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City of Sidney adds high efficiency residential heat pump program

The City of Sidney, Electric Department in partnership with its wholesale electric power supplier, the Municipal Energy Agency of Nebraska, is adding a high efficiency heat pump program to its suite of energy efficiency programs for local residential utility customers.

The program provides cash incentives to upgrade or convert to a high efficiency heat pump. Cash incentives vary depending on the type of heat pump installed. Program details and an application can be downloaded at <https://www.nmppenergy.org/mean/energy-efficiency>.

Along with the high efficiency heat pump program, The City of Sidney, Electric Department also continues to provide other energy efficiency programs in partnership with the Municipal Energy Agency of Nebraska. The programs are available through March 31, 2022 or while program funds last. Here is a rundown of the other programs:

Smart Thermostat Program

Provides a cash incentive of up to \$100 paid directly to residential customers to help cover the cost of installing a qualifying smart thermostat.

Attic Insulation Program

Provides cash incentives of \$0.15 / per square foot with a maximum incentive of \$300 per existing residential dwelling for attic insulation.

Cooling System Tune-Up Program

Provides a \$30 cash incentive to residential homeowners who have their cooling system tuned up by a HVAC contractor, regardless of what type or age of cooling system (air conditioner/air or water source heat pump).

Commercial LED Lighting Program

Provides cash incentives paid directly to commercial customers to help cover the cost of lighting upgrades and replacements.

For more information on these programs, contact the City of Sidney or go to <https://www.nmppenergy.org/mean/energy-efficiency> to download program guidelines and application forms.