

## **PRESS RELEASE**

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## **#SummerReadyDC offers free weatherization kits for DC residents**

(WASHINGTON, D.C.) – The Public Service Commission of the District of Columbia (DCPSC) launches its annual #SummerReadyDC campaign to help DC residents and businesses prepare for the high temperatures and summer storms. District residents can register for free weatherization kits while supplies last. Information and resources will also be available to help consumers manage their utility bills.

"The Commission understands that high costs of goods and services are top of mind for our customers, and weatherizing your home is vital in dealing with rising energy costs, stated Emile Thompson, DCPSC Chairman. "The Summer Ready DC campaign will help provide DC residents with the tools and resources to make their homes more energy efficient and help reduce their monthly energy bills."

During the campaign, residents can:

- 1. Register to pick up free weatherization and energy efficiency items at a DC Public Library throughout the summer
- 2. Sign up for utility assistance programs to reduce their utility bills
- 3. Weatherize your home by using the Summer Ready DC home and storm checklists

To learn more about the #SummerReadyDC campaign, or for more information about having #SummerReadyDC at a community event or meeting, contact the DCPSC's Office of Consumer Services at 202-626-5120.