

# **SAVINGS WITHIN REACH**

#### CASH INCENTIVES MAKE ENERGY EFFICIENCY AT HOME EASIER

No matter your budget, it's possible to make changes that lower your utility bills and improve the comfort and energy performance of your home. To help make energy-saving upgrades more affordable, Energy Trust of Oregon offers increased cash incentives for income-qualified households through Savings Within Reach.



# SAVINGS WITHIN REACH INCOME GUIDELINES

	Gross annual income	
Household size	Min.	Max.
1 person	\$29,160	\$62,530
2 people	\$39,440	\$81,770
3 people	\$49,720	\$101,010
4 people	\$60,000	\$120,252
5 people	\$70,280	\$139,492
6 people	\$80,560	\$158,732
7 people	\$90,840	\$162,341
8 people	\$101,120	\$165,948

INSULATION	
Energy-efficiency upgrade	Maximum incentive
Attic/ceiling insulation	\$1.50 per square foot
Wall insulation	<b>\$0.75</b> per square foot
Floor insulation	<b>\$0.75</b> per square foot

HEATING	
Energy-efficiency upgrade	Maximum incentive
Ductless heat pump for homes replacing electric resistance heat in a primary living space, HSPF2 8.55 or greater	\$1,800
Heat pump with a minimum efficiency of HSPF2 7.50 or greater (when replacing an existing electric furnace)	\$3,000
Heat pump controls for homes heated primarily by an electric heat pump with electric furnace backup	\$250
High-efficiency gas furnace with a 95% AFUE or greater	\$1,600





### **HOW TO PARTICIPATE**

# Establish your eligibility

To qualify for Savings Within Reach, you must live in a single-family home, manufactured home or multifamily residence that is an attached side-by-side unit like a rowhome, or is a unit within a duplex, triplex or fourplex. Stacked structures with five or more units are eligible for the ductless heat pump upgrade only. Your home must be located in Oregon and heated by Portland General Electric, Pacific Power, NW Natural, Cascade Natural Gas or Avista.

We will provide you with a selection of specially trained trade ally contractors in your area, or you can view a list of participating contractors at **www.energytrust.org/find-a-contractor**.

Please note: If you live in a rental property, the homeowner or property owner must approve work before it begins. Manufactured homes with land ownership are also eligible.

## Install energy-efficient home improvements

Prior to beginning improvements, your contractor will ask you to sign an Income Verification form to confirm your eligibility. All improvements must be installed by an approved Savings Within Reach participating contractor.

### Sign the incentive application and pay your invoice

After installation, your contractor will submit your paperwork and the invoices for your improvements to Energy Trust. Incentive amounts must not exceed the cost of your improvement project.

Your Energy Trust incentive will be paid directly to your contractor, who will deduct the incentive amount from your invoice, reducing your out-of-pocket expense. You are required to pay the balance of the invoice.

Incentives are subject to funding availability and may change. Special qualifications and restrictions may apply.



Visit www.energytrust.org/savingswithinreach or call 1.866.368.7878 to get started today.

#### **OTHER OPPORTUNITIES**

- If you are interested in rooftop solar for your home, Energy Trust offers increased cash incentives for Savings Within Reach-qualified households through Solar Within Reach. For more information, call **1.866.368.7878**.
- If your income is below the minimum Savings Within Reach income range, you may be better served by Oregon's Weatherization Assistance Program, administered by Oregon Housing and Community Services.
- For more information, call Oregon Housing and Community Services at 1.503.986.2000.
- Energy Trust offers separate cash-back incentives for energy-efficiency improvements to homeowners whose income is above the maximum Savings Within Reach income range. See available incentives at www.energytrust.org/save.

#### **FINANCING**

Energy Trust works with Portland General Electric, Pacific Power, NW Natural, Avista and local nonprofit lenders Craft3 and PSCCU to provide On-Bill Loan Repayment to help you complete home energy-efficiency upgrades.

To learn more, visit www.energytrust.org/financing.

If you primarily heat your home with fuel from Cascade Natural Gas, talk with your bank or credit union to see if they offer loans for energy improvement projects.

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