



## NEW HOME PROGRAM

## ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

- ❖ To qualify for this program's \$500 rebate, complete one of the following:
  1. **ElectricSense Energy Home Program** To qualify for the rebate under this Program/Code, the following is required:
    - a. A qualified rater or inspector\* must verify ALL the requirements on the attached checklist have been met unless not applicable.
    - b. Submit the completed checklist and this rebate form with Section 1 and Section 2 completed.
  2. **ElectricSense New Home Program with blower door test in place of "Ductwork & Air Infiltration Control" requirements.** To qualify for the rebate under this Program/Code, the following is required:
    - a. A qualified rater or inspector\* must verify all requirements on the attached checklist have been met unless not applicable, except for the requirements in the "Ductwork & Air Infiltration Control" category.
    - b. A blower door test is required in place of the "Ductwork & Air Infiltration Control" requirements. Less than 3 air exchanges/hour at -50 Pascal is considered passing. The person performing the test must complete Section 3 of this rebate form.
    - c. Submit completed checklist and this rebate form with Section 1, Section 2, and Section 3 completed.
  3. **2020 Minnesota Energy Code** To qualify for the rebate under this Program/Code, the following is required:
    - a. A Minnesota built home must meet the energy efficiency requirements of the *2020 Minnesota Energy Code*.
    - b. Submit documentation showing compliance with the *2020 Minnesota Energy Code* and this incentive form with Section 1 completed.
  4. *A qualified rater or inspector refers to a person who is knowledgeable in building standards, has experience in using blower door test equipment, if blower door test is performed, and is approved by your electric cooperative.*
- ❖ New home or multi-family dwelling must be on cooperative's lines and must be **submitted no later than 3 months after certification.**
- ❖ For multi-family dwellings, each structure may receive only one \$500 rebate, and the person requesting the rebate must be the owner of the structure and must be a member of the the cooperative.
- ❖ Rebates are in place through December 31, 2024. Funds are limited, so members are encouraged to submit as soon as possible.
- ❖ Rebates submitted after December 31, 2024, will not qualify if the rebate is no longer offered in 2025.
- ❖ Program is subject to change or cancellation without notice. Additional eligibility criteria may apply.
- ❖ One of the above rebate qualifying actions must have been completed.
- ❖ All documentation listed below must be **submitted no later than 3 months after certification.**
  - ✓ This Rebate Form
  - ✓ Documentation as explained above, depending on which program/code was followed

**Submit required documentation to:**  
**Freeborn Mower Electric Cooperative**  
**PO Box 611 | Albert Lea | MN 56007-0611**  
**Or via email to**  
**energyservices@fmec.coop**

Section 1: MEMBER INFORMATION *Please fill out entire section*

Member Name			Email	
			<i>Email addresses will be used for cooperative communication only, including eNewsletters filled with energy saving tips. Opting out now or in the future is always available. <input type="checkbox"/> Opt out Now</i>	
Address			Account	Phone
City	State	Zip	Date	Member Signature
Which Program/Code requirement has been met to qualify you for this incentive (Program/Code requirements are listed above)?				
<input type="checkbox"/> Touchstone Energy® Home Program <input type="checkbox"/> Touchstone Energy® Home Program with <i>Ductwork &amp; Air Infiltration Control</i> requirements bypassed <input type="checkbox"/> 2020 Minnesota Energy Code				

Section 2: RATER / INSPECTOR VERIFICATION *Please fill out entire section if home satisfies requirements of Program/Code 1 or Program/Code 2 as defined under ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA above*

By signing this form, the rater or inspector certifies that the home has met:

- 1) All requirements in the attached checklist if member is qualifying with option 1 (Touchstone Energy Home Program) OR
- 2) All requirements in the attached checklist if member is qualifying with option 2 (Touchstone Energy Home Program less the "Ductwork & Air Infiltration Control" requirements)

Rater or Inspector Name	Rater or Inspector Signature	Date of Final Inspection

Section 3: BLOWER DOOR TEST VERIFICATION *Please fill out entire section if home satisfies requirements of Program/Code 2 or Program/Code 3 as defined under ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA above*

By signing this form, the person performing the blower door test certifies that the home has met the requirement of less than 3 air exchanges per hour at -50 Pascal.

Name of Person Performing Blower Door Test	Signature of Person Performing Blower Door Test	Air Exchanges Per Hour
		Date of Blower Door Test

## OFFICE USE ONLY

<input type="checkbox"/> Approved <input type="checkbox"/> Not Approved-Reason	Total rebate issued: \$
Cooperative representative:	Date: