

IL EE Stakeholder Advisory Group (SAG) Equity Subcommittee Meeting

Thursday, September 18, 2025

1:00 – 4:00 pm

Webex Link to Join the Meeting:

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1:00 – 1:10 pm	<p><u>Opening and Introductions</u></p> <p>Purpose of September 18th meeting: To discuss minimum participation criteria that determines whether a home is weatherized and customer prioritization for major measures for the northern Illinois utilities jointly implemented Home Energy Savings (HES) Income Eligible Single Family Upgrades Program.</p>	Celia Johnson, SAG Facilitator
1:10 – 3:55 pm	<p><u>Northern Illinois Utilities’ Home Energy Savings Income Eligible Single Family Upgrades Program</u></p> <p>Joint Utility Presentation <i>1:10 – 2:10 pm</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Overview of existing minimum participation criteria, rationale, and challenges • Discussion and Q&A <p>Stakeholder Feedback and Additional Questions <i>2:10 – 3:00 pm</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Initial feedback on existing minimum participation criteria • Discussion and Q&A <p>Meeting Break: <i>3:00 – 3:10 pm</i></p> <p>Additional Discussion: <i>3:10 – 3:55 pm</i> Opportunity for additional questions or feedback on minimum participation criteria and / or customer prioritization for major measures.</p> <p>Purpose: To discuss weatherization participation criteria and / or customer prioritization for major</p>	<p>Utility presenter(s) TBD</p> <p>Karen Lusson, National Consumer Law Center, CEDA and Other Contractor Representatives</p>

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	measures, including initial feedback on the northern Illinois utilities' jointly implemented Home Energy Savings Income Eligible Single Family Upgrades Program.	
3:55 – 4:00 pm	<p><u>Closing and Next Steps</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Friday, October 3: Written feedback deadline. Send comments to Celia Johnson, SAG Facilitator: Celia@CeliaJohnsonConsulting.com. Feedback received will be posted on the SAG website, and circulated to the SAG Equity Subcommittee. Tuesday, October 21 (9:30 am – 12:30 pm): SAG Equity Subcommittee meeting, including follow-up discussion from the September 18th meeting and written feedback 	Celia Johnson, SAG Facilitator

Meeting Materials

- Joint Utility Presentation
- Stakeholder Feedback Presentation
- [2025 Home Energy Savings Retrofits Prioritization Criteria](#)
- [Home Energy Savings Retrofits Operations Manual Section 4.1](#)

Excerpt from [ComEd 2026-2029 EE Plan stipulation](#):

- The minimum attic insulation criterion that determines whether a home is weatherized in its HES program is R19, with the ability to bring the insulation level up to R49-R50. ComEd commits to working with stakeholders and related utilities, in 2025, to adjust the minimum participation criteria that determines whether a home is weatherized and customer prioritization for major measures in its Home Energy Savings (HES) aka IE Single Family Upgrades program. ComEd will not consider HVAC efficiency or lack of duct sealing opportunity (E&F Within 2025 Retrofits Prioritization Criteria Proposed changes) when prioritizing customers for HES weatherization services.

Excerpt from [Nicor Gas 2026-2029 EE Plan stipulation](#):

- Nicor Gas commits to engage in conversations with stakeholders, implementers, subcontractors, ComEd and Peoples Gas/North Shore Gas in the Equity Subcommittee regarding the existing minimum SF Retrofits Prioritization Criteria, including whether HVAC efficiency or lack of duct sealing opportunity (E&F within 2025 Retrofits prioritization Criteria Proposed changes) should impact the prioritization of customers for or ability to receive weatherization services.

Excerpt from [Peoples Gas and North Shore Gas 2026-2029 EE Plan stipulation](#):

- The Companies commit to discussing IE SF retrofit prioritization criteria in the SAG Equity Subcommittee.