

*New Hampshire Implementation -American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009*

Program Title:           **Weatherization**

Short Description:       Weatherization funds for energy efficiency measures in low income households

ARRA Appropriation nationwide:   \$5,000,000,000

Estimated New Hampshire Funds:     \$23,218,594

Granting Agency:       U.S. Department of Energy

Managing Agency:     Office of Energy and Planning (“OEP”)

Status:                 Funding announced on 3/26/09.

Award Criteria:         Existing weatherization provisions, with increase in eligibility to 200% of federal poverty guidelines (formerly 150%), and the average assistance per dwelling unit is increased from \$2,500 to \$6,500. ARRA, page 31-32.

New Hampshire has made certain energy related assurances to qualify for these funds.

Time Line for use:     04/01/09 to 03/31/12

Details:                ARRA - page 24.

- State Office of Energy and Planning Recovery web site:  
<http://www.nh.gov/oep/recovery/>

OEP is working with CAP agencies and others to increase capacity of CAPS (recruitment, training & equipment) to meet higher production goals.

All information is the best available as of 8/2/09 and is subject to change. Estimated funds may change significantly as federal agencies finalize allocations and/or competitive grants are awarded.