

What's Working in Residential Energy Efficiency Upgrade Programs Lisanne Altmann, Director of Residential Programs Long Island Power Authority May 20, 2011





Adding space?

We'll help you reduce your energy bills at the same time!

Expand the reach of Home Performance programs by using Remodeling projects as leads.







Contractor Delivery Mechanism

Early Pilot Phase will be a coordinated effort.



A Home Performance with ENERGY STAR Contractor and a Remodeling Contractor under Program Oversight





Contractor Role

- Perform Pre-Test of Existing Home and Additional Space
- Perform CHA on Existing Home
- Develop a HP Work Scope for the Existing Home
- Work with Remodeler to develop a Remodel Work Scope for Additional Space
- Install Measures
- Perform Test Out After Additional Space Remodel Complete



Program Role



- Use Pre-Test Data to quantify the home's energy efficiency level prior to remodel activities
- Review and Approve HP and Remodel Workscopes
- Conduct QA/QC of Activities during Pilot Phase
- Use Post-Test Data to Develop a Home Energy Score
- Award Remodel with Energy Star Certificate to Homeowner
- Develop a Tier Based Recognition System based on % of Energy Savings



Towns Role/Process

Towns of Babylon & Southampton

- ID building permit applications
- Completion within 6-9 Months
- Reduced Permit Fees
- Expedited Permit Process





A previously unconditioned space undergoing modification or renovation









A New conditioned space where one did not exist





Eligible LIPA Program Rebates



ENERGY STAR

Typical Annual Customer Energy Savings



<u>Remodel Scenario</u>	Potential Customer Annual Electric Bill Savings	Potential Customer Annual Gas Bill Savings	Potential Total Customer Annual Energy Bill Savings
Garage Conversion	\$437	\$175	\$612
Attic Conversion	\$327	\$216	\$543
Finished Basement	\$312	\$24	\$336
Full Gut	\$776	\$158	\$934
Additional Space	\$497	\$239	\$736





Real Estate Broker's Buy-In

Quote from Long Island Board of Realtors:

"A home that has a LIPA Home Energy Score attached to it will create an automatic incentive for a future buyer looking to purchase the home. On Long Island, we currently have over 29,000 available properties for sale on the MLS. Today's Buyers have many properties to choose from when looking for a home - – any home that would BOAST a LIPA Home Energy Score will be more desirable and more marketable. So in today's market – a home that has the energy score could make all the difference."



Sample Home Certificate





Press Conference held March 15th, 2011











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http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=aoO0frUNLtE





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