

# ADMINISTRATIVE UPDATES

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Annual General Membership Meeting Las Vegas, NV, June 12, 2019



- Program Update
- Outreach Update
- Online Rating Portal Update
- Random Testing Update
- Questions



- Addition of spring and fall "mini-newsletters"
  - More regular updates on Program changes
  - Released every April & October





- Code Advocacy Policy & Procedure
  - Advocacy pertains to promoting adoption of CRRC S100 or CRRC-1 Program into a code
  - Adopted by Board in September 2018
  - Applies to submission of proposals to code bodies on behalf of CRRC by Board-designated representatives:
    - o Board shall review proposed submissions before submittal
    - If a Director has concerns with proposal, Board shall meet to discuss the proposal
  - Administrative changes are exempt



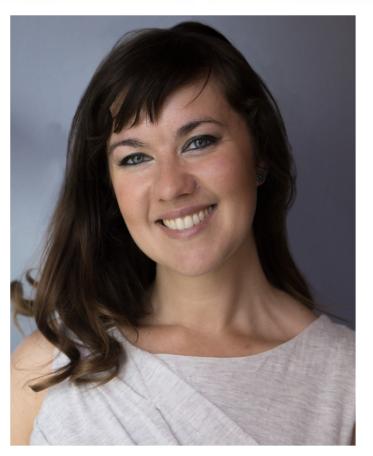
- Removal of "Custom Color" Rating Option
  - Effective January 31, 2019
  - Supplanted by Color Family Program
  - Low participation
  - CRRC had concerns about technical and programmatic oversight of this option
- Removing unutilized aspects of the Program simplifies Program participation and rules



- CRRC and ES-CRRC Renewals combined into same cycle
  - 2018 Launched April 2
  - 2019 Launched March 1
  - 2020 Launch February 3 (Anticipated)
- Resolving technical issues and making corrections to invoice items
- Ultimate goal is to have a streamlined launch at the beginning of the year



- Beth James-Bourgeois
- Administrative Coordinator
- Joined April 15, 2019





Staff have undertaken large projects this past year that would have been cost-prohibitive under a consultant staffing model

- Portal development and launch; fixing legacy data
- Paper file digitization (over 500 hours!)
- Staff involvement in technical research
- 20th Anniversary planning & hosting
- Complete review and re-write of internal procedures
- ANSI accreditation renewal



# OUTREACH UPDATE

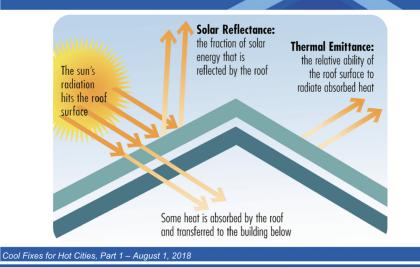


#### "Cool Fixes for Hot Cities"

EPA-hosted Webinar August 1, 2018



COOL ROOFS 101



### CoilWorld Sept/Oct 2018







### National Adaptation Forum

Action today for a better tomorrow April 23-25, 2019 - Madison, WI #NAF2019



June ASTM D08 Committee Week (June 2–June 5, 2019) Denver, CO

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### Thank you to everyone who took the survey! Responses help identify website priorities Further CRRC website development on hold





# ONLINE RATING PORTAL



2015 - 2016	Design, specification writing, RFP, and contracting
2017 - 2018	Phase 1 Development
April 1, 2018	- Initial Launch
2018 - 2019	Phase 2 Development



#### Financial system improvements

- More efficient checkout process
- Clearer handling of renewals fees
- Improved invoice layout and organization
  - Credit card payment option for created invoices
  - Aligned QuickBooks account codes



#### Other improvements

- Added Member companies to Portal
- Contact Management tools for staff
- Printable test results and application forms
  - Updates to coolroofs.org
    - Photo upload and file organization (Pending)

Test Farm user functionality (Pending)



- Ongoing maintenance contract supports bug fixes and minor improvements
- No additional development currently planned
- Future development may include:
  - Tools to manage Random Testing Program
  - Wall Rating Program
  - Removal of ES-CRRC functionality (at conclusion of ENERGY STAR program)



# RANDOM TESTING PROGRAM



 <u>Purpose</u>: Provide quality assurance of the Rated Products Directory

### **RANDOM TESTING PROCESS**

- 1 Selection and information gathering
- 2 Product collection
- 3 Product testing and reporting



- Verification Testing is similar to Random Testing, for ENERGY STAR® Certifications
- EPA elected not to require Verification Testing in 2018 or 2019 due to program sunset
  - Will not be required in 2020 or 2021





Policy updates since 2018 AGM:

- Change in selection rate from 7.7% to 5% of eligible rated products
- Improvements to collection Sample Tag
- Update to tile specimen size requirements
  and collection protocol
- Provision added for made-to-order products



# 2018

- Slightly later start (March 2018)
- 94% complete as of June 2019
  - 100% of products have completed 1st test
  - 10 products undergoing 2nd or 3rd tests





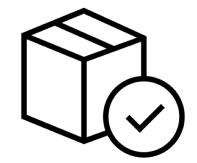
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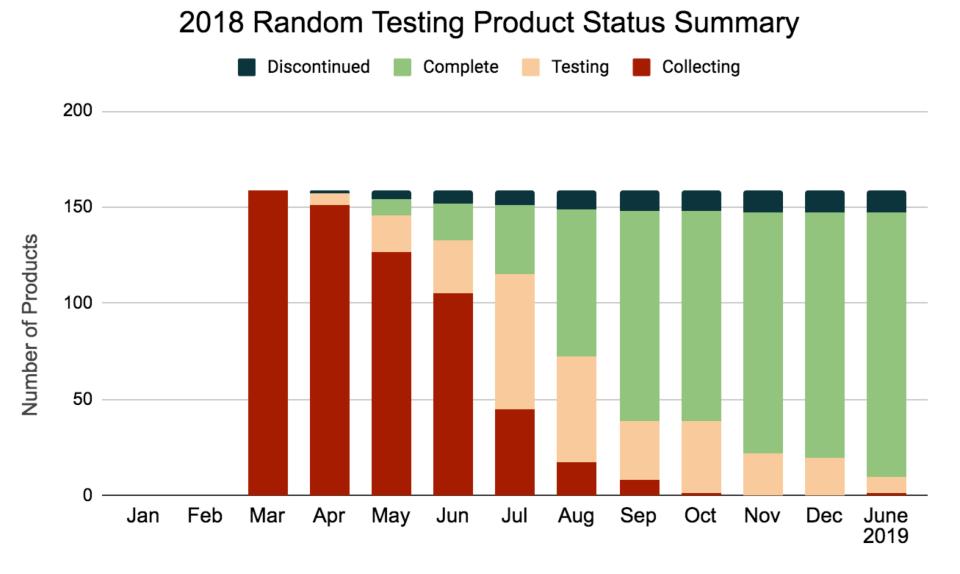
# 2019

- Return to normal schedule (launch in February 2019)
- Implementation of policy updates
- 25% complete as of June 2019
  - Procurement deadline: July 1





Calendar Check by shashank singh, box by Yaroslav Samoilov from the Noun Project





- Random Testing Working Group very active in 2019, additional policy changes under discussion for 2020 program cycle
  - Possible change in Thermal Emittance threshold
  - CRRC-1 Program updates regarding reformulations and product selection
- Thank you to working group!





### **QUESTIONS?**