

Save Energy

with CleanBC Efficiency Rebates

A warmer home in the winter





A **cooler home**in the
summer







With **CleanBC Efficiency Rebates** you can get help with:

- upgrading to an electric air-source heat pump by replacing an oil, propane or natural gas heating system.
- installing improved windows and doors that minimize heat loss.
- upgrading your existing electrical heating to a heat pump.
- upgrading your existing natural gas furnace to a high-efficiency model.

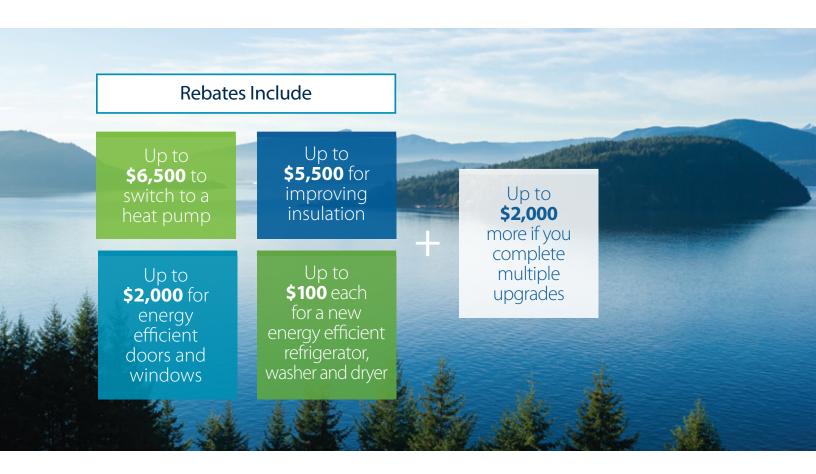
As part of the CleanBC plan, BetterHomesBC.ca is the Province's one-stop shop for efficiency rebates from the Government of B.C., BC Hydro, FortisBC, the Government of Canada and many municipalities.

Find out more at

BetterHomesBC.ca

HAVE QUESTIONS?

Get in touch with a free Energy Coach at **1 844 881-9790** or email **ask@betterhomesbc.ca**



What is a **Heat Pump?**

Powered by electricity, a heat pump is an efficient way of heating and cooling your home. It takes the heat from the air outside your home and moves it indoors.

Why switch to a Heat Pump?

- YEAR-ROUND COMFORT: A heat pump combines a heating system with an air conditioner, keeping you warm in the winter and cool in the summer.
- **BETTER INDOOR AIR QUALITY:** Most heat pumps dehumidify and provide healthy air flow, with optional filtration to clean indoor air pollutants, dust, pollen and other allergens.
- **BETTER FOR THE ENVIRONMENT:** Most heat pumps produce 97% less greenhouse gas emissions than a high-efficiency natural gas furnace.*

CleanBC Efficiency Rebates STEP-BY-STEP GUIDE



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What energy efficient improvements are best for you?

- Learn about upgrades that will make your home more comfortable and energy efficient. This could include space heating systems, water heating systems, insulation, windows, doors, draft-proofing and ventilation.
- Consider an in-home EnerGuide Home
 Evaluation. Use the online Energy Advisor
 Search Tool to find a Program-Qualifed Energy
 Advisor near you and apply for the Home
 Evaluation Rebate. This is optional.
- Knowledgeable energy coaches are available for free to answer your questions by phone and email at all stages of your home energy improvement project.

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What rebates are you eligible for?

- Use the online Rebate Search Tool to find available rebates and learn about the eligibility requirements. You may also be eligible for higher-value rebates that are income qualified.
- Find out if your municipality is participating in the Municipal Top-up Rebate program, providing you with additional rebates.
- Complete two upgrades to qualify for an additional \$300 in rebates.
 - Complete three upgrades and a pre- and post-upgrade EnerGuide Home Evaluation to qualify for a bonus of up to \$2,000.

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Do you understand the program requirements?

- Read the Terms and Conditions online to ensure you meet the requirements for your rebate.
- Ensure your contractor has supplied you with the information required for processing your rebate. **Refer to the sample invoices online for further details.**

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How do you choose a contractor?

- Read the contractor tips and directories online for leads on how to find the right contractor for your job.
- If you have an idea of what energy improvements you would like to complete, contact professional contractors and ask for detailed quotes and advice.

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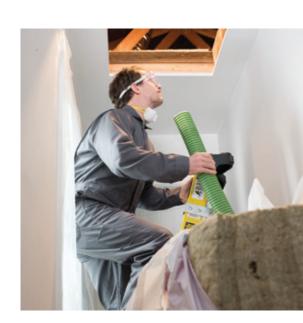
How do you apply for your rebates?

- Once you have completed your upgrade, you have six months to submit your application through the secure online application tool.
- Let us know how your home renovation went!
 Contact us at ask@betterhomesbc.ca

For current terms and conditions visit BetterHomesBC.ca

Payment of CleanBC Efficiency Rebates are subject to available funds. For further details on CleanBC Efficiency Rebates contact an energy coach. Rebates are subject to revision and will be paid in accordance with the terms and conditions.

The Province of British Columbia does not endorse the services of any contractor nor any specific products and accepts no liability in selection of materials, products and contractor performance or workmanship.



HOME HEATING REBATES

| UPGRADE CATEGORY | UPGRADE TYPE | TECHNICAL DETAILS | SPONSOR | REBATE |
|---|--|---|--|---|
| SWITCH FROM NATURAL GAS, PROPANE OR OIL TO ELECTRICITY | MINI-SPLIT HEAT PUMP | HIGHEST EFFICIENCY VARIABLE SPEED HSPF≥10.00, SEER≥16 | cleanBC BC Hydro Power smart | \$6,000 & up to \$2,000* BC Hydro electric territory |
| | | | cleanBC | \$3,000 & up to \$2,000* FortisBC electric territory |
| | MULTI-SPLIT HEAT PUMP | HIGHEST EFFICIENCY VARIABLE SPEED HSPF≥9.30, SEER≥16 | cleanBC BC Hydro Power smart | \$6,000 & up to \$2,000* BC Hydro electric territory |
| | | | cleanBC | \$3,000 & up to \$2,000* FortisBC electric territory |
| | CENTRAL DUCTED "TIER 2" HEAT PUMP | | cleanBC BC Hydro Power smart | \$6,000 & up to \$2,000* BC Hydro electric territory |
| | | | cleanBC | \$3,000 & up to \$2,000* FortisBC electric territory |
| | DUAL FUEL DUCTED HEAT PUMP | HIGH EFFICIENCY HSPF≥9.30, SEER≥16 | cleanBC | \$3,000 & up to \$2,000* |
| | AIR-TO-WATER HYDRONICS HEAT PUMP SYSTEM | MUST BE ON THE QUALIFIED PRODUCT LIST | cleanBC | \$3,000 & up to \$2,000* |
| | COMBINED SPACE AND HOT WATER HEAT PUMP | MUST BE ON THE QUALIFIED PRODUCT LIST | cleanBC | \$1,000 - \$4,300 & up to \$2,000* |
| | ELECTRICAL SERVICE UPGRADE WHEN FUEL SWITCHING | UPGRADE TO 100, 200, OR 400 AMP SERVICE | cleanBC | \$500 & up to \$500* |
| UPGRADE YOUR ELECTRIC OR WOOD HEATING | MINI-SPLIT HEAT PUMP | HIGHEST EFFICIENCY VARIABLE SPEED HSPF≥10.00, SEER≥16 | BC Hydro Power smart | \$1,000 |
| | MULTI-SPLIT HEAT PUMP | HIGHEST EFFICIENCY VARIABLE SPEED HSPF≥9.30, SEER≥16 | BC Hydro Power smart | \$1,000 |
| | CENTRAL DUCTED "TIER 2" HEAT PUMP | | | \$2,000 |
| | MINI-SPLIT HEAT PUMP | HIGHEST EFFICIENCY VARIABLE SPEED HSPF≥10.00, SEER≥16 | FORTIS BC Energy at work ELECTRIC SERVICE AREA | \$1,200 |
| | MULTI-SPLIT HEAT PUMP | HIGHEST EFFICIENCY VARIABLE SPEED HSPF≥9.30, SEER≥16 | FORTIS BC Energy at work ELECTRIC SERVICE AREA | \$2,000 |
| | CENTRAL DUCTED "TIER 2" HEAT PUMP | | | \$2,000 |
| | CENTRAL DUCTED "TIER 1" HEAT PUMP | HIGHEST EFFICIENCY HSPF≥8.50, SEER≥15 | FORTIS BC' Energy at work ELECTRIC SERVICE AREA | \$1,200 |
| UPGRADE YOUR NATURAL GAS HEATING | NATURAL GAS FURNACE | HIGH EFFICIENCY ≥97% AFUE | FORTIS BC Energy at work | \$1,000 |
| | NATURAL GAS FURNACE | HIGH EFFICIENCY 95-96.9% AFUE | | \$800 |
| | NATURAL GAS BOILER | HIGH EFFICIENCY ≥94% AFUE | | \$1,000 |
| | NATURAL GAS COMBINATION HEATING AND HOT WATER SYSTEM | ENERGY STAR OR P9 CERTIFIED | | \$1,500 |

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| WATER HEATING | NATURAL GAS STORAGE TANK WATER HEATER | EFFICIENT (0.67 EF) | € FORTIS BC Energy at work | \$200 |
| | NATURAL GAS TANKLESS (ON-DEMAND) WATER HEATER | HIGH EFFICIENCY CONDENSING | FORTIS BC Energy at work | \$1,000 |
| | NATURAL GAS STORAGE TANK WATER HEATER | | | \$1,000 |
| | ELECTRIC HEAT PUMP WATER HEATER | HIGHEST EFFICIENCY | CleanBC BC Hydro Power smart FORTIS BC FORTIS BC Energy at work | \$1,000 |
| WINDOWS AND DOORS | TIER 2 PRODUCT | U-FACTOR OF ≤1.22 W/M²-K | | \$100 each Maximum 20 (\$2,000) |
| | TIER 1 PRODUCT (Doors not eligible) | U-FACTOR OF 1.23 – 1.40 W/M²-K | | \$50 Each** Maximum 20 (\$1,000) |
| INSULATION | ATTIC | \$0.02 X R-VALUE X SQUARE FEET (MINIMUM R12) | CLECANBC BC Hydro Power smart FORTIS BC Energy at work | Max \$900 |
| | BASEMENT/CRAWL SPACE | \$0.09 X R-VALUE X SQUARE FEET (MINIMUM R10) | | Max \$1,200 |
| | EXTERIOR WALL CAVITY | \$0.09 X R-VALUE X SQUARE FEET (MINIMUM R12) | | Max \$1,200 |
| | EXTERIOR WALL SHEATHING | \$0.09 X R-VALUE X SQUARE FEET (MINIMUM R3.8) | | Max \$1,200 |
| | OTHER | \$0.07 X R-VALUE X SQUARE FEET (MINIMUM R20) | | Max \$1,000 |
| SECONDARY SPACE HEATING | NATURAL GAS FIREPLACE REPLACEMENT | ENERCHOICE® FIREPLACE | FORTIS BC Energy at work | \$300 |
| APPLIANCES | REFRIGERATOR, WASHER OR DRYER | ENERGYSTAR® | BC Hydro FORTIS BC- Power smart Energy at work | up to \$100 Each*** |
| BONUS OFFERS | TWO UPGRADE BONUS: Install any two eligible upgrades within 18 months | | CLECANBC # BC Hydro Power smart FORTIS BC Everyy at work | \$300 |
| | HOME ENERGY IMPROVEMENT BONUS: Complete a pre- and post-upgrade EnerGuide home evaluation and install any three eligible upgrades, both within 18 months | | | Max \$2,000 |
| ENERGUIDE | PRE-UPGRADE ENERGUIDE HOME EVALUATION REBATE Complete a pre-upgrade EnerGuide home evaluation | | cleanBC | \$200 |
| | POST-UPGRADE ENERGUIDE HOME EVALUATION REBATE Complete a post-upgrade EnerGuide home evaluation within 18 months of the pre-upgrade | | cleanBC | \$100 |

^{*} Many local governments in BC are offering limited time municipal top-up rebates. See if your municipality is participating online at **BetterHomesBC.ca**** City of Vancouver residences are only eligible for tier 2 rebates.

Maximum one home heating rebate per home.

See website for current terms and conditions.

^{***} Appliance rebates are seasonal – Please check your utility's website for current offers.



Find out more at

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PROGRAM PARTNERS:









