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Presents:**

Solar for All: Making it Happen in Low-Income Communities

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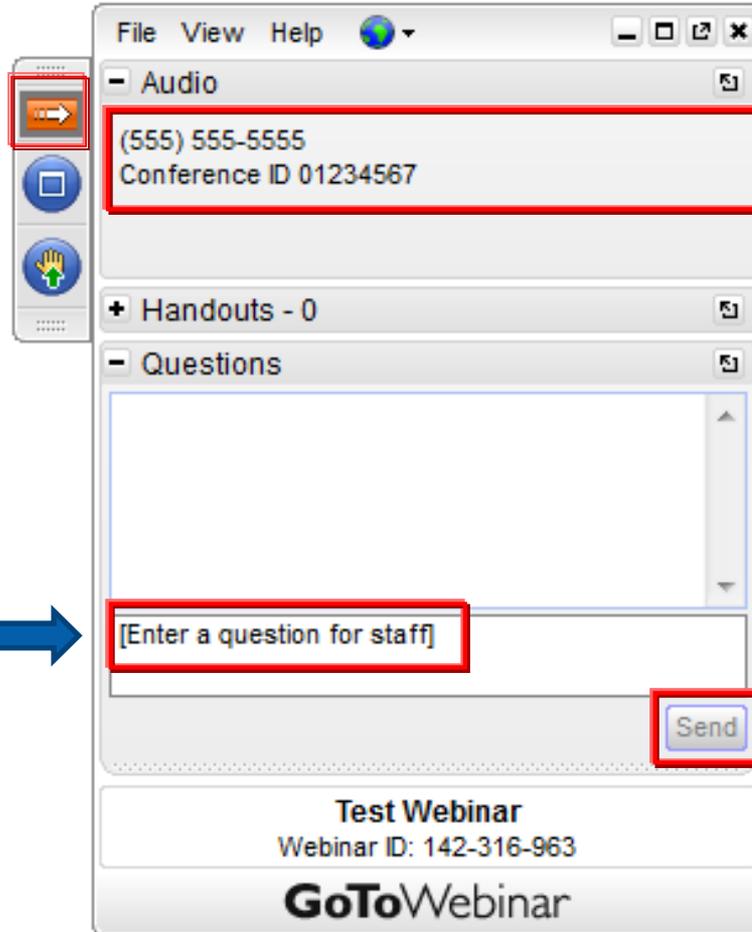
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Webcast Agenda



- **Welcome & Introduction**
Victoria Ludwig, U.S. EPA State and Local Climate and Energy Program
- **Low-Income Solar Policy: An Overview**
Sean Garren, Vote Solar
- **Case Study: People. Planet. Employment.**
Stan Greschner, GRID Alternatives
- **Case Study: Reforming the Energy Vision**
Peter Olmsted, New York State Department of Public Service
- **Q&A Session, Optional Feedback**

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Helping state & local governments reduce greenhouse gases, improve air quality, and advance energy efficiency and renewable energy

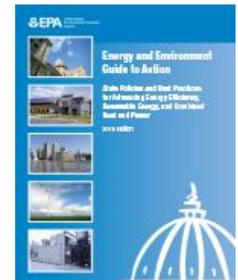
➤ Analytical tools and multiple benefits quantification

- *Avoided Emissions and geneRation Tool (AVERT)*: Calculates emissions benefits of EE/RE policies and programs for incorporation into air quality and other state plans



➤ Guidance materials on best practices, successful policy approaches, implementation how-to's

- *Energy and Environment Guide to Action*: Provides best practice design and implementation information on EE/RE/CHP policies and programs states are using to meet energy, environmental, and economic objectives



➤ Climate Showcase Communities

- 50 models of local climate change action

➤ Communications resources

- Web presence, newsletters, webcasts

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New Resources on EE and RE in Low-Income Communities



EPA is developing several resources to help bring the benefits of energy efficiency and renewable energy to low-income communities:

- 1) “Guide to Energy Efficiency in Affordable Housing” **Existing**
<http://www.epa.gov/statelocalclimate/resources/strategy-guides.html>
- 2) Guide to relevant EPA EE/RE and climate programs that can benefit low-income communities, such as: **Existing**
 - ENERGY STAR for Congregations (www.energystar.gov/congregations)
 - Green Power Partnership (www.epa.gov/greenpower)
 - RE-Powering America’s Lands (www.epa.gov/renewableenergyland)
- 3) Catalog of profiles and case studies of successful efforts by state and local agencies, non-profits, and utilities to bring EE/RE to low-income households **Spring 2016**
- 4) Webcast series showcasing best practices and successful state and local programs delivering EE/RE to low-income communities **Ongoing**

All resources housed at: www.epa.gov/statelocalclimate

Bringing Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy To Low-Income Households: What's Working

Part 1 – “Better Together: Linking and Leveraging Energy Programs for Low-Income Households”

- National Energy Assistance Directors' Association, Energy Outreach Colorado, DTE Energy

Part 2 – “Beyond the Light Touch: Next Steps for Improving Energy Efficiency in Multi-Family Affordable Housing”

- HUD, National Housing Trust, Elevate Energy, Maryland DHCD

Part 3 – “Solar for All: Making it Happen in Low-Income Communities” *Today!*

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