# Administrative Updates

CRRC Staff



# Organizational Updates

Jeff Steuben

**CRRC** Executive Director



#### CRRC Organizational Changes

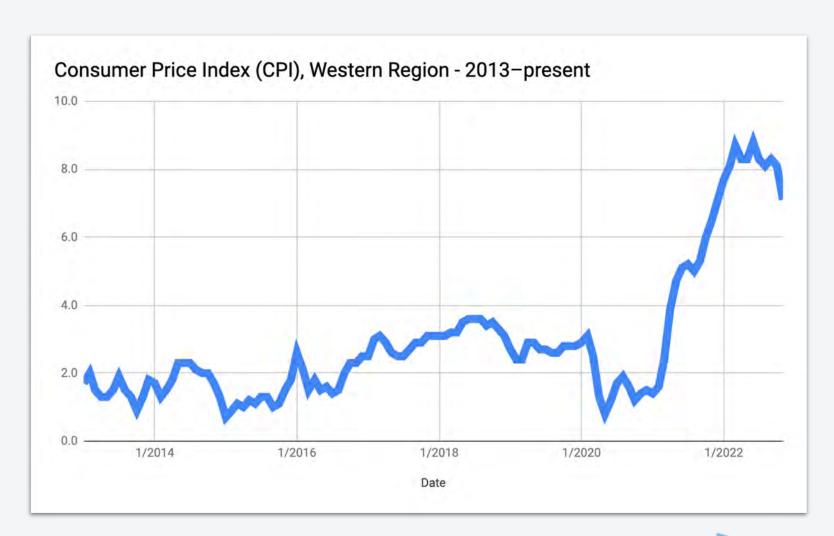
- Membership classes renamed "Industry" and "General Interest"
  - More descriptive than "Class A" and "Class B"
- Plans to hire an Administrative Coordinator summer/fall 2023
  - Will take over administrative duties and support CRRC staff
- CRRC will be looking to relocate to a new office in 2024





### **CRRC Organizational Changes**

- Update to CRRC Roof Rating Program fees and membership dues will take effect January 1, 2024
  - 4% increase
- Last fee increase (3%) was in 2018
- Increase helps CRRC offset higher expenses and recent period of unprecedented inflation





#### Pavement Working Group

- Exploratory Working Group investigating the "cool pavement" market
- Presenting initial findings to Board of Directors tomorrow





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# Roof Program Update

Beth James-Bourgeois

**CRRC Administrative Manager** 





## Roof Program Updates 2022/2023

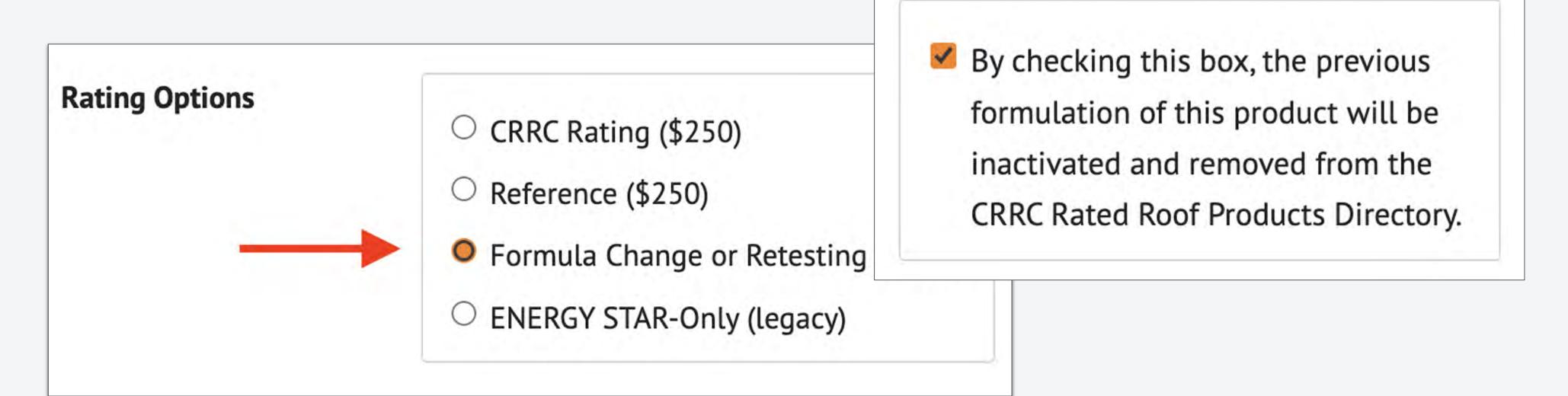
- Formula Change or Retesting Policy
- Rapid Ratings Approved for Rough Substrates
- CRRC Online Rating Portal (Portal) Updates
  - Single Ply Thickness Validations
  - SRI Calculation
  - Specified Conditions Checkbox
  - Portal Plans 2023/2024



## Formula Change or Retesting Policy

 Rated products that are reformulated will remain active on the CRRC Rated Roof Products Directory unless the Licensee notifies CRRC staff with a request to inactivate the product.

Product Rating Application updated to include checkbox.





# Rapid Ratings Approved for Rough Substrates

Rapid Ratings for coatings over rough substrates was approved by the CRRC Board of Directors at their meeting on September 22, 2022.



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	Please sign in		
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# Single-Ply Thickness Validations

Portal validations updated for each Single-Ply product subtype based on their corresponding ASTM standard thickness tolerance requirement.

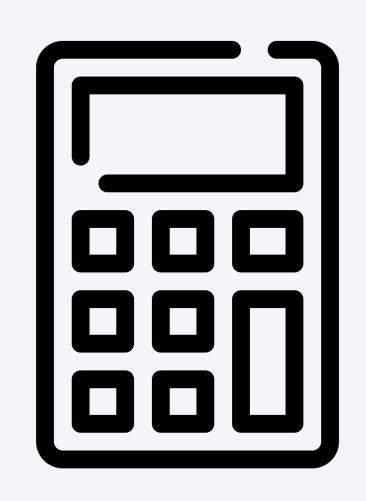
Single-Ply Subtype	Thickness Tolerance
PVC	+10%, -10%
KEE	≥32
EPDM	+15%, -10%
TPO	+15%, -10%
Hypalon	≥ specified thickness
KEE-PVC Sheets	≥ specified thickness



#### **SRI Calculation**

The solar reflectance input value is now truncated to three decimal places and not rounded to two decimal places.

BEFORE	AFTER
Solar Reflectance = 0.543	Solar Reflectance = 0.543
Rounded to 0.54 → SRI CALC	SR 0.543 → SRI CALC





**February 3, 2022** 

February 10, 2022

**September 22, 2022** 

**November 3, 2022** 

**January 3, 2023** 

Discussed by the Methods & Instruments Subcommittee Recommended by the Technical Committee

Approved by the CRRC Board of Directors

Licensees notified of upcoming change

Effective in the CRRC Online Rating Portal



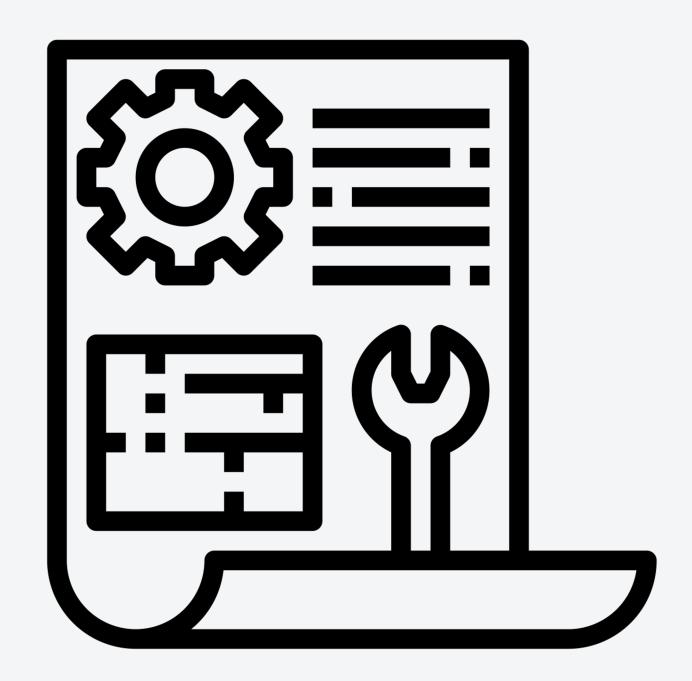
#### **Specified Conditions Checkbox**

- Temperature and humidity reporting fields have been removed from the Test Results Report in the Online Rating Portal and replaced with a checkbox that Test Labs must select to indicate that testing was performed under the specified conditions.
- ✓ Testing occurred in a controlled environment under Standard Laboratory Conditions\*
  Standard Laboratory Conditions defined as a Room Air Temperature of 23°C ± 3°C (73°F ± 5°F) and a Relative Humidity of 50% ± 10%.



#### **Portal Plans 2023/2024**

- Random Testing Integration
- Invoicing Updates
- Utilities Section for Licensees
- Licensee Division/Subsidiaries





# For Roof Program questions, contact:

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# Membership Update

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CRRC Administrative Manager





#### **CRRC Active Members**

### 194 Active Members

Industry	General Interest
124	70



## CRRC Member Spotlight



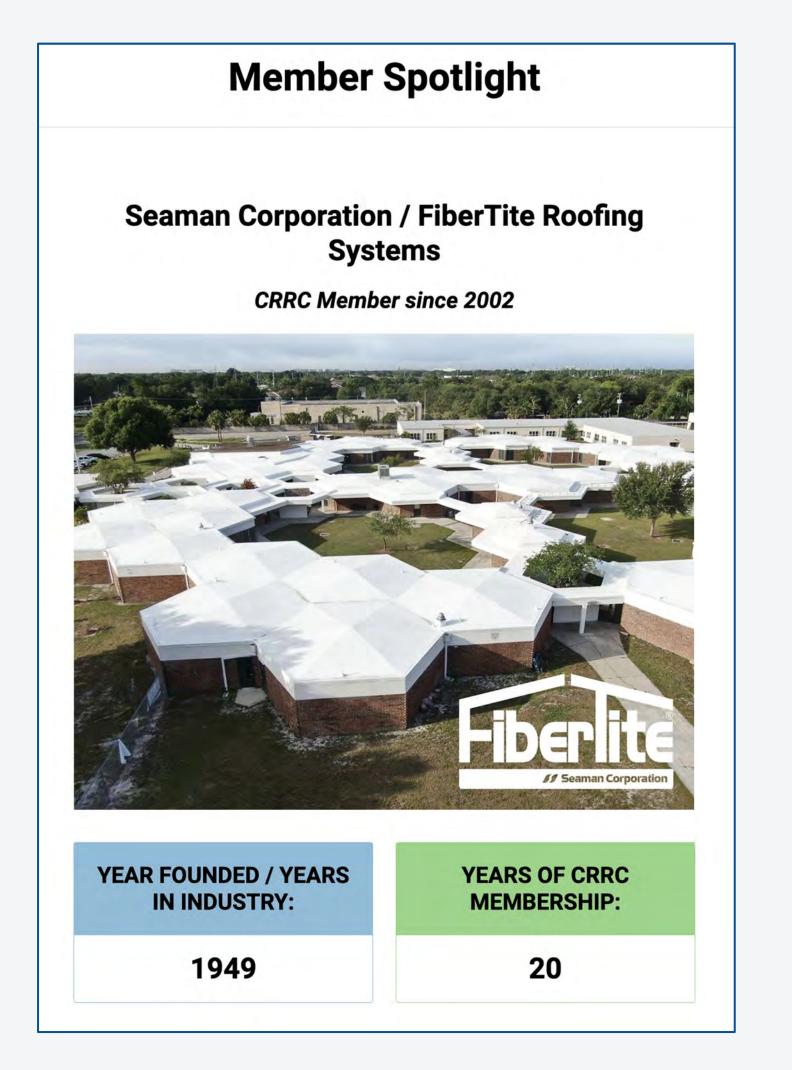
- Up to four Member Spotlights per year
- Featured on CRRC website and in CRRC newsletter
- Member may nominate themselves or another Member



## CRRC Member Spotlight

#### Member Spotlights

- Seaman Corporation (current spotlight)
- WeatherShield Roofing Group, Inc.
- Polyglass USA, Inc.
- International Institute of Building Enclosure Consultants (IIBEC)
- DECRA Roofing Systems
- National Roofing Contractors
   Association
- Tempo Chemicals & Solutions





#### CRRC Member Spotlight

**MEMBERSHIP Member Spotlight Form** Thank you for your interest in the CRRC Member Spotlight! The CRRC offers up to four Member Spotlights per year. Member Spotlights appear on the CRRC website and in the CRRC newsletter. Members may apply themselves or nominate other CRRC Members. Please complete and submit the fields below to be considered for the Member Spotlight. Member Name \* Year Founded / Years in Industry Years of CRRC Membership Photo or Company Logo Choose File No file chosen Please attach a photo and/or company logo that can appear on the CRRC website and newsletter.

Become the next Member Spotlight!

Submit your application today!



#### **CRRC Educators**



- CRRC Members are eligible to represent the CRRC as a CRRC Educator
- Educators must be authorized by the CRRC Board of Directors
- Email Audrey McGarrell at <u>audrey@coolroofs.org</u> for more info



#### Welcome New Members!

#### Industry

Atlas Roofing Corporation
ChillSkyn
Instacoat Premium Products
Lanier Color Company
OMYA International AG
The Aluminum Shingle Company Inc

#### **General Interest**

Camden Roofing & Construction LLC **CES Commercial Roofing** Gorman Technical Laboratories H&H Telecom Construction Inc. Happy Days Roofing **HUDCO** Roofing & Exteriors, LLC Kaitech Enterprise Co., Ltd. Milenium Solutions National Fenestration Rating Council (NFRC) Right Scope, LLC RoofersCoffeeShop



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# Wall Program Update

Audrey McGarrell

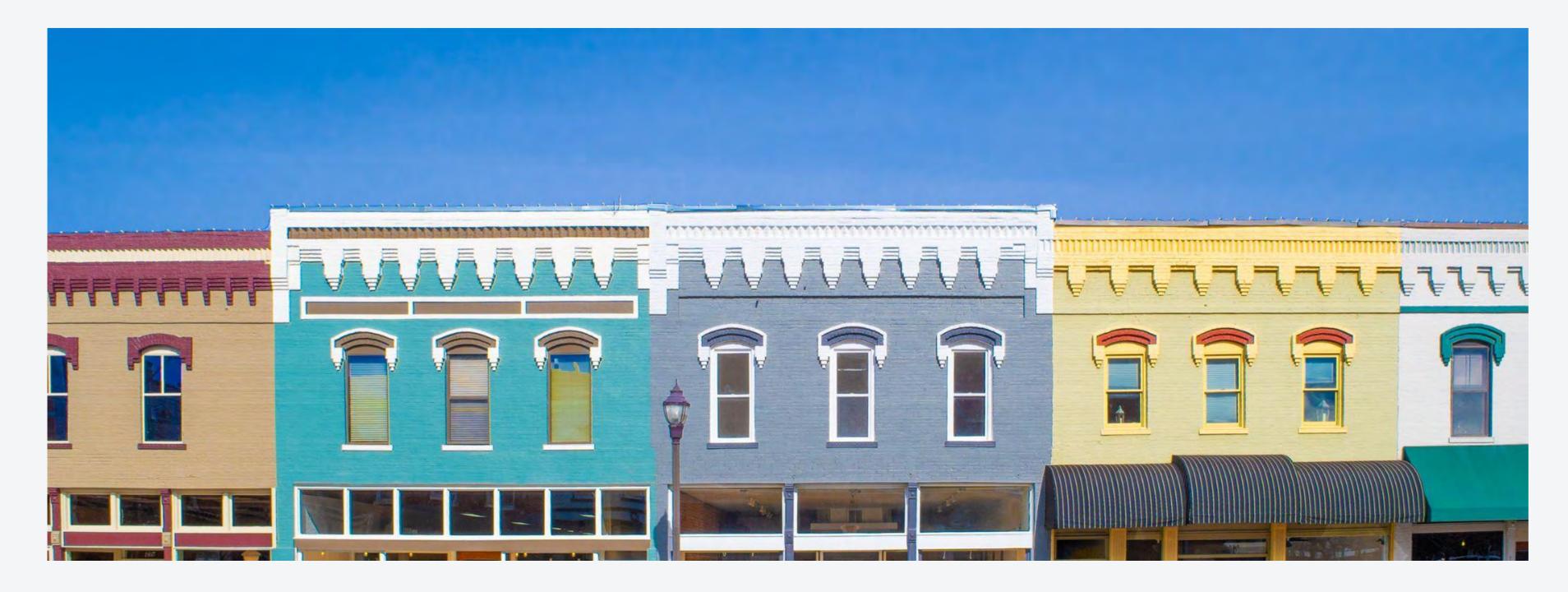
**CRRC** Project Manager





#### Wall Rating Program Overview

- Launched January 2022
- First products rated and Directory launched September 2022
- 87 rated products as of May 2023!





# Thank you to our WRP Founding Members































### Wall Program Participation

Eight Licensees as of May 2023

- 1.Behr Paint Company \*
- 2.MACOMA Environmental Technologies
- 3.NOROO Paint & Coatings \*
- 4. Sherwin-Williams Coil Coatings
- 5.SICC Coatings, GmbH
- 6. The Garland Company \*
- 7. Tex-Cote
- 8. ThermaCote \*

\* active product ratings



#### Wall Program Participation

Three Accredited Independent Testing Laboratories

- ACE Laboratories Ravenna, OH
- PRI Construction Materials Technologies, LLC Tampa, FL
- R&D Services, Inc. Watertown, TN

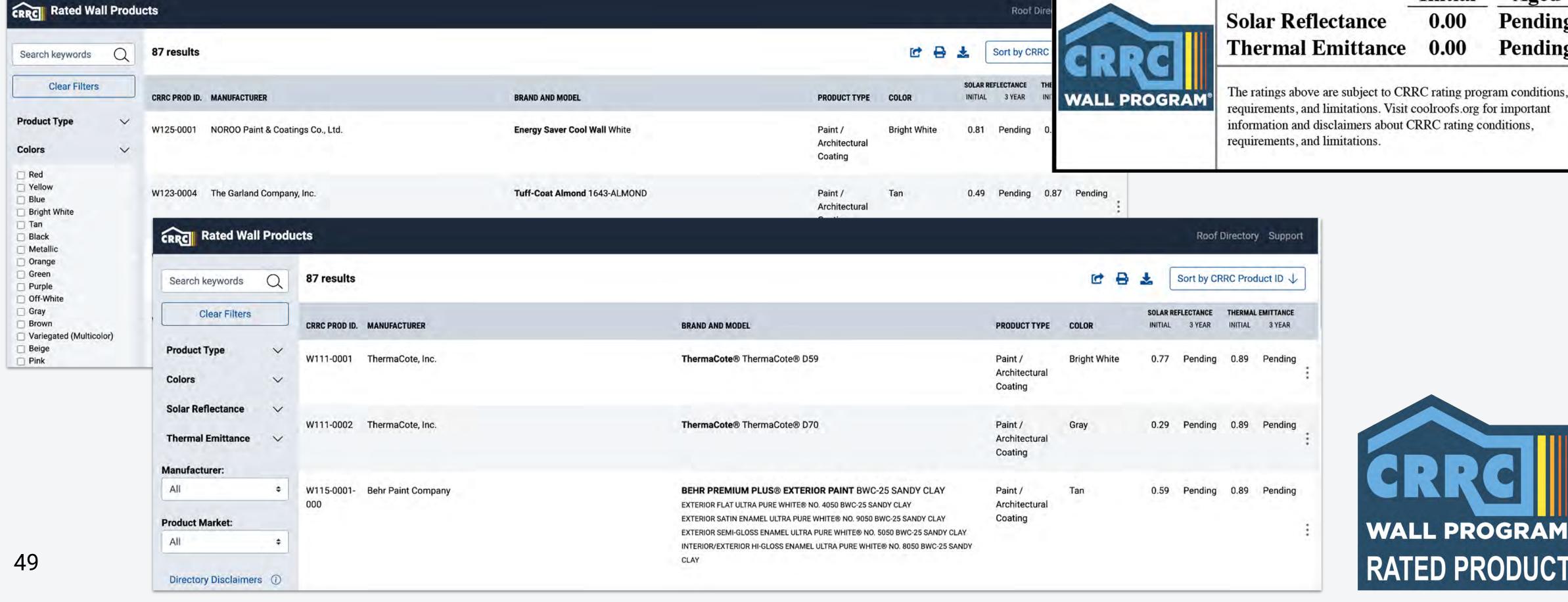
Two Accredited Manufacturer Testing Laboratories

- Behr Paint Company Santa Ana, CA
- Sherwin-Williams Coil Coatings Fort Myers, FL



# Wall Directory, Label, & Logo

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Wall Rated Product ID #: W000-0000

Initial

0.00

Aged

**Pending** 

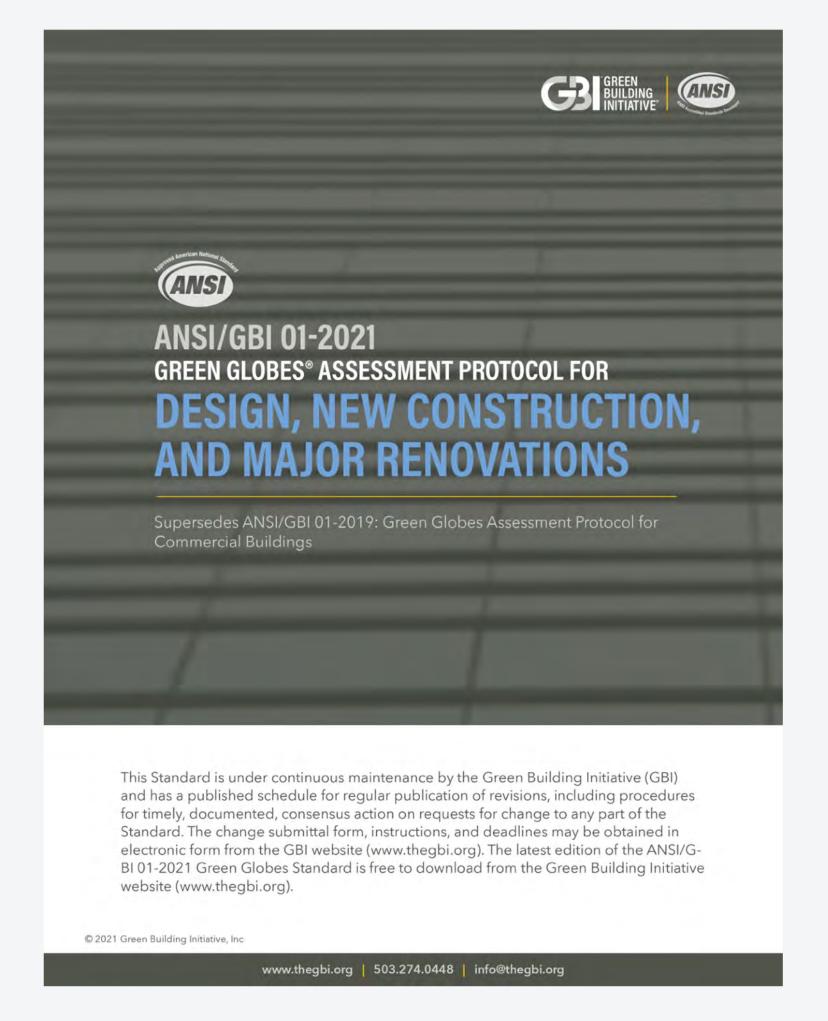
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#### Model Codes and Standards





## Green Building Certification Programs



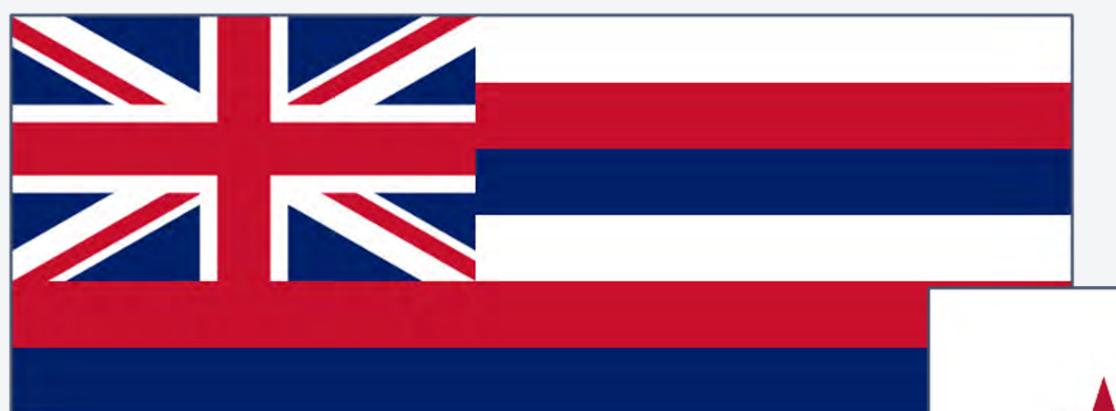








#### State-Level Initiatives



Hawaii State Energy Code

California Green Building Standards (CALGreen)





### Marketing and Outreach

Goal 1

Goal 2

Goal 3

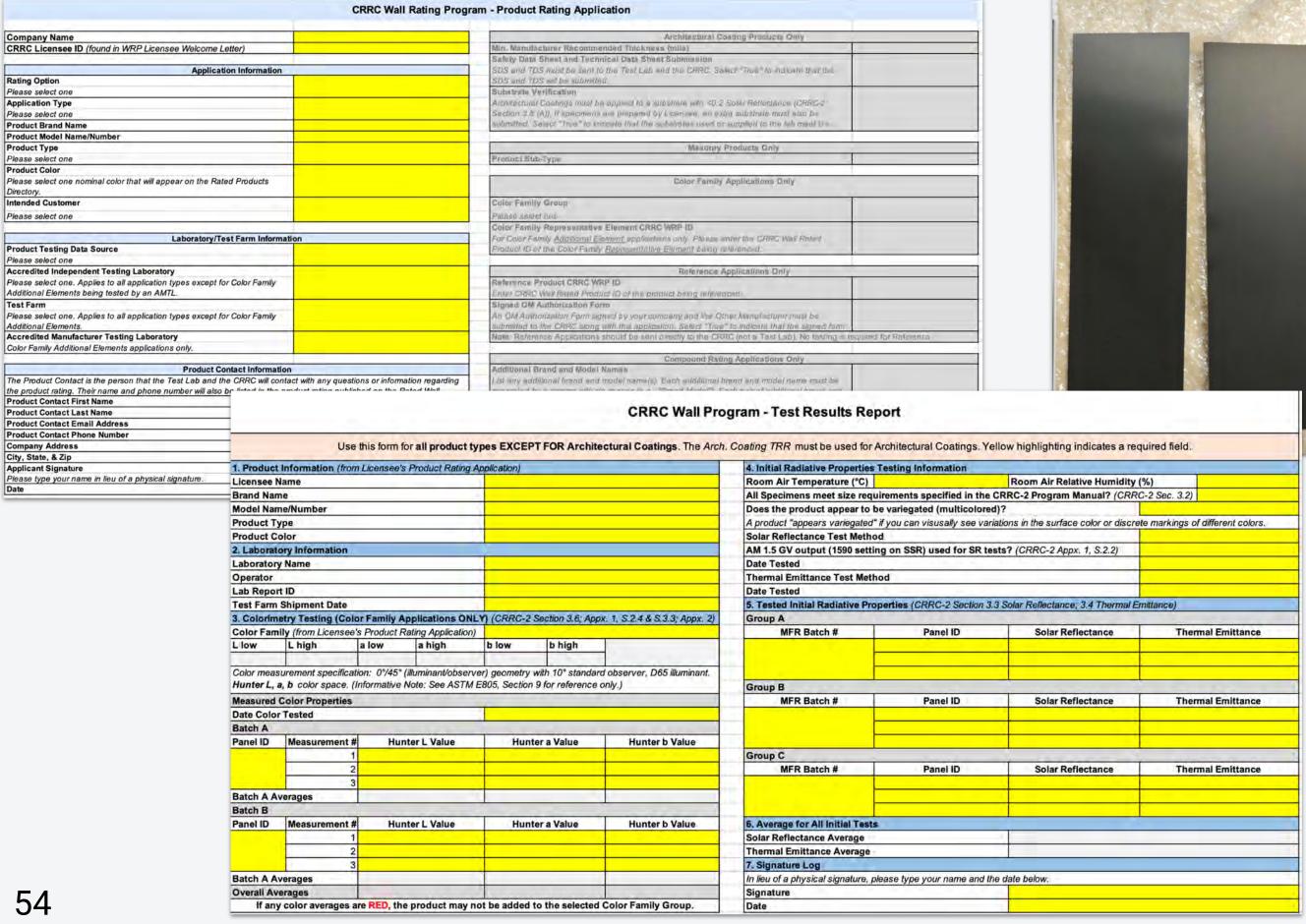
25 Wall Licensees by December 2025

200 Rated Wall Products by December 2025

Kick-off research project by mid-2024



## Program and Technical Development





WALL PRODUCT RATING PROGRAM MANUAL

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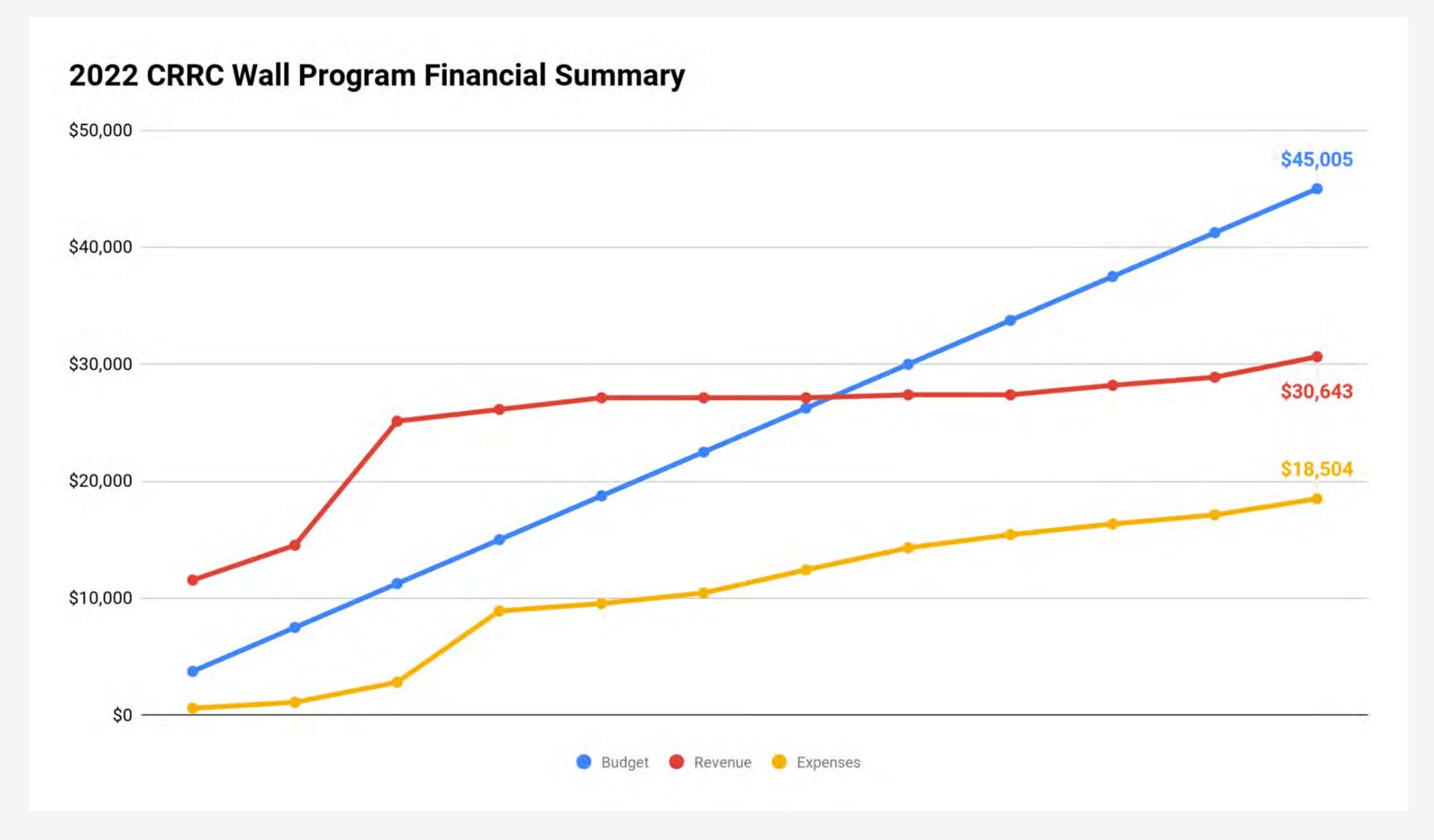
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CRRC Wall Rating Program Manual

April 6, 2023 Version



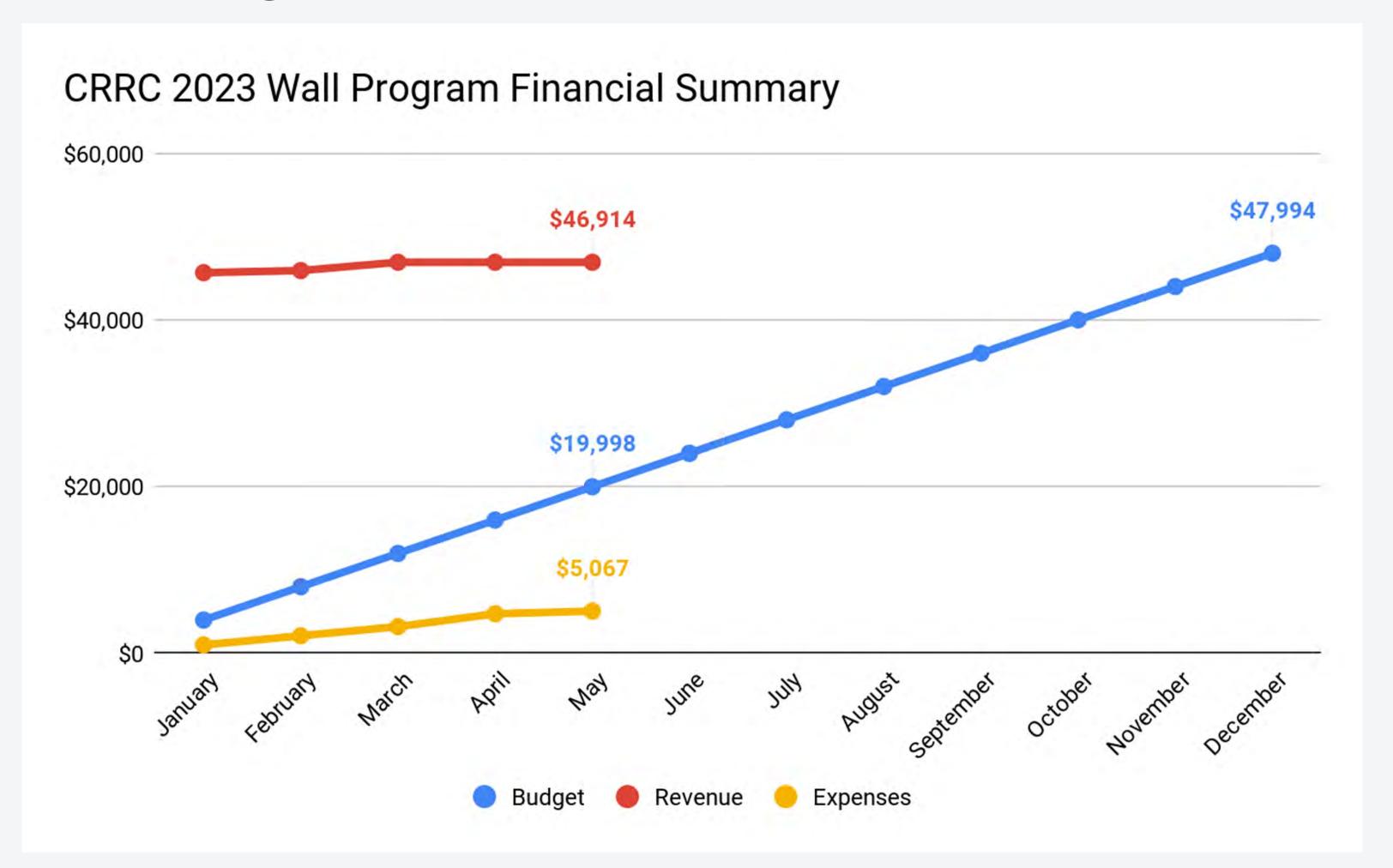
## 2022 Program Finances



2022 EOY Wall	
Program Finances	
Revenue	\$30,643
Expenses	\$18,504
Net	\$12,138



## 2023 Program Finances





## Looking Ahead

- Ramping up education, outreach, and marketing
- Potential future development of Online Rating Portal
- Potential research project





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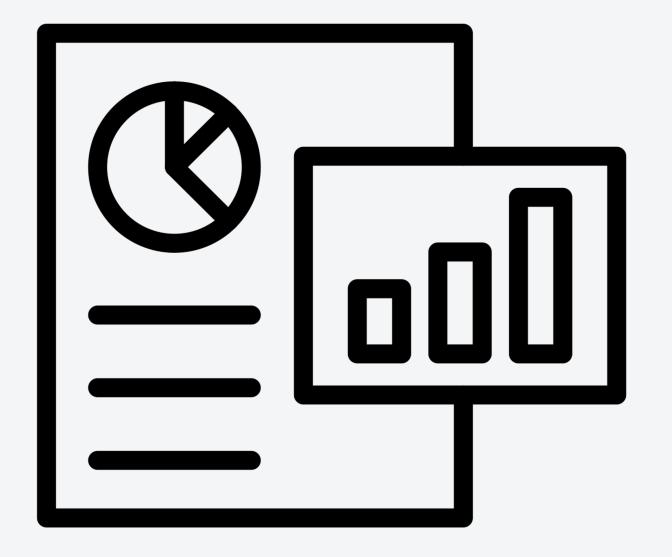




# Random Testing Program Update

Stacey Weister

CRRC Technical Manager



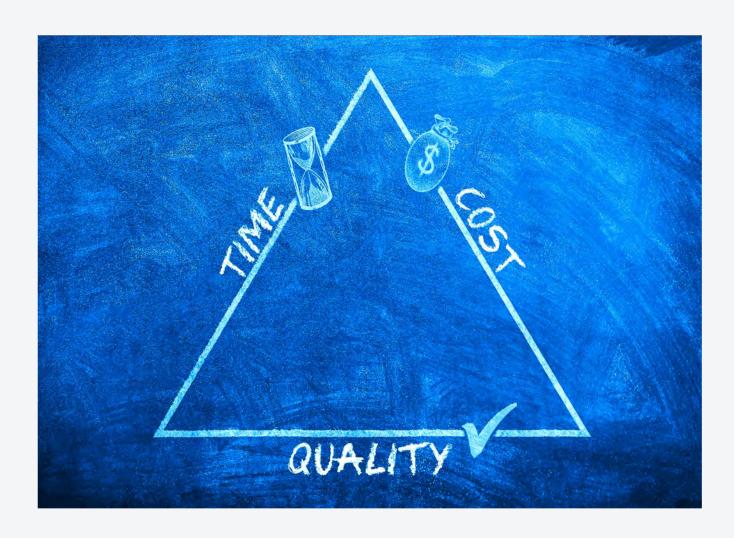


## Purpose of Random Testing

The Random Testing Program is a quality assurance mechanism for active CRRC-rated roof products

#### RANDOM TESTING PROCESS

- 1. Select products and gather information
- 2. Collect products
- 3. Labs test products and report to CRRC
- 4. CRRC reviews the results and compares to original ratings



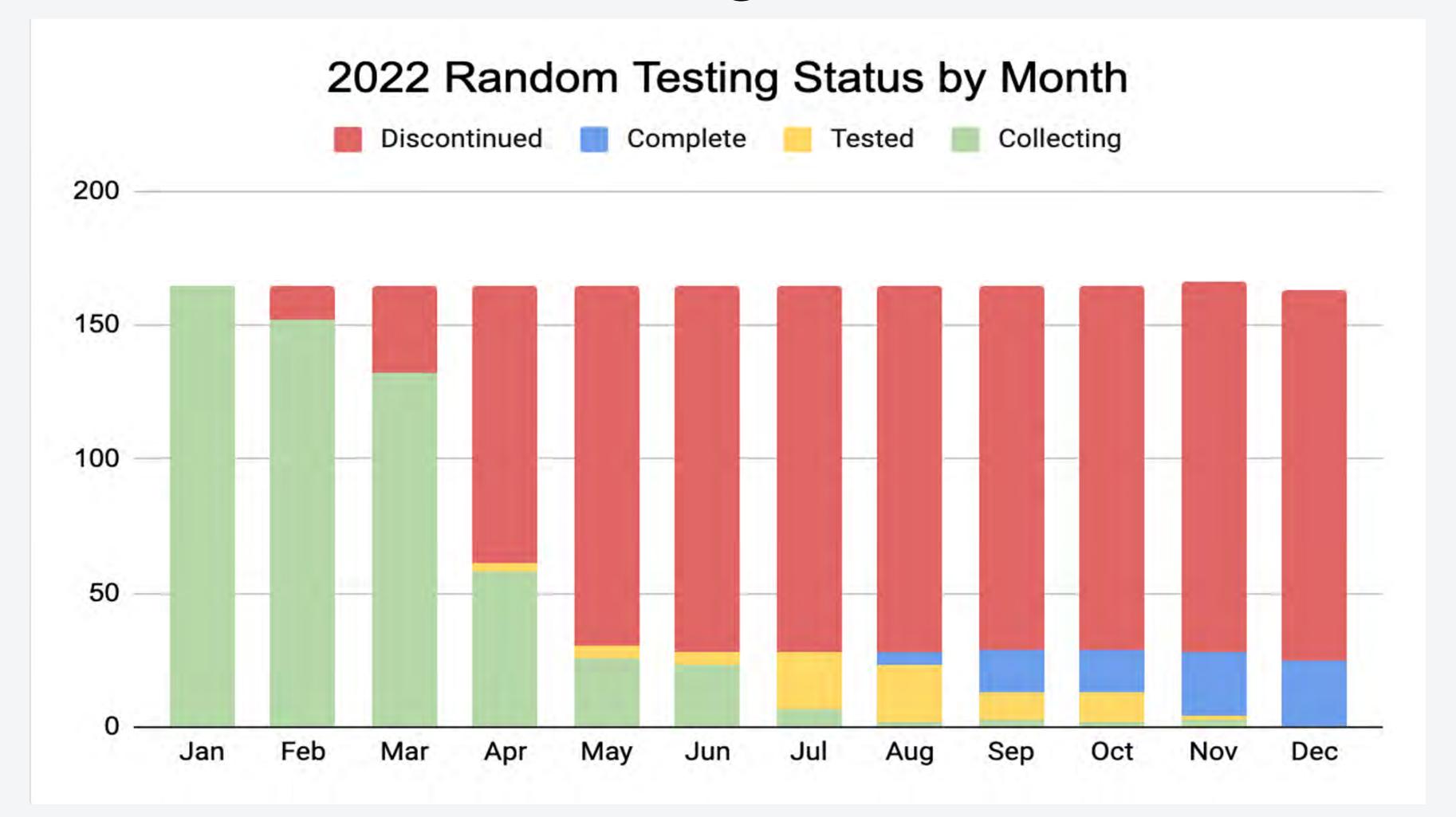


## Random Testing (RT) Program Selection

## **Mandatory Selection** Non-Mandatory Selection Weighted Random Selection Made-to-Order from previous RT year Products rated ≥15 years that have never gone through RT Other selections as needed

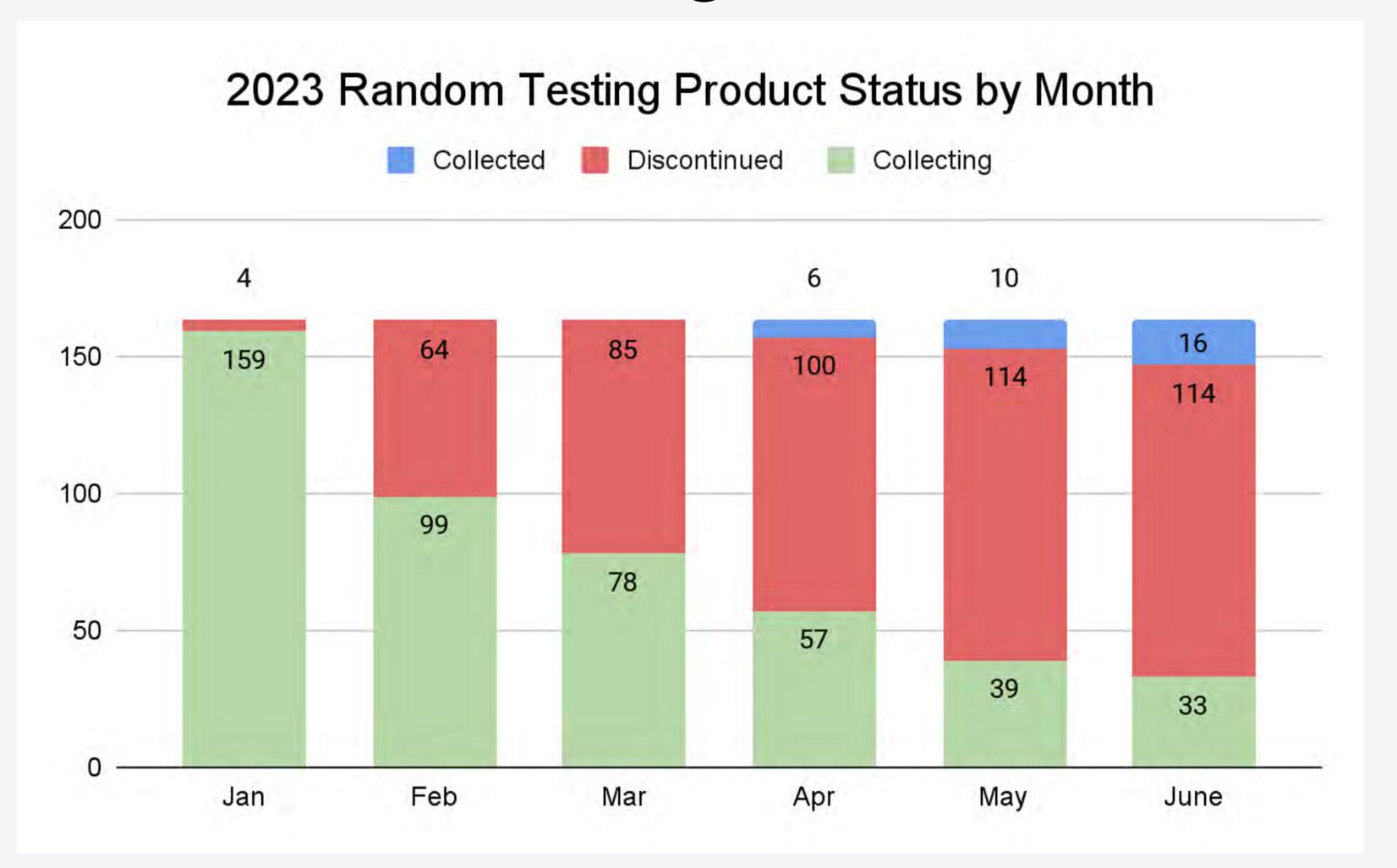


## 2022 Random Testing





## 2023 Random Testing





## Upcoming Random Testing Program

- Specimen Collections Emphasizing Remote 2024
  - Remote Collections are already allowed, just emphasizing the language in the Program Manual
  - Faster
  - Greater efficiency
  - Possible cost-savings





## Random Testing Online Portal Integration

- Feature specification is currently being written
  - Goal to start development next year (2024)
- Features/Improvements
  - Random Testing Test Results Report online forms
  - Automated Communications (e.g., reminders, notifications, requests for information)
  - Licensees can see which products are selected and view results via the Portal



For Random Testing Program questions, contact:

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## **CRRC Laboratory Update**

Stacey Weister

Technical Manager



#### CRRC AITLS

- 6 Approved Roof AITLs
  - 7<sup>th</sup> expected by the end of 2023
- 5 Approved Rapid Ratings AITLs
  - 6<sup>th</sup> expected by the end of 2023
- 3 Approved Wall AITLs
  - 2 additional labs expected to be approved by the end of the year



RATING COUNCIL (R

## CRRC Lab Language

- Quarterly virtual meeting for AITLs
- Review testing and reporting requirements
- "Did you know" Program facts
- Answer & discuss AITL questions





## On-Site Lab Training



- Available for Labs and Licensees
- 3 Labs in 2022
  - 1 Lab to become an AITL
  - 1 Lab as a quality mechanism
  - 1 Licensee
- 2 Labs in 2023
  - 1 AITL for newly hired staff
  - 1 Lab to become an AITL (July)

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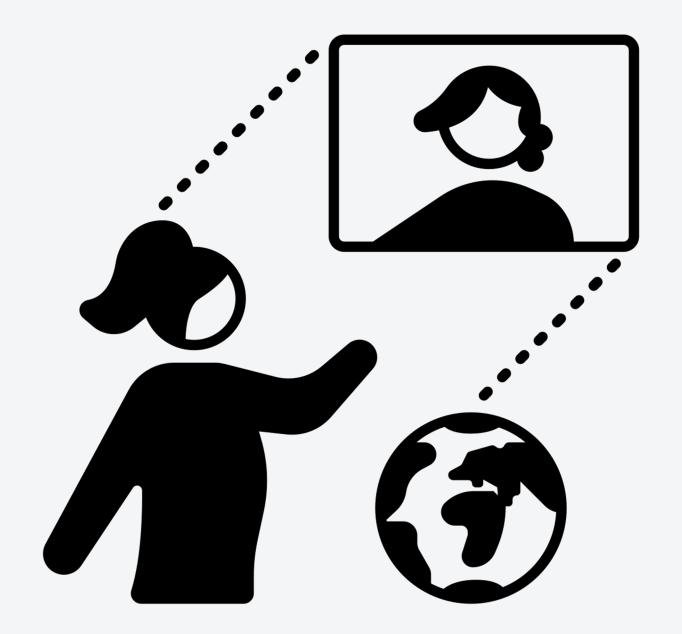




## Outreach Update

Sarah Schneider

**CRRC** Deputy Director





#### Recent Webinars









## Recent Speaking Engagements



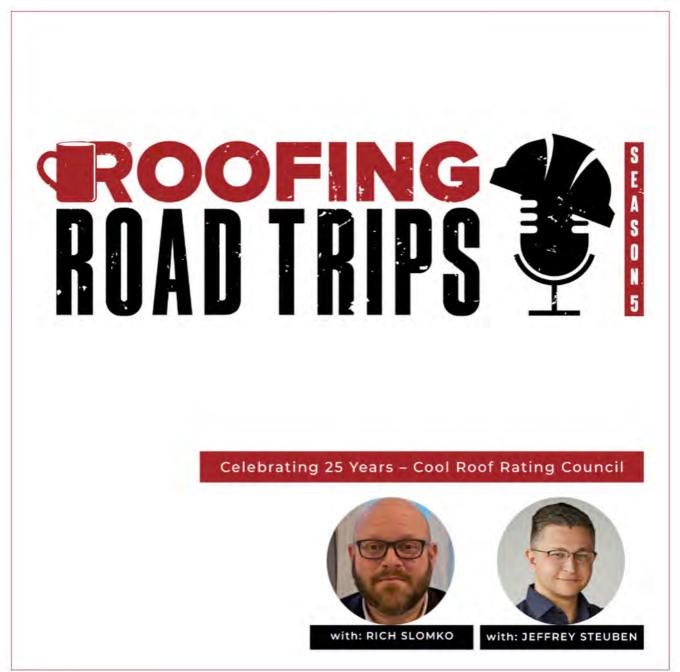




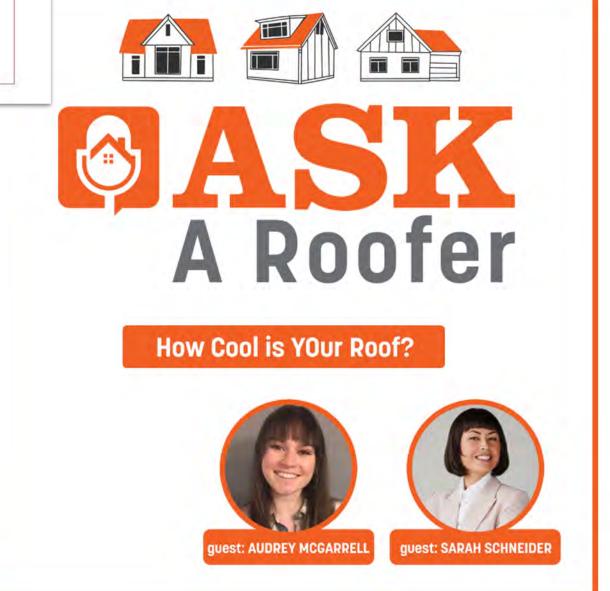


#### Recent Interviews









## **Event Participation**

















## **Upcoming Presentations**

#### June 26

CoatingsTech (Cleveland)

#### August 22

The Energy Expo (Miami)

#### September 25

Western Roofing Expo (Las Vegas)

#### **October 15-18**

Western Coatings Symposium (Las Vegas)

#### December 4-7

International Conference on Countermeasures to UHIs (Melbourne) CRR











#### Recent Articles



The Number-one Resource for Roof Product Ratings

Why You Should Care About Third-party Product Ratings

September 30, 2022 at 6:00 p.r By Sarah Schneider, Cool Roof F



February 26, 2023 at 9:00 a.m. By Sarah Schneider, CRRC.



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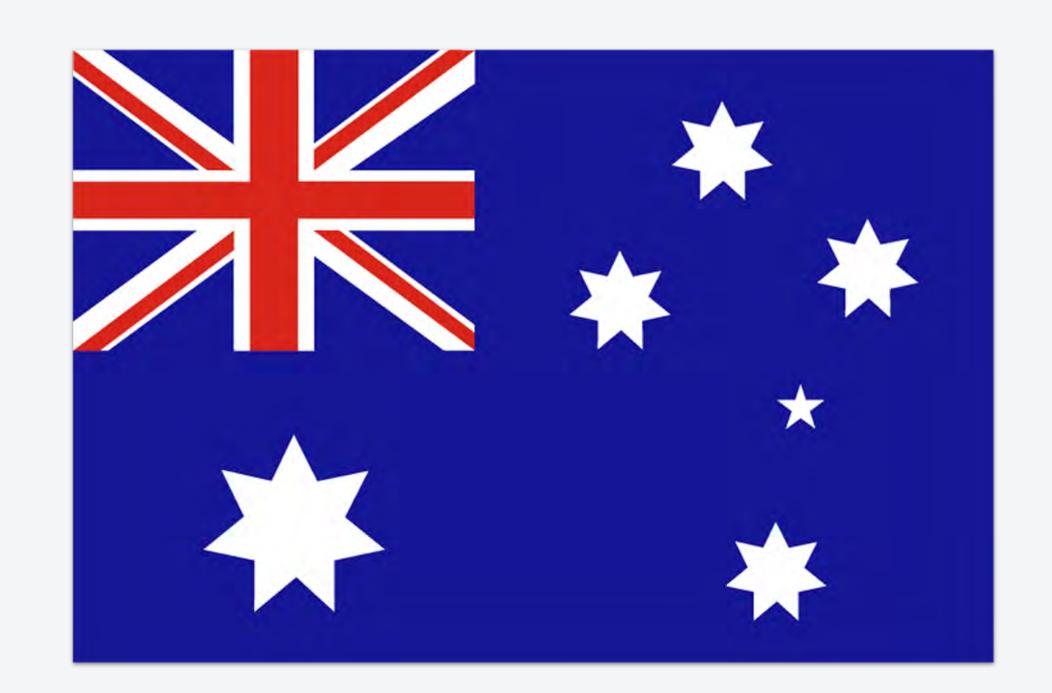


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#### International Outreach

- Opportunity to provide subject matter expertise to interested organizations
- Board-level working group:
  - Identified priority countries/regions
  - Created outreach action plan and supplemental materials
- Current country of interest is Australia
- CRRC workshop at UHI2023 conference in Melbourne





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