Agenda

Conservation Advisory Council
Wednesday
September 14, 2011 1:30 p.m. – 4:45 p.m.
Energy Trust conference rooms
851 SW Sixth Ave., #1200
Portland, OR 97204

1:30 Welcome and introductions

1:35 Budget Themes for 2012 *(Review)*
Staff will present the broad themes and considerations underlying the draft budgets being developed for review later in the Fall.

2:00 Trade Ally Referral Process *(Discussion)*
The new, residential customer engagement process initiated in 2010 included changes on the web and phone to direct customers to contractors sooner. Tools were included on the web to allow customers to access quality and location criteria when selecting contractors. Still, customers are often confronted with lists of more than 200 contractors. Staff will outline procedures to provide a shorter list to customers.

2:30 Break

2:45 Proposed Incentive Changes *(Review)*
Staff will outline a limited number of new or changed incentives for residential customers proposed for 2012.

3:45 Tankless Hot Water Heaters *(Discussion)*
Prior evaluations of tankless water heaters raised concerns about the cost-effectiveness of the measure. Recently reviewed data indicate savings are substantially lower than forecast while installation costs continued to increase. The cost effectiveness of the measure has deteriorated. Staff will summarize the data and propose a response for 2012.

4:30 Additional Public Comment

4:45 Adjourn

The next scheduled meeting of the Conservation Advisory Council will be on October 26, 2011.