

Please share this letter during the Public Comment Period at the 7/31/18 EEAC Meeting - Thank you very much.

As members of the Mass Save Best Practices Group (BPWG) we wanted to reach out to you regarding information pertaining to the next 3 year plan. This information was sent via email from a member of the EEAC to the greater contractor community. We appreciate all efforts being made to keep contractors informed about the next 3 year plan. We want to ensure that the information is accurate and consistent with what the PA's and Lead Vendors have shared with us at our recent BPWG and quarterly meetings that include the greater contractor community.

We have been involved in multiple planning sessions and it is our understanding that the utilities are trying to maintain and exceed current insulation workflow. In addition, we believe their efforts to be more judicious with who receives an HEA, is an effort to save ratepayer dollars rather than reduce insulation installations. The messaging from the council member seems to contradict this.

Change is never easy, but being involved in the planning stages, at any level, always makes change less painful. We are committed to continue to make the Mass Save HES program successful for Massachusetts ratepayers and our environment.