Proposition 39 K-12 Program,
Energy Conservation Assistance Act, and
School Bus Replacement Program
2019-20 Annual Progress Report

# Presentation to the Citizens Oversight Board



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#### **Presentation Overview**

- Report Overview
- Proposition 39 K-12 Program
- Energy Conservation Assistance Act, Education Subaccount (ECAA-Ed)
- Bright Schools Program (Tech Assistance)
- School Bus Replacement Program



# Annual Report to the Citizens Oversight Board

- > Report includes four program components:
  - Proposition 39 K-12 Program (Grants)
  - Energy Conservation Assistance Act -Education Subaccount (*Loans*)
  - Bright Schools Program (*Technical Assistance*)
  - School Bus Replacement Program (Grants)
- > Reporting period:
  - FY 2019/2020

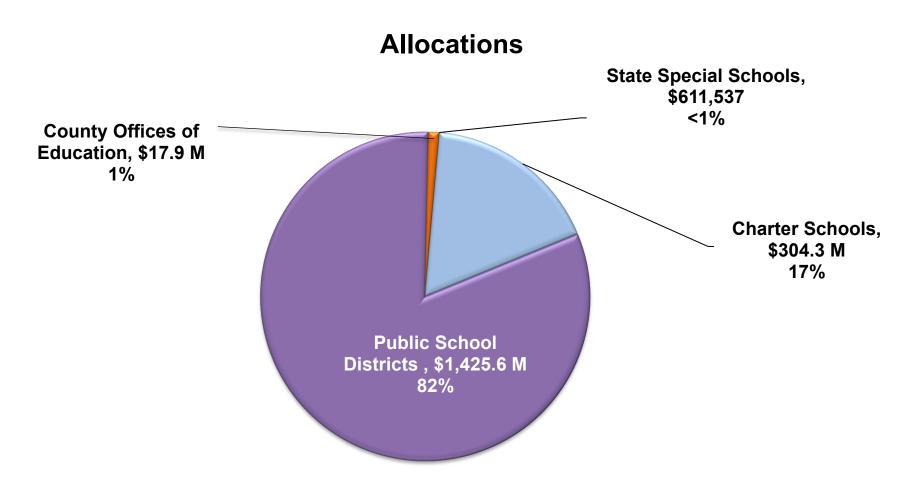


# Clean Energy Job Creation Fund Appropriations

Category	FY 2013-14 (in millions)	FY 2014-15 (in millions)	FY 2015-16 (in millions)	FY 2016-17 (in millions)	FY 2017-18 (in millions)	TOTALS (in millions)
K-12 Program	\$381.0	\$279.0	\$313.4	\$398.8	\$376.2	\$1,748.4
ECAA-Ed	\$28.0	\$28.0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$56.0
TOTALS	\$409.0	\$307.0	\$313.4	\$398.8	\$376.2	\$1,804.4

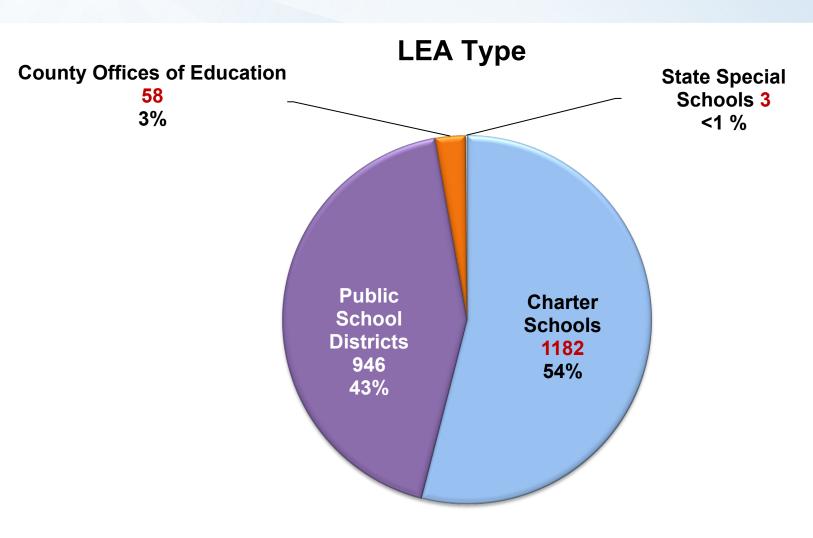


# Allocation Percentages by Local Education Agency (LEA) Type





### Number of LEAs by Type



2,189 Total LEAs



### **LEA Participation by Tier Level**

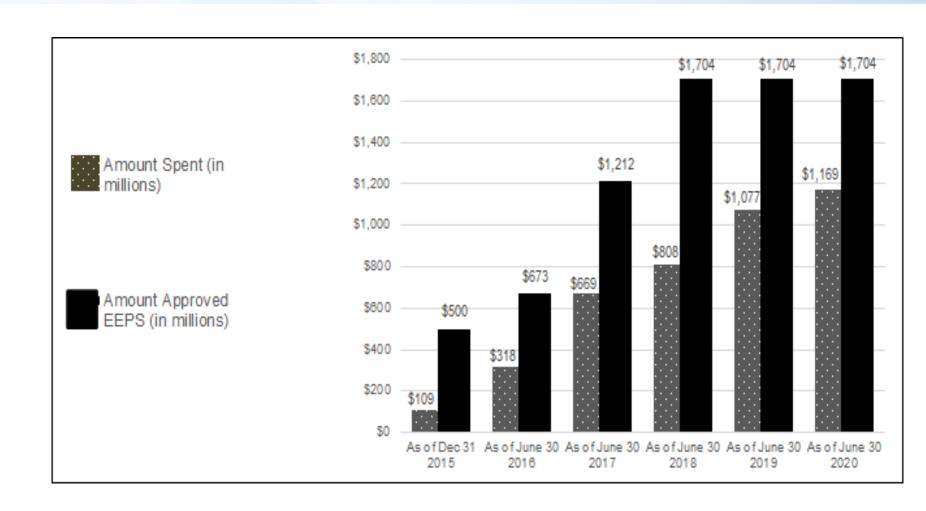
Tier Levels	LEA Participation: Life of Program (By Number of LEAs)
Tier 1 ≤ 100 Students	164 out of 238 (69%)
Tier 2 101 to 1,000 Students	957 out of 1,307 (73%)
Tier 3 1,001 to 1,999 Students	152 out of 171 (89%)
Tier 4 ≥ 2,000 Students	468 out of 473 (99%)



#### **PROPOSITION 39 K-12 PROGRAM:**



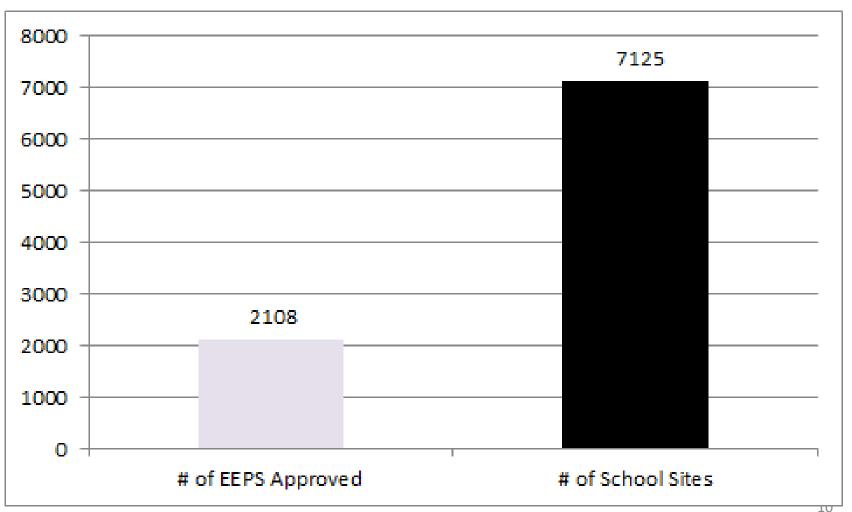
## Proposition 39:K-12 Funding Approved and Spent; Program Life





### **Energy Expenditure Plan Approvals**

**Program Life** 





### **Summary of Energy Measure**

Categories (as of June 30, 2020)

Energy Measure Category	Total # of Measures Approved	Total % of Measures Approved	Total Project Cost of Measures Approved	Total % of Project Cost of Measures Approved
Lighting	12,458	54.7%	\$738,863,868	41%
HVAC & Lighting - Controls	4,736	20.8%	\$154,189,173	9%
HVAC	3,361	14.8%	\$602,908,675	33%
Other Energy Project Measures	1,657	7.3%	\$116,776,359	7%
Self-Generation (PV)	547	2.4%	\$174,315,601	10%
TOTALS	22,759	100%	\$1,787,320,673	100%



# Summary Data Reported from Project Completion Reports: Past Two Year Comparison

Category	Report (as of June 2019)	Report (as of June 2020)		
Number of Completed Energy Projects	522	962		
	Funding			
Total Gross Project Cost	\$367 million	\$673 million		
Prop 39 Share	\$318 million	\$585 million		
Leveraged Funding	\$49 million	\$88 million		
Annual Energy Savings				
MWh hour Savings	125,712	224,174		
Therm Savings	344,789	620,828		
CO2 equivalent emissions reduction	43,060 tons	76,821 tons		
SIR (Minimum 1.01)	1.37	1.38		
Total Cost Savings	\$23.4 million	\$42.8 million		



# Deadlines to Complete Projects & Submit Final Reports Extended

- COVID-19 pandemic led to statewide school closures beginning in March 2020.
  - ➤ LEA inability to complete installation of approved projects.
- Prop 39 Program extended two significant due dates:
  - > project completion date was changed from June 30, 2020, to June 30, 2021.
  - ➤ project completion final report due date was changed from June 30, 2021, to June 30, 2022.



#### This Report Highlights

- There were 838 annual reports due and 785 of those reports were collected or 94% collection rate of all reports due. The outstanding reports are from LEAs closed in March 2020 (COVID) and were difficult to contact.
- Amendments continue to be submitted, resulting in greater project accuracy and funding accountability.
- Final reports/project completion continues with fewer than anticipated delays.
- The SIR continues to increase, at 1.38 for this reporting period, a rate much higher than the 1.01 required.



### **Program Look Ahead**

- Amendments are still being received and approved.
   Almost half of all EEPs have undergone an amendment at least once.
- Annual reporting from LEAs with energy projects in construction is resuming in July 2021 with an estimated 450 annual reports due.
- Final project completion reports are ongoing with 897 final project completion reports estimated due no later than September 30, 2022.



### ENERGY CONSERVATION ASSISTANCE ACT-EDUCATION SUBACCOUNT (ECAA-ED) FUNDING OVERVIEW

Annual Report presentation scheduled for March Agenda



**TOTALS** 

### **ECAA-Ed Funding**

Fiscal Year	ECAA-Ed Financing (Energy Project Loans)	Bright Schools (Technical Assistance)	TOTAL
2013-14	\$25,291,524	\$2,708,476	\$28,000,000
2014-15	\$25,200,000	\$2,800,000	\$28,000,000
2015-16	0	0	0
2016-17	0	0	0
2017-18	0	0	0
2018-19	0	0	0
2019-20	\$38,524,000	0	\$38,524,000

\$5,508,476

\$94,524,000

\$89,015,524



### BRIGHT SCHOOLS PROGRAM (BSP) TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE



#### **Technical Assistance**

Provides assistance in identifying energy saving measures at existing facilities.

- energy audits
- third party proposal review and recommendations
- professional engineering support services



# Bright Schools Program Expenditures

Bright Schools Program Allocations and Expenditures as of June 30, 2020

Allocations and Expenditures			
Total Allocation	\$5,600,000		
Amount Reallocated to ECAA-Ed Loan Program	\$91,524		
Expenditures as of 6/30/20	\$ 3,373,506		
Contract Balance	\$2,134,970		



### **BSP Report Highlights**

- 197 technical assistance grants-
  - ➤ 159 energy audits
  - >22 EEP preparations
  - >16 project bid specifications
- 80 BSP energy audits supported Prop 39 EEP Submittals
- Identified measures estimated to save:
  - >28,647 MWh
  - ≥305,025 therms of natural gas



### SCHOOL BUS REPLACEMENT PROGRAM OVERVIEW

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# School Bus Replacement Program Funding

Eligible applicants include: school districts, county offices of education, and joint power authorities.

Three complementary funding components:

- School Bus Replacement: replaces the oldest, diesel powered school buses with electric powered school buses - \$75 million (SB 110)
- 2. Charging Infrastructure \$14 million (Clean Transportation Program)
- 3. Workforce Training \$1 million (Clean Transportation Program)

	Number of	Number of	Total Bus	Total Infrastructure
	Awardees	Buses	Funding	Funding
Totals	66	235	\$74,700,357	\$14,100,000



#### **Questions?**

#### Prop 39 Webpage:

https://www.energy.ca.gov/programsand-topics/programs/california-cleanenergy-jobs-act-proposition-39-k-12program

#### School Bus Webpage:

https://www.energy.ca.gov/programsand-topics/programs/school-busreplacement-program

#### Prop 39 Email:

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#### **School Bus Email:**

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