

Food Service Incentive Application for Business Customers

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IMPORTANT INSTRUCTIONS:

Step 1: Determine Eligibility: Pre-approval is required if the potential incentive is greater than \$20,000. Contact The Utility for pre-approval. See last page of application for detailed **Terms and Conditions**.

Step 2: Install Equipment. See last page of application for detailed **Terms and Conditions**.

Step 3: Complete and Submit Application. A completed application **and all required supporting documents** must be received by The Utility **within 90 days of installation**. Incomplete applications will cause delays in payment or denial of the application.

Email the application and supporting documentation to: rebate@brightenergysolutions.com

OR

Mail or fax the application and all supporting documentation to:

Hutchinson Utilities Commission
225 Michigan Street SE
Hutchinson MN 55350
Phone: (320) 234-0506
Fax: (320) 587-4721

Please note: Hutchinson Utilities Commission and its supplemental power supplier, Missouri River Energy Services, are offering this Bright Energy Solutions Program. Hutchinson Utilities Commission and Missouri River Energy Services together will be referred to as "The Utility" throughout this document.



Please visit www.brightenergysolutions.com for more information about the Bright Energy Solutions® Programs.

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| WAS THIS PROJECT PREAPPROVED? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | | | |
| Customer Information (Please Print) | | | |
| Company Name | Contact Name | | Date Submitted |
| Installation Address | City | State | ZIP Code |
| Mailing Address | City | State | ZIP Code |
| Phone | Installation (Completion) Date | | |
| Email address (By providing your email address, you are granting The Utility permission to send emails regarding this project or updates on our incentive programs.) | Building Use – Please Check One: | | |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> Office <input type="checkbox"/> Retail <input type="checkbox"/> 24-hour Facility <input type="checkbox"/> Warehouse <input type="checkbox"/> Restaurant <input type="checkbox"/> Lodging <input type="checkbox"/> Grocery/Supermarket <input type="checkbox"/> Manufacturing | | |
| Municipality Utility Name & Account Number | School: <input type="checkbox"/> Elementary/Secondary <input type="checkbox"/> College Healthcare: <input type="checkbox"/> Clinic <input type="checkbox"/> Hospital <input type="checkbox"/> Other/Miscellaneous: _____ | | |
| Which Best Describes Your Food Service: | | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Fast Food Limited Menu <input type="checkbox"/> Fast Food Expanded Menu <input type="checkbox"/> Full Service Limited Menu <input type="checkbox"/> Full Service Expanded Menu <input type="checkbox"/> Pizza <input type="checkbox"/> Cafeteria | | | |
| How did you learn about the program? <input type="checkbox"/> My Utility <input type="checkbox"/> Contractor/Supplier <input type="checkbox"/> Community Event <input type="checkbox"/> Mailing <input type="checkbox"/> Bill insert <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____ | | | |
| Facility Hours of Operation | | | |
| Hours per Day | Days per Week | Weeks per Year | Hours per Year (hours X days X weeks) |

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|--------------------------------------|--|-------|----------|
| Vendor/Contractor Information | | | |
| Company Name | Contact Name | | Phone |
| Address | City | State | ZIP Code |
| Fax | Email (By providing the vendor's email address, you are granting The Utility permission to send emails regarding this project and/or updates on our incentive programs.) | | |

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| Payment Information | | | |
| Please process payment to: <input type="checkbox"/> Customer (listed above) <input type="checkbox"/> Vendor/Contractor (listed above) <input type="checkbox"/> Alternative Recipient | | | |
| <i>If payment is to be made to an Alternative Recipient, please complete the remainder of this section:</i> | | | |
| Company Name | Contact Name | | Phone |
| Address | City | State | ZIP |

Equipment Information

All equipment must be purchased new equipment – not used or pre-owned. Where applicable equipment must be on the list of qualifying ENERGY STAR® equipment to be eligible for an incentive. Please see the Commercial Food Service subsection under the Products section at www.energystar.gov for a list of qualifying products.

A. ECM Fan Motors (Electronically Commutated) for Walk-In Coolers or Freezers – Excluding New Construction Projects

| Description and Size | Make and Model | Quantity | Incentive | Total Incentive |
|---|----------------|----------|-----------------|-----------------|
| ECM Walk-In Evaporator Fan Motor -Replacement / Retrofit Only- | | | \$40 | |
| | | | Subtotal | \$ |

Note: Incentive not available for new construction projects.

B. ECM Fan Motors (Electronically Commutated) for Compressors and Condensers – Replacing Existing or Supplied With New Equipment

| Description and Size | Make and Model | Quantity | Incentive | Total Incentive |
|---------------------------------------|----------------|----------|-----------------|-----------------|
| ECM Condenser or Compressor Fan Motor | | | \$50 | |
| | | | Subtotal | \$ |

C. ENERGY STAR Commercial Ice Machines

| Description and Size | Make and Model | Quantity | Incentive | Total Incentive |
|-------------------------------|----------------|----------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Less than 500 lb per day | | | \$50 | |
| 500 – 1,000 lb per day | | | \$150 | |
| Greater than 1,000 lb per day | | | \$300 | |
| | | | Subtotal | \$ |

D. ENERGY STAR Commercial Dishwashers (High Temperature Wash Units Only)

| Description and Size | Make and Model | Quantity | Incentive | Total Incentive |
|---|----------------|----------|-----------|-----------------|
| Under Counter Type – Electric Water Heater and Electric Booster | | | \$150 | |
| Under Counter Type – Natural Gas Water Heater and Electric Booster | | | \$100 | |
| Under Counter Type – Natural Gas Water Heater – Natural Gas Booster | | N/A | \$0 | \$0 |
| Door Type - Electric Water Heater – Electric Booster | | | \$500 | |
| Door Type - Natural Gas Water Heater – Electric Booster | | | \$225 | |
| Door Type - Natural Gas Water Heater – Natural Gas Booster | | N/A | \$0 | \$0 |
| Single Tank Conveyer -Electric Water Heater and Electric Booster | | | \$425 | |
| Single Tank Conveyer –Natural Gas Water Heater and Electric Booster | | | \$225 | |
| Single Tank Conveyer – Natural Gas Water Heater and Natural Gas Booster | | N/A | \$0 | \$0 |
| Multi-Tank Conveyer – Electric Water Heater and Electric Booster | | | \$1000 | |
| Multi-Tank Conveyer – Natural Gas Water Heater and Electric Booster | | | \$525 | |
| Multi-Tank Conveyer – Natural Gas Water Heater and Natural Gas Booster | | N/A | \$0 | \$0 |

| D. (Continued) ENERGY STAR Commercial Dishwashers (High Temperature Wash Units Only) | | | | |
|--|--|-----|-------|-----|
| Pot, Pan and Utensil Unit – Electric Water Heater and Electric Booster | | | \$150 | |
| Pot, Pan and Utensil Unit – Natural Gas Water Heater and Electric Booster | | | \$60 | |
| Pot, Pan and Utensil Unit – Natural Gas Water Heater and Natural Gas Booster | | N/A | \$0 | \$0 |
| Note: This incentive is available for high temperature dishwashers only. Incentives for other combinations of domestic water heaters and boosters or low temperature wash units may be available through the custom program. The kitchen must operate at full capacity for a minimum of two meals per day in a restaurant, commercial food service, or institutional food service setting in order to qualify. | | | | |
| Subtotal | | | | \$ |

| E. ENERGY STAR Commercial Fryers | | | | |
|---|--|----------|-----------|-----------------|
| Description and Size | Make and Model | Quantity | Incentive | Total Incentive |
| Electric Fryer | | | \$2250 | |
| Electric Pressure Fryer (ENERGY STAR Not Required)) | Note: Must have shortening capacity ≥ 25 pounds. | | \$2000 | |
| Subtotal | | | | \$ |

| F. ENERGY STAR Commercial Griddles – Electric Only | | | | |
|---|----------------|----------|-----------|-----------------|
| Description and Size | Make and Model | Quantity | Incentive | Total Incentive |
| Electric Griddle | | | \$850 | |
| Subtotal | | | | \$ |

| G. ENERGY STAR Commercial Steam Cookers – Electric Only | | | | |
|--|----------------|----------|-----------|-----------------|
| Description and Size | Make and Model | Quantity | Incentive | Total Incentive |
| 3 Pan Electric Steam Cooker | | | \$600 | |
| 4 Pan Electric Steam Cooker | | | \$700 | |
| 5 Pan Electric Steam Cooker | | | \$800 | |
| 6 Pan Electric Steam Cooker | | | \$900 | |
| Subtotal | | | | \$ |

| H. ENERGY STAR Commercial Hot Food Holding Cabinets – Electric Only | | | | |
|--|----------------|----------|-----------|-----------------|
| Description and Size | Make and Model | Quantity | Incentive | Total Incentive |
| Full-Sized Holding Cabinet | | | \$400 | |
| Three-Quarter Sized | | | \$300 | |
| Half-Sized | | | \$200 | |
| Subtotal | | | | \$ |

| I. ENERGY STAR Commercial Convection Ovens – Electric Only | | | | |
|---|----------------|----------|-----------|-----------------|
| Description and Size | Make and Model | Quantity | Incentive | Total Incentive |
| Electric Convection Oven | | | \$2200 | |
| Subtotal | | | | \$ |

| J. Commercial Combination Oven/Steamers – Electric Only (Cooking Energy Efficiency ≥ 0.60) | | | | |
|---|----------------|----------|-----------|-----------------|
| Efficiency Requirements | Make and Model | Quantity | Incentive | Total Incentive |
| Cooking Energy Efficiency ≥0.55 steam, ≥0.76 conv. | | | \$4000 | |
| Subtotal | | | | \$ |

| K. Commercial Kitchen Hood Control Package | | | | |
|---|---|----------|--------------|-----------------|
| Description and Size | Make and Model | Quantity | Incentive | Total Incentive |
| Control Package | Must include hood temperature or hood temperature plus optical sensors controlling variable speed drive exhaust and variable speed drive makeup air unit. | | \$200 per hp | |
| Subtotal | | | | \$ |

| Summary of Incentives | |
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| Subtotal Section A: ECM Fan Motors for Walk-In Freezers and Coolers | \$ |
| Subtotal Section B: ECM Fan Motors for Compressors and Condensers | \$ |
| Subtotal Section C: Commercial Ice Machines | \$ |
| Subtotal Section D: Commercial Dishwashers | \$ |
| Subtotal Section E: Commercial Fryers | \$ |
| Subtotal Section F: Commercial Griddles | \$ |
| Subtotal Section G: Commercial Steam Cookers | \$ |
| Subtotal Section H: Hot Food Holding Cabinets | \$ |
| Subtotal Section I: Convection Ovens | \$ |
| Subtotal Section J: Combination Oven/Steamers | \$ |
| Subtotal Section K: Kitchen Hood Controls | \$ |
| Total Incentive: | \$ |

Certifications and Signature

I hereby certify that: 1. The information contained in this application is accurate and complete; 2. All installation is complete and the unit(s) is operational prior to submitting application; 3. All rules of this incentive program have been followed, and 4. I have read and understand the terms and conditions applicable to this incentive program as set forth in this application, including those set forth on the last page of this application form.

The customer agrees to verification of equipment installation which may include a site inspection by a program or utility representative. The customer understands that it is not allowed to receive more than one incentive from this program on any piece of equipment. The customer agrees to indemnify, defend, hold harmless and release The Utility from any claims, damages, liabilities, costs and expenses (including reasonable attorneys' fees) arising from or relating to the removal, disposal, installation or operation of any equipment or related materials in connection with the programs described in this application, including any incidental, special or consequential damages.

Please sign and complete all information below.

PLEASE ATTACH INVOICES AND SPECIFICATION SHEETS FOR ALL EQUIPMENT INCLUDED IN THIS APPLICATION.

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| Customer Signature | Print Name | |
| | Title (if applicable) | Date |

Member Utility Use Only

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|---|--|----------------------------------|---|-----------------------------------|
| Date Received | Pre-Inspected? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | Date Pre-Inspected: Initials: | Post-Inspected? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | Date Post-Inspected: Initials: |
| Incentive Approved <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | Amount :\$ | | Date Approved | |
| Utility or Program Representative | | | | |

Commercial BES Application Checklist

Before submitting this application please complete and include all items listed below:

- ✓ **Complete Application**
 - Customer Information Section
 - Vendor/Contractor Information Section
 - Rebate sections completed
 - Customer Signature
- ✓ **Attach a Copy of the Equipment Invoice Including**
 - Equipment quantities
 - Model & serial #s of equipment installed
- ✓ **Specification Sheets or AHRI Certificates**

ELIGIBILITY:

- These incentives are offered by Missouri River Energy Services and its participating members. For questions regarding eligibility, call your local utility listed on the cover page of this application.
- Commercial, industrial, and governmental customers who purchase electricity from The Utility are eligible to participate in the Bright Energy Solutions® Food Service Incentive Program. Eligible equipment must be connected to an electric service billed under a commercial or industrial rate class by The Utility. Excludes equipment for residential spaces such as apartments.
- This program is applicable only to equipment that meets the detailed equipment specifications and requirements described in this application. The Utility will determine, in its discretion, whether such specifications and requirements are satisfied.
- Customers may not receive more than one incentive for each piece of equipment installed under this program or any combination of Bright Energy Solutions programs.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS:

1. **Incentive Offer:** Projects, including all required installation, must be completed by December 31 of the year indicated on this application form. A signed application and itemized invoices for materials and labor must be submitted to the participating utility at the address located on the cover page of this application **within 90 calendar days of project completion**. Please keep a copy for your records.
2. **Proof of Purchase:** This application must have complete information and be submitted with an invoice(s) itemizing the new equipment purchased and labor costs. The invoice(s) must indicate date of purchase, size, type, make, model and total project cost. The AHRI Certificate of Product Ratings must also be provided where applicable and available. In cases where the AHRI Certificate of Product Ratings is not available or applicable the manufacturer (OEM) specification sheets must also be included.
3. **Compliance:**
 - a) All projects must comply with federal, state, and local codes.
 - b) All equipment must be new or retrofitted with new components per the program specifications. Used or rebuilt equipment is not eligible for incentives. Existing equipment must be removed and properly disposed of.
 - c) Equipment must meet specification requirements and be purchased, installed and operating prior to submitting an incentive application.
 - d) Equipment must not be used to qualify and receive payment for energy savings from any wholesale electricity market.
 - e) Customers may only receive one incentive per piece of qualifying equipment.
 - f) **All projects for which more than \$20,000 in incentive payments is sought must be approved by The Utility prior to the commencement of the project.** Receipt of pre-approval does not guarantee incentive payments will be made. Incentive payments will be made only upon the customer's satisfaction of all terms and conditions of this program.
 - g) All terms and conditions of this application must be satisfied by the customer.
4. **Payment:** Once completed paperwork is submitted, incentive payments are usually made within 4-8 weeks. Incomplete applications will either delay payments or be denied. The Utility reserves the right to refuse payment and participation if the customer or the customer's contractor violates program rules and procedures.
5. **Inspection:** The Utility may conduct an inspection of the customer's facility to survey any installed projects. All projects exceeding \$10,000 of incentives will be inspected prior to incentive payment. The Utility may inspect customer records relating to incentives sought by the customer.
6. **Information Sharing:** The Utility reserves the right to publicize your participation in this program, unless you specifically request otherwise in writing. Information contained in this application may be shared with state boards, commissions, departments, and other Bright Energy Solutions participating utilities.
7. **Program Discretion:** Incentives are available on a first-come, first-served basis. This program and its incentive amounts are subject to change or termination without notice at the discretion of The Utility. Neither pre-approval of a project, nor any other action by The Utility, will entitle a customer to an incentive payment until the application is finally approved by The Utility. The Utility reserves the right to load manage (cycle on or off) customer equipment that qualifies for incentives under this program.
8. **Logo Use:** Customers or trade allies may not use the name or logo of Bright Energy Solutions, The Utility, or any other participating utility in any marketing, advertising, or promotional material without written permission.
9. **Disclaimers:** The Utility
 - a) does not endorse any particular manufacturer, product, labor or system design by offering these programs;
 - b) will not be responsible for any tax liability imposed on the customer as a result of the payment of incentives;
 - c) does not expressly or implicitly warrant the installation or performance of installed equipment or any contractor's quality of work (contact the equipment manufacturer or contractor for warranties);
 - d) is not responsible for the proper disposal/recycling of any waste generated as a result of this project;
 - e) is not liable for any damage, injury, or loss of life arising from or relating to the removal, installation, or operation of any equipment, or any other action taken by the customer or The Utility, in connection with a project undertaken by the customer under the programs described in this application;
 - f) does not guarantee that a specific level of energy or cost savings will result from the implementation of energy efficiency measures or the use of products funded under this program.

INCENTIVE LIMIT:

- **Eligible customers may purchase and install qualifying equipment and receive an energy efficiency incentive of up to \$100,000 per customer, per calendar year.** Payments for larger incentives may be allowed at the discretion of The Utility.
- An incentive exceeding \$20,000 must receive written approval from The Utility BEFORE project commencement.
- Total incentive will not exceed 75 percent of the project cost, including installation. If self-installed, incentives for items of equipment can be up to the purchase price of a specific item, but shall not exceed the Bright Energy Solutions incentives set by Missouri River Energy Services.

Incentives for particular items of equipment and/or systems are limited as set forth in this application