Home Energy Resource Sheet

Compiled by Connecticut Clean Water Action/ Clean Water Fund

CT Energy Efficiency Fund (CEEF) 1-877-WISEUSE www.ctenergyinfo.org

Utility-administered conservation programs funded by natural gas and electric ratepayers

1. Whole house conservation programs (*sign up by calling 1-877-WISE-USE)*

- **Home Energy Solutions (HES)** $75 co-pay (subject to adjustment) for in-home weatherization plus rebates and financing for insulation, appliances. Open to renters and owners heating with natural gas, electricity, propane, oil. Insulation rebates for attic, walls: $.50/sq.ft (except for UI oil heated homes.)
- **HES Income Eligible** (formerly WRAP/Helps)- free in-home energy saving service (all heating fuels)
- **Other income-eligible programs**- http://www.citizensenergy.com/english/pages/116/connecticut
- **New construction program**- call 1-877-WISEUSE for energy rating, appliance and insulation rebates

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

3. Appliance Discounts *(For details, call 1-877-WISE-USE or ask a Home Energy Solutions contractor)*

- **High efficiency gas furnace**- $500 rebate (up to $800 through HES) for Energy Star and 95% AFUE
- **Natural gas boiler with water heater**- $300 rebate (up to $600 through HES) for 90% AFUE
- **Natural gas hot water heaters**- $100 rebate for tankless .82EF
- **Heat pump water heater** (to replace electric water heater)- $400 rebate for EnergyStar
- **Central air conditioning & heat pump**- $250 rebate (up to $500 through HES) for certain systems
- **Ductless heat pump heater**-$250 rebate ($1000 for electrically heated homes)
- **Geothermal heat pumps**- $500/ton up to $1500 that meet Energy Star 2012 criteria

4. Energy Efficiency Financing (800) 992-3665 http://www.chif.org/page/borrower-information-and-application
Insulation loan pilot-$1000-$2500, 0% interest rate until 6/30/12. Includes oil customers (CL&P only.)
Heat with gas or electricity? Low-interest (2.99%,4.99%) loans for measures recommended by Home Energy Solutions. $2,500 to $20,000 loans for insulation, heating/ cooling systems, air/duct-sealing etc.
Heat with oil or propane? Market rate (9.25%) for CL&P, no financing for UI service territory.

Federal Energy Tax Credits http://www.energysavers.gov/financial/70010.html

Tax credits for renewable energy systems through 2016. Energy efficiency tax credits ended 12/31/11.

Clean Energy Finance and Investment Authority (860) 563-0015 http://www.ctcleanenergy.com/

Quasi-public agency funded by electric ratepayers to support renewable electricity

- **Solar photovoltaic (power) incentives**. Also no sales/property tax. www.ctcleanenergy.com/solarhome/
- **Solar hot water heating rebate**- www.ctcleanenergy.com/solarthermal/ **Returned March 2012**

CT Clean Energy Options and CT Clean Energy Communities

Website: www.ctcleanergyoptions.com and www.ctcleanenergy.com/communities/
Sign-up to support clean, renewable electricity for just a few dollars per month. Residential sign-ups help earn free solar panels for towns which join the Clean Energy Communities campaign.

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