

## EEAC Executive Committee Candidate: Seat Representing the Residential Sector, Including the Low-Income Sector

Greg Abbe, DHCD

EEAC Seat Representing Housing and Community Development

*I gratefully accept my fellow Councilor's nomination. My entire professional career has been dedicated, either directly or indirectly, to energy efficiency. I worked as an energy auditor for six years; crawling through attics and crawlspaces, conducting air-leakage and combustion safety tests, and sitting at hundreds of kitchen tables with customers listening to their motivations for pursuing a more efficient home. I then worked for one of the Massachusetts PAs, helping coordinate programs in both the residential and commercial sectors. As such, I understand the ins and outs of managing these programs. I now work for DHCD, holistically improving public housing to reduce GHG emissions, improve indoor air quality, and make the buildings more resilient to climate change.*

*As the programs grow and change, either because savings are contracting in lighting, the focus shifts to GHG reductions rather than just cost-effective savings, or our need to expand equity, I think I can help. I'd be honored to use my well-rounded background to advocate for residential ratepayers as part of the EEAC Executive Committee.*