

Insulation and Heat Pump News

In April, 2017, the Provincial Government announced the Home Energy Efficiency Loan Program (HEELP) to provide low-interest loans for home energy efficiency upgrades. Through HEELP, qualifying home owners whose homes are reliant on electric heat can receive financing of up to \$10,000 over five years for **heat pumps and insulation**.

About HEELP

- Eligible applicants can receive low-interest financing of Prime plus 1.5% for up to \$10,000 over five years to purchase and install heat pumps and insulation. As with any financing program, a credit check is required.
- HEELP is open to existing homes.
- **We will begin accepting applications in October 2017. Stay tuned for further details!**

Electrical Services Financing Available Year Round!

Don't forget that financing is available for residential customers covering a wide range of energy saving products:

- Basement and attic insulation
- Digital and programmable thermostats
- Electric water heaters
- Electric heating systems and heat pumps
- Heat Recovery Ventilators (HRV)
- R-2000 upgrades

Once a customer is approved and the project completed, the cost of the installation is paid directly to the installer by Newfoundland Power, and the monthly finance amount is then added to the customer's electricity bill. Financing is available for residential customers with an active account. Customers must meet credit approval.

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INSULATION REBATE REMINDER

R-VALUE REQUIREMENTS

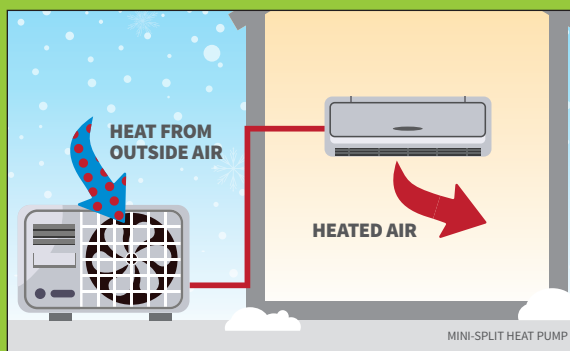
The R-Value must meet the following minimum and maximum R-Value requirements after the insulation is installed. Rebates are only available for the amount of insulation required to complete the project.

Visit TakeChargeNL.ca for home & project eligibility requirements.

INSULATION LOCATION	R-VALUE REQUIREMENTS	
	MIN	MAX
Basement and Crawl Space Walls*	18	25
Basement and Crawl Space Ceiling*	30	35
Attic	50	55

*Rebates will be paid for basement/crawl space walls or basement/crawl space ceiling upgrades, but not both.

†R-60 in Labrador



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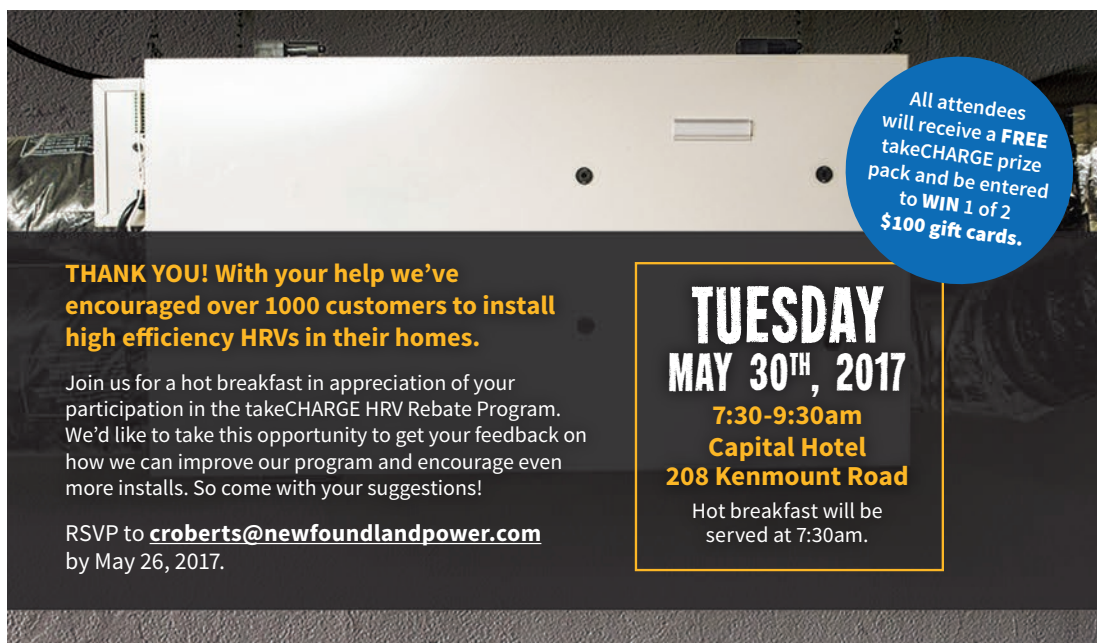
ELIGIBLE HEAT PUMP UNITS

Installed units must meet the following Heating Seasonal Performance Factor (HSPF) to ensure efficient operation in our climate:

- **Mini-Split: 10 or higher**
- **Multi-Split: 9 or higher**
- **Central Heat Pump: 8.5 or higher**

Visit newfoundlandpower.com for other heat pump financing requirements.

HRV Installer Breakfast (For HRAI Certified Installers)



THANK YOU! With your help we've encouraged over 1000 customers to install high efficiency HRVs in their homes.

Join us for a hot breakfast in appreciation of your participation in the takeCHARGE HRV Rebate Program. We'd like to take this opportunity to get your feedback on how we can improve our program and encourage even more installs. So come with your suggestions!

RSVP to croberts@newfoundlandpower.com by May 26, 2017.

**TUESDAY
MAY 30TH, 2017**
7:30-9:30am
Capital Hotel
208 Kenmount Road

Hot breakfast will be served at 7:30am.

All attendees will receive a **FREE** takeCHARGE prize pack and be entered to **WIN 1 of 2 \$100 gift cards.**

Insulation Installer Listing

Starting soon, takeCHARGE will post a list of insulation installers to our website. This list will be used by customers to find companies to assist with installing basement and attic insulation. In order to be listed, Installers have to meet certain criteria and sign an Insulation Installer Agreement. If you would like to learn more, please email contactus@takechargenl.ca.

Installer Listing Criteria:

- Complete and submit the takeCHARGE Insulation Installer Participation Agreement.
- Be a registered business in Newfoundland & Labrador.
- Have \$1,000,000 liability insurance. Proof of insurance is to be provided.
- Follow takeCHARGE Logo Guidelines.
- Complete mandatory takeCHARGE program training.
- Join the takeCHARGE Installer Mailing List.
- Update your contact information once a year.
- Complete at least one project that leads to rebates being submitted to takeCHARGE each calendar year.

Please note that this list is not an endorsement of the installer's work as takeCHARGE does not endorse or recommend specific installers.

TakeChargeNL.ca got over 240,000 visits in 2016 so don't miss out on this opportunity!

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