



## Utah Community Action™

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Debbie Lyons  
Director, Salt Lake City Sustainability Department  
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Salt Lake City, UT 84111

Dear Ms. Lyons,

Utah Community Action (UCA) is pleased to be a part of your application for an implementation grant under the Environmental Protection Agency's Climate Pollution Reduction Grant (CPRG) competition. Utah Community Action works to empower individuals, strengthen families and build communities through self-reliance and education programs. This project supports our priority through six programs, working to provide holistic services to low-income individuals. These programs are HEAT utility assistance, Weatherization services, Workforce Development, Head Start, Case Management and Housing and Nutrition. UCA's HEAT program provides utility assistance and energy education to reduce the energy burden for clients and free up funding to assist them in paying other obligations. This helps them on the path to self-reliance. Our HEAT program helped 17,686 applicants in the past year in Salt Lake County and Tooele County and also completed HELP assistance for Rocky Mountain Power customers throughout the State. We feel our experience and track record will be an asset to supporting this grant. Thank you for including us as a subrecipient in your initiative.

Utah Community Action is committed to working with you on this vital project. Utah Community Action expects to use a subaward under this grant to hire a full-time Utah Renewable Communities Navigator for 3 years.

This position will help inform eligible residents of Salt Lake County about the Utah Renewable Communities program and available assistance – including the enhanced monthly bill credit your program plans to offer to eligible low-income households.

This position will dedicate outreach and education efforts toward participating communities in Salt Lake County that are designated as "disadvantaged" according to the CPRG definition, as well as other eligible low-income households.

We wholeheartedly support the project's goal to pioneer renewable energy solutions to reduce greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions. We look forward to working with you on this very exciting and needed project.

Sincerely,

*Patrice Dickson*

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Chief Operations Officer



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