly Announcement, November 5, 2015

## Events

### **Low Income Energy Efficiency Workgroup - Agenda Posted**

The next meeting is scheduled for November 5 in Portland. The agenda has been posted [here](#).

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### **Brown Bag: BPA Site Specific Evaluation Results -**

On November 18, BPA will be sharing the results of the Site Specific Evaluation that evaluated savings from custom and lighting projects that occurred in BPA fiscal years 2012/2013. The savings from this time period represent almost half of the Public Power's programmatic savings and are an important element of how the region meets its energy efficiency targets...[More](#)

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## General

### **New Summarizer Has Been Posted to the Document Library -**

A new version of the Summarizer has been posted [here](#) in the Interim Solution 2.0 Files. This version is in sync with all measures effective October 1, 2015. If you have any questions please contact your EER.

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### **How We Measure Momentum Savings -**

Ever wondered how we measure Momentum Savings, but don't want to wade through spreadsheets of technical documentation or complicated methodologies?

Our analysis is based on current practice baseline analysis, and measuring the change from one year to the next. Understanding the market helps us focus program investments, identify new program opportunities and understand the energy efficiency resource. [Click here to read our entire article on Conduit and watch our new explainer video](#)

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### **For Review: Draft Residential HVAC Momentum Savings Analysis and Results -**

BPA has posted our draft research results and Momentum Savings estimates for the residential HVAC market on its website. These materials include aggregated sales data from regional HVAC distributors, a description of the technical method for calculating Momentum Savings, draft Momentum Savings results, and an analysis of future research opportunities to fill existing data gaps. Please download the package of materials by visiting the Momentum Savings webpage and send your comments to Bonnie Watson ([bfwatson@bpa.gov](mailto:bfwatson@bpa.gov)) by December 18th.

Materials can be downloaded using this link: <http://www.bpa.gov/EE/Utility/research-archive/Pages/Momentum-Savings-Reports.aspx>

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## **Reminders**

### **Option 1 Custom Project Calculator Updated -**

BPA recently discovered several errors in the incentive rates within the Option 1 custom project calculator. We have corrected these errors and have posted [Version 3.1](#) on the [Interim Solution 2.0 Files](#) page on BPA.gov. Please use this version for all submissions going forward. Should you have submitted a project on version 3.0 or are in the process of doing so, please contact your EER for guidance on how to address the situation.

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### **Utility Sounding Board Meeting November 5 - Agenda Posted -**

The next meeting of the Utility Sounding Board is November 5 by telephone. The agenda is [here](#).

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### **Regional Business Case for Smart Grid - White Paper**

In the next 30 years, broad investment in communicating and technologies are expected to deliver \$6 Billion of net present value to the Pacific Northwest, based on a newly released white paper. BPA contracted Navigant to leverage the data from the PNW Smart Grid Demonstration Project and other sources to make a business case for future investments. This white paper breaks the analysis into six Investment Categories, highlighting the opportunities most likely to deliver benefits. Find the white paper and a summary [here](#).

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### **NWPCC Releases Draft 7th Power Plan for Public Comment -**

On October 14, The Northwest Power and Conservation Council unanimously approved the release of the Draft 7th Power Plan, which is now posted on the Council website, located [here](#). The approval of the draft plan begins a 60-day public comment period. The Council requests public comment until December 18. The Council will be hosting a series of public hearings throughout the region in November and December. A schedule of the hearings is also posted on the Council [website](#).

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### **Updated Version of the October 2015 Implementation Manual and UES Measure List Posted -**

Some minor updates were made to the October 2015 Implementation Manual and the UES Measure List. A new updated version of the IM can be found [here](#) on the IM page. A new updated version of the UES Measure List can be found [here](#) in the Interim Solution 2.0 Files.

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