

**Department of Energy** 

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## WEATHERIZATION PROGRAM NOTICE 09-2 EFFECTIVE DATE: March 25, 2009

SUBJECT: PROGRAM YEAR 2009 GRANTEE ALLOCATIONS

**PURPOSE:** To provide final Grantee allocations for preparation and submission of applications for funding of the Low-Income Weatherization Assistance Program for Program Year (PY) 2009.

**SCOPE:** The provisions of this guidance apply to all Grantees applying for financial assistance under the Department of Energy (DOE) Weatherization Assistance Program. This guidance supersedes Weatherization Program Notice 09-1-A.

**LEGAL AUTHORITY:** Title IV, Energy Conservation and Production Act, as amended, authorizes the Department of Energy to administer the Weatherization Assistance Program. All grant awards made under this program shall comply with applicable law including regulations contained in 10 CFR Part 440 (issued February 1, 2002), the Energy Policy Act of 2005, the Energy Independence and Security Act of 2007, the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 and other procedures applicable to this regulation as DOE may, from time-to-time, prescribe for the administration of financial assistance.

**BACKGROUND:** On March 11, 2009, the President signed into law the Omnibus Appropriations Act (Omnibus), 2009, Public Law 111-8, which provided funding to the Weatherization Assistance Program for Fiscal Year 2009 of \$200,000,000. Effective October 27, 2008, DOE issued Weatherization Program Notice 09-1-A, which made available \$250,000,000 in supplemental funding appropriated by the Consolidated Security, Disaster Assistance, and Continuing Appropriations Act, 2009, Public Law 110-329. This does not include funding provided by the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act (Recovery Act) of 2009, which was made available by DOE through Weatherization Program Notice 09-1-B.

**PROCEDURES:** There are provisions in the Energy Independence and Security Act of 2007 and the Recovery Act that affect the allocation of the \$450,000,000 addressed in this notice. The Energy Independence and Security Act of 2007 states that, "whenever the Weatherization appropriation exceeds \$275 million, the Secretary may use up to 2% of the appropriation for sustainable energy resources for consumer's grants". The Recovery Act increased the eligibility criteria for the Program from 150% to 200% of poverty and increased the maximum amount that DOE may reserve for training and technical assistance from 10% to up to 20%; these statute changes affect all Weatherization Assistance Program funding.

The Energy Independence and Security Act of 2007 expanded the definition of "State" to include the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico, and any other territory or possession of the United States, which for the Weatherization Program includes American Samoa, Guam, Northern Mariana Islands, and the U.S. Virgin Islands. Therefore, these five territories will receive a portion of the Recovery Act and the Omnibus appropriations. However, the territories did not receive a portion of the \$250 million supplemental funding because Weatherization Program Notice 09-1-A was issued before changes to the Program regulations, 10 CFR 440, to include the territories and revise the base allocation formula.

The final Grantee allocations included in this guidance are to be used in conjunction with Weatherization Program Notice 09-1, PY 2009 Weatherization Grant Guidance, in developing the annual grant application for PY 2009. Grantees should develop their final PY 2009 State Plans based on these allocations. Supplemental funding already awarded will be subtracted from the allocations included in this guidance.

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Estimated FY2009 State Allocations @ Appropriation of:			\$450,000,000
State	FY 2009 Program Allocation	FY 2009 T&TA Allocation	FY 2009 Total Allocation
Alabama	\$4,485,045	\$973,917	\$5,458,962
Alaska	\$2,076,217	\$477,700	\$2,553,917
Arizona	\$3,340,479	\$738,137	\$4,078,616
Arkansas	\$3,301,469	\$730,101	\$4,031,570
California	\$11,700,786	\$2,460,357	\$14,161,143
Colorado	\$7,522,411	\$1,599,614	\$9,122,025
Connecticut	\$4,365,962	\$949,386	\$5,315,348
Delaware	\$939,778	\$243,594	\$1,183,372
District of Columbia	\$786,648	\$212,049	\$998,697
Florida	\$8,155,254	\$1,729,979	\$9,885,233
Georgia	\$6,836,286	\$1,458,272	\$8,294,558
Hawaii	\$284,875	\$108,684	\$393,559
Idaho	\$2,749,588	\$616,414	\$3,366,002
Illinois	\$19,917,167	\$4,152,928	\$24,070,095
Indiana	\$10,192,604	\$2,149,672	\$12,342,276
Iowa	\$7,071,838	\$1,506,796	\$8,578,634
Kansas	\$4,106,043	\$895,843	\$5,001,886
Kentucky	\$6,294,280	\$1,346,619	\$7,640,899
Louisiana	\$2,962,815	\$660,339	\$3,623,154
Maine	\$4,042,019	\$882,654	\$4,924,673
Maryland	\$4,336,930	\$943,406	\$5,280,336
Massachusetts	\$9,738,698	\$2,056,168	\$11,794,866
Michigan	\$21,475,844	\$4,474,015	\$25,949,859
Minnesota	\$13,203,108	\$2,769,835	\$15,972,943
Mississippi	\$3,063,262	\$681,031	\$3,744,293
Missouri	\$9,549,009	\$2,017,092	\$11,566,101
Montana	\$3,076,504	\$683,759	\$3,760,263
Nebraska	\$3,583,978	\$788,298	\$4,372,276
Nevada	\$2,071,083	\$476,642	\$2,547,725
New Hampshire	\$2,059,394	\$474,234	\$2,533,628
New Jersey	\$8,353,835	\$1,770,887	\$10,124,722
New Mexico	\$2,631,828	\$592,156	\$3,223,984
New York	\$30,351,989	\$6,302,501	\$36,654,490
North Carolina	\$8,057,022	\$1,709,743	\$9,766,765
North Dakota	\$3,009,389	\$669,933	\$3,679,322

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Ohio	\$20,832,897	\$4,341,568	\$25,174,465
Oklahoma	\$4,229,122	\$921,197	\$5,150,319
Oregon	\$3,742,372	\$820,927	\$4,563,299
Pennsylvania	\$21,020,365	\$4,380,187	\$25,400,552
Rhode Island	\$1,635,886	\$386,992	\$2,022,878
South Carolina	\$3,476,228	\$766,102	\$4,242,330
South Dakota	\$2,462,803	\$557,336	\$3,020,139
Tennessee	\$7,065,692	\$1,505,530	\$8,571,222
Texas	\$16,371,389	\$3,422,500	\$19,793,889
Utah	\$3,124,441	\$693,634	\$3,818,075
Vermont	\$1,634,528	\$386,712	\$2,021,240
Virginia	\$6,613,549	\$1,412,388	\$8,025,937
Washington	\$5,964,928	\$1,278,773	\$7,243,701
West Virginia	\$3,953,255	\$864,369	\$4,817,624
Wisconsin	\$12,368,501	\$2,597,906	\$14,966,407
Wyoming	\$1,364,689	\$331,125	\$1,695,814
American Samoa	\$122,320	\$74,464	\$196,784
Guam	\$124,090	\$74,818	\$198,908
Puerto Rico	\$335,465	\$117,093	\$452,558
Northern Mariana Islands	\$122,655	\$74,531	\$197,186
Virgin Islands	\$125,401	\$75,080	\$200,481
Headquarters T&TA			\$13,230,000
2% Sustainable Energy Resourc	\$9,000,000		
Total	\$352,384,013	\$75,385,987	\$450,000,000
Navajo Grant:	\$610,126	\$93,722	\$703,848
Northern Arapahoe Grant:	\$116,558	\$28,282	\$144,840
Arizona (adjusted)	\$3,006,432	\$664,324	\$3,670,756
New Mexico (adjusted)	\$2,355,749	\$572,248	\$2,927,997
Wyoming (adjusted)	\$1,248,131	\$302,843	\$1,550,974

Note: The proposed FY2009 appropriation is above the threshold that triggers changes to the allocation formula mandated by the interim final rule published on June 5, 1995 in the Federal Register, Volume 60, No. 107, Pages 29469-29481.