

Ralph M. Perrey, Executive Director

**MEMORANDUM: Wx 22-03**

TO: Weatherization Program Subgrantees

FROM: Aaron Walker, Technical Advisor - Weatherization *AW*

DATE: March 9, 2023

SUBJECT: Updated HVAC Efficiency Requirements

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**Purpose:** Compliance with 2023 HVAC Efficiency Standards SEER2

**Guidance:** Effective January 1, 2023, all HVAC replacements are required to meet the new equipment standards. Projects will need to follow all ENERGY STAR requirements using method and metrics of 10 CFR part 430, Subpart B, Appendix M1 as listed in the Version 6.1 ENERGY STAR Program Requirements for Central Air Conditioners and Heat Pump Equipment that are effective as of January 1, 2023. The requirements are available at [https://www.energystar.gov/products/air\\_source\\_heat\\_pumps/partners](https://www.energystar.gov/products/air_source_heat_pumps/partners)"

*Please forward this memo to all WAP staff and contract auditors.*