

DISTRICT ENERGY & HOME ASSISTANCE PROGRAMS

PRESENTATION TO OTA VIRTUAL SESSION

July 9, 2020



GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
MURIEL BOWSER, MAYOR

AGENDA

- Solar for All
- Low income Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP)
- Utility Discount Program (UDP)
- Clean Rivers Impervious Area Charge (CRIAC)
- Lead Pipe Replacement Assistance Program (LPRAP)
- Weatherization Assistance Program (WAP)



SOLAR FOR ALL OVERVIEW



Solar for All aims to bring the benefits of solar energy to 100,000 low to moderate income families in the District of Columbia.

DOEE is partnering with organizations across the District to install **solar on single family homes** and develop **community solar projects** to benefit renters and residents in multi-family buildings. Solar for All participants should expect to see a 50% savings on their electricity bill over 15 years and can be proud to have gone solar!

- Established by the **Renewable Portfolio Standard (RPS) Expansion Amendment Act of 2016**
- **Increases the amount of solar energy generated in the District**, and provide those benefits to seniors, small local businesses, nonprofits, and low-income households
- Funded by **Renewable Energy Development Fund** (RPS alternative compliance payments)
- **Task Force** of stakeholders informed the development of the Solar for All Implementation Plan



WHAT IS COMMUNITY SOLAR?

Community solar allows renters and homeowners to save on their electricity bills even if they don't have a roof to install solar. Subscribers can receive the benefits of solar from systems located anywhere in the District.



**YOUR
HOUSEHOLD**

**MS. MILLER'S
HOUSEHOLD**

**THE SMITH
HOUSEHOLD**

**THE JONES
HOUSEHOLD**

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HOW TO APPLY

- Three ways to apply: pre-approval letters, paper application, and online application.
- Apply in four easy steps:
 1. Review the income qualifications
 2. Complete the Solar for All Application
 3. Demonstrate income through proof of current benefit
 4. Submit application
- Access the Solar for All online application at **doee.dc.gov/solarforall**
- For application assistance or questions:
 - Call the SFA hotline at **(202)299-5271**
 - Email **solarforall@dc.gov**

SOLAR FOR ALL APPLICATION

Please complete the information below. Incomplete or missing information may result in denial or delay in approval of your application. Please submit this application, along with copies of photo identification, and a recent electric bill. If you selected a category of eligibility, please also provide proof of eligibility; document(s) must be from within the last year.

Application Date: / / 1. Social Security # 2. Date of Birth 3. Gender

4. Applicant Last Name 5. Applicant First Name 6. M.I.

7. Street Address 8. Apt # 9. Zip Code 10. Ward 11. ANC

12. Is this a temporary address? Yes No

13. Type of dwelling: Single family Multi-family 14. Do you own or rent? Own Rent

15. Email 16. Tel. _____

17. Eligibility: do any of these apply to you?
 Existing TANF recipient Existing SNAP recipient Existing UDP recipient Existing LIHEAP resident
If yes, please provide proof that is dated within the last year.

18. Do you receive a utility allowance? () Yes () No

19. Primary Heating Source: () Electric () Gas () Other _____

20. Are you responsible for paying the electric bill? Yes No
If yes, provide Pepco account #: _____ Pepco service #: _____

21. Total Household Size: _____ Total Household Income: _____
 Weekly Bi-Weekly Monthly Semi-Monthly Annually

21a. Household member	SSN	DOB	Income	Disabled? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
21b. Household member	SSN	DOB	Income	Disabled? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
21c. Household member	SSN	DOB	Income	Disabled? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
21d. Household member	SSN	DOB	Income	Disabled? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
21e. Household member	SSN	DOB	Income	Disabled? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
21f. Household member	SSN	DOB	Income	Disabled? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

See back to complete application and provide signature.

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INCOME GUIDELINES

SFA Participants Should See up to **50% Electric Bill Savings Annually** over 15 years.

Review the income qualifications to make sure you qualify:

PERSONS IN HOUSEHOLD	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
HOUSEHOLD INCOME LIMIT	\$70,600	\$80,650	\$90,750	\$100,800	\$108,900	\$116,950	\$125,000	\$133,100

*Effective April 1, 2020 but may change. Visit the US Dept. of Housing and Urban Development website for the most up-to-date numbers.



LIHEAP & UDP

WHAT IS LIHEAP?

The Low-Income Home Energy Assistance Program helps low-income families pay their electric, gas and home heating oil bills. LIHEAP is a grant that offers assistance in the form of a benefit sent directly to the utility company, or a crisis grant for a household without electric service.

WHAT IS UDP?

The Utility Discount Program (UDP) provides discounts on utility bills for low-income District residents

WHO IS ELIGIBLE?

Income guidelines are posted at doee.dc.gov/liheap.



Clean Rivers Impervious Area Charge (CRIAC) Relief Programs

The Clean Rivers Impervious Area Charge (CRIAC) Relief Programs provide DC Water bill relief to low- and middle-income residents and eligible nonprofits.

COVID-19: District residents struggling with unpaid DC Water bills during the coronavirus (COVID-19) public health emergency and 105 days thereafter may apply for bill assistance. Eligible households may receive bill assistance up to \$2,000 as a one-time emergency benefit.

Residential

CAP 1

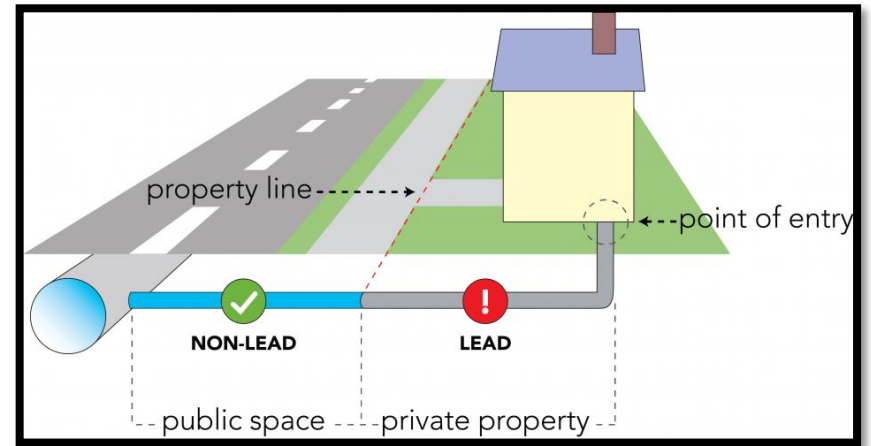
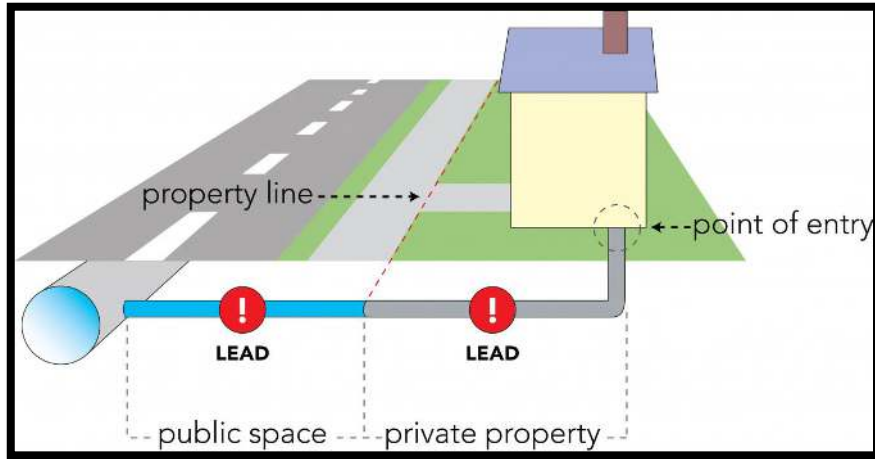
CAP 2

CAP 3

Nonprofit

Lead Pipe Replacement Assistance Program

- Helps property owners complete their lead pipe replacement
- No income limit



THANK YOU

Questions on DOE's Home & Energy Assistance programs? Contact us.

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