

# Home Energy Resource Sheet

## Summary of Residential EnergizeCT Incentives and Financing Assistance

### Energy Efficiency Programs 1-877-WISEUSE [www.energizect.com](http://www.energizect.com)

CT Energy Efficiency Fund conservation programs are administered by the electric and gas utilities

1. **Whole house energy conservation programs** Call 1-877-WISEUSE for info or click on the program name you are interested in at [www.energizect.com/hes](http://www.energizect.com/hes)

**A. Home Energy Solutions (HES)** \$149 for all homes (not income-eligible for free services.) Open to renters and owners. Included services include air sealing, hot water and lighting improvements, and access to special rebates and financing.

- o Insulation rebate; \$1.00/ft<sup>2</sup> for attic/walls, \$.50/ft<sup>2</sup> for basement
- o Appliances: \$25-\$50 rebate for ENERGY STAR refrigerators/freezers, room air conditioners, dishwashers, clothes dryers, dehumidifiers if recommended in a HES visit

**B. HES Income-Eligible-** free energy-saving service for households under 60% state median income

**C. New construction program-** call 1-877-WISEUSE for home energy rating and rebates.

2. **Efficient Lighting** now including **LED**, is discounted in participating retail stores and through the Smart Living Catalog: <http://www.efi.org/smartliving/> or order at 800-527-4448

### 3. Heating/Cooling Appliance Discounts (Call 1-877-WISE-USE or

<http://energizect.com/residents/solutions/rebates> Automatic discounts at participating retailers & distributors)

- **Ductless Heat Pump-** rebate of **\$300** per home for  $\geq 20$  SEER,  $\geq 12.5$  EER,  $\geq 10$  HSPF (Single Zone) or  $\geq 18$  SEER,  $\geq 9$  HSPF (Multi-Zone). \$1000 rebate for electrically heated homes (HES required)
- **Air-Source Heat Pump - \$500** rebate for ENERGY STAR  $\geq 18$  SEER,  $\geq 12$  EER  $\geq 10$  HSPF (Split) or  $\geq 16$  SEER,  $\geq 12$  EER  $\geq 9$  HSPF (Single Packaged Systems)
- **Geothermal Heat Pumps-** \$500 per ton (**up to \$1500**), for homes that meet insulation standard and with air leakage less than 1 CFM50 / Square Foot, and geothermal system efficiency standards
- **High-Efficiency Gas Furnace - \$800** automatic discount on ENERGY STAR, 95% AFUE
- **Natural Gas Boiler with Water Heater- \$750** automatic discount on ENERGY STAR, 94%AFUE
- **Oil Furnace-** automatic discount of **\$250** for 85% AFUE
- **Propane Furnace-** automatic discount of **\$250** for AHRI rated  $\geq 95\%$  AFUE
- **Central Air Conditioning- \$250** rebate (addl \$500 with Quality Verified Installation) for ENERGY STAR  $\geq 16$  SEER,  $\geq 12.5$  EER (Split) or ENERGY STAR  $\geq 16$  SEER,  $\geq 12$  EER (packaged systems)

### Solar Power Incentives (860) 563-0015

Administered by the Green Bank, a quasi-public state agency

- **Solar Electric incentives-** for purchased and leased systems; [www.GoSolarCT.com](http://www.GoSolarCT.com)

### Federal Energy Tax Credits

Renewable energy tax credits 30% through December 31 2021 for solar technologies, no cap on total dollar amount.

### Questions? Contact Guy West of Clean Water Action/ Clean Water Fund

Call 860-833-0760, email [guy\\_west@att.net](mailto:guy_west@att.net)

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### Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy Financing <http://www.energizect.com/financing>

1. **Home Energy Solutions Micro Loan –**
  - a. 0% interest for \$1000-3000
  - b. loans for insulation, ductless heat pumps, heat pump water heaters.
  - c. <http://www.chif.org/page/borrower-information-and-application>
2. **EnergizeCT Heating Loan –**
  - a. 0.99% for heating systems
  - b. Up to 90% of project costs
  - c. Repayment on electric bill.
  - d. Up to 10-year loan term
  - e. <https://ctheatloan.com/>
3. **Energy Conservation Loan (ECL)–**
  - a. Income-restricted below market
  - b. (0– 6% interest)
  - c. loans up to \$25,000
  - d. <http://www.chif.org/page/energy-conservation-loan-program>
4. **Smart–E Loan –**
  - a. Comprehensive way to finance many energy efficiency or renewable energy measures.
  - b. Up to \$40,000
  - c. Rates from 4.49%. -6.99%
  - d. Terms from 5-12 years
  - e. 100% financing
  - f. Up to 25% of the borrowed amount can be used for health and safety upgrades (i.e. asbestos or lead remediation, roof repair ENERGY STAR small appliances, or other related measures.)
  - g. <http://ctgreenbank.com/programs/smart-e-loans/>
5. **Smart-E Electric Vehicle Loan -**
  - a. 0.99% up to 6 years
  - b. Up to \$40,000
  - c. For qualify new and pre-owned vehicle
  - d. Apply through local participating credit unions
  - e. [www.ctgreenbank.com/EVBundle](http://www.ctgreenbank.com/EVBundle)

### CT Clean Energy Options

Website: <http://www.energizect.com/residents/programs/CTCleanEnergyOptions>

Sign-up to support clean, renewable electricity for just a few dollars per month.

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