

# Insulation and Windows Rebate Program

## Increase your home's energy efficiency and get CASH BACK with the Consumers Energy Insulation and Windows Rebate Program!

For a limited time, rebates on insulation and window installation from Consumers Energy will help make upgrading your home more affordable. If you're a Consumers Energy residential natural gas or electric customer, you can get cash back for insulation and replacement windows (see the complete list of incentives below).

Saving money and energy has never been easier. You can either hire a contractor to do the work, or do it yourself—the choice is yours!

Applying for your rebates is simple:

1. Submit the rebate application within 30 days of completing your improvements.
2. Scan, fax or mail your materials receipts and/or contractor invoices. (See other side for proof-of-purchase requirements.)
3. Receive your rebate check in the mail in six to eight weeks.

Save now with your rebates and continue to save with lower energy bills year round. Let Consumers Energy help you with the cost of increasing the energy efficiency of your home.

Applications for customer incentives can be downloaded or completed online at [www.consumersenergy.com/eeprograms](http://www.consumersenergy.com/eeprograms).

Minimum Efficiency for Measure	Consumers Energy Customer Type		
	Gas and Electric	Gas Only	Electric Only
Roof (Attic) Insulation – (must insulate a minimum of 500 square feet)	<b>\$300</b>	<b>\$300</b>	<b>\$50</b>
Above Grade Wall Insulation – (must insulate a minimum of 500 square feet)	<b>\$200</b>	<b>\$200</b>	<b>\$50</b>
Basement Wall Insulation – (must insulate a minimum of 500 square feet)	<b>\$300</b>	<b>\$300</b>	<b>\$50</b>
Crawlspace Insulation – (must insulate all accessible walls)	<b>\$150</b>	<b>\$150</b>	<b>\$10</b>
Rim Joist Insulation – (must insulate all accessible rim joist areas)	<b>\$75</b>	<b>\$75</b>	<b>\$20</b>
Window Replacement – (U-factor ≤ 0.30)	Windows: \$2/sq ft or \$30 each Glass Doors: \$2/sq ft of the opening, or \$80 each opening	Windows: \$2/sq ft or \$30 each Glass Doors: \$2/sq ft of the opening, or \$80 each opening	Windows: \$2/sq ft or \$30 each Glass Doors: \$2/sq ft of the opening, or \$80 each opening

The Consumers Energy Insulation and Windows program customer incentives will be offered for a limited time in all Consumers Energy service territory. Incentives are subject to availability. Before investing in energy efficiency improvements, please confirm the availability of rebate funds by contacting the program at (866) 234-0445 or [www.consumersenergy.com/eeprograms](http://www.consumersenergy.com/eeprograms). Customers only are eligible for the incentive associated with their service and must have an active Consumers Energy account.

**Consumers Energy Saving Solutions**  
*Everyone has the power to save.*

[www.consumersenergy.com](http://www.consumersenergy.com)

## Terms and Conditions

**ONLINE APPLICATION:** Applications for customer incentives can be downloaded or completed online at [www.consumersenergy.com/eeprograms](http://www.consumersenergy.com/eeprograms). This application and any required additional documentation, including the invoice and/or a copy of the original sales receipt, must be filled out completely, truthfully, and accurately. Participants are advised to print and retain a copy of their confirmation code and any accompanying documentation submitted to Consumers Energy under the Insulation and Windows program. Consumers Energy will not be responsible for lost documentation pertaining to this application request. This program covers projects completed and installed on or after January 1, 2012. Details of this program, including incentive levels, are subject to change or cancellation without prior notice. The application with required proof of purchase documents must be received within 30 days of installation completion. Funds for incentives are limited and available on a first-come, first-served basis. Incentive amounts are valid through December 31, 2012, but can change without notice. Please call (866) 234-0445 or visit [www.consumersenergy.com](http://www.consumersenergy.com) for the most up-to-date program details.

**ELIGIBILITY:** This offer is valid for Consumers Energy residential customers applying only through Consumers Energy Insulation and Windows program who are Consumers Energy natural gas and/or electric customers. The application must be submitted by the Participant via the online application located at [www.consumersinwin.com](http://www.consumersinwin.com) or by submitting a paper application that can be downloaded from [www.consumersenergy.com/eeprograms](http://www.consumersenergy.com/eeprograms). Applications are not available or accepted via e-mail. Participants must be Consumers Energy residential customers who have either electric heat or central air conditioning, for electric customers; or central gas furnaces or gas boilers for natural gas customers. This offer is not valid for new construction homes, condominiums containing five or more attached units, or commercial properties. For other programs, please visit [www.consumersenergy.com](http://www.consumersenergy.com). Eligible incentives are listed at [www.consumersenergy.com](http://www.consumersenergy.com).

**APPROVAL, VERIFICATION, AND INSPECTION:** Prior to any payment of incentives, Consumers Energy reserves the right to verify all installed energy-saving measures and sales transactions. Homeowner/Contractor will verify that the installed energy-saving measures meet all applicable building codes; zoning laws; local, state, and federal requirements; and other relevant requirements including any applicable permits as required by code/law. Participant's home also may be selected for a quality control post-installation inspection by the Program Implementer ICF International. No warranty is implied by this inspection.

**PROOF OF PURCHASE:** Homeowners may scan, fax or mail their materials in support of their applications. The invoice must include a detailed scope of work indicating type of material installed, quantity, home location, and date. Invoices for insulation must show measured pre- and post-insulation R-values and square footage for area installed. Invoices for windows must show quantity or size, and U-factor. Customer receipts must show product name, quantity, place, price and date of purchase.

**PAYMENT:** Please allow six to eight weeks for payment. Payment processing may take longer if information is missing on the application. Please call (866) 234-0445 if you have questions about your incentive or accompanying documentation.

**TAX LIABILITY:** Consumers Energy will not be responsible for any tax liability that may be imposed on the homeowner as a result of the payment of incentives. Please contact your tax advisor for more information.

**FASCIMILE/SCANNED DOCUMENTS:** Facsimile transmission of any signed original document, and the retransmission of any signed facsimile transmission, shall be the same as delivery of the original signed document. Please fax to (855) 353-2893. Scanned original documents transmitted to the Program Implementer ICF International as an attachment to the electronic rebate application will be the same as delivery of the original signed document. At the request of Consumers Energy, the participant must provide the original document to confirm that documents were sent with a scanned signature.

**NO ENDORSEMENT:** Consumers Energy does not endorse any particular manufacturer, product, system design, claim, or contractor in promoting this program.

**INFORMATION RELEASE:** Participant agrees that Consumers Energy may include participant's name, Consumers Energy services used, and resulting energy savings in reports or other documentation submitted to Consumers Energy, and/or the Michigan Public Service Commission. Consumers Energy will treat all other information gathered in evaluations as confidential and report it only in the aggregate.

**LIMITATION OF LIABILITY:** Consumers Energy's liability is limited to paying the incentive specified. **IN NO EVENT WILL CONSUMERS ENERGY BE LIABLE WHETHER IN CONTRACT, TORT (INCLUDING NEGLIGENCE), STRICT LIABILITY, WARRANTY OR OTHERWISE FOR SPECIAL, INCIDENTAL OR CONSEQUENTIAL DAMAGES CONNECTED WITH OR RESULTING FROM PARTICIPATION IN THIS PROGRAM.** Consumers Energy reserves the right to not pay this incentive if the application and all required additional information are not complete and accurate.

**WARRANTIES:** Consumers Energy DOES NOT WARRANT THE PERFORMANCE OF MEASURES OR OF INSTALLED EQUIPMENT EXPRESSLY OR IMPLICITLY. Consumers Energy makes no warranties or representations of any kind, whether statutory, expressed, or implied, including without limitations, warranties of merchantability, or fitness for a particular purpose regarding any energy efficiency measure or window provided by a manufacturer or vendor. Contact the manufacturer for details regarding measure or window performance and warranties.

**PROPERTY RIGHTS:** Participant represents that the participant has the right to complete and/or install the energy-saving measures on the property on which those measures are completed and/or installed and that any necessary landlord's consent has been obtained.

**OWNER'S CERTIFICATION:** Owner certifies that he/she has purchased and has agreed to install the eligible improvement measures and equipment listed in this Rebate Application at the defined location. Owner agrees that all information is true and that he/she has conformed to all program requirements listed.

## I. Customer Information

Full Name (as it appears on Consumers Energy bill):			Consumers Energy Account Number (required):		
Street Address (where project was completed):			Consumers Energy Customer Type (check all that apply): <input type="checkbox"/> Gas <input type="checkbox"/> Electric		
City:	State:	ZIP:	Customer Telephone:	E-mail Address:	
Mailing Address (if different than above):			City:	State:	ZIP:
House Type: <input type="checkbox"/> Single-Family <input type="checkbox"/> Townhouse <input type="checkbox"/> Duplex <input type="checkbox"/> Mobile Home <input type="checkbox"/> Other					
House Square Footage:		Year House Was Built: <input type="checkbox"/> Pre-1950 <input type="checkbox"/> 1950s <input type="checkbox"/> 1960s <input type="checkbox"/> 1970s <input type="checkbox"/> 1980s <input type="checkbox"/> 1990-1995 <input type="checkbox"/> 1996-2000 <input type="checkbox"/> 2001-present			
Primary Heating and Cooling Systems (required, check all that apply): <input type="checkbox"/> Central A/C <input type="checkbox"/> Gas Furnace <input type="checkbox"/> Gas Boiler <input type="checkbox"/> Electric Furnace <input type="checkbox"/> Other Electric Heat <input type="checkbox"/> Air Source Heat Pump <input type="checkbox"/> Ground Source Heat Pump <input type="checkbox"/> Dual Fuel Heat Pump					
Central A/C Tons		Air Source Heat Pump SEER			
Central A/C SEER		Air Source Heat Pump Tons			
Gas Furnace AFUE		Ground Source Heat Pump Tons			
Gas Furnace – kBtu/hr		Ground Source Heat Pump EER			
Gas Boiler AFUE		Dual Fuel Heat Pump AFUE			
Gas Boiler – kBtu/hr		Dual Fuel Heat Pump SEER			
Electric Furnace – kBtu/hr		Dual Fuel Heat Pump Tons			
		Beacon Scenario Test-In			
		Beacon Scenario Test-Out			

## II. Participating Contractor Information

Company Name:		Contact Name:	
Company Address:		MI Business License (required):	
City:	State:	ZIP:	
E-mail Address:	Telephone:	Fax:	



### III. Home Performance Measures

Multiple-Measure Bonuses	Consumers Energy Customer Type			Rebate Amount
	Gas and Electric	Gas Only	Electric Only	
<b>Comprehensive Home Assessment Refund (perform three measures)</b>	\$400	\$400	\$100	\$
★ <b>Silver Savings Bonus (perform four measures)</b>	\$500	\$500	\$150	\$
★★ <b>Gold Savings Bonus (perform five measures)</b>	\$600	\$600	\$200	\$
★★★ <b>Platinum Savings Bonus (perform six measures)</b>	\$700	\$700	\$250	\$
 <b>Whole-house Improvement Bonus (perform seven or more measures)</b>	\$1,000	\$1,000	\$400	\$
<b>Minimum Efficiency for Measure</b>				
<b>Air Sealing (20% reduction)</b> Test-in (CFM50) _____ Test-out (CFM50) _____	\$225	\$225	\$45	\$
<b>Air Sealing (30% reduction)</b> Test-in (CFM50) _____ Test-out (CFM50) _____	\$350	\$350	\$70	\$
<b>Air Sealing (50% reduction)</b> Test-in (CFM50) _____ Test-out (CFM50) _____	\$500	\$500	\$115	\$
<b>Duct Sealing (15% reduction)</b> Test-in (CFM25) _____ Test-out (CFM25) _____	\$50	\$50	\$15	\$
<b>Duct Sealing (30% reduction)</b> Test-in (CFM25) _____ Test-out (CFM25) _____	\$125	\$125	\$35	\$
<b>Duct Insulation and/or Replacement (Must insulate a minimum of 25 feet)</b>	\$125	\$125	\$15	\$
<b>Roof (Attic) Insulation (R-30 or less existing condition, effective R-value insulated to R-49. Must insulate a minimum of 500 square feet)</b> Existing R-value _____ Installed R-value _____ Square feet installed _____	\$400	\$400	\$70	\$
<b>Above Grade Wall Insulation (R-0 to R-13 existing condition, effective R-value (if R-13 must inject wall foam). Must insulate a minimum of 500 square feet)</b> Existing R-value _____ Installed R-value _____ Square feet installed _____	\$275	\$275	\$50	\$
<b>Basement Wall Insulation (R-0 insulated to R-5. Must insulate a minimum of 500 square feet)</b> Existing R-value _____ Installed R-value _____ Square feet installed _____	\$400	\$400	\$70	\$
<b>Crawlspace Insulation (R-0 to R-13 existing condition, insulated to R-19 and Air Sealed, R-10 with foam. Must insulate all accessible crawl wall areas)</b> Existing R-value _____ Installed R-value _____ Square feet installed _____	\$175	\$175	\$10	\$
<b>Floor Insulation (R-0 existing condition, insulated to R-10. Must insulate a minimum of 400 square feet)</b> Existing R-value _____ Installed R-value _____ Square feet installed _____	\$325	\$325	\$20	\$
<b>Rim Joist Insulation (Air Seal and Insulate to R-10. Must insulate all accessible rim joist areas)</b> Existing R-value _____ Installed R-value _____ Lineal feet installed _____	\$100	\$100	\$20	\$

Minimum Efficiency for Measure				
Tier 1 Natural Gas Furnace 94-96% AFUE AHRI Rated	\$500	\$500	N/A	\$
Tier 2 Natural Gas Furnace 97% AFUE or Higher AHRI Rated	\$650	\$650	N/A	\$
Operations and Maintenance Furnace Tune-Up	\$50	\$50	N/A	\$
ECM Motor (Installed in new units only)	\$150	N/A	\$150	\$
Natural Gas Boiler 90% AFUE AHRI Rated (replacement only)	\$750	\$750	N/A	\$
Natural Gas Boiler 92-94% AFUE AHRI Rated (replacement only)	\$825	\$825	N/A	\$
Natural Gas Boiler 95% AFUE or Higher AHRI Rated (replacement only)	\$950	\$950	N/A	\$
Tier 1 Split System Central A/C 15.0-15.99 SEER AHRI Rated (Must be a Consumers Energy electric customer)	\$280	N/A	\$280	\$
Tier 2 Split System Central A/C 16.0 SEER or Higher AHRI Rated (Must be a Consumers Energy electric customer)	\$350	N/A	\$350	\$
Operations and Maintenance Central A/C Tune-Up	\$50	N/A	\$50	\$
Tier 1 Air Source Heat Pump 15.0 SEER AHRI Rated (replacement only)	\$250	N/A	\$250	\$
Tier 2 Air Source Heat Pump 16.0 SEER or Higher AHRI Rated (replacement only)	\$350	N/A	\$350	\$
Tier 1 Ground Source Heat Pump 17.0 EER AHRI Rated (replacement only)	\$460	N/A	\$460	\$
Tier 2 Ground Source Heat Pump 19.0 EER AHRI Rated (replacement only)	\$560	N/A	\$560	\$
Tankless Water Heater .82 EF	\$200	\$200	N/A	\$
High Efficiency Gas Water Heater .67 EF or greater	\$120	\$120	N/A	\$
Window Replacement .30 U-factor .35 SHGC U-factor _____ SHGC _____	\$2 per square foot of window area up to \$500	\$2 per square foot of window area up to \$500	\$2 per square foot of window area up to \$500	\$

Qualifying measures and incentive levels (incentives capped at **\$5,000** for Consumers Energy natural gas and combination (gas and electric) customers, and \$1,800 for Consumers Energy electric only customers)

**TOTAL INCENTIVE PAYMENT \$ \_\_\_\_\_**

#### IV. Terms and Conditions

**APPLICATION:** This application and any required additional documentation, including the homeowner-contractor contract agreement, must be filled out completely, truthfully, and accurately. Participants are advised to retain a copy of this application and any accompanying documentation submitted to Consumers Energy under the Home Performance with ENERGY STAR Program. Consumers Energy will not be responsible for lost documentation pertaining to this application request. This program covers projects completed and installed on or after January 1, 2012. Details of this program, including incentive levels, are subject to change or cancellation without prior notice. This application with required documentation must be received within 30 days of installation completion and within six months of the HPwES home energy assessment. Funds for incentives are limited and available on a first-come, first-served basis. Incentive amounts are valid through December 31, 2012. Please allow six to eight weeks for incentive processing. Please call (877) 40-HPWES (47937) or visit consumersenergy.com for the most up-to-date program details.

**ELIGIBILITY:** This offer is valid for Consumers Energy residential customers applying only through Consumers Energy Home Performance with ENERGY STAR program who are Consumers Energy natural gas and/or electric customers. Participants must be Consumers Energy residential customers who have either electric heat, or central air conditioning, for electric customers; or central gas furnaces or gas boilers for natural gas customers. Participant homeowners must use a Consumers Energy Trade Ally contractor that is an active participating contractor in the Consumers Energy Home Performance with ENERGY STAR program. Visit consumersenergy.com for a list of active contractors. This offer is not valid for new construction home or commercial properties. For other programs, please visit consumersenergy.com. Eligible incentives are listed at consumersenergy.com.

**APPROVAL, VERIFICATION, AND INSPECTION:** Prior to any payment of incentives, Consumers Energy reserves the right to verify all installed energy-saving measures. Participant's contractor will verify that the installed energy-saving measures meet all applicable building codes; zoning laws; local, state, and federal requirements; and other relevant requirements. Contractor is responsible for any applicable permits as required by code/law. Participant's home also may be selected for a quality control post-installation inspection by the Program Implementer ICF International. No warranty is implied by this inspection.

**PROOF OF PURCHASE:** Homeowner-contractor contract agreement for energy improvements must accompany each Home Performance with ENERGY STAR Homeowner Agreement. The contract copy must include a detailed scope of work indicating insulation levels, infiltration reduction, duct sealing, heating, cooling and water heating improvements (type, make, model, and serial numbers), lighting, water heating measures (type, make, model, and serial numbers), home location, and the date of contract.

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**TAX LIABILITY:** Consumers Energy will not be responsible for any tax liability that may be imposed on the homeowner as a result of the payment of incentives. Please contact your tax advisor for more information.

**FACSIMILE/SCANNED:** Facsimile transmission of any signed original document, and the retransmission of any signed facsimile transmission, must be the same as delivery of the original signed document. Scanned original documents transmitted to the Program Implementer ICF International as an attachment to electronic mail will be the same as delivery of the original signed document. At the request of Consumers Energy, the participant must provide the original document to confirm documents sent with a facsimile transmitted signature or a scanned signature.

**ENDORSEMENT:** Consumers Energy does not endorse any particular manufacturer, product, system design, claim, or contractor in promoting this program.

**INFORMATION RELEASE:** Participant agrees that Consumers Energy may include participant's name, Consumers Energy services used, and resulting energy savings in reports or other documentation submitted to Consumers Energy, and/or the Michigan Public Service Commission. Consumers Energy will treat all other information gathered in evaluations as confidential and report it only in the aggregate.

**LIMITATION OF LIABILITY:** Consumers Energy's liability is limited to paying the incentive specified. Consumers Energy IS NOT LIABLE FOR ANY CONSEQUENTIAL OR INCIDENTAL DAMAGES OR FOR ANY DAMAGES CONNECTED WITH OR RESULTING FROM PARTICIPATION IN THIS PROGRAM. Consumers Energy reserves the right to not pay this incentive if the form is not filled out completely and accurately.

**WARRANTIES:** Consumers Energy DOES NOT WARRANT THE PERFORMANCE OF MEASURES OR OF INSTALLED EQUIPMENT EXPRESSLY OR IMPLICITLY. Consumers Energy makes no warranties or representations of any kind, whether statutory, expressed, or implied, including without limitations, warranties of merchantability, or fitness for a particular purpose regarding any energy efficiency measure provided by a manufacturer or vendor. Contact your contractor for details regarding equipment/measure performance and warranties.

**PROPERTY RIGHTS:** Participant represents that the participant has the right to complete and/or install the energy-saving measures on the property on which those measures are completed and/or installed and that any necessary landlord's consent has been obtained.

**OWNER'S CERTIFICATION:** Owner certifies that he/she has purchased and has agreed to install the eligible improvement measures and equipment listed in this Rebate Application at the defined location. Owner agrees that all information is true and that he/she has conformed to all program and energy-efficient improvements and equipment requirements listed.

#### V. Signatures

Consumers Energy Home Performance with ENERGY STAR incentives from Consumers Energy cannot be processed unless all of the appropriate fields of this Rebate Application are complete. Please be sure you have read the terms and conditions of this agreement. Attach a copy of a signed contract between the contractor and customer, including a detailed scope of work indicating eligible improvements, including insulation levels, infiltration reduction, duct sealing, and heating, cooling and water heating improvements (type, make, model, and serial numbers), and the date of installation.

I HAVE READ AND UNDERSTAND THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS ABOVE. I CERTIFY THAT THE INFORMATION I HAVE PROVIDED IS TRUE AND CORRECT AND THE IMPROVEMENTS, PRODUCT(S), AND/OR EQUIPMENT FOR WHICH I AM REQUESTING AN INCENTIVE MEETS THE REQUIREMENTS IN THIS AGREEMENT.

Once the agreement is completed, provide the signed copy to your contractor to submit with your incentive application.

Customer Account Number:	
Customer (print name):	Contractor (print name):
Customer Signature:	Contractor Signature:
Date:	Date:

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