

LOWER OPERATING COSTS POSSIBLE

IEC Rebate Program Encourages Energy Efficiency At Home, Work

Indian Electric Cooperative continually focuses on keeping electricity costs as low as possible for our members. The cooperative's goal to delay the construction of new power plants is supported by two rebate programs.

The Energy Star

Rebate Program encourages members to use energy efficient appliances.

The Business Lighting Program provides commercial, industrial, school and agricultural cooperative business members a high-efficiency lighting program.

Both Energy Star rebate and Business Lighting programs continue through 2019 with the following April 1, 2019 updates.

ENERGY STAR

REBATE PROGRAM UPDATES:

Submit complete rebate applications, within 90 days of purchase and after appliance is installed, to Indian Electric Cooperative. All rebate application terms and conditions apply. Rebates will not exceed 50% of appliance cost and are paid directly to the IEC member within 6-8 weeks.



"We encourage members to consult the IEC website or contact Member Services, before purchasing to confirm appliance rebate eligibility and rebate amounts," said Clara Eulert.

Room Air Conditioner – \$50. Applies

to the purchase of any new Energy Star® rated window or through-the-wall unit (for new or replacement unit). Limit one per member address. Used equipment does not qualify for a rebate.

Electric Water Heater – \$50. Unit must be 40 gallons or larger and have an efficiency rating of .90 or higher. Limit two per member address. If the water heater replaces an existing water heater, the efficiency rating of the old water heater must be less than .90 efficiency.

Tankless water heaters or used equipment are NOT eligible for rebate.

Energy Star® Advanced Programmable Thermostat – \$50.00. Must be an Energy Star® rated thermostat. Can be used with any type of heating (Continued on page 3)

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ENERGY EFFICIENCY TIPS

OF THE MONTH

Want to light up your outdoor space without increasing your energy use? Try outdoor solar lights! They're easy to install and virtually maintenance free. Solar lights work best when the solar cells receive the manufacturer's recommended hours of sunlight.

Source: energy.gov

Notice IEC Trustee Election Filing Notice

Any member desiring to run for IEC Board Trustee for one of the following districts, who meets the qualifications of a Trustee and lives in the district may file a notice of candidacy at IEC's office in Cleveland, Okla.

District 1 filing period May 8 through May 18, 2019

District 2 filing period May 9 through May 19, 2019

District 3 filing period May 7 through May 17, 2019

If you are unsure of your district it can be found on your IEC bill in the account summary box or by call the IEC office at 918-295-9500.

MARGIN STABILIZER CREDIT ON IEC BILLS. SEE PAGE 2.



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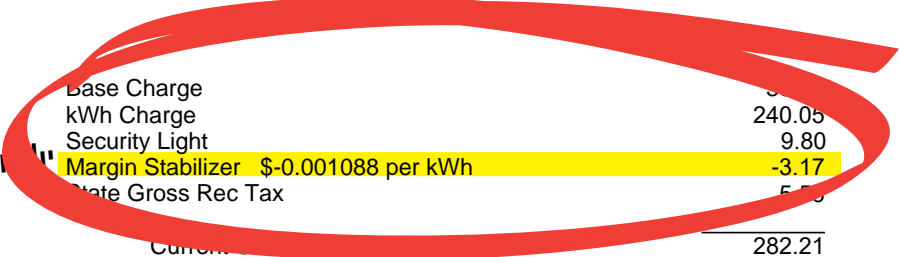
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Pay By Phone: 1-888-472-1535
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Base Charge	
kWh Charge	240.05
Security Light	9.80
Margin Stabilizer	-\$0.001088 per kWh
State Gross Rec Tax	5.55
Current	282.21
Balance Forward	0.00
Total Amount Due	\$282.21



Stabilizer At Work On IEC Bills

Have you noticed? IEC's margin stabilizer is working as planned. When the margin stabilizer goes negative (see sample below), we return money to the members when margins allow. The margin stabilizer is a monthly control to keep IEC on track to hit its annual income target, based on overall expenses. The margin stabilizer takes into account the overall electrical energy sold in prior months — which is driven by the highs and lows of daily outdoor temperatures and how the indoor thermostat responds to the often unpredictable weather.

Be A Part Of IEC's Annual Meeting

Vendors interested in a free display space at IEC's Annual Meeting, July 25, should complete the appropriate forms below (green for food vendor and yellow for Spotlight - artisan, retail, professional or organization).

Vendor registration forms should be mailed or delivered before July 1 to: Clara Eulert, IEC, P.O. Box 49, Cleveland, OK 74020.

Mrs. Eulert will notify vendors to confirm their display space. If you have any questions, please call IEC Member Services at 918-295-9500.

2019 Annual Meeting FOOD VENDOR RESERVATION FORM

2019 Annual Meeting BUSINESS SPOTLIGHT RESERVATION FORM

Food Business Name: _____
 Contact Person: _____
 Cell/Home Phones: _____
 Work Phone: _____
 E-mail Address: _____
 Mailing Address: _____
 City: _____
 State: _____ Zip: _____
 Food or Drink to be sold (all drinks must be sold in screw top plastic bottles): _____

Business Name: _____
 Contact Person: _____
 Cell/Home Phones: _____
 Work Phone: _____
 E-mail Address: _____
 Mailing Address: _____
 City: _____
 State: _____ Zip: _____
 Product(s) to be sold or displayed: _____

PLEASE RETURN THIS COMPLETED FORM by July 1 to:
Indian Electric Cooperative, Attn: Clara Eulert; P.O. Box 49, Cleveland, OK 74020
or email: clarae@iecok.com
Space is reserved on a first come, first served basis.

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Rebates Offered To Help With Energy Efficiency

(Continued from page 1)

and cooling system. Limit two per member address. For new construction, or the replacement of an existing non-Energy Star® Thermostat.

Ground Source Heat Pump installation that includes the indoor unit and loop installed by a certified dealer – up to \$750 per ton. Required: AHRI (Air-Conditioning Heating and Refrigeration Institute) certificate and installing contractors' signature.

Energy Efficiency Rating (EER) Requirements:

Energy Star Plus 2 rated (19.1 EER) for Closed loop, water to air systems.

Energy Star Plus 2 rated (23.1 EER) for Open loop, water to air systems.

Energy Star Plus 2 rated (18.1 EER) for Closed loop, water to water systems.

Energy Star Plus 2 rated (20.1 EER) for Open loop, water to water systems.

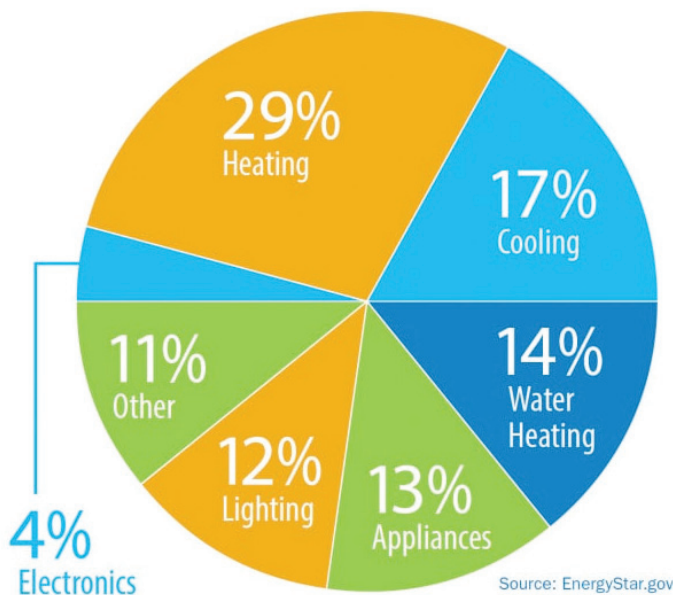
Limit one rebate per member address.

Used equipment does not qualify for a rebate. Rebates are limited to 50 tons commercial and 10 tons residential per facility. Electric or fossil fuel backup heat will be allowed for ground source heat pumps.

Available for: new home or building construction, replacement of electric resistance heat, replacement of existing natural gas or propane heating system, replacement of an existing central air conditioner or Dual-Fuel heat pump.

Replacement of the Indoor Ground Source Heat Pump Unit Only installed by a certified dealer – Up to \$150

Energy Use Breakdown
(Based on average use per household)



per ton. Required: AHRI (Air-Conditioning Heating and Refrigeration Institute) certificate and installing contractors' signature. Replacement of the heat pump (compressor) unit must be a gain of 3 EER (Energy Efficiency Rating) points and meet the EER system requirements for Ground Source Heat Pumps. (Example: Energy Star Plus 2 rated (19.1 EER) for Closed loop, water to air systems.) Limit one rebate per member address. Used equipment does not qualify for a rebate. **A Dual-Fuel [Air Source] Heat Pump** installed by a certified dealer - Up to \$150 per ton. Required: AHRI (Air-Conditioning Heating and Refrigeration Institute) certificate and installing contractors' signature. Energy Star Plus 2 rated (17 SEER). The Dual-Fuel heat pump must have an automatic thermostat control and have a back-up unit

of natural gas, propane or fuel oil supplemental heating system. Limit one rebate per member address.

Available for: new home or building construction, replacement of existing electric resistance heat, replacement of an existing Dual-Fuel heat pump. Used equipment does not qualify for a rebate.

Mini-Split [Air Source] Heat Pump installed by a certified dealer – Up to \$150 per ton. Required: AHRI (Air-Conditioning Heating and Refrigeration Institute) certificate and installing contractors' signature. Energy Star Plus 2 rated (17 SEER). Mini-split units with back-up electric resistant heat are not eligible for a rebate. Limit one rebate per member address. Used equipment does not qualify for a rebate.

Available for: new home or building construction, replacement of existing electric

resistance heat, replacement of an existing Dual-Fuel heat pump.

Electric [Air Source] Heat Pump with Electric Backup Heat installed by a certified dealer- Up to \$150 per ton. – Rebate is restricted to new home construction or replacing conventional resistance [non-heat pump] heating system and require an Energy Star 17 SEER (Seasonal Energy Efficiency Rating). Limit one rebate per member address. Required: AHRI (Air-Conditioning Heating and Refrigeration Institute) certificate and installing contractors' signature.

Rebates are not available to replace an existing electric [air source] heat pump using electric resistance backup heat. Members can consider a Ground Source or Dual-Fuel heat pump system for a rebate opportunity.

Energy Star Rebate applications are available online at www.iecok.com/rebates or from either IEC office. Rebate applications can be mailed to IEC, P.O. Box 49, Cleveland, OK 74020. Please allow 6 - 8 weeks for processing. Incomplete rebate applications will not be processed. The rebate check will be mailed to the IEC member.

NEXT MONTH

In the next Lamp, we'll explain the Business Lighting Replacement Program. The incentive rebate is provided to commercial, industrial, schools and agriculture cooperative business members who reduce their lighting energy usage by installing new, qualified energy efficient lighting fixtures and bulbs.

A Tasty Take on Trendy Toast

By Family Features

While many food trends come and go, some desired food traits seemingly never go out of style. For example, dishes that provide nutritional benefits will pretty much always be popular, along with types of foods that can be customized to match personalized preferences and tastes.

Toast is a versatile option for nearly anyone seeking a bite for breakfast, especially those eaters looking for both nutrition and flavor. Because you can add a variety of toppings to your toast, it can be a simple way to add a healthy element to your morning routine.

These recipes, for example, include Sabra Hummus as a base spread, which adds protein and fiber perfect for breakfast, brunch or a mid-morning snack. Hummus Toast with Sun-dried Tomatoes and Parmesan brings with it the extra nutritional value of veggies, while Hummus Toast with Soft-Boiled Egg and Spinach packs ample protein for an ideal way to start the day.

Plus, because these quick-to-make recipes involve short amounts of time spent on preparation, you're able to enjoy a nutritious treat even on the busiest of days.

Find more ways to take trendy toast to the next level at Sabra.com.

Hummus Toast with Sun-dried Tomatoes and Parmesan

Servings: 1

- 1 slice whole-grain bread
- 1/4 cup fresh arugula
- 2-3 sun-dried tomatoes
- 2 tablespoons Sabra Classic Hummus
- olive oil
- 2 tablespoons pine nuts
- fresh Parmesan curls
- salt, to taste
- pepper, to taste



Toast bread; set aside. Wash and pat dry arugula; set aside.

Remove sun-dried tomatoes from jar and lightly pat with paper towel to remove excess oil.

Spread toast with hummus.

Lightly toss arugula with drizzle of olive oil; layer on top of hummus. Top with sun-dried tomatoes. Sprinkle with pine nuts and add Parmesan curls. Add salt and pepper, to taste.

Hummus Toast with Soft-Boiled Egg and Spinach

Servings: 1

- 1 slice artisan country white bread
- 1/4 cup fresh spinach, wilted
- water
- 1 soft-boiled egg
- ice
- 1 garlic clove, chopped
- 1 teaspoon olive oil
- 2 tablespoons Sabra Classic Hummus
- red pepper flakes, for garnish
- salt, to taste
- pepper, to taste

Toast bread; set aside. Wash spinach; set aside.

Fill small saucepan with enough water to barely cover egg; bring to boil, cover and reduce heat. Cook egg 6 minutes, remove from heat and plunge into ice bath to stop cooking. Peel egg; set aside.

In medium skillet, saute chopped garlic in olive oil approximately 3 minutes; add spinach and stir 2 minutes, or until spinach begins to wilt. Remove from heat.

Spread toast with hummus. Add wilted garlic-spinach. Cut egg in half and place on top of spinach. Sprinkle with red pepper flakes, salt and pepper.

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