

Start your path to

Building Energy Savings **TODAY!**



**Low Interest Financing of
Energy Savings Project at 5%.**

**Opportunity to lock in
energy savings in your home.**

*The **BEST** low interest financing program (5%) is a great opportunity to get energy saving projects completed in your home! This tariff program is offered to members for specific energy savings projects that are allowed under the Rural Energy Savings Program (RESP). The RESP is overseen by the United States Government acting through the Rural Utilities Service (RUS) office.*

**See the following requirements and specifications
to get the process started TODAY!**



How it works

THE BEST PROGRAM



Before getting started, please note the following restrictions regarding the BEST program.

- Member can only have one tariff project financed at a given time.
- Minimum project amount is \$1,000.
- Multifamily housing not eligible.
- Project amount up to \$50,000.
- Income verification required for any project over \$15,000 - 12 months.
- On-time payment history - 12 months.



BEST Checklist

Prior to submitting your BEST application, members should have the following items prepared.

- Identify the type of energy savings project you intend to complete.**
 - Hybrid Electric Water Heater
 - Heat Pump
 - Appliances
 - Insulation
 - Windows
 - Solar and /or Battery Storage
 - Other

- Complete application and submit.**

- Request a bid from a contractor (HVAC contractors must be on Inland's approved contractor list).**

- Determine how much you will need to finance to complete your project.
- Sign the received bid and include with the project application.

- Income verification.**

Required for projects \$15,000 or more.

- Review and sign the BEST Agreement.**

Include agreement with application package.

Requirements for the best program:

- Must be an Inland Power member with an active account
- Must own the property in which the energy savings will be installed
- Energy savings must meet current building code
- An Inland Power approved contractor must be used for HVAC projects.



For more information, contact us at conservation@inlandpower.com or 509-747-7151

Get started

THE BEST PROGRAM APPLICATION



Member Name: _____ Phone #: _____ Email: _____

Site Address: _____ City: _____ ST: _____ Zip: _____

Mailing Address: _____ City: _____ ST: _____ Zip: _____
(if different)

IPL Member Number: _____ Property Parcel Number: _____ Social Security Number: _____

Additional Owners or Spouses:

Name: _____ Phone #: _____

Name: _____ Phone #: _____

This home is my primary residence. This home is my secondary residence. This home is a rental. *Only homeowner is eligible.*

This home is on land I own. This home is on leased/rented land. **Not eligible for financing but eligible for a rebate.*

Requested amount for financing: \$ _____

I am applying for a repayment option for the installation of a:

Hybrid Electric Water Heater Heat Pump Appliances Insulation Windows Solar and/or Battery Storage

All financing options will have an interest rate of 5%. I would like to repay the project cost in (see our estimated payment schedule on our website): 12 payments 24 payments 36 payments 48 payments 60 payments 72 payments

84 payments 96 payments 108 payments 120 payments

The following documents are required for approval and have been included with this application:

A bid from an approved contractor (HVAC only - please refer to Inland's list) signed by you.

Completed and signed contractor release included in this packet.

Member Signature: _____ Date: _____

Additional Owner/
Spouse Signature: _____ Date: _____

Submit completed application to:

conservation@inlandpower.com

-OR-

Inland Power

PO Box A

Spokane, WA 99219



The selection, purchase and installation of the energy efficiency measures (EEM) shall be the sole responsibility of the Owner(s). The Owner(s) must rely upon the approved installer selected by the Owner(s) regarding any representation or promise about the materials or labor required for installation of the EEM, the cost of such EEM including materials and labor, and any energy savings that may accrue from the installation of the EEM. Inland Power's evaluation of the EEM is for the sole purpose of determining the Owner's eligibility for Inland Power's rebate program. Any required maintenance, repair, or replacement of the EEM shall be the sole responsibility of, and at the expense of the Owner(s). The Owner(s) understands Inland Power hereby disclaims any and all implied or express warranties (including but not limited to implied warranties of merchantability or fitness for a particular purpose) for the EEM. I authorize an Inland Power representative to inquire into my credit history.

*Rebate and repayment programs subject to change at Inland Power's discretion.

List of

ELIGIBLE ITEMS AND MEASURES



The following is a list of **ELIGIBLE** items and energy efficiency measures for the **BEST Program**.

- Central Air Systems - Energy Star® qualified equipment
- Room air conditioners
- Boilers
- Heat pumps
- Ducts and duct sealing
- Furnaces - Energy Star® qualified equipment
- Thermostats
- Improved insulation - adding insulation beyond existing levels, or above existing building codes.
- Moisture barrier improvements and air sealing
- Caulking and weather stripping of doors and windows
- Window upgrades - Energy Star® qualified equipment
- Door upgrades - including man-doors, overhead doors with integrated insulation and energy efficient windows.
- Water heaters
- Fuel switching
- On or off-grid renewable energy systems if consistent with the statutory purpose of this section.
- Energy storage devices if permanently installed to reduce energy cost or usage of the qualified consumer.
- Energy efficient appliance upgrades if attached to real property as fixtures,
- Energy audits

Moving forward

THE BEST CONTRACTOR RELEASE



Business Name: _____

Install Date: _____

Energy Efficiency Measure (please check all that apply):

- | | | | | |
|--|-----------------------------------|----------------|---|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Heat Pump Water Heater | Brand: _____ | Model #: _____ | Conditioned Space: <input type="checkbox"/> | Unconditioned Space: <input type="checkbox"/> |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Ducted Heat Pump | Brand: _____ | Model #: _____ | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Ductless Heat Pump | Brand: _____ | Model #: _____ | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Groundsource Heat Pump | Brand: _____ | Model #: _____ | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Appliances | <input type="checkbox"/> Lighting | | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Building Envelope Improvement (describe): | _____ | | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Motor System (describe): | _____ | | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Solar and /or Battery Storage | | | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other HVAC (describe): | _____ | | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other Energy Efficiency Measure (describe): | _____ | | | |

Contractor has the following certifications (please check all that apply):

- U.S. Department of Energy certification (please specify): _____
- Other certification(s) from nationally recognized organizations (please specify): _____
- _____

CONTRACTOR SIGNATURE RELEASE

By signing below, the contractor certifies that the invoice attached is the final invoice for the energy efficiency project requested by the Member and that all accompanying documents are accurate. This signature certifies that contractor is licensed, bonded, insured, has been trained by the manufacturer on the installation of energy efficiency project. Contractor further warrants that they have access to the necessary tools and diagnostic equipment (if applicable), that they are qualified to oversee and install the project in compliance with local building codes and industry accepted standards and employs qualified employees or subcontractors. Contractor acknowledges that they are not employed, hired or have contracted with Inland Power and Light Company (IPL) and has performed all work for the benefit of member as IPL is solely assisting member with a financial project for the energy efficiency measure.

Contractor Signature: _____

Contractor Name: _____ Email: _____

Contractor Phone: _____ Date: _____

Moving forward

THE BEST CONTRACTOR RELEASE



MEMBER SIGNATURE RELEASE

By signing below, the member certifies that the invoice attached is the final invoice for the energy efficiency project and that all accompanying records are complete and accurate. Member further warrants that the project was completed to their satisfaction and to their knowledge that the contractor was licensed and bonded and employed qualified employees.

Member agrees that all work on or at the Property for the Project was performed by the aforementioned contractor and that IPL has not performed any of the work on or at the Property associated with the Project. IPL does not warrant or guarantee the workmanship of the contractor, the functionality of any of the equipment used on the Project, or the energy efficiency measure. Member agrees that IPL is solely assisting Member with financing the purchase and installation of certain energy savings improvements on the Project. Member waives all rights to sue or demand compensation from IPL for any claims, damages, injuries, losses, or liabilities arising directly or indirectly from the work performed by the contractor on the Project and/or arising directly or indirectly from any equipment used on the Project. Member agrees that any and all issues or claims regarding contractor's work on the Project, any equipment used on the project, and/or the energy efficiency measure must be resolved between Member and the contractor and/or the manufacturer of any equipment used on the Project.

Member Signature: _____

Date: _____



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