U.S. DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY | Energy Efficiency & Renewable Energy

ENERGY STAR® STATE APPLIANCE REBATE PROGRAM

As part of the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009, the U.S. Department of Energy is providing funding to states and territories to support consumer rebate programs for ENERGY STAR qualified appliances. Under these programs, consumers can receive rebates to purchase energy-efficient appliances when they replace used appliances. Eligibility guidelines, covered products, and rebate amounts differ by state, so consumers should review program requirements carefully.

VERMONT

Vermont Department of Public Service, Energy Efficiency Division

REBATES AVAILABLE

Instant rebates for eligible clothes washers and refrigerators began April 22, 2011 and will end December 31, 2011, or when funding is exhausted. Previous phases of this program for other eligible products ran from March 6, 2010 through May 31, 2010 and from January 15, 2010 through July 9, 2010. Before making a purchase, confirm funding and requirements with program sponsor listed in the HOW TO APPLY section.

PRODUCT	REQUIREMENTS	AMOUNT
PHASE 2: Began April 22, 2011.		
Clothes Washers	Has a Modified Energy Factor (MEF) of at least 2.4. Has a Water Factor (WF) of not more than 4.0.	$50
Refrigerators	Annual kWh usage is at least 25% better than the federal standard.*	$50

*Exceeds current ENERGY STAR criteria.

PHASE 1: Rebates for clothes washers and refrigerators began March 6, 2010 and ended May 31, 2010. Rebates for heating equipment and water heaters began January 15, 2010 and ended July 9, 2010.		
Boilers (Gas (CLOSED)	~~The Annual Fuel Utilization Efficiency (AFUE) must be at least 92%, and have an outdoor air reset control.*~~	~~$100~~
Clothes Washers (CLOSED)	~~Has a Modified Energy Factor (MEF) of at least 2.2. Has a Water Factor (WF) of not more than 4.5.*~~	~~$150~~
Furnaces (Gas) (CLOSED)	~~Has an Annual Fuel Utilization Efficiency (AFUE) of at least 94%.*~~	~~$100~~
Refrigerators (CLOSED)	~~Annual kWh usage is at least 25% better than the federal standard.*~~	~~$150~~
	~~ENERGY STAR qualified.~~	~~$75~~
Water Heaters (Gas Tankless) (CLOSED)	~~ENERGY STAR qualified. Has an Energy Factor (EF) of at least 0.82.~~	~~$100~~

*Exceeds current ENERGY STAR criteria.

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HOW TO APPLY

Instant rebates will be available at participating appliance stores across the state.

Additional information will be provided on the program sponsor Web site as it becomes available.

For more information: www.efficiencyvermont.com/InstantRebates

ELIGIBILITY

Purchased products must replace an existing product. Limit one product per type being rebated per Vermont residential utility account. New construction is not eligible for rebates.

RESOURCES

DOE Energy Savers
www.energysavers.gov

ENERGY STAR Rebate Finder
www.energystar.gov/rebatefinder

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DOE Recovery Act Hotline
1-888-DOE-RCVY (1-888-363-7289)
www.energysavers.gov/rebates