

Massachusetts DOER Seeking Qualified Candidates to Represent the Environmental Community on the Energy Efficiency Advisory Council (EEAC)

On behalf of the Energy Efficiency Advisory Council (EEAC or Council), the Massachusetts Department of Energy Resources (DOER) is currently seeking nominations for the EEAC seat representing the environmental community, as set forth in G.L. c. 25, §20(a)(3). Candidates should work in either a professional or voluntary capacity with an environmental organization, and have demonstrated familiarity with the energy efficiency programs in Massachusetts. The EEAC is seeking candidates that understand the challenges facing the environmental community related to energy efficiency and demand reduction resources, opportunities for expanding engagement with the environmental community, resource-needs of stakeholders, and unique needs of environmental justice communities. Additionally, the EEAC is actively seeking to foster diversity, equity and inclusion within the Council.

The EEAC was established in 2008 by the [Green Communities Act](#) to oversee the development and implementation of the Massachusetts Three-Year Energy Efficiency Investment Plans, described in G.L. c. 25, § 21. Additional information on the Council and its activities can be found on the [EEAC website: www.ma-eeac.org](http://www.ma-eeac.org)

Councilors should expect to attend at least one three-hour EEAC meeting each month, typically held in Boston, with a current option for remote participation. Councilors should also expect to spend several hours reviewing meeting materials prior to each meeting. Lastly, during the Three-Year Planning process starting in late summer 2023, Councilors will be expected to attend additional meetings as needed.

Individuals interested in the Council seat representing the environmental community are asked to email an up-to-date resume and short statement of interest to MA-EEAC@MASS.GOV by August 18, 2023 DOER will follow-up with those interested in learning more about this position. Once a potential candidate has been identified, DOER will recommend the individual to the Department of Public Utilities for appointment to the EEAC. The current vacancy is a five-year term through December 31, 2023, with the opportunity for a five-year re-appointment.