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January 24, 2013

C-PACE Program for Connecticut

Low Cost Tax-Liens Financing for Energy Efficient Improvement

> UConn Campus 1 University Place Stamford, CT Multi-Purpose Room (108) First Floor Conference Center

Free parking is available in the UConn garage on Washington Blvd or in the Target Garage.

7:30am-9:30am

Jessica Bailey

Clean Energy Finance and Investment Authority (CEFIA)

Jessica joined CEFIA in August 2012 and is the Director of Commercial and Industrial Property Assessed Clean Energy (PACE). Prior to joining CEFIA, she worked at the Rockefeller Brothers Fund in New York City. She co-managed a \$7 million portfolio of grants focused on combating climate change and promoting clean energy.

Marjan Murray

People's United Bank

Marjan is Senior Vice President and Tri-State Market Manager of the Commercial Real Estate Department at People's United Bank. She is responsible for day-to-day operation, management of the staff as well as new business development in southwestern Connecticut, New York and New Jersey.

Steven Chandler Hall

Chandler LLC

Steven is the founder and Managing Partner of Chandler and personally oversees the management of individual projects and oversees respective project teams in the execution of activities for the owner. Steven has over 30 years experience in project management of both design development and construction. His projects range from heavy industrial to high-value commercial and residential.

Wayne Seaton Wells Fargo Securities

Wayne is head of Sustainable Public Infrastructure. He has nineteen years of experience assisting major municipal issuers with infrastructure financings. He leads a team that was one of the first such groups established in the investment banking public finance industry. His group has a nationwide mandate to assist municipalities with financing projects designed to use energy more efficiently, including

renewable technologies such as solar or wind. The

team has expertise with green sale-leaseback trans-

actions, New Clean Renewable Energy Bonds and

Qualified Energy Conservation Bonds.

C-PACE PROGRAM

Low Cost Tax-Liens Financing for Energy Efficient Improvement

In 2012, Connecticut passed legislation enabling Property Assessed Clean Energy or "PACE", an innovative financing model that will allow building owners across the state to access leaner, cheaper, and more reliable energy. Hundreds of millions of dollars in energy upgrades are possible in Connecticut and PACE will enable our state to access the private capital to finance it.

How does it work? PACE is a tax-lien financing program that allows interested property owners to finance qualifying energy efficiency and clean energy improvements on their buildings through an additional charge ("assessment") on their property tax. Similar to a sewer assessment, capital provided under a PACE program is secured by a lien on the owner's property tax bill and paid back over time. Like other benefit assessments, the PACE lien is a non-accelerating, senior lien secured by the property. The repayment obligation transfers automatically to the next owner if the property is sold. Because the payment is tied to the property tax, low interest capital can be raised from the private sector with no government financing required. This arrangement spreads the cost of clean energy improvements-such as energy efficient boilers, upgraded insulation, new windows, or solar installations-over the expected life of the measure.

PACE is administered by the Clean Energy Finance and Investment Authority, and offers financing to commercial, industrial, and multi-family property owners.

<u>Types of upgrades eligible</u>: High efficiency lighting; HVAC upgrades and controls; chillers, boilers, furnaces, water heating systems; building enclosures/envelopes; building automation; and renewable energy systems.

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