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March 2025

Spring Safety Moment - *Tips for a Safe Season*

As the days grow longer and the weather warms up, it's the perfect time to enjoy outdoor activities. However, it's important to stay mindful of safety to ensure a fun and accident-free season.



Start by checking your home and yard for any winter damage that might pose hazards, such as loose railings, broken steps, or fallen branches. When gardening or doing yard work, wear appropriate protective gear like gloves, safety glasses, and sturdy shoes to prevent injuries. Additionally, be cautious of allergies; springtime pollen can trigger reactions, so keep medications handy and consider wearing a mask when pollen counts are high.

2025 Energy Block Party



The 2025 Energy Block Party is scheduled for 10 am-2 pm on Saturday, April 26, at the PUD Electric Building Headquarters (2320 California Street in Everett).

The party will feature a truckstravaganza, EV car show, high-voltage demos, drawings for amazing prizes and so much more!

Some of the area's yummiest food trucks will be available to keep you rocking, including The Dick's Drive-In Food Truck, Cathouse Pizza, Vulpine Espresso and a donut truck. (yummy!)

2024 Results

Residential Heating & Weatherization programs generated **825,027 kWh savings** for our mutual customers - an estimated reduction of \$82,527 on their electric bills. **Incentives paid totaled \$1,296,612** reducing the cost of investment for customer conservation upgrades.

Heating accounted for 601,200 kWh and \$1,201,891 of the incentives paid:

- 107 ducted conversions installed
- 142 ducted, inverter-driven HPs installed
- 129 Advanced Thermostats installed



Insulation accounted for 65,014 kWh and \$78,119 in incentives paid:

- 36 attics upgraded
- 72 floors upgraded
- 5 walls upgraded
- 70 pipe insulations

Window replacements accounted for 158,813 kWh and \$16,602 in incentives paid:

- 145 window double pane to double pane
- 59 window single pane to single pane

Thank you for all the work you have done for our mutual customers. We look forward to partnering with you and supporting your success in 2025!

Reminders:

Online Portal for Project Submission Coming Soon!

The new iEnergy portal for project submissions is expected to launch at the beginning of the second quarter. Registered contractors will already have their information preloaded into the platform. Upon first use, you will be prompted to review and verify that all details are accurate and upload any required documents.

If you are already registered as a "Commercial" contractor, please note that you will also need to register as a "Residential" contractor. Keep an eye out for emails as we approach the launch of the Single Family Residential Heating and Weatherization program in iEnergy.

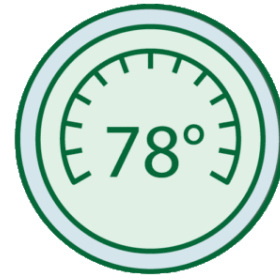
Once we have a launch date, we will schedule in-person round tables to demonstrate the platform and how to navigate it. Contractors will be able to see a list of completed projects, the payment received and the status of submitted projects. Among other advantages, this will allow those working on Apple devices to submit projects and eliminate macro-enabled excel workbooks.

We are currently adapting our workbooks to the platform; they should feel and look the same there. We anticipate that testing will start in April, and training will follow soon after that. Look for an email announcing the launch in May. In the meantime, please reach out to John Petosa with any questions using the contact info at the bottom of this email.

Advanced Thermostat Rebates

We are still seeing applications missing this opportunity!

Advanced thermostat rebates must be visible on the invoice to the customer to receive the Project Development Incentive. Several contractors have asked us to issue a \$200 customer bill credit instead of taking it off the invoice. Program requirements are that rebates show as a credit on the customer invoice.



Here is the list of approved thermostats that are not currently on the BPA Qualified Products List:

1. Amana ATST-CWE-BL-A
2. American Standard & Trane CONT624, CONT824, CONT850, ZON950, and ZON1050
3. Bosch BCC100
4. Carrier Infinity CCITC01-B, CCITC01-C, CCWIC01-B, CCICF01-B, and CCWIF01-B
5. Daikin TRC-10, One Touch
6. Honeywell Vision Pro TH8000 Series w/ Red Link - Prestige IAQ
7. Lennox S40
8. Mitsubishi MHK2 Thermostat w/ ETC-211000-MIT Lockout Controller

2025 Inflationary Reduction Act Information

The Washington State Department of Commerce oversees implementing the IRA Program. With so many questions surrounding this program, your best source of information is on their [website](#).



Second Quarter Marketing Support



The advertising focus for March is window and sliding glass door replacements. Look for our ads in print and online and spread the word to our shared customers!

The monthly focus for advertising in June will be heat pump upgrades for summer cooling needs.

Please don't hesitate to reach out if you need approval for logo use or are curious to learn more about our advertising plans.

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- **Rebate Application Questions and Submittals**
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If you have any questions about:
Eligibility ...Equipment...Specifications...Sizing Calculator
CALL BEFORE YOU INSTALL: 425-229-5598!

Thank you for working safely for our customers!



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