

Customer Information (please print)

Customer Name		Phone	
E-mail Address			
Mailing Address		City, State, ZIP	
Installation Address		City, State, ZIP	
Natural Gas Utility		Gas Utility Account #	
Electric Utility		Electric Account #	

Dwelling type: Single Family detached Single Family attached Multi-family

Fuel type for space heating: Natural Gas Electric LP (Propane) Oil

How did you hear about the program? (please check a box below to indicate)
 Utility Newspaper Community Event Mail/Bill Insert Contractor Energy Impact Illinois Other: _____

Name of installing contractor (if applicable) _____

Contractor Address _____ City, State, ZIP _____

Contractor Phone _____ Contractor E-mail _____

PAYMENT RELEASE AUTHORIZATION (FOR REGISTERED TRADE ALLIES) Complete this section ONLY if rebate payment is to be paid to a registered Trade Ally. A registered Trade Ally must be registered under the North Shore Gas Natural Gas Savings Program. Please contact Program Staff to receive a list of registered Trade Allies. In order to receive payment, there must be clear evidence that the rebate amount was subtracted from the customer's invoice.

I am authorizing payment of the rebate to the third party named below, and I understand that I will not be receiving the rebate payment. I also understand that my release to a third party does not exempt me from the Program requirements outlined in the Terms and Conditions.

AUTHORIZED BY:

Signature _____ Print Name _____

Date _____ Phone _____

CHECK SHOULD BE MADE PAYABLE TO:

Payee: Company/Individual Name _____

Mailing Address _____ City, State, ZIP _____

APPLICANT AGREEMENT I hereby certify that: 1. The information contained in this application is accurate and complete. 2. All rules of this rebate program have been followed. 3. I have read and understand the **Terms and Conditions** included with this document. Please sign and complete all information below. Customer signature is required for payment.

Signature _____ Print Name _____

Date submitted _____ Date installed _____

Total Rebate Payment (from page 2 or 3): _____

Instructions for use

For more detailed instructions, please refer to the Terms and Conditions page.

STEP 1: DETERMINE ELIGIBILITY
Equipment must be new and installed and operational in a residential dwelling which is a North Shore Gas Residential Classification Service 1 or 2 Customer. Program begins June 1, 2011 and expires May 31, 2012. Central AC installations must be installed in a residential dwelling located in ComEd service territory. Only Central AC systems installed between January 1, 2012 and May 31, 2012 are eligible for Central AC rebate.

STEP 2: INSTALL EQUIPMENT
New equipment must be installed and old equipment removed. Only new products and services which meet the minimum energy efficiency specifications listed in this form are eligible for rebates.

STEP 3: COMPLETE, SIGN APPLICATION
Incomplete applications or missing information and materials will cause delays in payment. Forms must be received within 30 days of installation (completion). Customer name and signature must match what appears on your natural gas bill.

STEP 4: DOCUMENTATION
Include the following documentation with your rebate application:
a) Itemized invoices, including total cost of each system installed (boiler, furnace, air conditioner).
b) For payments to trade allies, itemized invoices that clearly show that the rebate amount is being deducted from the customer's invoice, and therefore, the rebate is payable to the contractor.

STEP 5: DELIVERY:
Applications and required documentation can be submitted by mail or e-mail (scan your documents) to:

North Shore Gas Residential Prescriptive Rebate Program,
5450 N. Cumberland Ave., Ste 125
Chicago IL 60656
northshoregas@franklinenergy.com
Phone: 1-855-849-8928*
**Please have your North Shore Gas account number available when you call*

Equipment Information

General heating clause: The rebate is available only for retrofit projects using natural gas as the primary fuel source. Backup or dual fuel systems do not qualify.

FURNACES OR FURNACES + CENTRAL AIR CONDITIONING

Condensing furnaces must have a sealed combustion unit. Chimney liners must be installed where a high efficiency natural gas furnace replaces atmospherically drafted equipment that was vented through the same flue as a gas water heater. Flue closure protocol must be used when a high-efficiency furnace is installed and the chimney is no longer in use. Rebates are limited to current furnace capacity.

New Furnace: At most 225 MBh and at least 92% AFUE

Equipment	Make	Model	Rebate Amount	Units	Total Rebate (Qty x Rebate)
High Efficiency Furnace			\$200		

New Furnace: At most 225 MBh and at least 95% AFUE

Equipment	Make	Model	Rebate Amount	Units	Total Rebate (Qty x Rebate)
High Efficiency Furnace			\$250		

New Furnace and Air Conditioner System: At most 225 MBh and at least 92% AFUE and at least 14.5 SEER AC

Note: Incentive is tied to both pieces of equipment being upgraded. No standalone incentive for a Central Air Conditioner.

Equipment	Make	Model	Required: System AHRI Certified Ref #	Rebate Amount*	Units	Total Rebate (Qty x Rebate)
Central AC: Evaporator Coil (Indoor Unit)				\$200 + \$400		
Central AC: Condenser Unit (Outdoor Unit)						
High Efficiency Furnace						

*\$200 from the North Shore Gas Natural Gas Savings Program; \$400 from ComEd Smart Ideas® program.

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TOTAL REBATES:	
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Existing Central AC equipment being replaced:	<input type="checkbox"/> Inoperable <input type="checkbox"/> Operable		Age	
	Make		Model	
	SEER		Capacity	
If existing AC information cannot be identified, enter the estimated age of the existing furnace being replaced:				

PROGRAM USE ONLY				
Date received		Inspection Required? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Rebate Approved? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Date Approved

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SPACE HEATING BOILERS					
Boilers must have active outdoor-air reset control (integrated, or added to the system), unless the supply temperatures are not required to exceed 140° F. Note that high efficiency condensing boilers will provide the rated efficiency return only if return water is cold enough to condense the flue gases. If the heating system cannot meet the requirement, a non-condensing boiler may be a better choice. Rebates are limited to current boiler capacity.					
Minimum specifications	Make	Model	Rebate	MBh input	Total Rebate (Qty x Rebate)
Greater than 300 MBh, greater than 85% TE			\$2/MBh Input		
Greater than 300 MBh, greater than 90% TE			\$4/MBh Input		
Minimum specifications	Make	Model	Rebate	Units	Total Rebate (Qty x Rebate)
Less than 300 MBh, greater than 90% AFUE			\$350 each		
Less than 300 MBh, greater than 95% AFUE			\$450 each		
BOILER CONTROLS					
Boiler cutout/reset controls for existing boilers only: The system must be set so that the minimum temperature is not more than 10 degrees above manufacturer's recommended minimum return temperature. For controls on multiple boilers to qualify, control strategy must stage the lag boiler(s) only after the first boiler stage(s) fail to maintain the boiler water temperature called for by the reset.					
Minimum specifications	Rebate	Units	Total Rebate (Qty x Rebate)		
Existing boilers only	\$100				
TOTAL REBATES:					

PROGRAM USE ONLY					
Date received		Inspection Required? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Rebate Approved? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Date Approved	

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Terms & Conditions

1. Rebate Offer: Furnace and boiler rebates are available only to customers of Peoples Gas or North Shore Gas. Central Air Conditioning rebates are available to residential delivery service customers of ComEd. Furnace, boiler, and boiler control projects must be installed and operational between June 1, 2011 and May 31, 2012. Central AC projects must be installed between January 1, 2012 and May 31, 2012. Projects must result in reduced gas energy use due to improvement in the system efficiency; control upgrades may also qualify. Reduced gas use resulting from fuel switching, power generation, renewable energy, or operating schedule changes will not qualify. Rebates are available on a first-come, first-served basis. The program will end when the budget is depleted.

Rebate amounts and offerings are subject to change or termination without notice at the discretion of the Peoples Gas or North Shore Gas.

2. Eligibility: Furnace and boiler equipment must be new and installed and operational in a residential dwelling which is a Peoples Gas or North Shore Gas Residential Classification Service 1 or 2 customer. Central Air Conditioning rebates are available to residential delivery customers of ComEd.

3. Compliance: All projects must comply with applicable federal, state and local laws and regulations, including building codes. All equipment must be new or retrofitted with new components which meet the program specifications. Used or rebuilt equipment is not eligible for rebates. Existing equipment must be removed or permanently disconnected. All projects must be a retrofit/replace-ment installation in an existing building (not available for new construction).

4. Applications Delivery: Applications must have complete information and be submitted with:

- a) The entire completed application signed by the customer.
- b) An authorized invoice from the installing contractor and/or vendor for the project which includes a separate line item for each rebate measure, and includes the date, quantity, size, type, make and model of installed items, and labor costs, if applicable. Note; Internal labor cannot be included in the cost of the project.

5. Payment: Once completed paperwork is submitted, rebate payments are usually made within 30 days. Incomplete applications will either delay payments or result in denial of application approval. Peoples Gas or North Shore Gas reserves the right to refuse payment and participation if the customer or contractor violates program terms and conditions. For Joint Furnace + Central AC projects, payment will arrive in two separate payments.

6. Inspection: Peoples Gas or North Shore Gas reserves the right to conduct on-site pre-inspections and post-inspections of proposed and installed projects.

7. Tax Information: Rebates may be subject to federal and/or state income tax reporting. Applicant is responsible for contacting a qualified tax advisor to determine tax liability. If you purchase an energy-efficient product for your home, you may be eligible for a federal tax credit. For more information, visit www.energystar.gov/taxcredits. Peoples Gas or North Shore Gas is not responsible for any tax liability imposed on the customer as a result of the payment of rebates.

8. Publicity: Peoples Gas or North Shore Gas reserves the right to publicize your participation in this program, unless you specifically request otherwise.

9. Program Discretion: Rebates are available on a first-come, first-served basis. Rebate amounts and offerings are subject to change or terminate without notice at the discretion of Peoples Gas or North Shore Gas.

10. Logo Use: Customers or allies may not use the Peoples Gas or North Shore Gas program name or logo in any marketing, advertising, or promotional material without written permission.

11. Disclaimers: The Customer will defend, hold harmless and release The Peoples Gas Light and Coke Company and North Shore Gas Company and each company's affiliates, officers, directors, shareholders, agents, employees, contractors and representatives from any and all claims, liabilities, fines, interest, costs, expenses, and damages (including attorneys fees and court costs) incurred by the Customer or its contractors or any third party for any damage, injury, death, loss or destruction of any kind to persons or property, to the extent the damage, injury, death, loss or destruction arises out of or is related to the acts or omissions of Peoples Gas or North Shore Gas or either company's affiliates, officers, directors, shareholders, agents, employees, contractors or representatives or to the rebate program. Neither Peoples Gas nor North Shore Gas endorses any particular manufacturer, product, labor or system design by offering these programs. NEITHER PEOPLES GAS NOR NORTH SHORE GAS EXPRESSLY OR IMPLICITLY WARRANTS THE PERFORMANCE OF ANY EQUIPMENT OR ANY CONTRACTOR'S QUALITY OF WORK. NO WARRANTY OF ANY KIND, WHETHER STATUTORY, WRITTEN, ORAL OR IMPLIED (INCLUDING WARRANTIES OF FITNESS FOR A PARTICULAR PURPOSE OR MERCHANTABILITY) WILL APPLY. (Contact your contractor or equipment supplier for any warranties.)

12. Release of Customer Information. Customer agrees to the release by Peoples Gas or North Shore Gas of any customer data, including personally identifiable information, to any contractor or other vendor providing services or support under the program.

13. Central AC Rebate. The ComEd *Smart Ideas*® Central Air Conditioning rebate is funded by ComEd residential delivery service customers in compliance with IL Public Act 95-0481.