BayREN May Forum  
Regional Best Practices in Green Building Policy  

Agenda  
Wednesday, May 21, 2014  
8:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.  
Zero Net Energy Center- San Leandro, CA

8:30 a.m. - 9:00 a.m.  Registration and Networking

9:00 a.m. - 9:15 a.m.  Opening Remarks and Introduction  
Speaker: Daniel Hamilton, BayREN

9:15 a.m. - 9:30 a.m.  Keynote Address: Legislative focus of California on green buildings and energy efficiency and the critical role it will play in our state’s future  
Speaker: Assemblymember Nancy Skinner, District 15

9:30 a.m. - 9:45 a.m.  Keynote Address: Adopting bold statewide energy efficiency programs lays out strategies to achieve greater levels of efficiency in green buildings  
Speaker: Commissioner Michael Picker, California Public Utilities Commission

9:45 a.m. - 10:15 a.m.  Panel: Local Municipal Green Building Policies in the Bay Area  
Panelists: Mike Whitaker, City of Santa Rosa  
Peter Pirnejad, City of Palo Alto

10:15 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.  Break

10:30 a.m. - 11:15 a.m.  Presentations: Zero Net Energy (ZNE): What it is, why it is talked about so much, and what local governments can do to help get there  
Presenters: Cathy Fogel, California Public Utilities Commission  
Jacob Atalla, KB Home  
Amy Dryden, Build It Green

11:15 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.  Breakout Groups: Next Steps in Leadership -Green Building Policy, ZNE Buildings and Achieving High Performance Buildings  
Facilitators: Mike Whitaker, City of Santa Rosa  
Peter Pirnejad, City of Palo Alto  
Nehemiah Stone, Benningfield Group, Inc.

12:00 p.m. - 12:30 p.m.  Tour of ZNEC Training Facility