

California Energy Alliance Awarded Energy Foundation Grant

WILDOMAR, Calif. Oct. 2, 2018—The California Energy Alliance (CEA), a member-based organization committed to smart, sustainable energy use within the built environment, is pleased to announce it has received a grant from the Energy Foundation, an organization dedicated to building a prosperous and healthy future powered by clean, reliable, and secure sources of energy.

"We are proud and humbled to receive this support from the Energy Foundation," said Doug Avery, CEA Co-Chair. "The recognition that our organization is making an important contribution to California energy policy is rewarding, and the grant itself will make possible activities such as early-stage stakeholder engagement and code change proposals for California's 2022 Building Energy Efficiency Standards that will help accelerate our ability to drive consensus-based policy developments."

"CEA represents a diverse and effective set of voices calling for straightforward building energy efficiency standards," said Jose Carmona, program director, California Campaigns at Energy Foundation. "We look forward to partnering with them to advance cutting-edge technological solutions in the built environment that will generate good-paying jobs, spur local economies, and protect our natural resources. CEA is an effective and knowledgeable leader and we're confident in their ability to inform the conversation as we seek to build a healthier, more equitable future."

More information on CEA and its initiatives may be found at www.caenergyalliance.org.

About California Energy Alliance (CEA)

Founded in late 2016, the California Energy Alliance (CEA) unites representatives of a broad range of organizations concerned about energy and the built environment. As a member-based organization, CEA works to improve California's energy future and the migration toward a Zero Net Energy horizon. CEA focuses on the promotion and realization of deep energy savings,

sustainable energy generation, and integration. The Alliance actively participates in the development and implementation of pragmatic, environmentally and economically sound building energy standards and other <u>initiatives</u>. More information about CEA can be found at https://caenergyalliance.org

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