

## Montana Residential Natural Gas Insulation – Existing Home Program Incentive Amounts, Guidelines & Application

EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2023 - JUNE 30, 2024

Incentive Amounts Effective July 1, 2023 - June 30, 2024			
Efficiency Opportunities	Incentive Amount Per		Qualifications
Attic/Ceiling Insulation	\$0.45	Sq. Foot	R-11 Existing to R-49 Minimum
	\$0.55	Sq. Foot	R-0 Existing to R-49 Minimum
Basement Wall Insulation	\$0.60	Sq. Foot	R-0 Existing to R-19 Minimum Includes rim joist insulation
Crawlspace Wall Insulation	\$0.60	Sq. Foot	R-0 Existing to R-19 Minimum Includes rim joist insulation
Floor Insulation	\$0.55	Sq. Foot	R-0 Existing to R-19 Minimum Above unconditioned space only
	\$0.85	Sq. Foot	R-0 Existing to R-30 Minimum Above unconditioned space only
	\$0.95	Sq. Foot	R-0 Existing to R-38 Minimum Above unconditioned space only

Details of the program, including incentives, are subject to change without prior notice.  
Incentive amounts are valid through June 30, 2024.

### Requirements

- NorthWestern Energy residential natural gas customers are eligible for the program.
- New Equipment Only
- **NorthWestern Energy representatives may verify completed jobs prior to payment.**
- Work completed or materials purchased prior to July 1, 2023, will not be accepted under the program.
- Applies to existing homes. New construction does not qualify. Garages do not qualify. Radiant Barriers do not qualify.
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### Questions? Call (800) 823-5995

Log on to [NorthWesternEnergy.com/Eplus](https://NorthWesternEnergy.com/Eplus) for a complete list of rebate programs and details.

**CUSTOMER & PAYMENT INFORMATION: Please PRINT Clearly**

(Check will be made payable to name on NorthWestern Energy account unless otherwise specified.)

NorthWestern Energy Acct# (REQUIRED):         (Attach recent bill and list account number. Acct. # located in upper right hand corner of billing statement.)

Name on NorthWestern Energy NATURAL GAS Account: \_\_\_\_\_

Installation Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: MT Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address (if different): \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

**CONTRACTOR INFORMATION: (Self-Installers may skip this section.)**

Contractor Business Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Contractor Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Contractor Email: \_\_\_\_\_

**Energy Efficient Equipment (All invoices and/or receipts must be included with this application)**

Energy Savings Measures	Date Installed	Cost	Square Footage	Beginning R-Value	Ending R-Value	Contractor or Self-Installed (Check One)	Incentive Amount (Office Use)
<b>Attic/Ceiling Insulation</b>				R-_____ (Max R-0)	R-_____ (Min R-49)	<input type="checkbox"/> Contractor <input type="checkbox"/> Self	
				R-_____ (Max R-11)	R-_____ (Min R-49)	<input type="checkbox"/> Contractor <input type="checkbox"/> Self	
<b>Basement Wall Insulation</b> Includes Rim Joist Insulation				R-_____ (Max R-0)	R-_____ (Min R-19)	<input type="checkbox"/> Contractor <input type="checkbox"/> Self	
<b>Crawlspace Wall Insulation</b> Includes Rim Joist Insulation				R-_____ (Max R-0)	R-_____ (Min R-19)	<input type="checkbox"/> Contractor <input type="checkbox"/> Self	
<b>Floor Insulation</b> Above Unconditioned Space Only				R-_____ (Max R-0)	R-_____ (Min R-19)	<input type="checkbox"/> Contractor <input type="checkbox"/> Self	
				R-_____ (Max R-0)	R-_____ (Min R-30)	<input type="checkbox"/> Contractor <input type="checkbox"/> Self	
				R-_____ (Max R-0)	R-_____ (Min R-38)	<input type="checkbox"/> Contractor <input type="checkbox"/> Self	

Projects completed or MATERIALS purchased prior to July 1, 2023 are not eligible.  
Projects must be completed by and submitted by June 30, 2024.

**Before submitting this application be sure to:**

- Read Requirements (Page 1) and Terms and Conditions (Page 3)
- Complete and sign the application
- Include a recent NorthWestern Energy bill for the installation address
- Attach legible applicable receipts and invoices

Mail the completed application & all supporting documents to:  
**NorthWestern Energy**  
**R-EX-NG-I**  
**P.O. Box 1167**  
**Helena, MT 59624**  
**Email: nwecommercialrebates@dnv.com**

I certify that the information on this application is true and correct and that I have read, understand, and agree to the terms and conditions on the reverse of this application.

Customer Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

FOR OFFICE USE ONLY. DO NOT WRITE BELOW THIS LINE.	
Date Application Received:	Date Verification Performed:
Date Additional Info Requested:	Verification Results: (circle one) <b>PASS</b> <b>FAIL</b>
Date Submitted for Payment:	Reason(s) for Failure (if applicable):
Total Incentive Amount: \$	Verifier Signature:

## **Terms and Conditions**

**APPLICATION:** This application must be filled out completely, truthfully and accurately. Participants are advised to retain a copy of this application and any accompanying documentation submitted to NorthWestern Energy under this program. NorthWestern Energy will not be responsible for lost documentation pertaining to this application request. Funds for incentives are limited and available on a first-come, first-served basis. Details of this program, including incentives, are subject to change without prior notice.

**ELIGIBILITY:** Incentives are available to approved applicants who are NorthWestern Energy residential customers. Final determination of eligibility shall rest solely with NorthWestern Energy.

**VERIFICATION:** Participant's contractor will verify that the installed saving measures meet program standards and State of Montana codes. Participant's facility may also be selected for post-installation verification prior to incentive payment. No warranty is implied by this verification. NorthWestern Energy's inspection of installed equipment or energy saving measures is for the sole purpose of assuring that it has been installed and program criteria have been satisfied, and it is not for the purpose of inspecting materials or quality of work. NorthWestern Energy makes no representations of warranties concerning adequacy of materials or quality of the work by virtue of its inspection.

**PAYMENT:** The incentives will be paid within 4-6 weeks upon: (i) completion of the energy efficiency program saving measures, (ii) verification of the measures, and (iii) submission of this completed application with all required information attached.

**PROOF OF PURCHASE:** The invoices accompanying this application must itemize the products purchased and/or work performed. This proof of purchase must show: (1) the date of purchase and itemized price paid, (2) the size, type, make, model or part number for the products, and (3) a description of any installation or other labor charges.

**INCENTIVE AMOUNT:** Incentives for the energy efficiency program savings measures completed as set forth in this application are limited to the amounts set forth in this application and may not exceed the purchase price.

**TAX LIABILITY:** NorthWestern Energy is not responsible for any tax liability imposed on Participant as a result of payment of these incentives.

**SAFETY & BUILDING CODES:** Participant represents that: (i) all products installed and work performed complies with all federal, state and local safety, building and environmental codes, and (ii) products are UL listed, if applicable, and installed per manufacturer's instructions. NorthWestern Energy is not responsible for wiring, piping, appliances, chimneys, flues or venting, and/or equipment on Participant's premises beyond the appropriate service meter or other points of connection with NorthWestern Energy's service connection at which point the responsibility of NorthWestern Energy shall cease.

**NO ENDORSEMENT:** NorthWestern Energy does not endorse any particular manufacturer, contractor or product in promoting the energy efficiency programs. The fact that names of particular manufacturers, contractors, products or systems may appear on this application does not constitute an endorsement. Manufacturers, contractors, products or systems not mentioned are not implied to be unsuitable or defective in any way. NorthWestern Energy or its agents do not sell energy conservation products directly to customers.

**PROPERTY RIGHTS:** Participant represents that Participant has the right to perform the rebated saving measures on the property on which those measures are performed and that any necessary landlord's consent has been obtained.

**ACCESS & EVALUATION:** NorthWestern Energy and/or its representatives may request access to the property and may review and evaluate the project during and after completion for up to 2 years. Participant agrees to provide reasonable access to the property for the purposes described herein.

**ENERGY INFORMATION RELEASE:** Participant authorizes NorthWestern Energy to access energy usage data for the project's specified account at the physical address of the project. Participant agrees to provide other reasonable assistance to obtain such information.

**INFORMATION RELEASE:** Participant agrees that NorthWestern Energy may include services and resulting energy savings in reports or other documentation submitted to the Montana Public Service Commission. NorthWestern Energy will treat all other information gathered in evaluations as confidential and report it only in the aggregate.

**ELIGIBLE PRODUCTS:** Products must meet energy efficiency specifications of NorthWestern Energy. These specifications may be found on the Web at [NorthWesternEnergy.com/Eplus](http://NorthWesternEnergy.com/Eplus). If you, or your contractor, are not sure of the specifications, please call (800) 823-5995 before proceeding.

**DISCLAIMER / NO LIABILITY:** Participant understands that, while NorthWestern Energy is providing Participant with the incentives payment, NorthWestern Energy is not supervising work performed for Participant nor is NorthWestern Energy responsible in any way for proper completion of that work or proper performance of any products purchased. NorthWestern Energy is simply providing funding to assist Participant in implementing rebated saving measures. Participant assumes the risk of any loss or damage(s) that Participant may suffer in connection with installation of the measures. NorthWestern Energy does not guarantee any particular saving results by its approval of the application or by any other of its actions.