

RESPONSE OF NINO AMATO  
WISCONSIN INDUSTRIAL ENERGY GROUP

I just want to reiterate WCEC/WIEG's position, which is very similar to Brian Rude's and George Edgar's, in that our industrial, commercial and small business members are in full support of restoring most, if not all, of the Public Benefits dollars. We also want to build a much more cost-effective administrative program, given the constructive feedback our business members have expressed about how the current program is being implemented.

As for renewable energy, we support exploring cost-effective incentives for developing increase renewable energy options for Wisconsin customers, with the understanding that new transmission infrastructure is equally important.