

A Cash Incentive Energy Efficiency Program brought to you by:



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

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.

Food Service Incentive Application for Business Customers

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HAS THIS PROJECT BEEN PREAPPROVED? YES 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 and/or updates on our incentive programs)

Municipal Utility Account Number

Building Use-Please Check One

Office
 Retail
 Convenience Store
 Warehouse
 Restaurant
 Lodging
 Manufacturing

School: Elementary
 Secondary/High School
 College
 Healthcare: Clinic
 Hospital

Other/Miscellaneous: _____

Facility Hours of Operation

Hours per day	Days per Week	Weeks per Year	Hours per Year (hours x days x weeks)

Vendor/Contractor Information

Company Name		Contact Name		Phone	
Address	City	State	Zip Code		

Email Address*

*(By providing your email address, you are granting The Utility permission to send emails regarding this project and/or updates on our incentive programs)

Payment Information

Please process payment to: Customer (listed above)
 Vendor or Contractor (listed above)
 Alternative Recipient

If payment is to be made to an Alternative Recipient, please complete the remainder of this section:

Company Name		Contact Name		Phone	
Address	City	State	Zip Code		

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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 or Q-Sync Motors for Walk-in Coolers or Freezers

Description and Size	Make/Model	Quantity	Incentive	Total Incentive
ECM Walk-in Evaporator Fan Motor -Replacement/Retrofit Only			\$40	\$
Q-Sync PMS Evaporator Fan Motor -Replacement/Retrofit/New			\$60	\$
Subtotal Section A:				\$

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

Description and Size	Make/Model	Quantity	Incentive	Total Incentive
ECM Condenser or Compressor Fan Motor			\$50	\$
Subtotal Section B:				\$

C. ENERGY STAR Commercial Ice Machines

Description and Size	Make/Model	Quantity	Incentive	Total Incentive
Less than 500 lb. per day			\$50	\$
500—1000 lb. per day			\$150	\$
Greater than 1000 lb. per day			\$300	\$
Subtotal Section C:				\$

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

Description and Size	Make/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 and Natural Gas Booster		N/A	\$0	\$0
Door Type—Electric Water Heater and Electric Booster			\$500	\$
Door Type—Natural Gas Water Heater and Electric Booster			\$225	\$
Door Type—Natural Gas Water Heater and Natural Gas Booster		N/A	\$0	\$0
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D. (Continued) ENERGY STAR Commercial Dishwashers (High Temperature Wash Units Only)

Description and Size	Make/Model	Quantity	Incentive	Total Incentive
Single Tank Conveyor Type—Electric Water Heater and Electric Booster			\$425	\$
Single Tank Conveyor Type—Natural Gas Water Heater and Electric Booster			\$225	\$
Single Tank Conveyor Type—Natural Gas Water Heater and Natural Gas Booster		N/A	\$0	\$0
Multi-Tank Conveyor Type—Electric Water Heater and Electric Booster			\$1000	\$
Multi-Tank Conveyor Type—Natural Gas Water Heater and Electric Booster			\$525	\$
Multi-Tank Conveyor Type—Natural Gas Water Heater and Natural Gas Booster		N/A	\$0	\$0
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 Section D: \$

E. ENERGY STAR Commercial Fryers

Description and Size	Make/Model	Quantity	Incentive	Total Incentive
Electric Fryer			\$2250	\$
Electric Pressure Fryer (ENERGY STAR® Not Required)	Note: Must have shortening capacity ≥ 25 pounds.		\$2000	

Subtotal Section E: \$

F. ENERGY STAR Commercial Griddles—Electric Only

Description and Size	Make/Model	Quantity	Incentive	Total Incentive
Electric Griddle			\$850	\$

Subtotal Section F: \$

G. ENERGY STAR Commercial Steam Cookers—Electric Only

Description and Size	Make/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 Section G: \$

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

I. ENERGY STAR Commercial Convection Ovens—Electric Only				
Description and Size	Make/Model	Quantity	Incentive	Total Incentive
Electric Convection Oven			\$2200	\$
Subtotal Section I:				\$

J. Commercial Combination Oven/Steamers—Electric Only				
Efficiency Requirements	Make/Model	Quantity	Incentive	Total Incentive
Cooking Energy Efficiency ≥0.55 steam, ≥0.76 conv.			\$4000	\$
Subtotal Section J:				\$

K. Commercial Kitchen Hood Control Package				
Description and Size	Make/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 Section K:				\$

Summary of Incentives

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.

Customer Signature	Print Name	
	Title (if applicable)	Date

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 (above)
- ✓ **Attach a Copy of the Equipment Invoice**
 - Equipment Quantities
 - Model numbers of equipment installed
- ✓ **Specification Sheets**

Member Utility Use Only		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			

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.
- Customers that self-generate more than 5% of their annual energy needs are not eligible for BES rebates. The Bright Energy Choices green energy program can help customers achieve net-zero carbon or 100% renewable power supply without self-generation. Contact your utility for more information.
- 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.
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