

TOWN OF  
**QUEEN CREEK**  
ARIZONA

# Update on the Solar Water Heater Rebate Program



# Energy Efficiency and Conservation Block Grant (EECBG)

- American Recovery and Reinvestment Act noncompetitive grant based on a population formula
- Must be spent on energy efficiency projects
- Queen Creek's funds are dispersed through the Arizona Department of Commerce
- Queen Creek received \$139,985.59



# Energy Efficiency and Conservation Block Grant (EECBG)

Council approved two phases

## – **Phase 1** - Solar water heater rebate program

- Six month program from October 21, 2010 through April 21, 2011
- Update on program at three months

## – **Phase 2** – Server virtualization



# Solar Water Heater Rebate Program Update

- Total grant amount= \$139,985.59
- 25 eligible applications received
  - Total program goal = 25 applications, based on the number Queen Creek residents participating in SRP's Earthwise program
- 3 rebates issued, \$2,250 spent to date
- Total needed to issue rebates to all applicants to date = \$18,750 (Leaving \$121,235.59 in remaining grant funds)



# EECBG Program

- The Department of Commerce is urging the expenditure of EECBG funds as quickly as possible to avoid the possibility of funds being swept by the Department of Energy.





Questions?