

# ENERGY WISE

for your Home



**When you think about saving money, think energy efficiency. By making easy, smart choices in your home, you can contribute to lower energy bills and help the environment. Helping you become more energy efficient is one of our goals as your electric provider and you are invited to take advantage of any or all of these Energy Efficiency Rebates for your home!**

## RESIDENTIAL PROGRAMS OVERVIEW

### Energy Efficient Lighting:

The home lighting programs are designed to help residential members replace standard household lighting with high efficient lighting technology such as Energy Star LEDs, and LED yard lights.

### Energy Efficient Appliances:

When you are considering your next appliance purchase you are encouraged to purchase an ENERGY STAR rated unit. A rebate from your local electric cooperative is available for dehumidifiers, electric clothes dryers, as well as freezers and refrigerators (recycling of old unit is required). The rebate requires the existing unit be recycled to qualify for the rebate.

### Home heating and cooling:

During the hot summer days, ensure your cooling system is operating efficiently by getting an AC tune up to maximize your energy savings. In addition, when you purchase a new air conditioning system, there are rebates available if you install a high efficiency air source heat pump or central air conditioner.

You may also want to consider installing a ground source heat pump. The Midwest experiences seasonal temperature extremes – from hot, humid heat in the summer to sub-zero cold in the winter – while a few feet below the earth's surface, the ground remains at a relatively constant temperature. The below ground temperatures can hover between 45 to 55 degrees. That's when ground source heat pumps can really make a difference. Your local electric cooperative provides a generous rebate for ground source heat pumps installed in new construction or retrofit applications.

Rebates are also available for ductless air source heat pumps and for installing an ECM motor for your furnace.

### Water Heating

Water heating represent up to 25% of a typical home's energy usage. Rebates are available for residential members who improve their water heating efficiency by enrolling in off-peak programs or purchasing energy efficient equipment.

### New home construction:

The New Home Construction program focuses on energy efficient home design and construction. Your electric cooperative will work with you and your home builder to not only provide the latest information and products on energy efficient technologies, but to outline best practices in energy efficient construction standards.

## RESIDENTIAL REBATE OVERVIEW

ENERGY EFFICIENCY STEP	YOUR REBATE
<b>ENERGY STAR Home Lighting</b>	
LED Home Lighting	Up to \$2.00 per bulb - up to 10 bulbs maximum
Fluorescent bulb recycling	visit <a href="http://www.rethinkrecycling.com/residents/materials-name/fluorescent-bulbs">http://www.rethinkrecycling.com/residents/materials-name/fluorescent-bulbs</a> for recycling locations near you)
<b>ENERGY STAR Appliances</b>	
Dehumidifier	\$25
Electric clothes dryer	\$25
Freezer with recycling of old unit	\$75
Freezer harvest	\$75
Refrigerator with recycling of old unit	\$75
Refrigerator harvest	\$75
<b>HVAC (Heating, Ventilation and Air Conditioning)</b>	
AC Tune Up	\$25 per unit
Cycled Air Conditioning & Air Source Heat Pump	\$100 per unit
Ductless Air Source Heat Pump	Delivered fuels – \$300 Primary electric heat – \$500
Electronically Commutated Motor (ECM)	\$50
Quality Installed Air Source Heat Pump – SEER 14.5-16+	\$480 - \$630
Quality Installed Central Air – SEER 14.5-16+	\$50
<b>Ground Source Heat Pumps</b>	
Up to \$400 per ton (or per 12,000 BTUs)	
<b>Water Heating</b>	
Electric Thermal Storage (ETS) Water Heater	Up to \$400
Interruptible Water Heating	\$100

### Who can participate?

To qualify for any of these programs, you must live in your local electric cooperative's service territory and meet the specific requirements set by the cooperative for each rebate offering.

### What Will I receive?

- Rebate, based on program specifications
- Electric use reduction which impacts your energy bill

### CONTACT US

Please contact your local electric cooperative to receive more information. [800-551-4951](tel:800-551-4951)