

2013 IowaPERC (State) Programs & Projects

1. **Safety Director Project** – Chapter 101C – Act establishing IowaPERC (State). One of the provisions provides for programs/projects to enhance consumer and employee safety, and training. IPGA submitted this request to hire a State Safety & Education Director to facilitate these programs/projects. This project is statewide. \$129,268.
2. **2013 Hazmat Classes** – These classes were conducted by the Iowa DOT Hazmat officers in 8 locations across Iowa. The Department of Transportation requires this training within 90 days of employment and every three years thereafter. \$11,501. This project was offered to all propane marketers statewide.
3. **2013 Props/Materials for CETP/Refresher Training** – This project was for purchasing training curriculum and props and materials for the Safety Director to use in classes. This project started in 2012 and is ongoing. It was offered statewide. \$6,799.
4. **2013 Fire Schools** – The Iowa Fire Service Training Bureau conducts fire schools around the state of Iowa. This project supplies the propane for the schools. It was statewide. \$4,745.
5. **2013 Energy Star Safe Furnace Rebate** – This project establishes an incentive program for new energy efficient furnaces that are safely installed. This project was statewide. \$120,320. 432 rebates were paid out.
6. **2013 LIHEAP – “Out of Gas Brochures” project** – This project is for IPGA to supply the CAP agencies with “Out of Gas Brochures” so they can hand them out to those applying for LIHEAP dollars. The brochures tell consumers how to read their own tank so they call before they run out of propane to avoid costs of leak checks. This project is statewide. \$925.
7. **2013 Farm Bureau Cookout Contest** – This project allows IPGA to co-sponsor the Farm Bureau Cookout Contest. Safe grilling tips are handed out to the contestants and IPGA gives a propane gas grill to the Youth winner. This project is statewide. \$1,000.
8. **2013 Regulator Replacement for Eligible LIHEAP Clients Project** - This project provides assistance to LIHEAP clients that are unable to receive propane deliveries due to unsafe regulators on their residential propane system. It provides for a rebate to be applied towards the installation of new regulators on the LIHEAP client installation. This project was offered statewide and is ongoing. \$7,863.

2014 IowaPERC (State) Programs & Projects

- 1. 2014 Energy Star Safe Furnace Rebate - \$140,000 (ongoing) (began January 1, 2014)**
- 2. Safety Director Project – \$126,000 (ongoing)**
- 3. Fire Schools - \$12,000 (ongoing)**
- 4. Farm Bureau State Fair Cookout Contest Co-sponsor - \$1,200 (ongoing)**
- 5. 2014 Hazmat - \$5,000 (ongoing)**
- 6. LIHEAP “Out of Gas” Brochures - \$1,000.00 (ongoing)**
- 7. Regulator Replacement for Eligible LIHEAP Clients - \$20,000 (ongoing)**
- 8. Consumer radio education ads - \$40,000 (ongoing)**