



CASH INCENTIVES FOR HVAC EQUIPMENT

IMPROVE COMFORT AND REDUCE UTILITY COSTS

Choosing HVAC equipment that improves your energy efficiency can lower operations and maintenance costs. That's why Energy Trust of Oregon offers cash incentives for HVAC equipment that reduce upfront costs and make energy-saving upgrades more affordable. Before starting a project, please review the specifications and [requirements](#) on the HVAC and water heating incentives web page.

The fuel type symbol indicates the fuel type provided by a participating utility that the site must have in order to qualify for the incentive. The dual fuel symbol signifies that a site may have either fuel type provided by a participating utility.

FUEL TYPE



Dual Fuel



Gas only



Electric only

EQUIPMENT	REQUIREMENTS*	INCENTIVE
Steam Traps 	- Must replace or repair a failed, open existing steam trap - All steam traps in the system must be tested for failure status prior to replacement or repair	\$400 - \$500 per repair or replacement
Gas-fired High-Efficiency Condensing HVAC Boiler 	- Minimum 94% efficiency, either Annual Fuel Utilization Efficiency (AFUE) or Thermal Efficiency - Must be used for hydronic heating (HVAC) purposes: boilers used for domestic hot water (DHW), pool heating, and "heat adders" that serve water-source heat pump systems do not qualify	\$6.50 per kBtu/h
Commercial Smart Thermostat 	- Must control a single-zone HVAC system with dedicated supply fan - Spaces with 24/7 operation and semi-conditioned spaces do not qualify	\$200 - \$400 each
Commercial Heat Pump - New or Replacement  	- Qualifying building types include office, retail, restaurant, schools, or assembly-type buildings. These spaces in mixed-use buildings qualify. - Ductless, ducted or single-package heat pump must be AHRI-certified and have less than 65,000 Btu/h or 5.4 tons of cooling capacity.	\$200 - \$350 per ton
Commercial Heat Pump - Upgrade at Non-Restaurant Space  	- Ductless, ducted or single-package heat pump must AHRI-certified and have less than 65,000 Btu/h or 5.4 tons of cooling capacity - Must upgrade a primary, existing, functioning electric resistance heating system, which includes but is not limited to baseboard, wall heaters and electric forced-air furnace.	\$1,250 - \$1,500 per ton
Commercial Pump VFD - New or Retrofit 	- VFD must be installed on a commercial pump with nominal motor power up to 100 horsepower (hp). - Qualifying applications include cooling (includes cooling tower), heating and pressure boost. Replacements due to burnout qualify.	\$200 - \$12,000 per installed VFD

*Additional requirements may apply.

MORE HVAC INCENTIVES

- Infrared Radiant Heaters
- Advanced Rooftop Controls (ARC) - Lite Retrofit
- Advanced Rooftop Controls (ARC) - Full Retrofit
- Steam Traps for Dry Cleaners
- Hydronic Heating Circulator Pumps, Variable Speed ECM
- Lodging Only Ductless Heat Pumps
- Server/Telecom Room Mini-Split
- Packaged Terminal Heat Pumps (PTHP)
- Forced Circulation Generator Block Heaters
- Commercial Pump Variable Frequency Drives (VFD)
- Irrigation Pump Variable Frequency Drives (VFD)
- Commercial Heat Pump at a Restaurant Space
- Commercial Condensing Gas Furnace



ARE YOU ELIGIBLE?

Cash incentives are available for qualifying equipment upgrades to commercial, municipal, educational and institutional customers. To qualify, you must:

- » Be improving an existing structure in Oregon
- » Receive utility service from Portland General Electric, Pacific Power, NW Natural, Cascade Natural Gas or Avista

CUSTOM OPPORTUNITIES

Not seeing what you're looking for? Your project may be eligible for cash incentives through Energy Trust's custom offering. Cash incentives for qualified custom energy projects are calculated based on estimated annual energy savings. HVAC controls, chillers, variable frequency drives and retrocommissioning are a few examples.

FOLLOW THESE STEPS TO SAVINGS

FIND A CONTRACTOR

Check our list of licensed and insured trade ally contractors or use your own

INSTALL EQUIPMENT

Purchase and install the equipment that meets the requirements listed in the application

SUBMIT APPLICATION

Scan the QR code to download the application and submit within 90 days of installation



RECEIVE INCENTIVES

And keep saving through reduced energy costs



For more information, visit www.energytrust.org/upgradehvac, or to speak with an energy advisor, call **1.866.605.1676** or email **existingbuildings@energytrust.org**.

