



# 2024 ENERGY STAR® Products Rebate Application



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Open Monday - Friday 8 a.m.- 4:30 p.m. Phone (507) 835-9718

## INSTRUCTIONS

- Page 1** - Applicant to fully complete the customer information section including the customer signature. For recycling rebate, signature of recycler and receipt/invoice is required.
- Pages 2 & 3** - Fill in the specific LED and/or appliance information requested.
- FOR ALL REBATES** - Customer must include original sales receipt/invoice, which must have on it the date of sale (must be between 1-1-24 and 12-31-24), manufacturer name, model number and price.
- Lighting** - In addition to items 1-3 above, for Light Fixtures, Ceiling Fan with Lighting, Ceiling Fan Light Kit, customer must also provide the complete packaging with the ENERGY STAR logo. If the fixture is DesignLights certified, please provide proof of certification.
- All Appliances** - In addition to items 1-3 above, customer must provide the yellow energy guide sticker with the ENERGY STAR logo or similar documentation.
- Page 6 - Terms & Conditions** - Please take a moment to read before submitting application.
- Rebate Credit** - The approved rebate amount will be applied to the customer's electric account as a credit.
- Submit Application and Supporting Documentation** - By mail or in person: Waseca Utilities - City Hall / 508 State Street S. / Waseca, MN 56093-3033; or drop off at the utility payment box in the drive-thru on north side of City Hall; or email [utility@ci.waseca.mn.us](mailto:utility@ci.waseca.mn.us).  
**Please contact Waseca Utilities for residential central air conditioner, air-source and ground-source heat pump rebate information.**

[SaveEnergyInWaseca.com](http://SaveEnergyInWaseca.com) [ci.waseca.mn.us](http://ci.waseca.mn.us)

Qualified customers may be eligible for Federal incentives for **Heat Pump Clothes Dryers, Washer-Heat Pump Dryer Combos, and Heat Pump Water Heaters** through the Inflation Reduction Act.

## CUSTOMER INFORMATION

Residential Last Name/Business Name \_\_\_\_\_ Res. First Name \_\_\_\_\_  
 Business Contact (if applicable) \_\_\_\_\_ Daytime Phone \_\_\_\_\_  
 Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_  
 City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_  
 Installation Address (if different) \_\_\_\_\_  
 City \_\_\_\_\_ State MN Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_  
 Account Number \_\_\_\_\_ Business Tax ID (if applicable) \_\_\_\_\_

**How did you hear about our rebates:**  Radio  TV  Retailer/Contractor  Utility Rep.  
 Utility Newsletter  Utility Mailing  Newspaper Ad  Other

**How do you heat your home:**  Gas  Electric  Don't Know

**What type of water heater do you have:**  Gas  Electric  Don't Know

**Residential Customer Type:**  Owner/Occupant  Owner/Non-occupant  Renter

**Commercial Customer Type:**  Owner/Occupant  Owner/Non-occupant  Renter

For statistical purposes only, please provide the following information.  
Responses will be combined with others for analysis, as required by the Minnesota Department of Commerce.

### Household Size and Annual Income

No. of People	Income
1	\$39,201
2	\$51,263
3	\$63,325
4	\$75,387
5	\$87,448
6	\$95,510

**Is your household income above or below the amount corresponding to your household size in the table to the right?**

Above  Below

**I certify that the equipment for which I am claiming a rebate is ENERGY STAR, ENERGY STAR Most Efficient qualified, or DesignLights qualified, meets the requirements shown in this application, has been installed at the installation address listed above, and that this address represents a valid Utility account:**

Customer Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Signature Date \_\_\_\_\_

Retailer/Recycler Signature is required below if you are requesting a Recycling Rebate for your old **working** Refrigerator, Freezer, Dehumidifier, or Room AC.  
**I certify that this recycled equipment will be recycled in compliance with all environmental regulations:**

Retailer/Recycler Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Signature Date \_\_\_\_\_



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Equipment:	LED Fixtures <sup>1</sup>	Room Air Conditioners	Dehumidifiers
Rebate per Unit:	Hardwired ENERGY STAR LED Fixtures: <b>50% of cost up to \$20</b>	\$25 (limit 2 per account) <b>Select Type:</b> <input type="radio"/> With Louvered Sides (for window installation) <input type="radio"/> With Smooth Sides (for through-the-wall installation)	<b>Select Type:</b> (limit 2 per account) <input type="radio"/> \$15 - No recycling of working unit <input type="radio"/> \$25 - With recycling of working unit
Recycling Rebate per Unit:		Cost of recycling up to \$25	Cost of recycling up to \$15
Bulb/Project Type: (select one)		<input type="radio"/> New installation <input type="radio"/> Replace failed unit <input type="radio"/> Replace working unit (no recycle) <input type="radio"/> Replace and recycle working unit	<input type="radio"/> New installation <input type="radio"/> Replace failed unit <input type="radio"/> Replace working unit (no recycle) <input type="radio"/> Replace and recycle working unit
Estimated Age of Existing Equipment: (if applicable)		_____ Years	_____ Years
Location/Cooling Information: (select one)	<input type="radio"/> Interior - air conditioned <input type="radio"/> Interior - not air conditioned <input type="radio"/> Exterior <input type="radio"/> Various/Unknown	Rated Cooling Capacity:  _____ Btuh	
Manufacturer/Brand:			
Model Number:			
Wattage/Efficiency/Capacity Rating:	_____ LED Watts	_____ CEER	_____ pints/day
Quantity:		_____ (limit 2 per account)	_____ (limit 2 per account)
Installation Date:			
Equipment Cost:	\$	\$	\$
Recycling Quantity: (if applicable)		_____ (cannot exceed New Quantity, working units only)	_____ (cannot exceed New Quantity, working units only)
Recycling Cost: (if applicable)		\$	\$
Retailer Name and Address:			
Total Rebate Expected:	\$	\$	\$

<sup>1</sup> DesignLights Certified LED fixtures also qualify. Qualifying product lists can be found at [www.DesignLights.org](http://www.DesignLights.org).  
ENERGY STAR qualifying product lists can be found at [www.SaveEnergyInWaseca.com/EnergyStar](http://www.SaveEnergyInWaseca.com/EnergyStar).



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ENERGY STAR Equipment:	Refrigerators & Freezers	Dishwashers	Combination Clothes Washer-Dryers <sup>2</sup>	Clothes Washers	Heat Pump Clothes Dryers <sup>2</sup>
<b>Rebate per Unit:</b>	\$25	<b>Select Type:</b> <input type="radio"/> \$25 - ENERGY STAR <input type="radio"/> \$40 - ENERGY STAR Most Efficient <sup>1</sup>	<b>Select Type:</b> <input type="radio"/> \$25 - ENERGY STAR Washer/Non-Heat Pump Dryer <input type="radio"/> \$50 - ENERGY STAR Washer/Heat Pump Dryer <input type="radio"/> \$65 - ENERGY STAR Most Efficient <sup>1</sup> Washer/Heat Pump Dryer	<b>Select Type:</b> Single-Family Home: <input type="radio"/> \$25 - ENERGY STAR <input type="radio"/> \$40 - ENERGY STAR Most Efficient <sup>1</sup> Multi-Family Housing of 2 or more units with common clothes washer: <input type="radio"/> \$50 - ENERGY STAR <input type="radio"/> \$65 - ENERGY STAR Most Efficient <sup>1</sup>	New heat pump dryer must be listed on ENERGY STAR's website <a href="#">here</a> <sup>3</sup> with a drum capacity of 4.4 cubic feet or greater (compact dryers don't qualify). <b>Select Type:</b> <input type="radio"/> Single-Family Home - \$25 <input type="radio"/> Multi-Family Housing of 2 or more units with common clothes dryer - \$50
<b>Recycling Rebate per Unit:</b>	Cost of recycling up to \$50				
<b>Project Type:</b> (select one)	<input type="radio"/> New installation <input type="radio"/> Replace failed unit <input type="radio"/> Replace working unit (no recycle) <input type="radio"/> Replace and recycle working unit				<input type="radio"/> New installation <input type="radio"/> Replace electric dryer <input type="radio"/> Replace <u>failed</u> gas dryer <input type="radio"/> Replace <u>working</u> gas dryer (not eligible for rebate)
<b>Manufacturer/Brand:</b>					
<b>Model Number:</b>					
<b>Size/Capacity/Dryer Type:</b> (select type)	_____ Cubic Feet			<input type="radio"/> Electric Dryer <input type="radio"/> Gas Dryer <input type="radio"/> Unknown	Must have a drum capacity of at least 4.4 cubic feet.
<b>Quantity:</b>					
<b>Installation Date:</b>					
<b>Equipment Cost:</b>	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
<b>Recycling Quantity:</b> (if applicable)	_____ (cannot exceed New Quantity; working units only)				
<b>Recycling Cost: (if applicable)</b>	\$				
<b>Retailer Name and Address:</b>					
<b>Total Rebate Expected:</b>	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$

<sup>1</sup> ENERGY STAR and ENERGY STAR Most Efficient qualifying product lists can be found at [www.SaveEnergyInWaseca.com/EnergyStar](http://www.SaveEnergyInWaseca.com/EnergyStar).

<sup>2</sup> Qualified customers may be eligible for Federal incentives for Heat Pump Clothes Dryers and Washer-Heat Pump Dryer Combos through the Inflation Reduction Act. Visit [www.whitehouse.gov/cleanenergy/](http://www.whitehouse.gov/cleanenergy/) for more information.

<sup>3</sup> Must be listed as a heat pump clothes dryer with a drum capacity of at least 4.4 cubic feet here: [energystar.gov/productfinder/product/certified-clothes-dryers/results](http://energystar.gov/productfinder/product/certified-clothes-dryers/results)



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## ENERGY STAR Equipment: Smart Thermostats

Smart thermostat must be ENERGY STAR qualified and control main heating system. Thermostats that only control a non-electric heating system (and not an air conditioner) are not eligible for a rebate.

View the current list of ENERGY STAR qualified smart thermostats at: [www.energystar.gov/productfinder/product/certified-connected-thermostats/results](http://www.energystar.gov/productfinder/product/certified-connected-thermostats/results)

Does the smart thermostat control air conditioning?

- Yes
- No

Type of heating system controlled by the smart thermostat?

- Electric Heat
- Heat Pump
- Natural Gas/Other

Manufacturer/Brand: \_\_\_\_\_

Model Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Quantity: \_\_\_\_\_ (limit 1)

Installation Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Cost: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Rebate:

Method 1: \$ \_\_\_\_\_ (from Table 1)

Method 2: \$ \_\_\_\_\_ (50% of cost)

Rebate: \$ \_\_\_\_\_ (lesser of Methods 1 & 2 above)

*Note: Your gas utility may offer an additional thermostat rebate.*

**TABLE 1: Rebate Schedule**

Is Air Conditioner Controlled by Thermostat?	Controlled Heating System Type	Maximum Rebate
Yes	Electric Heat	\$100
	Heat Pump	\$50
	Natural Gas/Other	\$10
No	Electric Heat	\$90
	Natural Gas/Other	Not Eligible

## Terms and Conditions

Smart thermostat must be fully installed, operational, and connected to the internet via Wi-Fi prior to submitting a rebate application.

Smart thermostat must be installed in a property owned by the applicant, or the applicant must receive permission from the property owner to install the equipment. Submission of an application indicates that the tenant has obtained this permission.

Limit of one smart thermostat rebate per household.

Older thermostats are likely to contain mercury. Properly dispose of your old thermostat.

See page 6 for additional Terms and Conditions.



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## ENERGY STAR Equipment: Heat Pump Water Heater

Heat pump water heater must be ENERGY STAR qualified and replace an existing electric storage tank water heater or be installed in a new home. Heat pump water heaters that replace gas, propane, or other non-electric water heaters are not eligible for a rebate.

View the current list of ENERGY STAR qualified heat pump water heaters at: [www.energystar.gov/productfinder/product/certified-water-heaters/](http://www.energystar.gov/productfinder/product/certified-water-heaters/)

**Considerations:**

- Work with a licensed plumber to determine if a heat pump water heater is right for your home.
- For a heat pump water heater to run efficiently, the space should generally stay above 40 degrees Fahrenheit year round.
- Since heat pumps remove heat from the ambient air, there must be a considerable amount of air available in the space. Most manufacturers recommend a minimum of 750 cubic feet, which means closets (even those with louvered doors) are usually not appropriate locations for heat pump water heaters.
- Recommended clearances should be followed to ensure adequate air circulation.
- Visit [www.energystar.gov/products/hot-water-heater-replacement-guide](http://www.energystar.gov/products/hot-water-heater-replacement-guide) to learn more.

**Project Type:**

- Replace failed electric water heater
- Replace working electric water heater
- New home/new construction

**Primary Method to HEAT your Home:**

- Electric
- Natural Gas/Other

Manufacturer/Brand: \_\_\_\_\_

Model Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Size: \_\_\_\_\_ Gallons

Rated Uniform Energy Factor: \_\_\_\_\_ (from ENERGY STAR qualified product list)

Quantity: \_\_\_\_\_

Installation Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Water Heater Cost: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Rebate:**

Method 1: \$ \_\_\_\_\_ (from Table 1)

Method 2: \$ \_\_\_\_\_ (50% of cost)

Rebate: \$ \_\_\_\_\_ (lesser of Methods 1 & 2 above)

Qualified customers may be eligible for Federal incentives for Heat Pump Water Heaters through the Inflation Reduction Act. Visit [www.whitehouse.gov/cleanenergy/](http://www.whitehouse.gov/cleanenergy/) for more information.

**TABLE 1: Rebate Schedule**

Primary Method to HEAT your home	Heat Pump Water Heater Size	Rebate
Electric	20-55 Gallons	\$270
	>55 Gallons	\$60
Natural Gas/Other	20-55 Gallons	\$400
	>55 Gallons	\$90

## Terms and Conditions

Heat pump water heater must be fully installed prior to submitting a rebate application.

Instantaneous or tankless water heaters do not qualify.

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Only products delivering the highest level of energy efficiency are awarded the ENERGY STAR from the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency and the U.S. Department of Energy.



### Most Efficient 2024

www.energystar.gov

The 2024 ENERGY STAR Most Efficient designation recognizes the most efficient products among those that are currently certified by ENERGY STAR. Rebate requests for 2024 ENERGY STAR Most Efficient Dishwashers, Clothes Washers, or Washer-Heat Pump Dryer Combos must be listed on ENERGY STAR's Most Efficient 2024 qualifying product lists. Visit [www.EnergyStar.gov](http://www.EnergyStar.gov) or [www.SaveEnergyInWaseca.com/EnergyStar](http://www.SaveEnergyInWaseca.com/EnergyStar) for more information.



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The DesignLights Consortium® (DLC) promotes the industry's highest performing lighting products and systems that must meet certain technical requirements to qualify. The DLC qualifies screw-in bulbs, linear lamps, fixtures, retrofit kits, and networked lighting controls. Visit [www.DesignLights.org](http://www.DesignLights.org) for more information.

All information for the requested rebate as well as signatures from customer and retailer/recycler (if requesting recycling rebate) must be completed. Only complete applications will be processed. Customers must apply for rebates within three months of the purchase date shown on the receipt/invoice. The rebated equipment must be new (used/refurbished equipment does not qualify) and installed where electric service is provided by the Utility on a retail basis. Products replaced under warranty or provided through a repair/replacement service agreement are not eligible for a rebate. Rebate amount cannot exceed the price paid for the product (LED bulb, LED fixture, smart thermostat, and heat pump water heater rebates are limited to 50% of cost). The Utility reserves the right to conduct random inspections to verify installation of the rebated equipment at the installation address indicated on the first page of this form. Recycled equipment must be **in working condition and properly recycled** to be eligible for the recycling rebate. Due to limited funding, this rebate offer can be withdrawn at anytime without notice, and is available on a first-come, first-served basis. After satisfactory review of the rebate form and other required documentation, a rebate check will be sent to the customer. Please allow 60 days from the receipt of this form for the delivery of the rebate. The Utility does not guarantee that the implementation of energy-efficiency measures or use of the equipment purchased and installed pursuant to this program will result in energy or cost savings. The Utility does not endorse any particular vendor, manufacturer, or product, and makes no warranties, expressed or implied, with respect to any equipment purchased or installed including, but not limited to, any warranty of merchantability or fitness for purpose. In no event shall the Utility be liable for any incidental or consequential damages.

### FOR UTILITY USE ONLY

Total Rebate \_\_\_\_\_ Utility Approval \_\_\_\_\_ Approval Date \_\_\_\_\_ Date Paid \_\_\_\_\_