

Connecticut Energy Efficiency Board

2020 Public Input Sessions

2021 Update to the 2019-2021 Conservation and Load Management Plan and COVID-19 Program Impacts and Planning

Wednesday April 8, 2020, 1:00 - 2:30 pm and Wednesday, May 13, 2020, 1:00 - 2:30 pm

Both meetings are webinars only

The Connecticut Energy Efficiency Board (EEB) invites you to two public input sessions for the 2021 Update to the 2019-2021 Conservation and Load Management (C&LM) Plan. Given the current situation, the EEB would also like to take comments on COVID-19 program impacts and planning. The two sessions will be held on Wednesday, April 8, 2020, 1:00 - 2:30 pm, and on Wednesday, May 13, 1:00 - 2:30 pm. Both meetings will be webinar only. Webinar information is provided below in this invitation. Note that the EEB will hold its April and May monthly meetings (also by webinar) immediately following the public input sessions.

The EEB welcomes input as part of its collaborative process with the electric and gas utility companies, the Department of Energy and Environmental Protection (DEEP), the CT Green Bank, interested stakeholders and the general public, for developing the 2021 Update to the 2019-2021 C&LM Plan. The 2021 Update will provide recommendations to the DEEP about the allocation of C&LM resources for energy efficiency and demand response programs and related activities for the 2021 calendar year. The EEB is interested in receiving public comments on what should be included in the 2021 Update, and on what key issues the EEB should take into consideration in developing the 2021 Update. In addition, the EEB would like to receive public input on how COVID-19 related program changes may impact the 2021 Plan Update. The current three-year plan and related information may be found online at: http://energizect.com/about/eeboard/plans.

Established through CGS 16-245m, the EEB is comprised of ten voting members representing business and consumer interests as well as state agencies, and five non-voting representatives of the state's electric and gas utilities. It advises and assists the utilities in the development and implementation of Connecticut's energy efficiency and demand response plans.

There is no formal advance registration. However, to facilitate planning, **please confirm your** intention to provide verbal and/or written comments by emailing Craig Diamond, the EEB's Executive Secretary, in advance of the sessions. His contact information is below.

A record of public input becomes part of the Plan itself. Therefore, it is important that commenters provide written input, preferably in advance of the session. Presentations during the public input session should be **no longer than seven minutes**. **Please email to Craig Diamond electronic copies of your remarks**, and/or a PowerPoint presentation if you plan to use one, in advance of the sessions.

Executive Secretary Contact Information

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Webinar Information

April 8, 2020

Web conference: https://global.gotomeeting.com/join/679634413

Phone: (408) 650-3123 / Passcode: 679-634-413

May 13, 2020

Web conference: https://global.gotomeeting.com/join/149656765

Phone: (646) 749-3122 / Passcode: 149-656-765

The EEB looks forward to hearing from you during the public input sessions. If you have any questions, please contact Craig Diamond.

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Chair, Connecticut Energy Efficiency Board

About the Connecticut C&LM Plan

The Connecticut C&LM Plan promotes efficient energy use, helps residents and businesses save on their electric and natural gas bills, advances economic development, reduces electric demand, and helps reduce air pollution. C&LM Plan programs serve residential customers, including limited-and fixed-income customers, as well as business and municipal customers. Connecticut's energy efficiency programs are funded by a charge on customers' utility bills and administered by the state's electric and gas utilities including: Eversource (previously Connecticut Light and Power and Yankee Gas), The United Illuminating Company, Connecticut Natural Gas, and Southern Connecticut Gas. Additional information on Connecticut's energy efficiency programs can be found at EnergizeCT.com or by calling 1-877-WISE-USE. C&LM Plan program activities and results may be viewed at: http://www.energizect.com/connecticut-energy-efficiency-board/annualreports.

About Energize Connecticut

Energize Connecticut helps you save money and use clean energy. It is an initiative of the Connecticut C&LM Plan, the Connecticut Green Bank, the State, Eversource, UI, SCG and CNG, with funding from a charge on customer energy bills.