# Department of General Services Energy Efficient State Property Revolving Fund Annual Legislative Report January 1, 2022

# **Background**

The American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 (ARRA) provided funds to the U.S. Department of Energy (DOE) to make allocations to its existing programs. Subsequently, on June 25, 2009, the California Energy Commission (CEC), in its role as the DOE's state energy office in California, received \$226,093,000 for distribution under federal guidelines.

On July 28, 2009, Governor Schwarzenegger signed Assembly Bill 11 from the fourth extraordinary session of the 2009-10 session (ABX4 11), adding Chapter 5.7 to the Public Resources Code (PRC), and creating the Energy Efficient State Property Revolving Fund (Loan Fund). Under the terms of the statute, the CEC transferred \$25 million to the Department of General Services (General Services) to administer the Loan Fund and finance energy-efficient retrofits at state facilities. Participating state agencies would use the savings realized through the retrofits to service their debt to the Loan Fund.

PRC Section 25473 requires General Services to provide the Legislature with an annual report on the projects identified and planned for each fiscal year.

# Fiscal Years 2009-10 through 2012-13

To comply with ABX4 11, General Services utilized the pool of qualified energy services companies (ESCOs) established under the authority of Public Utilities Code Section 388 to implement energy efficiency measures at state facilities. The department allocated the original \$25 million to nine departments through 12 loans, funding 70 projects. During fiscal year 2012-13, the CEC initiated four transfers totaling \$2,630,725 of unutilized ARRA funds to supplement the Loan Fund. The table that follows lists the projects funded through the Loan Fund during fiscal years 2009-10 through 2012-13.

| Loan Recipient   | Loan<br>Amount | Annual Energy Savings: Electricity (kilowatt hours) | Annual<br>Energy<br>Savings:<br>Natural Gas<br>(therms) |
|--|----------------|---|---|
| Loan 101: General<br>Services/Building & Property<br>Mgmt.     | \$5,927,891    | 5,386,248   | 31,386  |
| Loan 102: CA Dept. of<br>Corrections and<br>Rehabilitation     | \$4,108,998    | 7,222,636   | 729,906   |
| Loan 104: General<br>Services/Office of Fleet &<br>Asset Mgmt. | \$554,898      | 482,643   | _   |
| Loan 106: CA Highway Patrol                                    | \$157,080      | 185,440   | _   |
| Loans 108 & 110: CA<br>Dept. of Mental Health                  | \$1,073,087    | 1,112,423   | _   |
| Loan 112: Office of the<br>Chief Information<br>Officer        | \$2,299,562    | 1,741,198   | _   |
| Loan 114: CA Highway Patrol                                    | \$1,848,511    | 1,559,840   | 2,171   |
| Loan 116: Dept. of Motor<br>Vehicles                           | \$1,324,365    | 809,873   | 2,101   |
| Loan 118: CA Dept. of<br>Water Resources                       | \$931,965      | 962,183   | 11,971  |
| Loan 120: CA Dept.<br>of Developmental<br>Services             | \$4,941,430    | 5,332,560   | 115,674   |
| Loan 124: CA Dept. of<br>Corrections and<br>Rehabilitation     | \$1,512,401    | 5,576,759   | 259,184   |
| TOTAL LOANS  | \$24,680,188   | 30,371,803  | 1,152,393   |

# Fiscal Year 2013-14

In 2013-14, the CEC transferred \$113,223 of unutilized ARRA funding to the Loan Fund. General Services issued two loans:

| Loan Recipient   | Loan<br>Amount | Annual Energy Savings: Electricity (kilowatt hours) | Annual<br>Energy<br>Savings:<br>Natural Gas<br>(therms) |
|--|----------------|---|---|
| Loan 123: CA Dept. of<br>Public Health                     | \$3,100,000    | _   | 140,000   |
| Loan 125: CA Dept. of<br>Corrections and<br>Rehabilitation | \$888,467      | 2,713,146   | _   |
| TOTAL LOANS  | \$3,988,467    | 2,713,146   | 140,000   |

# Fiscal Years 2014-15 and 2015-16

No loan applications were received during fiscal year 2014-15. In 2015-16, the CEC transferred \$16,834,925 to the Loan Fund. General Services issued three loans:

| Loan Recipient   | Loan<br>Amount | Annual Energy Savings: Electricity (kilowatt hours) | Annual<br>Energy<br>Savings:<br>Natural Gas<br>(therms) |
|--|----------------|---|---|
| Loan 126: General<br>Services/Building and<br>Property Mgmt. –<br>Caltrans District 11, San<br>Diego | \$4,386,221    | 789,528   | 15,854  |
| Loan 127: General<br>Services/Building &<br>Property Mgmt. – San<br>Diego Office Building            | \$1,189,646    | 353,345   | _   |
| Loan 128: CA Science<br>Center   | \$10,099,262   | 2,632,342   | _   |
| TOTAL LOANS  | \$15,675,129   | 3,775,215   | 15,854  |

# Fiscal Year 2016-17

In November, the CEC transferred \$5,000,000 to the Revolving Fund. General Services issued four loans:

| Loan Recipient   | Loan<br>Amount | Annual Energy Savings: Electricity (kilowatt hours) | Annual<br>Energy<br>Savings:<br>Natural Gas<br>(therms) |
|--|----------------|---|---|
| Loan 129: California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation – High Desert State Prison | \$3,365,945    | 2,757,779   | _   |
| Loan 131: General<br>Services Department<br>of Justice Building                              | \$2,912,039    | 1,478,171   | 8 ,420  |
| Loan 132: General<br>Services Ronald M.<br>George State<br>Office Complex                    | \$8,097,770    | See note  | See note  |
| TOTAL LOANS  | \$14,375,754   | 2,943,966   | 8,420   |

Note: Annual energy savings: 17,544 million British Thermal Units (MMBtu)

#### Fiscal Year 2017-18

DGS issued loans totaling \$3,479,473, which provided 1,465,795 kilowatt hours (kWh) of energy savings. These loans were issued to seven tenants within the California Environmental Protection Agency (CalEPA) headquarters building: CalEPA, California Department of Pesticide Regulation, Office of Environmental Health Hazard Assessment, California Department of Toxic Substances Control, California Air Resources Board, California State Water Resources Control Board and California Department of Resources Recycling and Recovery.

| Loan Recipient  | Loan<br>Amount | Annual Energy Savings: Electricity (kilowatt hours) | Annual<br>Energy<br>Savings:<br>Natural Gas<br>(therms) |
|---|----------------|---|---|
| Loans 133 -139: CalEPA<br>Headquarters total                        | \$3,479,474    | 1,465,795   | _   |
| Loan 133 – CalEPA<br>Headquarters                                   | \$115,929      | See note  | _   |
| Loan 134: California<br>Department of Pesticide<br>Regulation       | \$364,283      | See note  | _   |
| Loan 135: Office of<br>Environmental Health Hazard<br>Assessment    | \$76,926       | See note  | _   |
| Loan 136: California<br>Department of Toxic<br>Substances Control   | \$330,234      | See note  | _   |
| Loan 137: California Air<br>Resources Board                         | \$597,473      | See note  | _   |
| Loan 138: California State<br>Water Resources Control<br>Board      | \$720,603      | See note  | _   |
| Loan 139: California Department of Resources Recycling and Recovery | \$1,274,025    | See note  | _   |
| TOTAL LOANS   | \$3,479,473    | 1,465,795   | _   |

**Note:** The CalEPA loan bundle was divided among each tenant; the energy savings were calculated for the entire building.

# Fiscal Year 2018-19

General Services issued four loans totaling \$13,389,325, saving an estimated 6,994,500 kWh of electricity and 6,000 therms of natural gas. In FY 2018-19, CEC transferred an additional \$1,302,054 to the ARRA fund.

| Loan Recipient  | Loan<br>Amount | Annual Energy Savings: Electricity (kilowatt hours) | Annual<br>Energy<br>Savings:<br>Natural Gas<br>(therms) |
|---|----------------|---|---|
| Loan 140: California Department of Education, consisting of 3 sites: Fremont, Riverside and Fresno. | \$4,257,885    | 2,327,500   | 6,000   |
| Loan 141: California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation                                   | \$4,684,845    | 3,236,260<br>(estimate)                             | _   |
| Loan 142: Del Mar<br>Fairgrounds  | \$3,769,883    | 946,914<br>(estimate)                               | _   |
| Loan 143: Antelope Valley<br>Fairgrounds  | \$676,712      | 483,826<br>(estimate)                               | _   |
| TOTAL LOANS   | \$13,389,325   | 6,994,500   | 6,000   |

#### Fiscal Year 2019-20

No additional funds were provided to the ARRA fund. DGS issued one loan:

| Loan Recipient                                      | Loan<br>Amount | Annual Energy Savings: Electricity (kilowatt hours) | Annual<br>Energy<br>Savings:<br>Natural Gas<br>(therms) |
|---|----------------|---|---|
| Loan 144: General Services<br>Elihu Harris Building | \$4,211,321    | 2,349,243<br>(estimate)                             | _   |
| TOTAL LOANS   | \$4,211,321    | 2,349,243   | _   |

# Fiscal Year 2020-21

| Loan Recipient                | Loan<br>Amount | Annual<br>Energy<br>Savings:<br>Electricity<br>(kilowatt<br>hours) | Annual<br>Energy<br>Savings:<br>Natural Gas<br>(therms) |
|-------------------------------|----------------|--|---|
| No new loans this fiscal year | _              | _  | _   |
| TOTAL LOANS                   | _              | _  | _   |

# **Estimated Energy Savings**

From planning to loan approval to completion, these projects can take many years. Actual energy savings are calculated one year or more from the installation of equipment. This report provides both actual savings where available or estimated savings, as indicated.

# **Fund Balance**

| Fund Balance   |         | \$10,230,949   |
|--|---------|----------------|
|  |         |                |
| Administrative expense 2009-21                       |         | (\$1,299,522)  |
| Allocated to loans, including loans pending approval |         | (\$81,125,462) |
| Total accrued funds                                  |         | \$92,655,933   |
| Interest earned to date                              |         | \$6,474,149    |
| Repayments of principal to date                      |         | \$32,611,251   |
| Total ARRA Funding                                   |         | \$53,570,533   |
|  | 2020-21 |                |
|  | 2019-20 | -              |
|  | 2018-19 | \$1,302,054    |
|  | 2017-18 | \$2,689,606    |
|  | 2016-17 | \$5,000,000    |
|  | 2015-16 | \$16,834,925   |
|  | 2013-14 | \$113,223      |
| Additional ARRA funds from the CEC                   | 2012-13 | \$2,630,725    |
| Initial allocation of ARRA funds from the CEC        | 2009-10 | \$25,000,000   |