

Save up to \$500 a year!

Incentives, tools and tips to help you save money, energy and the environment



It's a win-win. Using electricity more efficiently saves you money and can help fight global warming.

Save up to \$175 the first year

Appliance Recycling

ComEd will haul away your older, working second refrigerator or freezer for **FREE** and **PAY YOU \$25**. Then we recycle 95 percent of the appliance in an environmentally responsible way.

Refrigerators and freezers manufactured before 1993 can cost up to \$150 or more in electricity each year to run. Add that \$150 to the \$25 ComEd pays you for your old appliance, and you can save \$175 the first year.

Save up to \$75 the first year

Central Air Conditioning Efficiency Services

Tune-up your existing central air conditioning system annually or replace your older, inefficient unit with an energy-efficient system and cut your cooling costs by as much as 30 percent.

ComEd can help you locate an independent participating contractor to ensure that your existing central air conditioning system operates at optimum efficiency, or that your new system is sized and installed properly.



Look for this symbol.

Save up to \$40 per year

Central Air Conditioning Cycling

Receive up to \$40 in guaranteed summer electricity bill credits,* plus save even more money by reducing energy use when you sign up for Central Air Conditioning Cycling.

Under certain conditions – only on weekdays and for limited periods of time – ComEd may send a wireless signal to a switch that you agree to have installed on the compressor of your central air conditioning unit. This allows ComEd to cycle your central air compressor on and off so you use less power on the hottest days of the summer. Your system's fan stays on to circulate the already cooled air, maintaining comfort inside your home.

*You receive the \$40 in credits whether or not ComEd cycles your unit.

Save up to \$43 per year

ENERGY STAR® Lighting

CFL (compact fluorescent light) bulbs use about 75 percent less electricity than standard incandescent light bulbs and last up to 10 times longer. By replacing one 60-watt incandescent light bulb with a CFL equivalent, you could save up to \$43 over the life of the bulb; replace six bulbs and save about \$43 the first year.



Look for this sticker at participating retailers.

ComEd's *Smart Ideas for Your Home*™ provides instant discounts on ENERGY STAR® qualified CFLs and fixtures at participating retail stores.

To recycle your used CFLs, simply bring them to a participating ACE Hardware or The Home Depot store near you.



Take the ENERGY STAR Change The World Pledge and demonstrate your commitment to saving energy. Visit www.ComEd.com today!

Visit www.ComEd.com or call 888-806 2273.

Stretch your energy dollars with Smart Ideas for Your HomeSM

ComEd's *Smart Ideas* helps you become more energy efficient, lower your electricity bill and offset greenhouse gases by reducing your carbon footprint.

Take a moment now to discover the incentives and services available through *Smart Ideas for Your Home*. Visit www.ComEd.com and start saving energy dollars today!

Save up to \$500 in annual energy costs in the first year.

<i>Smart Ideas for Your Home</i>	Potential Annual Savings ⁵
ENERGY STAR [®] Lighting ¹	\$43
Central Air Conditioning Cycling	\$40
Central Air Conditioning Efficiency Services	\$75
Appliance Recycling ²	\$175
Residential Real-Time Pricing	How much you save is up to you!



Additional Money-Saving Ideas ³	Potential Annual Savings ⁵
ComEd Paperless Billing ⁴	\$6
Turn off your desktop computer and monitor for two additional hours per day	\$21
Raise your central AC thermostat by five degrees in the summer	\$11
Change your central AC air filter monthly	\$16
Replace old appliances with ENERGY STAR qualified appliances	\$76
Unplug "phantom load" – unplug unused appliances, DVRs, electronics, DLP TVs, and battery chargers	\$55



**\$518
in Savings**

¹ Cost savings based on replacing six incandescent bulbs with comparable CFLs.

² Cost savings are based on the Refrigerator Retirement Savings Calculator available at www.ENERGYSTAR.gov and include the one-time \$25 appliance recycling payment from ComEd.

³ Savings estimates based on average usage during a typical 12-month period in an average household. Your actual savings may vary.

⁴ Cost savings based on cost of stamps, bank checks and envelopes.

⁵ Electricity savings portion of Annual Savings figure based on kWh rate of \$0.1135.

Save even more!

Perform an Online Home Energy Analysis

Discover how your home's energy use compares to that of similar-sized homes and get energy-saving tips.

Complete your home energy analysis and receive a discount code good for \$10 off merchandise from the ComEd Online Energy Store, where ComEd customers already enjoy 20 percent off all products.



But hurry! The \$10 gift credits are available for a limited-time only.

Residential Real-Time Pricing

Participate in ComEd's Residential Real-Time Pricing (RRTP) program and potentially save money by being billed for the electricity you consume based on hourly wholesale market prices, which fluctuate from hour to hour. Get additional information at www.TheWattSpot.com or by calling 1-877-WATTSPOT (1-877-928-8776).

Individual cost savings are not guaranteed and bills will vary month to month.

Visit www.ComEd.com or call 888-806-2273 for information on all of these *Smart Ideas*

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