

EARN INCENTIVE PAYMENTS FOR ENERGY- EFFICIENCY UPGRADES!

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Two types of incentives:

Prescriptive, offered on a per-unit basis for common energy-saving technologies.

Custom, based on the amount of electrical energy savings.

Program Process

- 1 Submit a Sure Bet Pre-notification Application for incentives over \$7,500 (strongly recommended for all projects to reserve funding).
- 2 Install the qualified technology by December 1, 2008.
- 3 Complete, sign, and submit the Sure Bet Request for Payment and appropriate documentation (invoices, savings calculations, and other documents as specified by the Sure Bet Team).
- 4 The incentive check will be sent within 4 to 6 weeks upon approval of the Request for Payment.

Note: Pre- and post-inspection may be required.

Pre-notification Application

Request for Payment

Sure Bet Program 2008



Cooling and Miscellaneous Application

Applicant Information

Name of Company				Business Type: (Please Check One) Office <input type="checkbox"/> School <input type="checkbox"/> Retail <input type="checkbox"/> Restaurant <input type="checkbox"/> Hotel/Motel <input type="checkbox"/> Medical <input type="checkbox"/> Grocery <input type="checkbox"/> Warehouse <input type="checkbox"/> Public Assembly <input type="checkbox"/> Process Industrial <input type="checkbox"/> Miscellaneous <input type="checkbox"/> 24/7 Equipment? Y <input type="checkbox"/> N <input type="checkbox"/>
Name as it Appears on Your Utility Bill				
Name of Contact Person		Title		
Office Phone #		Fax #		
Email Address		Cell Phone #		
Address Where Measures Installed				
City, State, Zip (Measures Installed)				
Mailing Address (of Contact Person)				
City, State, Zip (of Contact Person)				
Customer Account and Premise Number				
Taxpayer ID Number (SSN#/FEIN)		Tax Status (Individual, Partnership, Corp, Exempt)		
Contracting Company				
Contractor Contact Name		Contractor Phone #		
Contractor Address				
Contractor Email				

**Checks should be made payable to the following:
(Note - The party listed below will be receiving the incentive check)**

Enter "Same" if Same as Mailing Address			
Company Name			
Contact Name		Title	
Payee Address			
City, State, Zip (Payee Address)			
Office Phone #		Fax #	
Email Address			
Taxpayer ID Number (SSN#/FEIN)			

Project #: _____ (For Office Use Only)

Cooling and Miscellaneous Incentive Worksheet 2008

Equipment Type	Size Category	Qualifying Efficiency*	Nevada Power Equipment Incentive (per ton)	Nevada Power Efficiency Incentive (per unit Eff. over Qual. Eff per ton)
Water Cooled Units (Split System and Single Package Units)	All Sizes	14.0 EER	\$25.00	\$10.00
Packaged Terminal Units (PTAC/PTHP)	All Sizes	20% Above Federal Minimum*	\$50.00	\$20.00
Room Air Conditioners	All Sizes	10 EER	\$35.00	\$20.00
Programmable (Setback) Thermostats	NA	NA	\$25.00 per Unit	NA
Window Film	NA	NA	\$0.70 per Square Foot	NA
VSD on HVAC fans and pumps	All Sizes	NA	\$60 per HP	NA
Hotel HVAC Occupancy Sensors	NA	NA	\$75.00 per Sensor	NA
Escalator Motor Controllers (EMC)	All Sizes	NA	\$20 per HP	NA

*See Sure Bet Policies and Procedures for details. Qualifying EER is calculated below

Water Cooled Units					
Make and Model #	Quantity	Size of Unit (tons)	Unit Efficiency (EER)	Qualifying Efficiency (EER)	Subtotal
				14	\$0.00
				14	\$0.00

Packaged Terminal Units (PTAC/PTHP)					
Make and Model #	Quantity	Size of Unit (tons)	Unit Efficiency (EER)*	Qualifying Efficiency (EER)*	Subtotal
					\$0.00
					\$0.00

Room Air Conditioners					
Make and Model #	Quantity	Size of Unit (tons)	Unit Efficiency (EER)*	Qualifying Efficiency (EER)	Subtotal
				10	\$0.00
				10	\$0.00

Programmable (Setback) Thermostats			
Description	Quantity	Square footage of controlled area (if known)	Subtotal
			\$0.00
		_____ ft ²	\$0.00

Window Film			
Description	Quantity (ft ²)	North Facing Window Not Eligible	Subtotal
			\$0.00

VSD on HVAC Fans and Pumps			
Make and Model #	Quantity	Size of Unit (HP)	Subtotal
			\$0.00
			\$0.00

Hotel HVAC Occupancy Sensor			
Description	Quantity	Incentive/Unit	Subtotal
		\$75.00	\$0.00
		\$75.00	\$0.00

Escalator Motor Controllers (EMC)			
Make and Model #	Quantity	Size of Unit (HP)	Subtotal
			\$0.00
			\$0.00

Total \$0.00



Water Cooled Air Conditioning

Air conditioning units or heat pump units that are water or evaporatively cooled split system and single packaged units are eligible for incentives. Such equipment must meet the minimum qualifying efficiency levels as shown in the Incentive Worksheet Table on page 3. Swamp coolers are not eligible under this program.

All packaged and split system cooling equipment must meet Air-Conditioning and Refrigeration Institute (ARI) standards, be UL listed, use a minimum ozone depleting refrigerant (e.g., HCFC), and meet specified energy efficiency qualifications shown on the Incentive Worksheet. Water cooled, single package or split system air conditioners within the designated size category are eligible when the rated efficiency (at full load for the entire system) is greater than or equal to the stated minimum. The minimum efficiencies are based on Consortium for Energy Efficiency (www.cee1.org) Tier 2 requirements (on table).

Package Terminal AC Units (PTAC)

Package terminal air conditioners and heat pumps are through-the-wall self contained units¹ that are 2 tons (24,000 Btu/h) or less. These units cool small areas and are commonly used for individual rooms. Only units that are 20% above the federal minimum standard efficiency (EER) qualify for the incentive. Minimum requirements are shown in Table 8-1; section P.8.11 of the Sure Bet Policy and Procedures. All EER values must be rated at 95 °F outdoor dry-bulb temperature.

Room Air Conditioning

Room air conditioning units are through-the-wall (or built-in) self-contained units that are 2 tons or less. These units cool small areas and are commonly used for individual rooms. There are two eligible efficiency levels; one is for units with EERs between 10 and 11 and a second tier for units with EERs greater than 11. These units are with and without louvered sides, without reverse cycle (i.e., heating), and casement.

Programmable Thermostats

ENERGY STAR®-labeled programmable thermostats must replace any non-programmable thermostat to automatically adjust the temperature at pre-selected times. To meet ENERGY STAR® standards, they must be capable of maintaining two separate programs (to address the different comfort needs of weekdays and weekends) and up to four temperature settings for each program.

Window Film

Film must have a minimum 5-year manufacturer's warranty (to be provided with invoice). Rebates are not available for windows with Northern exposure (+/- 45° of true north). Film must meet **one** of the following requirements:

- For clear, single-pane glass, the solar heat gain coefficient (SHGC of the window film) must be less than 0.39.
- For clear, double-pane glass, the SHGC of the win-

dow film must be less than 0.25.

- For applications that don't meet either of the previous requirements, the film must have an SHGC = 0.47 and visible transmittance/solar heat coefficient (VT/SHGC) ratio > 1.3.

Specification and square footage installed of each film type and what side of the building the film is installed **must be documented** clearly on the invoice.

Variable-speed Drive on Fans and Pumps

Variable-speed drives (VSDs) which are installed on either fans or pumps are eligible for this incentive. The VSD installation must result in energy savings. The installation of a VSD must accompany the permanent removal or disabling of any throttling devices such as inlet vanes, bypass dampers, and throttling valves. A 3% impedance choke is recommended to handle any power factor corrections that may occur. VSDs are sensitive to over voltage. VSDs that do not qualify under this measure (such as VSDs on air compressor motors) must use the Custom Application to apply for an incentive.

Hotel HVAC Occupancy Sensors

Incentives are available for sensors that control PTAC or heat pump units for individual hotel rooms. Sensors controlled by a front desk system are not eligible. Sensors must be controlled by automatic occupancy detectors, and it is recommended that during unoccupied periods, the set back for controlled units be at least 8 degrees from the operating setpoint.

Escalator Motor Controller

Motor controllers eligible for an incentive are units that control electric escalator operation only on three phase, 480 volt induction motors, ranging in size from 10 HP to 40 HP. The device must meet all required local, state, and federal codes. Applicable products/vendors must be **pre-qualified** for this prescriptive measure as discussed in the Sure Bet Policies and Procedures, Section P8.17.

¹ These units have a combination of heating and cooling assemblies intended for mounting through the wall, which includes refrigeration, outdoor louvers, forced ventilation, and any connect to external heating source or have electric resistance heating.



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Tax Liability

Incentives are taxable, and if greater than \$600 will be reported to the IRS unless you are exempt. The Sure Bet Program will report your incentive as income to you on IRS Form 1099 unless you have entered Corporation or Exempt tax status on the Applicant Information page. Nevada Power Company (NPC) also known as "the utility," and The Sure Bet Team are not responsible for any taxes that may be imposed on your business as a result of your receipt of this incentive.

Agreement

As an eligible NPC customer, I certify that I have installed the indicated energy efficiency measures within the program year for use in my business facility and not for resale. I have attached documentation establishing paid proof of purchase for the items installed according to this application. I agree to verification by the Sure Bet Team or the utility of both sales transactions and product installation. I certify that the information on this application is true and correct, and that the Taxpayer ID Number is representative of the applicant. I understand that incentive payments are based on related energy benefits over a period of five years or for the life of the product.

I agree that if: (1) I do not provide NPC with 100% of the related energy benefits specified in the application for the life of the product or a period of five years from receipt of incentive, whichever is less, or (2) I cease to be a distribution customer of NPC during the said time period, I shall rebate a prorated amount of incentive funds to NPC based on the actual period of time in which I provided the related energy benefits as an electric customer of NPC.

I agree that the Sure Bet Program may be modified or terminated without prior notice.

I understand that this application and the paid itemized invoice must be received by The Sure Bet Program or post-marked no later than December 1, 2008 or within 60 days of installation of energy efficiency measures, whichever comes first. All equipment must be purchased and installed prior to submitting the Request for Payment.

I understand that this project must involve a capital investment that results in permanent, non-reversible electrical energy efficiency improvements. In no case will NPC pay an incentive higher than the incremental cost of the efficiency measures installed. The Sure Bet Program has a limited budget. Applications will be processed on a first-come, first-served basis until allocated funds are spent or by the respective application deadlines, whichever comes first. Pre-notification Applications are due by November 1, 2008 and Requests for Payment Applications are **due by December 1, 2008**. All projects must be completed **no later than December 1, 2008** in order to be considered for payment in the current program year.

I have read and understand the Sure Bet Program requirements and Terms and Conditions set forth in this application and agree to abide by those requirements. Furthermore, I concur that I must meet all eligibility criteria in order to be paid under this program.

In return for the consideration I receive through the Sure Bet Program rebate, I acknowledge that the energy efficiency credits that may result from the energy efficiency measures for which the rebate is paid inures to the benefit of the utility for compliance with the State of Nevada's renewable energy portfolio standard.

Customer Signature

Project Completion Date

Contractor Signature

Print Name

Project Cost

Print Name

Date

Date

Note: Please print out and sign. Return copy with original signature to The Sure Bet Program. **Sign only after ALL equipment has been installed, no signature is required for pre-notification applications.** Contractor signature required only if contractor is receiving the incentive check.

Nevada Power (NPC) Company is offering the Sure Bet Incentive Program to facilitate the implementation of cost-effective energy efficiency improvements in businesses.

Program and Project Eligibility

This Program is available to existing nonresidential NPC customers. Each project must show a permanent, non-reversible energy efficiency improvement. For each facility or campus, there must be at least one meter on an eligible rate schedule. Eligible rate schedules are as follows:

- GS, OGS, LGS-1, OLGS-1, LGS-2, LGS-3 and LGS-X
- Any area of a facility or campus served by an ineligible account (any standby tariff) is not eligible to participate in the program.
- Measures installed in areas of any facility or premise that are served by residential meters are not eligible.

Incentive Caps

Total incentive limits per facility/campus are divided into four tiers. Any combination of prescriptive and custom projects applies to the incentive limits of the program.

Tier 1: Incentives earned up to \$100,000 (per calendar year) will be paid at 100% of the earned amount

Tier 2: Incentives earned between \$100,001 and \$500,000 (per calendar year) will be paid at 50% of the earned amount

Tier 3: Incentives earned between \$500,001 and \$1,000,000 (per calendar year) will be paid at 20% of the earned amount

Tier 4: All incentives earned over \$1,000,001 (per calendar year) will be paid at 10% of the earned amount

Incentive payments are capped at the incremental cost of the efficiency measure as well. Please refer to the Sure Bet Program Policies & Procedures (found under the "Documents" link on the Sure Bet website at www.nevadapower.com/surebet) for further information regarding eligibility.

Pre-notification Application

A Pre-notification Application is *strongly* encouraged for all participants in order to pre-approve incentive levels and to reserve funding. A Pre-notification Application is required for projects with estimated incen-

tives over \$7,500. Measures must be installed within 120 days after pre-approval. If after this time, no progress has been made on the project, the project may be cancelled and the applicant will need to re-apply when the program requirements can be met. *It is the responsibility of the Applicant to contact Sure Bet if a project is delayed, substantially changed or cancelled.*

In order to be eligible, all Pre-notification Applications must be postmarked no later than November 1, 2008. The Sure Bet Program will pre-approve projects after reviewing the Pre-notification Application and determining if the program requirements have been met. A letter acknowledging pre-approval, reservation of funds and the project due date will be sent to the applicant. The pre-approval letter triggers the official project start date for the customer application. There is no guarantee that expenses incurred prior to the date of pre-approval will be reimbursed. The Sure Bet Team reserves the right to contact the customer after 30 days to ensure that the project is moving forward and may cancel the commitment based on the customer's response. Funds that have been pre-approved are not transferable to other projects, facilities, and/or customers.

Request for Payment

A Request for Payment must be submitted within 60 days after the project is completed **and prior to December 1, 2008**. Final documentation is required with the Request for Payment, which should include:

- Copies of all itemized, paid invoices and receipts detailing the specific equipment and purchases as well as any other project costs
- Copies of invoices showing the services provided and personnel time records (labor costs) where appropriate
- Equipment specification sheets showing that equipment meets program requirements
- Signed final application, original signature copy preferred
- All necessary information & calculations to support the energy savings

Not providing the required information will delay the review and payment of the project. Location or business name on the invoice must be consistent with the Application information.

The Sure Bet Program and the utility reserve the right to



request additional supporting documents as deemed necessary to ensure proper verification of savings and payment of incentive. All customer information will be held in confidence.

If a third-party contractor is to be recipient of Incentive payment, the contractor must submit documentation of their costs, not the charges to be invoiced to the host customer. Sure Bet Program staff must approve all invoices. Invoices must be paid. Only those items that are included in the invoice that pertain to the retrofit are assumed to be a part of the project cost.

Proper Installation: Applicants must submit documentation confirming the installation and commissioning of each project. Documentation must include items such as installation date, description of installed systems, customer acceptance (if contractor application), commissioning report and measurement and verification of energy savings, if necessary. Payments may be reduced to the documented amount or not paid if complete and proper installation is not documented.

Inspections: The Sure Bet Team will audit up to 100% of the projects to verify compliance with the Sure Bet Program rules and project documentation.

This may include pre-installation and/or post-installation inspections, detailed lighting layout descriptions, metering, data collection, interviews, and utility bill data analyses. Recipients of payment must allow access to records and installation sites for a period of three years after receipt of incentive payment.

Project may be chosen for measurement and verification purposes. If so, customer will be contacted by a utility representative. Measurement and verification may include obtaining logged data on individual project components.

Application Submittal Process

1. Verify that your project is eligible and meets the project requirements as set forth in the Sure

Bet Policies & Procedures Document (located on

the website listed under the "Documents" link).

2. Submit Pre-notification Application to the Sure Bet Team. For the Pre-notification Application, download and complete the Sure Bet Program Application and check the box that says "Pre-notification Application" at the top. Upon pre-approval by the Sure Bet Team, incentive funds will be reserved for up to 120 days.
3. Customer/Contractor installs equipment according to the terms and conditions described for the eligible Prescriptive or Custom measures as set forth in the Sure Bet Policies & Procedures.
4. When the project is complete, submit the Request for Payment with all required documentation. Check the box that says "Request for Payment" at the top (a copy of the Pre-notification Application can be used with changes indicated) within 60 days after project completion or by **December 1, 2008**, whichever comes first.
5. The Sure Bet Team will review the final project documentation and process incentives within 4-6 weeks *after* approval of the Request for Payment.

Application Review Process

The Sure Bet Program will review all applications for eligibility and completeness. Completed applications will be reviewed in the order received. Funds will not be reserved for the project until the Sure Bet Team receives a complete application and determines that the project meets the Program eligibility requirements as set forth in the Sure Bet Policies & Procedures. Applicants who submit incomplete applications will be notified of deficiencies within 7 days, but will lose their place in line in the review process until all requested information is received.

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Incentives are available on a first-come, first-served basis.

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