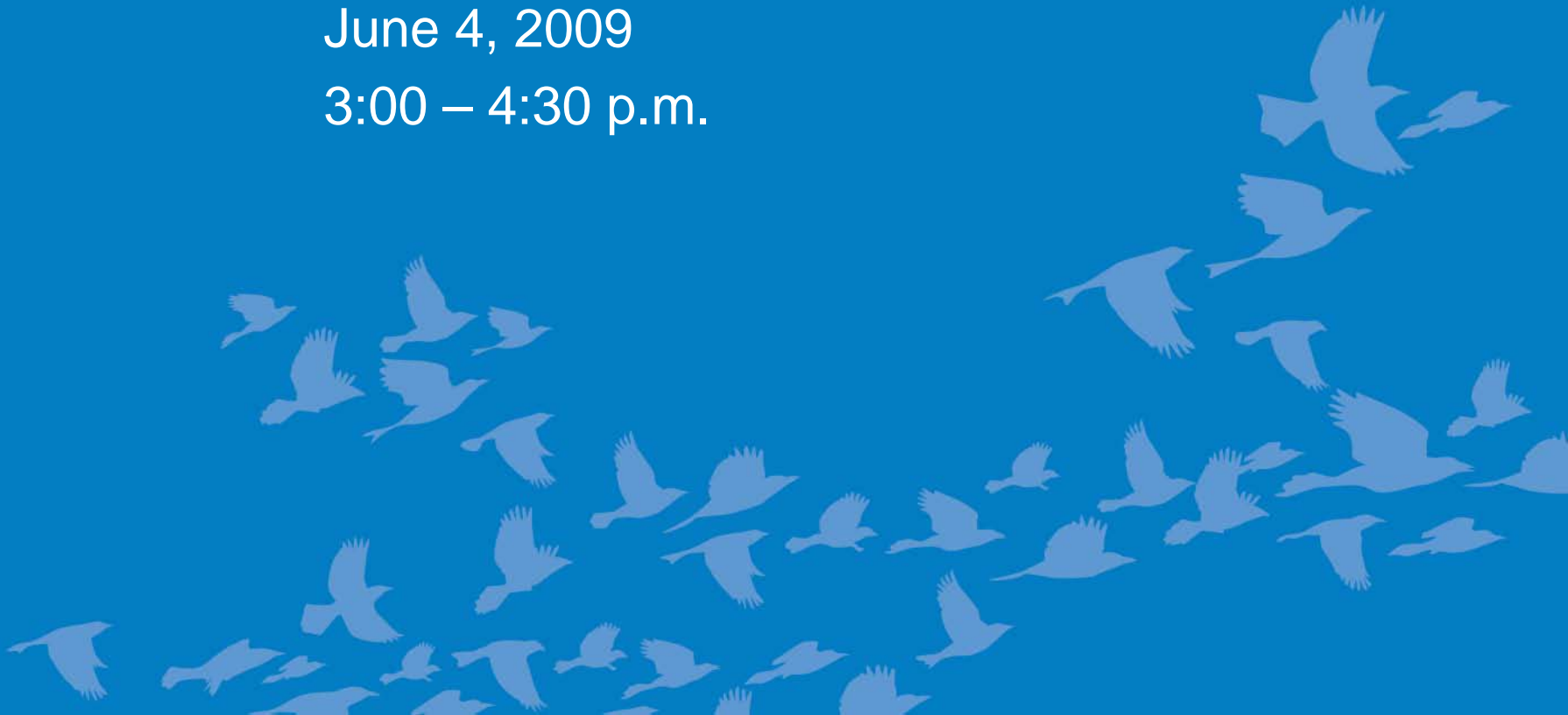




# Existing Homes Breakout Session

June 4, 2009

3:00 – 4:30 p.m.



# Agenda

- ▶ Update on Existing Homes Working Group
- ▶ Presentations
  - Jim Grevatt, Efficiency Vermont
  - John Trowbridge, Austin Energy
- ▶ Discussion
- ▶ Updates
  - Home Performance with ENERGY STAR pilot
  - ENERGY STAR for Homes spec revision
  - ENERGY STAR Thermostats
- ▶ All Things Whole House

# Existing Homes Working Group

## ▼ Purpose

- Support member program efforts, while leveraging relationships with industry, by identifying a common approach to the existing homes market

## ▼ Participants

- CEE members and invited representatives from HVAC, windows, insulation, water heating, appliances, lighting, and electronics industries

# Program Guide

- ▶ Compiles information needed to develop a program
- ▶ Takes advantage of industry expertise/research
- ▶ Captures lessons learned/successful approaches
- ▶ Sets out an agreed upon vision for existing homes
- ▶ Leads to more consistent programs and messages
- ▶ Provides a starting point for a binational discussion about doing more, together with industry

# Program Guide – Contents

▶ Purpose ✓

▶ Existing Homes Market ✓

▶ Technology

▶ Workforce Capacity

▶ Policy Context

▶ Program Case Studies

▶ Marketing

} Being drafted  
this summer

} Beginning work  
today, will be focus  
of fall CEE Industry  
Partners Meeting

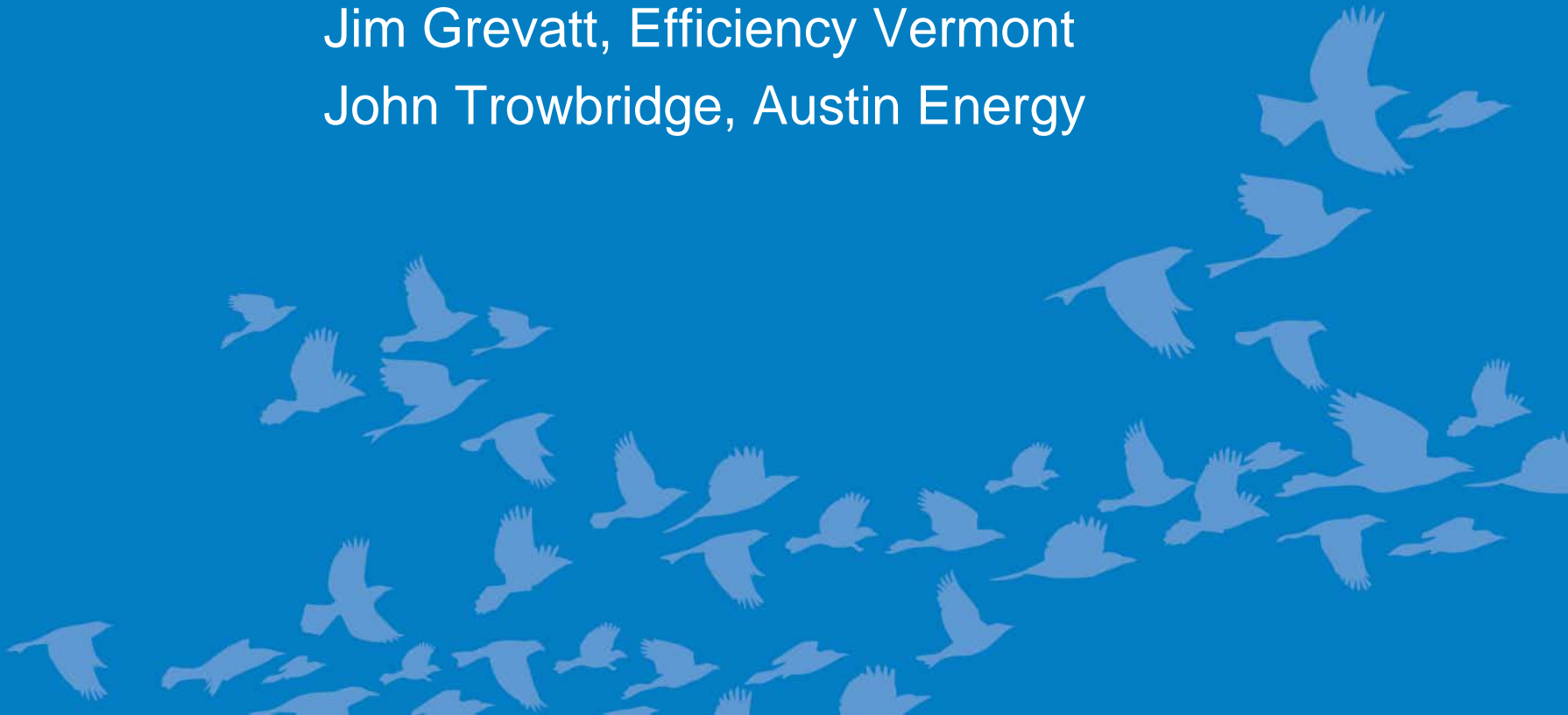
# Next Steps

- ▶ Subgroup work finishing up now
- ▶ Call scheduled to review subgroup outputs
  - Thursday June 18 at 2:00 Eastern
- ▶ How to participate:
  - Join the Working Group to receive info for this and future calls
  - Plan to attend Industry Partners Meeting
    - September 30 – October 1 in New Orleans



# Presentations from Members: Existing Homes Efforts

Jim Grevatt, Efficiency Vermont  
John Trowbridge, Austin Energy



# Updates on Committee Work

- ▶ Home Performance with ENERGY STAR pilot
  - CEE submitted comments in February
  - Call scheduled to debrief with EPA and DOE
    - Tuesday June 16 at 2:00 Eastern
- ▶ ENERGY STAR for Homes spec revision
  - Comments due on July 10
  - Call scheduled to discuss proposal with EPA
    - Thursday June 11 at 12:00 Eastern
- ▶ ENERGY STAR Thermostats
  - EPA announced suspension of spec on 12/31/09
  - Committee requesting the spec be kept active

# All Things Whole House

## ▼ Goals

- Formalize updates typically done on ad-hoc basis
- Ensure that we have information on all items relevant to committee work

## ▼ Process

- Develop list of topics to track
  - E.g. Thousand Home Challenge?
- Solicit committee member volunteers
- Update committee on upcoming calls