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Community Action Agency of OKC celebrates Weatherization Day

[Oklahoma City, Oklahoma] – Capitalizing on the Department of Energy’s (DOE) declaration of October as Energy Awareness Month, CAA of OKC is banding together to raise the public’s awareness of the Weatherization Assistance Program (WAP).

This day is an annual event highlighting the awareness of home energy conservation measures.

WHO: Local vendors, community partners, weatherization approved clients, weatherization staff

WHAT: Weatherization Day 2010

WHEN: October 20, 2010 from 10:00 a.m. to noon. We will have local vendors on hand to discuss the types of materials we use to weatherize a home, community partners to discuss how they assist in the weatherization process, weatherization technicians will be on hand to answer questions about how to perform an energy audit, devices used to perform an energy audit, clients approved for the program and an energy education class will be held from 10:00 a.m. until 11:00 a.m.

WHERE: 319 SW 25th Street in the lobby (1st floor)

WHY: Weatherization Day was conceived as a means to focus local, state, and national attention on the program and the work being performed by dedicated members of the WAP.

HOW: Since the inception of the program in 1976, more than 5 million homes across the nation have been weatherized. These households save an average of \$300 annually on their energy bills after the weatherization work is completed.

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