
**PSEG Long Island
Home Comfort
Program Announcement
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RE: 2023 Home Comfort and Home Performance Program Application Version 1.0 Release

Dear Home Comfort Partners:

PSEG Long Island is pleased to announce the 2023 Home Comfort Program and release of the 2023 Home Comfort and Home Performance rebate application workbook. Effective Monday, January 30th, all new project submittals must use the 2023 application. The application is now available for download at <https://www.psegliny.com/saveenergymoney/homeefficiency/homecomfort/contractors>.

Also, effective January 30th, we will no longer require pre-approvals on projects except for LMI projects and Home Comfort Combo projects. All other projects (partial, non-LMI whole house) can be validated by the partners directly and submitted as completed projects. We will cover this in more detail during our upcoming meetings, so please attend one of them this month.

Some of the changes to the Home Comfort Program for 2023 includes the following:

- Equipment sizing (manual J) is now based on the maximum heating capacity at 17F (instead of the rated heating capacity at 17F), however the rebate is still based on the rated heating capacity at 17F.
- Rebate application now allows input with SEER2, EER2 and HSPF2 ratings.
- “No Fossil Fuel Heater” must be selected if existing heating system was electric, or the fossil fuel space heating was completely removed from site.
- Connected thermostats rebate increased to \$100/unit.
- Learning thermostats rebate increased to \$130/unit.
- Total ASHP rebate for LMI projects that are not pre-approved will capped at \$40,000 (or 100% of the cost).

SAVE THE DATE! We strongly recommend your attendance at our Home Comfort Program orientation. We will be hosting a virtual orientation on Microsoft Teams to review the Home Comfort Program requirements and application on Thursday, January 12th and 19th, 2023 at 10:00 am. Details and invite to follow. The 2023 Contractor Participation Agreement (CPA) will be released soon and will be sent to all 2022 participating partners and posted online. You will be notified when available. Thanks for your patience.

For new contractors, we are having a one day in-person Quality Installation Verification training on Friday, January 20th. LIMITED seating is still available.

We are also having the PSEG Long Island Contractor Awards and Breakfast on Friday, January 27 at the Huntington Hilton. <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/pseg-long-island-contractors-awards-and-breakfast-tickets-493785454587>

Lastly, the 2023 Geothermal rebate application has also been released and is now available for download at <https://www.psegliny.com/-/media/pseg/lipublic/saveenergymoney/rebates/rebate-geothermal.ashx>

If you have any issues with the Home Comfort Program or rebate application, please remember you can get additional support at the weekly [Virtual Open House meetings](#) held most Fridays. You can also contact myself or Steven Sannuto steven.sannuto@pseg.com with questions.

On behalf of myself and the entire Home Comfort team, thank you for your participation.

Sincerely,

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