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Residential Energy Efficiency Rebate Program

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About The Program

- Rebates and no-cost permits available for the installation of Energy Star qualified products
- Begins April 19, 2010 until funds are depleted
- Part of the City's effort to implement strategies to reduce total energy use, improve energy efficiency and reduce fossil fuel emissions
- Funds from the U.S. Department of Energy's Energy Efficiency and Conservation Block Grant Program (EECBG) through the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act



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Program Eligibility

- Applicants must be owner of a single-family residence, condominium, or live/work unit in the City of Long Beach where the qualified energy efficient product is to be installed
- Only one no-cost permit and rebate per owner
- Only one no-cost permit and rebate per address
- One residential owner with multiple dwelling units is limited to a total of one rebate and one no-cost permit



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Incentives

- No-Cost Permit (average \$146 value)
- Up to \$500 Rebate
- Approximately 500 rebates available
- First-come, first-serve, while supplies last



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How To Apply

- Select one new Energy Star qualifying product
- At the time the permit is obtained owner must submit:
 - Completed & signed rebate application
 - Proof of purchase
 - Product specification
- Permit must be obtained by licensed contractor at the City's Permit Center



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Qualifying Energy Star Products

- Qualifying Energy Star products
 - Energy Star Solar Hot Water Heater Products
 - Energy Star Tank-less Hot Water Heater Products
 - Energy Star Door, Window and Skylight Products
 - Energy Star Roof Products
- Energy Star Product List Available At
 - www.energystar.gov/index.cfm?c=products.pr_find_es_products



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Product Documentation

- Proof of purchase (i.e., receipt) is required to determine qualifying product is new and the cost of the product
- A copy of the product's specification or other documentation is required to determine that the qualifying product is Energy Star rated
- Resale products, products leased, rebuilt, rented, received from warranty insurance claims, exchanged, won as a prize, or new parts installed in existing products do not qualify



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Installation Requirements

- **Install the qualifying product using a licensed contractor**
 - Product listed on application must be installed to meet minimum code requirements and manufacturer's installation instructions
- **Installation must be inspected and receive final inspection approval**
 - Inspector will determine if the installed device is the one identified in the original application and that it meets code requirements



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Rebate Process

- All applications reviewed to determine eligibility of applicant, qualifying product, and completeness of application prior to the issuance of any rebate
 - Incomplete application, ineligible applicant or non-qualifying product will not be processed
- Rebate check will be issued upon completion of the installation and receiving final inspection approval
 - The rebate check will be mailed to the residential owner at the installation address within 8 weeks after receiving approval



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Questions

REMINDER:

Residential Energy Efficiency Rebate Program Begins

Monday April 19, 2010