

NOTICE OF INTENT

NOTIFICATION TO THE BOARD OF ALDERS REGARDING PROPOSED GRANT AND CONTRACT APPLICATIONS TO BE MADE BY THE CITY OF NEW HAVEN DURING THE PERIOD:

April 1, 2023 to April 16, 2023

PROGRAM NAME: Environmental Protection Agency Government-to-Government

(X) NEW () CONTINUATION
(Check One of the Above)

FUNDING LEVEL AVAILABLE TO PROJECT: \$ 1,000,000

FUNDING SOURCE: Environmental Protection Agency

PURPOSE OF PROGRAM: To lower energy costs and improve indoor air quality in the homes of energy-burdened New Haven residents through partnerships with community-based organizations focused on electrification of aging heating and cooking systems.

BRIEF SUMMARY OF CITY'S PROPOSAL: If awarded, the City of New Haven will partner with community-based organizations, to enroll energy-burdened New Haven residents in a new program aimed at the electrification of aging heating and cooking systems. This program will be built on top of existing and planned local, state, and federal incentives for adopting electric heat pumps and other high efficiency electric appliances. Once enrolled, residents will be guided through how to access these incentives, linked to grants and financing to fund electrification improvements that lower costs or improve indoor air quality, and paired with qualified contractors to complete the installation of improvements. Special focus will be placed on engagement of residents and installation of electrification improvements in DEEP-designated environmental justice census block groups in West Rock/West Hills, Newhallville, Dixwell, the Hill, Fair Haven, and the Annex neighborhoods.

MATCH REQUIREMENT FROM GENERAL FUND (if any): N/A

ALLOWABLE INDIRECT COST: 10%

DEPARTMENT SUBMITTING APPLICATION: New Haven Office of Climate and Sustainability

CONTACT PERSON: Steven Winter, Executive Director of Climate and Sustainability

DATE: March 27, 2023