Residential Energy Efficiency Programs

The New Jersey Board of Public Utilities, at its September 23, 2020 Board Agenda meeting, approved New Jersey Clean Energy Program’s™ Fiscal Year (FY) 2021 compliance filing which runs from October 1, 2020 through June 30, 2021.

The filing contains program changes as outlined below. Please refer to each program’s application for complete information.

Incentive and program changes effective October 1, 2020

**Energy Efficiency Appliance Rebate Program**

The following changes have been added to the Energy Efficient Appliance Rebate Program:

- A $25 rebate for the purchase of compact refrigerators
- Energy efficiency criteria for all refrigerators, clothes washers and clothes dryers is now based on ENERGY STAR® and ENERGY STAR Most Efficient (ESME) certification.

The following energy efficient products are available at a variety of retail locations throughout the state. They are identified by signage that features the New Jersey Clean Energy Program logo. This indicates that the cost to purchase the product has been reduced through incentive funds from the program.

- All LED lighting and fixtures to meet ENERGY STAR certification
- **Showerheads**, which will have WaterSense certification
- **Weatherization Products**: door seals, door sweeps and spray foam
- Advanced Power Strips

The Refrigerator/Freezer Recycling Program, which has been on hold will reopen in October. The program will first address customers who have been placed on a waiting list. Once those pick-ups have been completed, the program will begin scheduling other recycling pick-ups.

**WARM/COOL Advantage Programs**

The following changes (highlighted in yellow) have been made to the energy efficiency criteria for electric heat pump water heaters, air-to-water heat pumps and mini-split cold climate air source heat pumps. Please note the rebate amounts for eligible equipment remain the same for FY21.

- Electric Heat Pump - Uniform Energy Factor – UEF 2.0, or greater (previously Energy Factor (EF) was the form of measurement) - $750 Rebate
- Air-to-Water Heat Pump - COP @ 5°F ≥1.75 (at full load capacity @ 110° water
temp) & IPLV ≥ 18 if unit is capable of providing cooling - $2,000 Rebate

• Mini-Split Cold Climate Air Source Heat Pump (CCASHP) - Multi-zone, compact or centrally ducted 18 SEER, 12 EER, 10 HSPF, COP 1.75 @ 5˚F - $2,000 Rebate

**Home Performance with ENERGY STAR Program**

Please note the program’s eligibility measures, rebate amounts and financing remain the same for FY21.

**Residential New Construction Program**

Please note the program’s eligibility measures and rebate amounts remain the same for FY21.

Please reach out to your respective Outreach Manager should you have any questions.

**If you have questions regarding program changes or effective dates, contact us at 866-NJSMART (657-6278).**