

Home Energy Labeling Working Group

January 25, 2023

Today's Agenda

- **SC Labeling Working Group Agenda 1/25/2023**
 - Meeting Welcome
 - Labeling Project 2023 Anticipated Schedule
 - Update On Recent Activity
 - Labeling Vendor Interviews
 - State Energy Office Reference Interviews
 - Next Steps
 - Vendor Scope
 - Vendor RFP
 - Vendor Contracting
 - Opportunities to Get Involved
 - Next Working Group Meeting
 - Questions

Meeting Format

- 1 Hour WG Meeting
- Each WG Meeting to Focus on Particular Questions/Topics
- WG Input to be Collected with Feedback at Future Meetings
- Jam Board Available for Comments/Ideas

Energy Label Project Phases

- Energy Label Design
 - What is the key information for the SC label
 - How is the Information presented on the label
- Administration
 - Who creates the label
 - Who manages the assessor/rater
- Training & Education Needs
 - Who needs training
 - What is critical to use/understand the label
- Pilot Program
 - Possible locations / participants

Labeling Vendors

- Earth Advantage
 - PEARL
 - Clearly Energy
- Interviews held with each potential labeling vendor
 - Follow up conversations held with EO in state where each vendor is already contracted
 - Scope of work and implementation approach discussed with each vendor

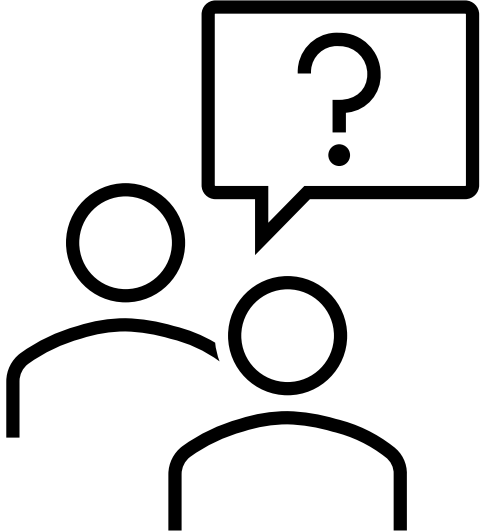
Vendor Selection and Contracting Process

- Quick Start Contract Planned for March – June 2023 (Anticipated)
- Vendor to assist with
 - Label Design
 - Database Development
 - Program Design
- Full Contract RFP planned for June 2023
 - Full fiscal year contract
 - Program implementation
 - Education and training
 - Labeling and administration

Information Learned From State Energy Office Interviews

- SC Labeling Pilot Program Model
 - SC pathway similar to Oregon and Missouri labeling programs
 - SC Energy Office to be DOE HES Program Partner for labeling implementation
 - Labeling vendor to provide infrastructure to run labeling program, training for assessors and assist Energy Office in managing program
 - Adoption by local jurisdictions recommended as best pathway for effective implementation

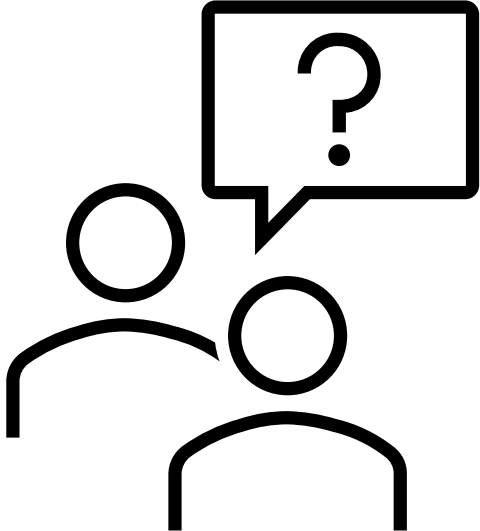
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Next Steps

- Q1 2023 – Q2 2023 :
 - ✓ Connect with Possible Label Providers/Generators
 - Select Vendor for Quick Start (March – June 2023)
 - Finalize South Carolina Label Based
 - Design SC Program
 - Review Program and Label with WG
- Q3 2023 – Q4 2023:
 - Select Vendor for Full Program Launch
 - Design Training and Outreach Program
 - Begin Recruitment of Pilot Participants
 - Begin Training Programs for SC Assessors

Questions?



Questions or Comments

Next Meeting 2/22/2023 – 10:30 AM

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