

Board of Directors Policy

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I. OBJECTIVE

To support and encourage the effective and efficient use of electric energy by offering programs and incentives for energy efficiency, conservation, and demand-side management for La Plata Electric Association Inc.'s (Cooperative) consumers.

II. POLICY

A. Energy Audit Rebates

1. Cooperative customers are eligible for a one-time energy audit rebate.
2. To receive the rebate, the customer must have had a professional audit completed and made at least one qualifying energy efficiency upgrade.
3. The rebate amounts shall be set forth in Exhibit 1, which shall be reviewed and revised by Cooperative management as may be necessary.

B. Appliances on Demand-Side Management/Time of Use

1. Cooperative customers are eligible for an Energy Efficiency Credit for installations of Electric Heat, Electric Water Heaters, and Electric Heat Pumps made within the Cooperative's service territory, which are part of the Cooperative's demand-side management/time of use program.
2. The Cooperative reserves the right to inspect any installation within two years (24 months) following the initial installation.
3. Installations of less than 1 kilowatt of capacity do not qualify for this program.
4. The rebate amounts shall be set forth in Exhibit 1, which shall be reviewed and revised by Cooperative management as may be necessary.

C. Timers for Demand-Side Management/Time of Use

1. Cooperative customers are eligible for a rebate for the purchase of timers to be used on electric appliances.

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2. The customer receiving the rebate must be on one of the Cooperative's Time of Use rate tariffs.
 3. The rebate amounts shall be set forth in Exhibit 1, which shall be reviewed and revised by Cooperative management as may be necessary.
- D. Programs offered by Tri-State Generation and Transmission Association, Inc. (Tri-State)
1. Programs available to Cooperative customers offered by Tri-State will be evaluated by management as to the viability of the program for the Cooperative.
 2. The amounts and credits for those programs implemented at the Cooperative will be passed to the customers.

III. RESPONSIBILITY

The Chief Executive Officer is responsible for the administration of this policy, and for reviewing and updating Exhibit 1 as may be necessary.

12/13/2017

Date



Secretary

EXHIBIT 1

Energy Efficiency and Demand-Side Programs – Effective March 2021

Energy Audit Rebates

- The rebate shall be up to \$150 for residential customers and up to \$300 for commercial customers but not to exceed the cost of the audit when combined with energy audit rebates from other entities.

Electric Thermal Storage Rebates

- \$30 credit per kilowatt (kW) of permanent ETS units controlled by timers or master control system.
- \$30 credit per kilowatt (kW) of permanent thermal slab controlled by timers or master control system.

Electric Water Heaters and Heat Pump Water Heaters Rebates

- Credit for installation of an Air Source Heat Pump Water Heater:
 - Minimum 30-gallon capacity.
 - \$550 without fuel switch (standard electric resistance to HPWH).
 - \$700 with fuel switch from propane or natural gas to electric.
- Credit for installation of a standard electric resistance hot water heater:
 - \$75 one-time only credit for installation of a Marathon electric water heater or any electric water heater with a lifetime tank warranty.
 - \$55 one-time only credit for installation of an electric water heater meeting the outlined minimum standards.
 - Minimum capacity of 3.0 kilowatts (3,000 watts) per unit.
 - 30 to 55-gallon capacity.
 - 6-year tank warranty.
 - Member must provide proof of purchase.
- The Cooperative reserves the right to inspect installations.

Electric Heat Pumps Demand Side Management

- \$350 credit per ton for air source heat pumps rated from 15 to 17 SEER.
- \$500 credit per ton for air source heat pumps rated greater than 17 SEER.
- \$100 credit per unit additional incentive for central air source with integrated controlled ETS back up.
- \$135 credit per unit for terminal units (through-the-wall mounted heat pump).
- \$550 credit per ton for central ground or water source heat pumps (new installations).
- \$350 credit per ton for central ground or water source heat pumps (existing installations – replacement).

Energy Star Air Conditioner Split Systems

- \$150/unit, above 16 Seasonal Energy Efficiency Ratio (SEER).
- \$100/unit, for 15 or 16 SEER.
- Must comply with Energy Star standards found at www.energystar.gov.

Timers

- \$25 rebate for each qualifying timer purchased, up to 50% of the material cost.

Electric Vehicle Chargers - Residential

Customer Supplied Level 2 Charger

- The rebate shall be up to \$500 for a Level 2 charger, not to exceed 50% of the actual charger and installation costs paid by the customer.
- The rebate shall not exceed 50% of the charger cost up to \$250 and shall not exceed 50% of the related electric parts and labor for the charger installation up to \$250.
- The customer must submit an application with supporting documents.
- The customer must own or lease an electric vehicle.

Cooperative Supplied Level 2 Charger

- The Cooperative shall offer the use of a plug-in Level 2 charger free of charge, which the customer shall own and maintain.
- The rebate shall be up to \$500, buy not to exceed 50%, of the parts and labor costs paid by the customer for the installation of a suitable outlet for the Cooperative provided Level 2 charger.
- The customer must submit an application with supporting documents.
- The customer must own or lease an electric vehicle.
- The customer must allow the Cooperative to access use information and to control the charger through the customer's Wi-Fi/internet connection.

Electric Vehicle Chargers – Publicly Available

- The Cooperative shall offer the following rebates and services to businesses and other entities receiving electric service from the Cooperative:
 - The Cooperative will sell a Level 2 charging station at the Cooperative's cost to the business or entity.
 - The charging station must be available to the public.
 - The Cooperative shall provide \$2,000 per charging station pedestal for the installation of the charging stations, up to 50% of the actual costs.
 - If the entity charges the public for using the charging station, it must be on a basis of time, or a fixed fee, and not on a per unit of energy.
 - The Cooperative will assist the entity with grant applications if requested by the entity.