

## NEWS FROM THE DELAWARE DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES AND ENVIRONMENTAL CONTROL

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### **DNREC to hold July 18 public workshop on proposed revisions to Green Energy Program regulations**

DOVER (June 28, 2012) – DNREC will hold a public workshop for renewable energy installers and other interested parties on proposed revisions to the regulations for the Green Energy Fund at 6 p.m. Wednesday, July 18 in the DNREC Auditorium, Richardson & Robbins Building, 89 Kings Highway, Dover. The workshop will present information about the proposed draft regulations and collect input from the public and stakeholders regarding these changes.

The Green Energy Fund regulations are being revised to adhere to requirements in the Delaware Energy Act and to further streamline Green Energy Fund programs. The proposed draft regulations include changes to the programs which seek to make the administration of the programs more efficient and improve the sustainability of the Green Energy Fund programs.

Benefits of proposed regulation changes include:

- Improved clarity of program requirements
- Greater flexibility for program administration and adaptation to changes in the industry
- Streamlined programs which provide faster application reviews

A copy of the proposed draft regulations and a summary of the major updates are available for review on DNREC's Green Energy Fund website [http://www.dnrec.delaware.gov/energy/services/GreenEnergy/Pages/GEF\\_Regulations\\_Update.aspx](http://www.dnrec.delaware.gov/energy/services/GreenEnergy/Pages/GEF_Regulations_Update.aspx). Interested parties may also obtain a copy of the proposed regulations by emailing [DNREC\\_GreenEnergyProgram@state.de.us](mailto:DNREC_GreenEnergyProgram@state.de.us).

Written comments on the proposed draft regulations may also be submitted prior the public workshop by mailing to the DNREC Division of Energy and Climate, attention Jessica Quinn, 1203 College Park Drive, Suite 101, Dover, DE 19904, or by emailing [DNREC\\_GreenEnergyProgram@state.de.us](mailto:DNREC_GreenEnergyProgram@state.de.us).

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