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Comments on the draft guidelines for the Water-Energy Grant.

Many agencies struggle with outreach, particularly in underserved and low-income areas.

Many low income areas (DACs for sure) have not had enough investment in energy efficiency as other areas.

Would be great if the Water-Energy Grant could fund/support small neighborhood nonprofits doing outreach and providing technical assistance in low income areas. These organizations are encouraging and pushing building owners in low income areas to improve energy efficiency and reduce GHG emissions.

The metrics for the grant need not be measures installed by the grantee but measures installed by the grantee's partners, etc.

Perhaps there could be enrollment, outreach, and education metrics used additionally.

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