

(4) THE PLANS AND FINANCIAL COMMITMENT OF THE MUNICIPALITY OR COUNTY TO UNDERTAKE IMPROVEMENTS IN THE DISTRESSED AREA; AND

(5) OTHER STANDARDS AND CRITERIA DEEMED RELEVANT BY THE SECRETARY, INCLUDING STANDARDS ESTABLISHED FOR OTHER RELEVANT STATE OR FEDERAL PROGRAMS.

[(e)] (G) "Energy conservation project" means

(1) With respect to a residential building, the purchase or installation of:

(i) Caulking and weather stripping;

(ii) A furnace efficiency modification including:

1. A replacement burner, furnace, boiler, or any combination of these items, which increases the energy efficiency of the heating system;

2. Any device for modifying a flue opening that will increase the energy efficiency of the heating system; and

3. An electrical or mechanical furnace ignition system that replaces a standing gas pilot light;

(iii) A clock thermostat;

(iv) Ceiling, attic, wall, floor, or duct insulation;

(v) Water heater insulation;

(vi) A storm window or door, multiglazed window or door, heat-absorbing or heat-reflecting window or floor material;

(vii) A device associated with load management techniques;

(viii) An automatic energy control system;

(ix) Machinery, equipment, or a facility for utilizing groundwater as a heat source for a heating system or as a heat sink for an air conditioning system; or

(x) Any other energy conservation improvement that the Administration determines by rule and regulation to be appropriate and consistent with the legislative purpose of this subheading;