

Duke Energy Smart \$aver™ Program Summary, North Carolina & South Carolina

Existing Homes, Smart \$aver™ Program

Qualifications:

- The Smart \$aver™ program is for existing, single family homes, condominiums, duplexes or mobile homes that install a new qualifying HVAC system on or after **June 1, 2009**.
- An existing heating and/or air conditioner system must be changed to a new heat pump or air conditioner that is a 14 SEER or greater and includes an Electronically Commutative fan Motor (ECM fan) on the indoor furnace. Heat pumps must have an HSPF of 8.2 or higher.
- In an existing home, if the old HVAC system was natural gas, a new heat pump must be installed as part of a dual fuel system that uses natural gas as the supplemental heat source.
- The HVAC contractor must complete a Smart \$aver Incentive Application form for each unit installed.

Existing Home Incentives:

- Customer Incentive – Qualifying Duke Energy customer receives \$200 for each new qualifying heat pump or \$200 for each new qualifying central air conditioner.
- Heating Dealer Incentive – Participating dealer incentive of \$100 is paid to the heating contractor, sales representative, or the dealership.
- Incentives are paid per heat pump or air conditioner unit.

Participating Dealer Sign-up Form:

- Any heating dealer who has completed the Participating Heating Dealer and Builder Sign-up Form and who remains in good standing in the Smart \$aver™ program will be considered a participating dealer and will appear on the Participating Smart \$aver Dealer online Dealer lookup tool.
- Additional program requirements listed on the Dealer Sign-up Form must be followed.

New Homes, Smart \$aver™ Program

Qualifications:

- Duke Energy's new home Smart \$aver™ program is for new, single family homes, condominiums, duplexes or mobile homes that have a qualifying HVAC system installed on or after **June 1, 2009**.
- New home heating and/or air conditioner system must be a new heat pump or air conditioner that is a 14 SEER or greater and includes an Electronically Commutative fan Motor (ECM fan) on the indoor furnace. Heat pumps must have an HSPF of 8.2 or higher.
- In a new home, if natural gas is available, a new heat pump must be installed as part of a dual fuel system that uses natural gas as the supplemental heat source.
- Builder or installing HVAC contractor must complete a Smart \$aver Incentive Application form for each unit installed.

New Home, Builder Incentives:

- Builder Incentive – Builder receives \$300 per qualifying system.
- Builder incentive can be assigned to the homeowner with builder's approval and signature.

Participating Builder Sign-up Form:

- Any Builder who has completed the Participating Heating Dealer and Builder Sign-up Form and who remains in good standing in Duke Energy's Smart \$aver™ program will be considered a participating builder and will appear on the Participating Smart \$aver™ Builder online Builder lookup tool.
- Additional program requirements listed on the Builder Sign-up Form must be followed.

Note: Duke Energy reserves the right to revise program requirements and incentive levels at anytime. Incentives are subject to availability. Current program information, incentive amounts and the intended recipients for the incentives are posted on-line at www.duke-energy.com. For questions not addressed on the website, call 1-866-785-6209.

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