

Senate Energy, Utilities, and Communications Informational Hearing

**AMERICAN RECOVERY &
REINVESTMENT ACT**
Delivering Energy Savings for California

March 16, 2010

Karen Douglas, Chairman
California Energy Commission



**GOALS
&
OBJECTIVES**

- Retain and create jobs, promote economic recovery
- Expend money efficiently, with accountability and minimal administrative burden
- Leverage other federal, state, local and private financing through partnerships
- Contribute to meeting California's energy and environmental policy goals
- Provide investments that increase economic efficiency and spur technological advances
- Support competitive solicitations



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ARRA
PROGRAMS
&
ACTIVITIES**

<u>Program</u>	<u>ARRA Funds</u>
State Energy Program	226,000,000
Energy Efficiency Program (12 competitive solicitations awarded)	110,000,000
DGS for revolving loan program (allocated)	25,000,000
Energy Conservation Assistance Act 1% low interest loan program (allocated)	25,000,000
EDD and ETP for a green jobs training workforce program (allocated)	20,000,000
Clean Energy Business Finance Program with BTH (earmarked)	30,600,000
Program Auditing, Measurement, Evaluating of Contracts, Administration	15,400,000
Energy Efficiency & Conservation Block Grant Program	49,600,000
State Energy Efficient Appliance Rebate Program	35,300,000
Energy Assurance Planning	<u>3,600,000</u>
TOTAL	\$314,500,000



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**Energy
Conservation
Assistance
Account**



DGS



**Clean Energy
Workforce**

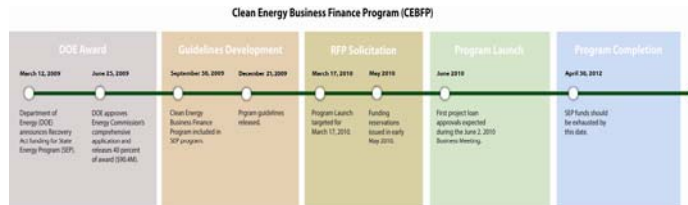


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Energy Efficiency Program



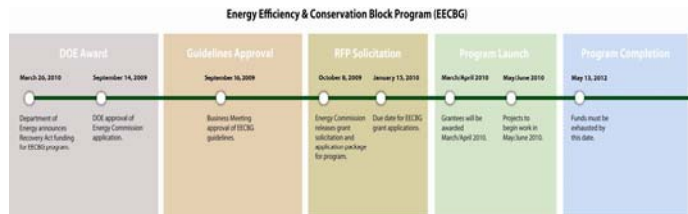
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Appliance Rebate Program



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JOBS

Job Tracking

- Energy Commission developed a database to track job creation and other program metrics
- Energy Commission provides initial and ongoing training to funding recipients to assist with reporting requirements and help ensure data integrity
- Energy Commission is executing two contracts to assist in the monitoring, evaluation, verification and auditing of ARRA expenditures, job creation and other program metrics

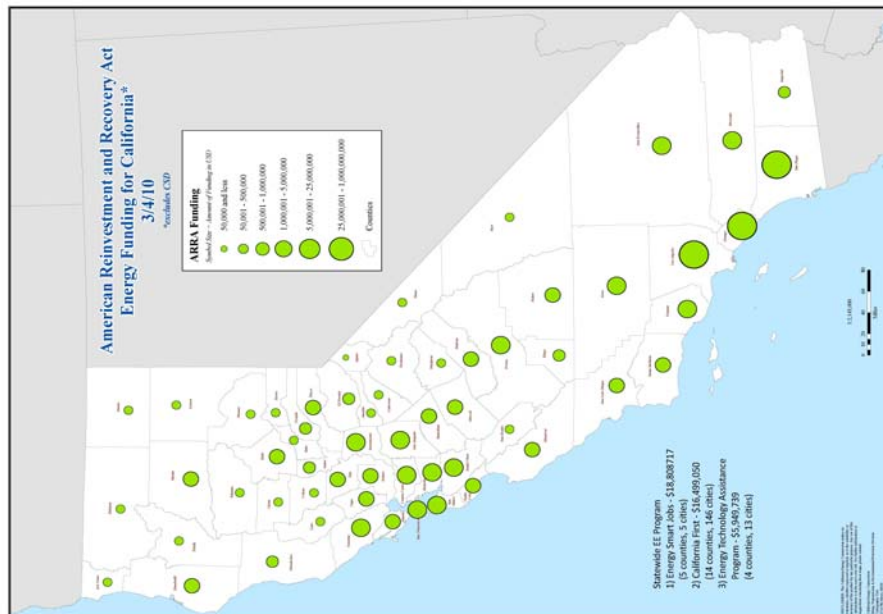
Job Creation

- Significant job creation expected summer/fall 2010
- Based on DOE estimates, over 3,000 jobs for the SEP and Block Grant programs
- Leveraged job creation expected to be 3 or 4 times the ARRA funded jobs created.



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