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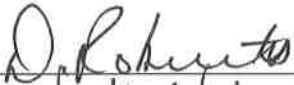

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DNREC – Division of Climate, Coastal and Energy

**Notice of Public Hearing on DNREC
Weatherization Assistance Program
2023 Grant Application**

The Department of Natural Resources and Environmental Control (DNREC), Division of Energy and Climate will conduct a public hearing on Wednesday, April 12, 2023, beginning at 10:00 a.m. to consider comment from the public on Docket # 2023-WAP-CCE-0003.

The Department is applying for U.S. Department of Energy (DOE) Weatherization Assistance Program (WAP) new 2023 program funds. The mission of WAP is to reduce energy loss and consumption in the homes of low-income Delawareans, creating healthier and more comfortable homes while reducing energy bills.

This new application continues the work outlined in DNREC's previous Weatherization Program State Plans. The new 2023 grant application requests approval to use \$833,863.00 of new federal FY 2023 funds.

For additional information on the above matter and to review the documents describing the grant funding requirements, visit <https://de.gov/dnrehearings> or contact Heather Hubbard, Division of Climate, Coastal and Energy, at 100 W. Water St, Suite 10B, Dover, DE 19904, by phone at (302) 735-3352, or by email at heather.hubbard@delaware.gov.

The web link to the virtual hearing can be accessed through the DNREC Public Hearings site at <https://de.gov/dnrehearings>. If prompted, use Meeting ID 924 8135 6350 and Passcode 113681. To access the audio-only portion of the virtual hearing, dial +1 301 715 8592 and enter the Meeting ID and Passcode noted above.

Those wishing to offer verbal comments during DNREC virtual public hearings must pre-register no later than noon before the date of the virtual hearing at <https://de.gov/dnrecomments> or by telephone at 302-739-9925.

The Department will also accept public comments through the close of business on Thursday, April 27, 2023. Comments pertaining to the above matter will be accepted in written form via email to DNRECHearingComments@delaware.gov, or by using the online form at <https://de.gov/dnrecomments>, or by U.S. mail to the following address:

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