

Peoples Gas & North Shore Gas Response to Nov. 15, 2022 SAG Meeting Questions

1. **Of the 32k IQ homes served, does PG/NSG have a breakdown of that number by program? (Chris Neme, from slide 4)**
 - a. **Response:** See separate document Q3 IQ Details_Q1 Response
2. **Can PG/NSG share diverse spend by category (i.e., minority, women- and veteran-owned)? (Karne Lusson, from slide 5)**
 - a. **Response:** We recommend adding this request to the 2023 Reporting Working Group for discussion and reporting consistency.
3. **Can PG/NSG elaborate on the change in the measure mix? (Karen Lusson, from slide 23)**
 - a. **Response:**
 - i. Single Family IHWAP and IQ Home Energy Retrofits are seeing over 30% of the measure mix coming from measures that are at over \$20/therm, when the program offerings were estimated to run between \$10-\$15/therm overall. The measures with higher than forecast participation include wall insulation and water heaters, which for IHWAP have a combined 33% contribution to the IHWAP program spend, but only contribute 11% of the savings.
 - ii. Multi-Family projects are seeing more boiler replacements and weatherization projects with higher than forecast existing R-values, i.e. achieving fewer therms by replacing with more efficient insulation for the same cost. For PGL Multi-Family IHWAP, mechanical replacements have made up a larger portion of the original measure build than anticipated which is driving up the \$/therm well over the plan even when accounting for braided funding. For Income Eligible Multi-Family – a larger portion of the projects were deeper energy retrofits including boilers and weatherization than anticipated in the initial build-up.