



**State Clean Energy-Environment Technical Forum
High Performance Green Public Buildings:
Opportunities for Cost-Effective Energy & Environmental Savings**

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2:00 - 3:30 PM ET**

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Welcome Roll Call & Ground rules for Call	Julie Rosenberg, EPA Catherine Morris, TKC	5 minutes
Overview of Topic: (see background document)	Jean Lupinacci, EPA	5 minutes
Pennsylvania: Green for Le\$\$ Principles and Technologies	Paul Zeigler, Director, PA Governor's Green Government Council	15 minutes
Colorado: High Performance/Green Schools Program	Thomas Fernandez, Director of Energy & Building Technologies Colorado Springs Public Schools	15 minutes
Discussion & Questions		45 minutes
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • How has the state defined and developed criteria for high performance buildings? • What are the primary objectives or policy drivers for advancing high performance buildings in the public sector? (Energy savings, indoor air quality, conservation of resources such as water, promotion of sustainable building practices and materials, cost-effectiveness?) • What incentives does the state use to encourage compliance with high performance building practices? • How do you measure, monitor and document actual performance? • What resources (including modeling tools) are required in creating and implementing high performance building certification programs? Does this build upon existing protocols or other systems? • What have been the biggest challenges in implementing the programs or policies to support high performance buildings in the public sector? • How has the state used the program to affect building practices beyond the public sector? • How do you engage the building community with respect to education, training and/or incentives? • What other ways does the state support high performance building investments, including funding for program support (e.g. system benefit funds, state retirement investment funds)? • How have states/regions attempted to estimate the air quality and/or other environmental benefits of high performance public buildings? 		
Summary of Key Points/Technical Needs	Catherine Morris	5 minutes

