

# DOE FEMP Welcome and Announcements

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# Welcome to the Fall 2018 FUPWG Seminar

- Thank you, Dominion Energy - 2018 Fall FUPWG Seminar host utility.



- Special thanks to Dennis Collins and Sue Trollinger for their hard work to coordinate and provide logistics support. Thank you also to Jarryd Coates and Eric Tatum for their early planning efforts.
- Thank you to FUPWG Fed Council (maroon ribbons)
- Thank you speakers (blue ribbons)
- Fire Exits & Restrooms

# FUPWG Fall 2018

## Who is here today?

- Agency representatives
- Utility representatives
- Energy Service Companies
- Other

*112 first-time FUPWG  
Seminar Attendees*

- **Reach out to the UESC Team (Tracy, Karen, Deb, Katy, Katie, Brian, Susan and Matt) to facilitate networking. (teal ribbons)**
  - FUPWG Challenge - Sit with someone new at lunch today
- **Evaluation Form – Help us improve FUPWG! Please complete and return the form to receive your Certificate of Participation.**

# FUPWG Seminar Basics

## Attendees agree to follow the Federal Utility Partnership Working Group Seminar Code of Conduct:

- Hospitality/social functions (on and off-site) must not conflict with the timing of official FUPWG Seminar activities listed on the Agenda.
- Aggressive sales techniques are to be avoided while attending the Seminar. Signs and flyers may not be displayed or distributed in the seminar or guestroom areas of the hotel reserved for FUPWG Seminar participants.

# UESC Program Update

- **Utility Partnership Program Website – Ongoing Updates**
  - Help FEMP stay up-to-date
    - New staff? Update Utility Points of Contact with FEMP
    - UESC Maps are online and in your registration handout; changes?
- **Continuing work on Feasibility Study Format Standardization**
  - Development stage
  - Next review and comment cycle in January
- **Performance Assurance**
  - UESC Guide Performance Assurance Chapter available for comment
  - Contact Deb Vasquez: [deb.vasquez@nrel.gov](mailto:deb.vasquez@nrel.gov)
- **eProject Builder for UESCs**
- **Training and project-specific support always available**

# Data Reporting to FEMP and GSA

*Voluntary data reporting is vital to understanding current trends and measuring UESC Program success.*

- **FEMP data collection efforts are coordinated by:**
  - Elvin Yuzugullu, [elvin.yuzugullu@gdit.com](mailto:elvin.yuzugullu@gdit.com)
- **Recently updated UESC data reporting process**
  - New process is outlined on the UESC Data Collection website: <https://www.energy.gov/eere/femp/utility-energy-service-contract-project-data-collection>
- **Reminder: Send GSA copies of awarded task orders**
  - Mark Ewing, GSA Energy Center of Expertise, email: [energy@gsa.gov](mailto:energy@gsa.gov)

*Over 2,100 projects and \$3.7 billion in investment in federal infrastructure since 1992.*

# UESC Savings Study

- **FEMP is conducting a savings study on UESCs**
  - Seeking project proposals from recently (FY '14 - '18) awarded UESCs
  - Goal is to obtain a representative sample of UESCs (i.e., not cherry-picked for ANY attribute)
- **All projects will be anonymized before analysis**
  - As to both executing utility AND federal customer
- **If you have questions about the study and/or would like to participate:**
  - Reach out to Phil Coleman, Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory at [pecoleman@lbl.gov](mailto:pecoleman@lbl.gov)

# UESC Training

## ■ Training Workshops

- Successful pre-FUPWG **in-person training** here in Herndon: 42 Attendees (Federal and utility representatives)
- For **Agencies**: Training is available for groups of 5 or more via webinar or in person for 10 or more attendees
- For **Utilities**: Utility-specific training is available via webinar
- For **ESCOs**: Working on a new UESC webinar for ESCOs
- **Topical**: Performance Assurance Training will debut in FY2019

## ■ Webinars

- On-Demand Webinars available; new webinars in development

## ■ Federal/Utility Strategic Partnership Training

- For utilities with new/updated UESC Programs and large Federal customer base
- New Mexico Gas Company UESC Training 10/17
- Hawaiian Electric Company Strategic Partnership Meeting 10/26



# Looking for Feedback - CEUs

- **Feedback needed from FUPWG attendees regarding CEUs versus FEMP attendance certificates. Does the FUPWG attendance certificate count for your agency's continuing education requirements?**
- **Exploring whether International Association for Education and Training (IACET) CEU's can be offered at future FUPWG Seminars.**

# Save the Date - Spring 2019 FUPWG

- 2019 Spring FUPWG will be hosted by San Diego Gas & Electric: May 2-3, 2019 in San Diego, CA



- Please provide ideas for session topics and UESC best practices on your evaluation form, on the FUPWG website or via email to the UESC Team by January 1.
- We plan ahead! Are you interested in hosting a future FUPWG Seminar? Reach out to me directly or indicate your interest on the evaluation form.

# Thank You



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**Note: Slides will be posted in 1-2 weeks.**