



Promoting Energy Efficiency in Your Community: Getting the Most Bang for Your Buck

Wednesday, April 20, 2011

9:00-11:30 AM

Community Room @ Lakewood Cultural Center

Agenda

9:00 Welcome and Introductions

9:10 Susannah Pedigo, XCEL Energy

- What are Colorado communities doing on energy efficiency?

9:25 Tim Hillman, Symbiotic Engineering

- How do you identify where best to use limited resources?

9:55 Susannah Pedigo, XCEL Energy

- What resources are available to address identified community needs?

10:10 Denise Stepto, Greenprint Denver

- Case Study of Denver's Energy Efficiency Upgrade/Insulation Program - How one city took a program from concept to implementation

10:40 Panel discussion, with questions from the audience

11:30 Adjourn

Coming up!

Please save the date for the next workshop in the series, Promoting Energy Efficiency in Your Community: Communications and Social Mobilization on July 14, 2011. This workshop will be held at the City of Englewood's Community Room. Look for more information to come soon!

Speaker Bios

Susannah Pedigo is Xcel Energy's, Community Energy Efficiency Manager for Colorado. She designs and implements community-based energy efficiency programs in partnership with several community partners within Xcel Energy's Colorado service territory. Xcel Energy offers about 40 business and residential energy efficiency programs to their retail electric and natural gas customers.

Susannah's work emphasizes partnership and strategy development with communities. She brings more than seventeen years of experience in consulting and project leadership in renewable energy and energy efficiency, and the land development industries to her role.

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Dr. Timothy Hillman is an energy engineering and community sustainability consultant at Symbiotic Engineering, LLC, focusing on greenhouse gas management, energy efficiency programs, and the development and evaluation of local sustainability initiatives. Dr. Hillman received his PhD in Civil Engineering through the Sustainable Urban Infrastructure program at the University of Colorado Denver, where he served as a technical advisor for the development of the City of Denver's greenhouse gas inventory and the city's climate action plan through the Mayor's Greenprint Denver initiative. Tim is currently working with local and state governments as well as multiple utilities on enhancing energy efficiency and conservation campaigns to reduce greenhouse gas emissions and to foster local economic development as part of the new energy economy. His tip of the day for "Promoting Energy Efficiency in Your Community" ...think about a Kilowatt Kidz EnergySmart Challenge in a school district near you.

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Denise Stepto is the Marketing Specialist and Residential Program Manager for Greenprint Denver – the Mayors Office of Sustainability and oversees the development and implementation of the residential Energy Efficiency Conservation Block Grant and Better Buildings Grant programs. She also serves as Greenprint's community outreach coordinator leading neighborhood green teams and collaborative partnerships through the process of implementing residential energy efficiency measures and weatherization.

Denise has over 20 years of experience in the marketing, communications and public relations field and has worked for several organizations and institutions including the University of Chicago, United Airlines, and Denver International Airport.

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