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# California Schools Healthy Air, Plumbing, and Efficiency (CalSHAPE) Program Workshop

California Energy Commission February 15, 2022



#### **California Energy Commission**

- Commissioner Andrew McAllister, Ph.D.
- Commissioner Karen Douglas, J.D.

#### **California Public Utilities Commission**

Commissioner Genevieve Shiroma



- Workshop/hearing conducted remotely via Zoom
- 3 ways to comment:
  - Use the "raise hand" feature in Zoom
  - Over the telephone: dial \*9 to "raise hand" and \*6 to mute/unmute your phone line
  - Type your question in the Q&A window
- Please limit comments to 3 minutes
- Written comments due at 5:00 p.m. on February 22, 2022
  - Submit through the e-commenting system at: <u>https://efiling.energy.ca.gov/EComment/EComment.aspx?d</u> <u>ocketnumber=20-RENEW-01</u>



Program Overview and Status Update Application Process Eligibility Requirements Funding Categories with Exhausted Funds Next Steps Public Comment



### **Program Overview and Status**





- CalSHAPE includes 2 Grant Programs:
  - CalSHAPE Ventilation Program: assess, maintain, and repair or replace ventilation systems
  - CalSHAPE Plumbing Program: replace aging and inefficient plumbing fixtures and appliances
- CEC is Program Administrator
  - Coordinating with Large Electric and Gas Utilities Funding the Program and CA Public Utilities Commission

## Status - Implementation Progress

Event	Date
AB 841 Signed Into Law	September 2020
Program Guidelines Adopted	June 2021
Funding Round 1 - Plumbing	August 2021
Funding Round 1 - Ventilation	September 2021
Reviewing Applications and Issuing Awards	On-Going



#### **Eligible Applicants limited to California LEAs include:**

- A school district as defined in Section 41302.5 of the Education Code
- A charter school that has been granted a charter pursuant to Part 26.8 (commencing with Section 47600) of Division 4 of Title 2 of the Education Code
- A regional occupational center established pursuant to Section 52301 of the Education Code that is operated by a joint powers authority and that has an active career technical education advisory committee pursuant to Section 8070 of the Education Code



### LEAs may apply for grants to conduct activities at schools that:

- Are on a site owned by the LEA
- Are on a publicly owned site, such as a site owned by a school district or other public entity, whether the LEA has a lease with that entity
- Are on a privately-owned site, for which there is a lease with a term that exceeds the duration of the program, ending after December 1, 2026



"Underserved community" means a community that meets one of the following criteria:

- A "disadvantaged community" as defined by subdivision (g) of Section 75005 of the Public Resources Code
- Included within the definition of "low-income communities" as defined by paragraph (2) of subdivision (d) of Section 39713 of Health and Safety Code
- CalEnviroScreen score of 75 or higher
- ≥75% of students eligible for FRPM under National School Lunch Program
- Located on lands belonging to a federally recognized California Indian tribe

### **CalSHAPE – Ventilation Program**

Provides funding to assess, maintain, and repair heating, ventilation, and air conditioning (HVAC) systems in public schools, prioritizing schools in underserved communities.



## **CalSHAPE – Ventilation Program**

- Awards limited to HVAC Assessment and Maintenance Grants
- 3 Application Pathways
- All project requirements must be completed, no funding for partial projects
- Grant award will be amount requested by LEA and verified with a contractor estimate
- Contractor estimate must only be for reasonable costs of project requirements
- Advance payment of 50% of the grant award

### **CalSHAPE- Plumbing Program**

Funding to replace aging and inefficient plumbing fixtures and appliances with water-conserving plumbing fixtures and appliances in public schools, prioritizing facilities in underserved communities.



## CalSHAPE – Plumbing Program

- Application must include documentation confirming plumbing fixtures and appliances qualify as noncompliant
- Final report must include documentation to verify installation of water-conserving plumbing fixtures and appliances
- LEAs must dispose or recycle all noncompliant plumbing fixtures and appliances in compliance with all local requirements
- Grant award will be amount requested by LEA and verified with a contractor estimate



### **Funding Round 1 Update**





- 450 applications received
  - 130 Plumbing
  - 320 Ventilation
- \$170M in requested funds
  - \$18.5M Plumbing
  - \$150.8M Ventilation

- 118 Notices of Proposed Awards Issued
  - 38 Plumbing
  - 80 Ventilation
- \$52M in NOPAs Issued

\*As of 2/14/2022



#### • 26% Eligible LEAs

- 213 of 829 total
- 21% Schools in an underserved community
  - 1,316 of 6,262 total
- 76% of Counties with Eligible LEAs
  - 44 of 58 total





- 320 applications funding round 1
- \$150M requested funds
- 138,000 HVAC filters
- 57,000 C02 monitors



- 129 applications funding round 1
- \$19M requested funds
- 100 appliances
- 10,000 plumbing fixtures



#### **Estimated Annual Program Funding\***

	SCE	PG&E	SDG&E	SoCalGas	Total
2021 Program Funding	\$110 M	\$115 M	\$58 M	\$1.5 M	\$285 M
2022 Program Funding	\$87 M	\$81 M	\$25 M	\$0	\$193 M
2023 Program Funding	\$75 M	\$69 M	\$21 M	\$0	\$165 M
Total Program Funding**	\$272 M	\$265 M	\$104 M	\$1.5 M	\$643 M

nnual amounts based on CPUC Decision 21-01-004 and 2020 Unspent and Uncommitted Fund Performance Audits

Total amounts do not include 2021 and 2022 unspent and uncommitted funds



	Estimate	ed Annual Pr	ogram Fund	ling	
	SCE	PG&E	SDG&E	SoCalGas	Total
Total Program Funding*	\$272 M	\$265 M	\$104 M	\$1.5 M	\$643 M
Funds Requested Funding Round 1	\$79 M	\$63 M	\$17 M	\$11 M	\$170 M
Remaining Program Funds	\$193 M	\$202 M	\$87 M	- \$9.5M	\$482 M

\* Total Program Funding amounts do not include 2021 and 2022 unspent and uncommitted funds



### **Application Process**









### **Application Corrections**





- Letter of Authorization (third party applicants)
- Proof of Ownership (charter schools)
  - Letter stating ownership is acceptable for school districts
- Proof of Complying Lease
  - Lease term must end after December 1, 2026
  - Letter of Intent from owner to extend lease to December 1, 2026, is acceptable
- Application costs matching contractor estimate
- Licensed contractor estimate

### **Contractor Estimate – Ventilation**

- Contractor estimate must include:
  - Labor and materials costs for Assessment and Maintenance, CO2 monitor installation, and filter replacement (site specific)
  - Unit counts for HVAC systems, CO2 monitors, and filters (site specific)
  - Project timeline
  - Description of work to be performed
- Costs and unit counts must match application in system
- 20% contingency not needed in estimate; amount is calculated by system



- Can be added to contractor estimate
- Includes required site project costs
- Available on program webpage

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### **Common Corrections – Ventilation**

- Ineligible costs:
  - HVAC Verification Report
  - Project management
  - Training and development
  - Portable air purifiers
  - CO2 monitors in rooms/buildings other than classrooms
  - Building automation components

## **Contractor Estimate – Plumbing**

- Contractor estimate must include:
  - Unit costs for each plumbing fixture/appliance (site specific)
    - Unit cost = sum of the material and labor costs for each unit
  - Unit counts for noncompliant plumbing fixtures/appliances (site specific)
  - Project timeline
  - Description of work to be performed
- Costs and unit counts in estimate must match application in system

## **Common Corrections – Plumbing**

- Proof of Noncompliant Plumbing Fixtures or Appliances
  - Written explanation on why information is unknown
  - Additional information to confirm noncompliant
    - Documentation should be from LEA or contractor
    - Examples of acceptable documentation/information:
      - Flow rates
      - Year purchased or installed
      - General information on approximate age, such as age of building if never replaced

### **Common Corrections – Plumbing**

- Ineligible costs:
  - Plumbing Verification Report
  - Electrical upgrades
  - Re-plumbing
  - Plumbing reimbursement
  - 20% Contingency (not part of Plumbing Program)
- Ineligible plumbing fixtures and appliances:
  - Plumbing fixtures and appliances that do not meet noncompliant requirements in *Plumbing Guidelines*, Chapter 2, Section B
  - Drinking fountains, pool pumps, water heaters

### Notices of Proposed Award

- Notice of proposed award (NOPA) issued for complete applications
- NOPA sent to applicant by email and provides:
  - Grant award amount
  - Grant agreement (attached to email)
  - Instructions for completing required documents:
    - Payee Record Form: STD-204
    - Grant agreement: CEC146
    - Governing Body Resolution
- Award funds not reserved until grant agreement is executed by CEC



- Use current form on CEC program webpage
- Section 1- name must be LEA's legal name and match federal tax return
- Section 3- FEIN must be completed
- Section 5- must be completed and signed
- Section 6- completed by CEC

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### **CEC Grant Agreement CEC-146**

- Attached to NOPA Issued email from CaISHAPE Online System
- To complete:
  - Sign, date, and complete Recipient section
    - Electronic or digital signature preferred
  - Fill in LEA contacts in Exhibit C

CEC-146 (Revised 3/2019)			CALIFORNIA ENERGY CO	OMMISSION
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- Template on webpage
- Separate Resolution for each program
- CEQA determination
  - Public Resources Code 21065
  - Title 14, CA Code of Regulations 15000

California Schools Healthy Air, Plumbing, and Efficiency Program Governing Body Resolution

RESOLUTION NO.

Resolution of

Name of Local Educational Agency

WHEREAS, the California Energy Commission's California Schools Healthy Air, Plumbing, and Efficiency (CalSHAPE) Program provides grants to local educational agencies (LEA), that includes school districts, charter schools, and regional occupational programs, to fund the assessment, maintenance, and repair of ventilation systems, installation of carbon dioxide monitors, and replacement of noncompliant plumbing fixtures and appliances; NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that Governing Body to apply for a authorizes LEA Name grant from the California Energy Commission to implement a CalSHAPE Program project. **BE IT ALSO RESOLVED**, that in compliance with the California Environmental Quality finds that the activity funded by Act (CEQA), Governina Body the grant is (Please select one) not a project because OR a project that is exempt under because OR a project and document was prepared. **BE IT ALSO RESOLVED**, that if recommended for funding by the California Energy Commission, the authorizes Governing Body LEA Name to accept a grant up to \$ and accept all grant agreement Grant Amount Requested


- CEC will:
  - Review documents
  - Check for sufficient funds in funding category(ies)
  - Execute grant agreement
  - Schedule initial payment with the State Controller's Office (SCO)
- Payment will be sent to LEA address provided on STD-204
- 4 6 weeks to receive payment (estimate)



## **Program Eligibility**



# **Eligibility Considerations**

- Current guidelines limit CalSHAPE to underserved community schools only
- Any changes to eligibility require revision to Guidelines
- Legislation requires 25% of projects in underserved communities and offered priority to apply
- Eligibility changes annually



Possible Approaches to Program Eligibility:

- 1. No change
  - Limited to schools in underserved communities only
- 2. No change in Funding Round 2, eligibility for all schools in Funding Round 3
  - Guidelines will be updated to add eligibility for all schools prior to start of Funding Round 3
- 3. Eligibility for all schools in Funding Round 2
  - Start of Funding Round 2 will be delayed for guidelines to be updated to add eligibility for all schools



## **Funding Categories**



# **Utility Funding Categories**



# **Utility Funding Categories**





Current Process for Funding Categories with Exhausted Funds:

- Same application process as with all applications:
  - 1. Applications are accepted and reviewed by CEC staff
  - 2. Notice of proposed award (NOPA) is issued for complete applications
  - 3. Signed grant agreement, resolution, and STD 204 submitted by applicant
  - 4. Documents reviewed by CEC staff to confirm complete
- CEC will not execute grant agreement until sufficient funds available



	SoCalGas
Total Program Funding*	\$1.5 M
Funds Requested Funding Round 1	\$11 M
Remaining Program Funds	- \$9.5M

- Current requested amount in SoCalGas exceeds projected funding
- Funding beyond 2023 is uncertain
- Invested time to submit application



Possible Approaches to Exhausted Funding:

### 1. No change

- Applications accepted, notification of insufficient funds prior to CEC execution of grant
- 2. Restrict application submittal in exhausted funding categories
  - Following notice, CEC will restrict applications for sites in funding categories with exhausted funds

### 3. Application Queue

 Applications will be accepted, but not processed for sites in funding categories with exhausted funds



## **Next Steps**





- Update corrections resubmittal timeframe from 10 calendar days to 10 business days excluding state and federal holidays
- Clarify application package requirements for:
  - Proof of Ownership or Complying Lease
  - Proof of Noncompliant Plumbing Fixtures and Appliances



Next Steps (subject to change)	Date
Grant Award Execution	On-Going
Comments Due	February 22, 2022
Notice of Funding Availability Round 2	March 2022
CalSHAPE Annual Report	March 2022
Notice of Availability Revised Guidelines	April 2022
Grant Awards/ Checks	April 2022
<b>CEC Business Meet to adopt Revised Guidelines</b>	May 2022



- Submit written comments
- Complete corrections
- Submit NOPA documents
- Check webmap for eligibility
- Notice of Funding Availability Round 2
- Contact CalSHAPE staff for help





### **Priority Eligibility Changes:**

- Should program eligibility be expanded to all schools?
- If eligibility is expanded, which funding round should the expanded eligibility begin?
- Should the CEC continue to offer priority to schools that meet underserved community criteria even after eligibility is expanded?
  - For example, a priority period at start of funding round.

#### **Funding Categories with Exhausted Funds:**

• Should the program continue to accept applications for schools in funding categories in which funds have been exhausted?

#### **Potential Guidelines Revisions:**

 Are there any application package or process requirements that need clarification?



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