**Federal Energy Management Program** 

# Closing Remarks and Future Directions

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### Annex 46: Holistic Assessment Tool-Kit on Energy Efficient Retrofit Measures for Government Buildings



#### Purpose of Annex and DOE/FEMP Support:

Share/disseminate best practices and new technologies

- ESPC contracting
- Designs
- Testing
- Standards and Labeling
- Calculation and Assessment Techniques
- ECM technologies

#### **Other Benefits:**

- Improved modeling and assessment for advanced ECMs
- Assist facilities to meet their energy efficiency goals

## **Examples of Application of ANNEX 46 Results**

- Provide building/site managers with a menu of options for efficiency projects
  - Ensure that site managers know about additional technologies
  - Give them basic information about the technologies to use as a "filter" to evaluate proposed projects
  - Increase awareness of these technologies so that site personnel can raise the question "why not" if these are not included in project proposals.
- Include information on costs and savings to provide "reality check"
- Get more advanced technologies included in government energy efficiency projects

#### **Annex 46 Recap:**

Holistic Assessment Tool-Kit on Energy Efficient Retrofit Measures for Government Buildings (EnERGO)



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- Help develop **procedures** (such as project design and financing), **technologies**, and **evaluation guidelines** to help the government sector identify appropriate energy and water conservation measures, implement them, and maintain them.
- **Subtask A:** method for energy analysis and technology assessment for government energy and facility managers. [Energy assessment and analysis methodology/protocol and a tool "Energy Assessment Guide for Energy Managers and ESCO's"]
- **Subtask B:** identify energy efficiency technologies and offer guidance to facilitate design of government energy saving projects. [Database of "Energy Saving Technologies and Measures for Government Building Retrofits" with examples of best practices]
- **Subtask C:** guidance to obtain the best possible results from an ESPC. [Best Practice Guidelines for Innovative Energy Performance Contracts]
- **Subtask D:** puts the information from subtasks A, B and C in a toolkit form to make it easier for facility managers to access and apply it. [IT-Toolkit "EnERGo"]

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# **Conclusions & Next Steps**

- The Annex will help US facilities "push the envelope" of energy efficiency. Sufficiently efficient is no longer enough; we must be aggressive to meet EO 13423 & 13514.
- An extensive body of information from Annex 46 is available:
  - ECM templates
  - Case studies
  - ESPC guidance
  - Calculation/assessment techniques
  - Descriptions of energy efficiency programs
- These reference materials will be of value to energy managers, ESCOs and other officials in developing state-of-the-art energy efficiency projects for their buildings
- Development of equipment simulation has contributed to numerous improvements in EnergyPlus
- Annex 46 results will be adapted for posting on FEMP website or will be linked from FEMP Website

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