

SMALL BUSINESS EXPRESS

2025 IOWA AND ILLINOIS

ENERGY EFFICIENCY INCENTIVE INFORMATION

The below Small Business Express customer incentives are available May 1, 2025, until December 31, 2025. Rebates are issued on a first-come, first-served basis. Projects must be approved prior to purchase or installation and completed within 90 days of project approval and rebate reservation.

LIGHTING

To qualify for these lighting incentives, the LED equipment must be:

- A one-for-one replacement of the existing equipment resulting in a wattage reduction $\geq 30\%$
- Design Lights Consortium (DLC) listed and operate for at least 1,000 hours annually

Equipment	Lumens	Size	Specifications	Customer Incentive
LED troffer fixtures	3,000-7,500	2' x 4'	Must replace existing, like-sized, fluorescent T8 and T12 fixtures Eligible DLC primary use designations: <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ 1' x 4', 2' x 2' and 2' x 4' luminaires for ambient lighting of interior commercial spaces	\$60/fixture
	2,000-5,000	2' x 2'		
	1,500-6,000	1' x 4'		
LED retrofit kit for troffer fixtures	3,000-7,500	2' x 4'	<ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Specialty: Hazardous 1' x 4', 2' x 2' and 2' x 4' luminaires for ambient lighting of interior commercial spaces▪ Linear retrofit kits for 1' x 4', 2' x 2' and 2' x 4' luminaires▪ Integrated retrofit kits for 1' x 4', 2' x 2' and 2' x 4' luminaires	\$30/fixture
	2,000-5,000	2' x 2'		
	1,500-6,000	1' x 4'		
LED linear fixtures	3,000-6,000	Eligible DLC primary use designations: <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Direct linear ambient luminaires▪ Specialty: Hazardous direct linear ambient luminaires▪ Linear ambient luminaires w/ indirect component		\$45/fixture
	6,001-15,000			\$90/fixture
LED low- or high-bay fixtures	≤10,000	Must replace HID or fluorescent systems; high-bay must be installed 15' or higher Eligible DLC primary use designations: <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Low-bay luminaires for commercial and industrial buildings▪ Specialty: Hazardous environment low-bay▪ High-bay luminaires for commercial and industrial buildings▪ Specialty: Hazardous environment high-bay▪ High-bay aisle luminaires▪ Retrofit kits for low-bay luminaires for commercial and industrial buildings▪ Retrofit kits for high-bay luminaires for commercial and industrial buildings		\$90/fixture
LED high-bay fixtures	10,001-15,000			\$100/fixture
	15,001-20,000			\$150/fixture
	>20,000			\$175/fixture
LED retrofit kit for low- or high-bay fixtures	≤10,000			\$45/fixture
LED retrofit kit for high-bay fixtures	10,001-15,000			\$50/fixture
	15,001-20,000			\$75/fixture
	>20,000			\$85/fixture
LED linear replacement lamps	<4,000	T12, T8 and T5 fluorescent replacement lamps Eligible DLC primary use designations: <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Replacement lamps (Plug and Play) (UL Type A)▪ Internal-driver/line voltage (UL Type B) lamps▪ 1-6 lamp external driver (UL Type C) lamps▪ Dual mode internal driver (UL Type A and Type B) lamps		\$5/lamp
	≥4,000			\$10/lamp
LED outdoor fixtures	≤10,000	Must replace exterior HID fixtures; equipment must be hardwired and rated for exterior use. Eligible DLC primary use designations: <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Outdoor full cut-off wall-mounted area luminaires▪ Outdoor noncut-off and semicut-off wall-mounted luminaires▪ Specialty: Hazardous wall-mounted luminaires▪ Architectural flood and spot luminaires▪ Specialty: Hazardous flood and spot luminaires▪ Bollards▪ Landscape/accent flood and spot luminaires▪ Outdoor pole/arm-mounted area and roadway luminaires▪ Specialty: Hazardous outdoor pole/arm-mounted area and roadway luminaires▪ Outdoor pole/arm-mounted decorative luminaires▪ Specialty: Hazardous area lighting▪ Stairwell and passageway luminaires▪ Fuel pump canopy luminaires▪ Parking garage luminaires		\$100/fixture
	10,001-15,000			\$110/fixture
	15,001-30,000			\$175/fixture
	>30,000			\$200/fixture

HEATING, COOLING AND VENTILATION

Natural gas furnaces	<300 MBtuh; AFUE ≥0.95	\$3.50/MBtuh
Natural gas boilers	<300 MBtuh; AFUE ≥0.90	\$10/MBtuh
Central air conditioners	<65 MBtuh; SEER2 15.2 - 16.9 and EER2 ≥12.0	\$150/ton
	<65 MBtuh; SEER2 ≥17 and EER2 ≥12.0	\$200/ton
Large central air conditioners	≥65 and <240 MBtuh; IEER ≥16 and EER ≥11.2	\$300/ton
Air-source heat pumps: split systems only	<65 MBtuh; SEER2 ≥15.2, EER2 ≥11.9, HSPF2 ≥8.1	\$300/ton

Demand control ventilation	Cooling only	Installation of demand-controlled ventilation (DCV) in a nonresidential RTU/AHU that provides space heating or cooling	\$0.35/ft²
	Heating only	Must include installation of controller and carbon dioxide (CO2) sensor to adjust ventilation rate to match actual space requirements Sensor must be integrated into the HVAC system controls to reset minimum damper position to meet a CO2 target setpoint; controls must be optimized	\$0.40/ft²
	Cooling and heating	Primary heating, cooling or heating and cooling fuel(s) must be purchased from MidAmerican Energy	\$0.75/ft²
Smart thermostat	Must replace a non-programmable thermostat for reduced heating energy consumption through temperature set-back during unoccupied or reduced demand times MidAmerican must provide the primary heating fuel to the building Smart thermostat must be Wi-Fi connected Must be ENERGY STAR® certified Only appropriate for single zone heating systems Spaces that require 24/7 HVAC operation do not qualify for this measure		\$150/unit

Anti-sweat heater controls for glass door cooler or freezer	Controls must be installed on all doors of the case Incentive is based on the total horizontal linear footage of the case Installation of controls that turn off door heaters when there is low risk of condensation, based on either: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Relative humidity of the air in the store, or Conductivity of the door (which drops when condensation appears) 		\$80/linear foot
Electronically commutated motor for cooler or freezer	For walk-in or reach-in cooler or freezer Replacement of an existing standard efficiency shaded-pole evaporator fan motor with an electronically commutated (EC) motor New walk-in or reach-in coolers or freezers with integrated EC motors are ineligible Cannot combine this rebate with the EC motor with evaporator fan control rebate		\$150/motor
Electronically commutated motor with evaporator fan controls for walk-in cooler or freezer	Replacement of an existing standard-efficiency shaded pole evaporator fan motor without evaporator fan controls, with an electronically commutated (EC) evaporator fan motor with evaporator fan controls in medium and low temperature walk-in coolers and freezers New walk-in or reach-in coolers or freezers with integrated EC motors are ineligible Must control a minimum fan load of 1/20 HP where the fan(s) operate continuously at full speed Must reduce the fan motor power by at least 75% during the compressor off-cycle Cannot combine this rebate with the EC motor for coolers or freezers rebate System is ineligible for this rebate if: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The compressor runs all the time with high-duty cycle The evaporator fan does not run at full speed all the time The evaporator fan motor runs on polyphase power The evaporator does not use off-cycle or time-off defrost 		\$480/motor
LED refrigerated display case lighting	Replacement of fluorescent refrigerated display case lighting with a 3,000-7,500 lumen, DLC-qualified LED fixture The existing ballast must be removed as part of the fixture replacement DLC primary use designation must be one of the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Vertical refrigerated case luminaires Horizontal refrigerated case luminaires 		\$120/fixture
Pre-rinse spray valves	Replacement of standard pre-rinse spray valve with high-efficiency pre-rinse spray valve Low-flow sprayer must meet the following ratings using ASTM standard test method: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ≤1.15 gpm Cleanability performance of 26 seconds per plate or less 		\$50/unit

PROCESS		
Equipment	Specifications	Customer Incentive
Steam trap	Must replace or rebuild steam traps that are leaking steam Steam traps that are plugged are ineligible for rebates Steam Trap Service Log Sheet must be completed and uploaded Each steam trap system is only eligible for rebates once in a 12-month period	\$190/trap
Variable speed drive on process application (1-75 HP)	Must control motor 1-75 HP driving a process application that operates >1,200 hours per year VSDs installed on HVAC equipment intended for occupant comfort or in commercial facilities are ineligible VSDs installed for the sole purpose of "soft-starting" motors are ineligible Projects that replace an existing VSD with a new VSD, regardless of the existing VSD's operating condition, are ineligible for rebates	\$150/HP

COMPRESSED AIR		
Equipment	Specifications	Customer Incentive
Air compressor with integrated VSD ≤50 HP	Existing compressor must be a rotary screw or rotary vane compressor with inlet modulating control and run continuously during occupied shift hours Replacing an existing VSD air compressor is ineligible Air compressor must be a primary system component and run >1,200 hours per year Air compressors purchased or installed for backup or redundant systems do not qualify Only one VSD air compressor per compressed air distribution system is eligible	\$500/HP
No-loss condensate drains	Replacement of existing standard condensate drains (open valve, timer or both) with no-loss condensate drains The air compressor must be a primary system component and run a minimum of 1,200 hours per year Manual drain valves are not eligible for replacement unless they are continuously fully open	\$500/unit