

American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009

Possible Funding Opportunities Available for Pima Association of Governments Projects

Grant/Program: Weatherization Assistance Program

Authorizing Agency: The United States Department of Energy

Authorizing Agency Contact Person: The United States Department of Energy at (877) 337-3463

Available Funding: \$5,000 Million

Distribution or Appointment of Formula: Competitive

Grant/Program Description: The Department of Energy, Weatherization Assistance Program is in place to reduce the burden of energy prices on the disadvantaged. The weatherization of homes includes adding more insulation, sealing of leaks, and modernizing heating and air conditioning equipment. It does also include clean energy sources like wind and solar.

Possible Qualifying PAG Projects:

- Solar Retrofits of Public Housing
- Solar Retrofits of Publicly Owned Buildings
- Weatherization and Energy Efficiency Housing Rehabilitation
- Public Housing Upgrades and Improvements

Eligibility Requirements: Weatherization for housing for individuals with incomes within 200% of the Federal Poverty Level.

Grant/Loan Priorities: Warmer weather states will receive a higher level of funding.

Application Instructions: Apply with the U.S. Department of the Energy. The detailed application process is set forth in the Funding Opportunity Announcement by the National Energy Technology Laboratory. Applicants must complete the Standard Form 424 (SF 424). Complete all required fields in accordance with the instructions on the form. The list of certifications and assurances referenced in Field 21 can be found on the DOE Financial Assistance Forms Page at http://management.energy.gov/business_doe/business_forms.htm under Certifications and Assurances. The SF 424 can be downloaded from <http://www.netl.doe.gov/business/forms.html#FUNDING>.

Application Deadline: The Initial Application is to be submitted to the following email address WAP-recovery@netl.doe.gov no later than May 23, 2009. Full application deadline is May 12, 2009.

Websites Available:

U.S. Department of Energy, Weatherization Assistance Program Opportunity - http://apps1.eere.energy.gov/wip/pdfs/wap_recovery_act_foa.pdf