



## 6th Annual Statewide Energy Efficiency Forum

Thursday, June 18th • Sheraton Grand, Sacramento, CA



The Local Government Commission, in partnership with the Statewide Energy Efficiency Collaborative, is hosting the 6th Annual Statewide Energy Efficiency Forum on Thursday, June 18th at the Sheraton Grand Hotel in downtown Sacramento! The Forum will feature updates from key state agencies, highlight innovative local energy and climate change programs and resources, and provide opportunities for networking and collaboration. Participants will have the opportunity to connect and network with California's leaders in energy efficiency, including keynote speakers:

- **Commissioner Peterman**, *California Public Utilities Commission*
- **Commissioner McAllister**, *California Energy Commission*
- **Director Alex**, *Office of Planning and Research and Senior Advisor to Governor Brown*
- **Supervisor Serna**, *County of Sacramento and California Air Resources Board*
- **Executive Officer Corey**, *California Air Resources Board*

The Forum will also feature several dynamic breakout and working sessions for participants to choose from – see the next page for details.

### REGISTER TODAY!

The forum is offered at NO COST to California local governments and partner organizations! The registration fee for nonprofit and private organizations is \$110. Be sure to register soon, as space is limited!

To learn more and register, please visit [www.californiaseec.org/seec-forum](http://www.californiaseec.org/seec-forum).

### APPLY FOR A TRAVEL SCHOLARSHIP!

Scholarships are available for local government staff! Local Government Partners are encouraged to contact their IOU Partnership Manager with any questions or for guidance on coordinating travel expenses.

To learn more and apply, please contact Nico Gilbert-Igelsrud at [ngigelsrud@lgc.org](mailto:ngigelsrud@lgc.org).

### BOOK YOUR LODGING!

Lodging is available at the Sheraton Grand Hotel in Sacramento at a discounted group rate of \$120 per night, plus state and local taxes. The group rate is available from 2 days prior to 2 days after the event. The reservation deadline to receive the group rate is May 25, 2015 at 5:00 PM.

To secure your reservation, please visit [starwoodmeeting.com/book/SEEC2015](http://starwoodmeeting.com/book/SEEC2015) or call (916) 447-1700.



"I found the opportunity to meet, network and share with the speakers and the attendees invaluable. The professional and social environment created was extremely conducive to this."



## WEDNESDAY, JUNE 17TH

2:00 – 5:00 PM

### Statewide Local Government Partner Meeting

The meeting, open to all utility partners, will provide an opportunity for local government partner peers from across the state and staff from California's four Investor Owned Utilities to come together and learn from one another.

5:00 – 6:30 PM

### Energy Champions Networking Reception

The reception is open to all Forum participants to meet and network with local governments from throughout California informally on the evening preceding the official forum. Hors d'oeuvres and hosted beer and wine will be provided during the first hour.

## THURSDAY, JUNE 18TH

### 6<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL STATEWIDE ENERGY EFFICIENCY FORUM – 8:30 – 5:00 PM

(registration and continental breakfast start at 7:30)

At this daylong forum, participants will hear the latest news and exciting ideas from California's leaders and their local government peers, as well as from the private and nonprofit sectors.

8:30 – 10:45 AM

### Welcome, Morning Plenary, and Table Discussions

10:45 – 11:15 AM

### Networking Coffee Break

11:15 AM – 12:30 PM

### Concurrent Morning Breakout Sessions

- Your Roadmap to Success: Energy and Climate Strategic Planning at the Local Level
- A Clear Path to Climate Action Planning: No-Cost Tools for Local Governments
- Reaching the "Hard-to-Reach": Working in Underserved Communities
- New Strategies for Old Buildings: Working in Existing Municipal Buildings

12:30 – 1:30 PM

### Networking Lunch, Table Discussions, and Resource Tables

1:30 – 4:00 PM

### Concurrent Afternoon Working Sessions

- A Race to the Bottom: Zero Net Energy
- Make Yourself Heard: Communicating on Climate and Energy
- Do It, Track It, Share It: Tools for Implementation, Monitoring, and Reporting

4:00 – 5:00 PM

### Closing Plenary

## ABOUT THE FORUM ORGANIZERS

This forum is being organized by the Local Government Commission through the Statewide Energy Efficiency Collaborative (SEEC). SEEC is an alliance to help cities and counties reduce greenhouse gas emissions and save energy. SEEC is a collaboration between three statewide non-profit organizations and California's four Investor Owned Utilities. SEEC Partners are: The Local Government Commission, the Institute for Local Governments, ICLEI - Local Governments for Sustainability, Pacific Gas and Electric Company, San Diego Gas and Electric, Southern California Edison and Southern California Gas Company.

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