

## Commercial Clients

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Better Buildings Partnership (BBP) - Existing Buildings (EB) GTA

[www.toronto.ca/bbp](http://www.toronto.ca/bbp)

The BBP-EB Program offers assistance and financial incentives to the multi-residential and ICI sectors to implement building renewal and energy-efficient retrofits. The BBP-EB Program offers training and technical assistance on energy management and monitoring as well as financial incentives and tax measures.

City of Toronto, Better Building Partnership

(416) 392-1500

[bbp@toronto.ca](mailto:bbp@toronto.ca)

## Better Buildings Partnership (BBP) - New Construction (NC) GTA

[www.toronto.ca/energy/bbncp.htm](http://www.toronto.ca/energy/bbncp.htm)

The BBP-NC offers assistance and financial incentives to the multi-residential and ICI sectors to increase the energy efficiency of new construction. The BBP-NC offers design assistance, energy modeling, construction cost assistance, design workshops and other outreach initiatives.

City of Toronto, Office of Energy Efficiency

(416) 392-7003

[bbp@toronto.ca](mailto:bbp@toronto.ca)

## Canadian Textiles Program (CANtex) National

<http://strategis.ic.gc.ca/epic/internet/inctp-ptc.nsf/en/Home>

CANtex offers grants and tax incentives to eligible textile manufactures that help improve company efficiency, enhance productivity, and diversify products.

Industry Canada, Service Industries and Consumer Products Branch

888-268-0453

## Clean Electric Power Generation (CEPG) Program National

[http://canmetenergy.nrcan.gc.ca/eng/clean\\_fossils\\_fuels/clean\\_coal/publications/200819.html](http://canmetenergy.nrcan.gc.ca/eng/clean_fossils_fuels/clean_coal/publications/200819.html)

The CEPG offers information and assistance to industry to develop more energy-efficient combustion processes. CEPG research focuses on combustion processes, optimizing stationary equipment, and evaluating/developing new products, fuels, and retrofit technologies.

Processes under study include: oil, coal, natural gas, biomass, and specialty fuels.

Natural Resources Canada

(613) 995-0947

Commercial Audit Incentives Program Enbridge Gas Customers

[www.enbridge.com/business](http://www.enbridge.com/business)

The Commercial Audit Incentives Program offers Enbridge customers technical advice and rebates for completing energy efficiency improvements. A minimum natural gas consumption of 150,000m<sup>3</sup> per year for each facility is required to qualify for an audit incentive.

Incentives payable to customers will be the lowest of; \$0.01m<sup>3</sup> of natural gas consumed at the applicable building(s) during the most recently completed calendar year; 1/2 of the cost of the audit up to \$5,000; or 1/3 the cost of the audit up to \$5,000 if other audit incentives are received.

Enbridge, Energy Services

1-866-844-9994

Commercial Washer Rebate GTA

[http://www.toronto.ca/watereff/business\\_washer/index.htm](http://www.toronto.ca/watereff/business_washer/index.htm)

The Commercial Washer Rebate program offers property owners and managers rebates of up to \$125 for each new high-efficiency (HE) commercial washer purchased or leased. High-efficiency washing machines require 40% less energy and 60% less water to operate.

City of Toronto, Water Efficiency Program

(416) 392-7000

savewater@toronto.ca

#### Conservation Fund Provincial

<http://www.powerauthority.on.ca/cfund/>

The OPA's Conservation Fund offers grants to eligible organizations for sector specific electricity conservation and demand management projects. The program's goals are to build marketplace capacity for conservation programs, test new or unique program elements, and can be scaled up to deliver significant and quantifiable energy savings.

Ontario Power Authority (OPA), Conservation Bureau

1-877-797-9473

#### Demand Response Program Provincial

<http://www.powerauthority.on.ca/Page.asp?PageID=1212&SiteNodeID=147>

The Demand Response Program offers rebates to voluntary participants in the ICI sector that reduce their electricity demand.

Ontario Power Authority (OPA) Conservation Bureau

1-877-797-9473

#### Design Assistance Program Enbridge Gas Customers

[www.enbridge.com/business](http://www.enbridge.com/business)

The Design Assistance Program offers customers with a \$4,000 rebate for design activities that improves a buildings energy and environmental performance. Customers are recommended to consult with a pre-approved DAP advisor. A list of engineering firms is available on the Enbridge website.

Enbridge, Energy Services

866-844-9994

[energyservices@enbridge.com](mailto:energyservices@enbridge.com)

Dollars to \$ense Energy Management Workshops National

<http://www.oeenrcan.gc.ca/industrial/training-awareness>

"Dollars to \$ense Workshops" offers companies opportunities to cut operating costs by adopting energy-savings tips. Workshops can be designed and delivered to specific industrial sectors and companies.

Natural Resources Canada, OEE, Industrial Programs Division

1-800-622-6232

Double Return Program Hydro One Customers

[http://www.hydroonenetworks.com/en/efficiency/double\\_return/](http://www.hydroonenetworks.com/en/efficiency/double_return/)

Hydro One offers a rebate to companies who reduce their average peak consumption between 7:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m. by a minimum of 5% over the program period. The rebate is equal to double the amount of what the company saved in delivery charges.

Hydro One Networks Inc.

1-888-664-9376

#### ecoAgriculture Biofuels Capital Initiative - ecoABC National

<http://www4.agr.gc.ca/AAFC-AAC/display-afficher.do?id=1195672401464&lang=e>

ecoABC is a \$200 million fund that offers loans for the construction or expansion of transportation biofuel production facilities. Funding is conditional upon an agricultural producer investment in the project, and the use of feedstock to produce the biofuel. The program is designed to help agricultural producers diversify their economic opportunities and participate in the biofuels industry.

Agriculture Canada

1-800-622-6232

#### ecoENERGY Biofuels National

<http://www.ecoaction.gc.ca/ecoenergy-ecoenergie/biofuelsincentive-incipitifsbiocarburants-eng.cfm>

ecoENERGY Biofuels offers financial incentives to producers of biofuels to assist in production facilities, partially offsetting fluctuating feedstock, and fuel prices.

Natural Resources Canada, OEE, Buildings Division

1-800-622-6232

#### ecoENERGY for Buildings and Houses National

<http://www.ecoaction.gc.ca/buildings>

ecoENERGY for Buildings and Houses offers software, training, information/publications and other tools for commercial, institutional, and industrial buildings. The program includes development and support of a new energy labeling system and no-cost validation of new building designs to ensure that they are 25% more efficient than the Model National Energy Codes for Buildings.

Natural Resources Canada, OEE, Buildings Division

1-800-622-6232

ecoENERGY for Industry National

<http://www.ecoaction.gc.ca/industry>

ecoENERGY for Industry offers information and assistance to industry including: training, assessing energy reduction potentials, identifying least-cost options, and providing project implementation support. ecoENERGY for Industry also encourages the use of energy-efficient off-the-shelf industrial equipment that reduces operating costs and greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions.

Natural Resources Canada, OEE, Industrial Programs Division

1-800-622-6232

ecoENERGY for Renewable Heat National

<http://www.ecoaction.gc.ca/heat>

ecoENERGY for Renewable Heat offers financial incentives for the installation of a solar heating systems to eligible organizations in the industrial, commercial, and institutional (ICI) sectors. The incentive is 25% of the purchase, installation and other costs of qualifying systems to a maximum of \$80,000 per installation.

Organizations eligible for this program can also obtain a matching grant through the Ontario Solar Thermal Heating Incentive (OSTHI) Program.

Natural Resources Canada, Renewable and Electrical Energy Division

1-877-722-6600

ecoenergyrp@nrcan.gc.ca

ecoENERGY for Renewable Power National

<http://www.ecoaction.gc.ca/ecoenergy-ecoenergie/power-electricite/index-eng.cfm>

ecoENERGY for Renewable Power offers financial assistance for the installation of renewable energy generation projects, including wind, biomass, low-impact hydro, geothermal, solar PV and ocean energy. ecoENERGY for Renewable Power will provide an incentive of 1% per kilowatthour for up to 10 years to eligible low-impact, renewable electricity project constructed by March 31, 2011. The program is a \$1.48 billion investment that aims to produce 14.3 terawatt hours of new electricity from renewable energy sources.

Natural Resources Canada, Renewable and Electrical Energy Division

1-800-622-6232

ecoENERGY Retrofit - Small and Medium Organizations National

<http://www.ecoaction.gc.ca/retrofit>

ecoENERGY Retrofit & Small and Medium Organizations offers rebates to small and medium-sized commercial, institutional, industrial, and multi-residential facilities to implement energy saving projects. Participants can receive up to \$10 per giga-joule of estimated energy savings, 25% of project costs, or \$50,000 per project.

Natural Resources Canada, Office of Energy Efficiency (OEE)

1-800-622-6232

#### Electricity Retrofit Incentive Program (ERIP) Provincial

<http://business.everykilowattcounts.com/feature/ERIP/>

ERIP offers incentives to businesses to encourage the most efficient retrofits for existing facilities. ERIP focuses on the areas of lighting, motors, heating ventilation and air conditioning (HVAC) and the overall electricity systems, and participants can undertake retrofits outlined in the 'Prescriptive Track' or 'Custom Track'.

#### Energy Retrofit Program GTA

<http://www.toronto.ca/ewmo/erp.htm>

The Energy Retrofit Program offers low-interest loans to fund energy retrofits in City-owned facilities with the goal of reducing energy use by 15%. Projects must have an 8 year payback period.

City of Toronto, Energy and Waste Management Office

(416) 392-8954

#### Environmental Damages Fund (EDF) National

<http://www.ec.gc.ca/edf-fde/>

The EDF offers grants for eligible projects that help repair harm done by pollution. The Fund is generated from pollution penalties and settlements imposed by the court systems.

Environment Canada, ecoAction

1-800-668-6767

ecoaction.on@ec.gc.ca

Excise Tax Exemption for Ethanol and Methanol National

[www.cra-arc.gc.ca/E/pub/et/etsl47/etsl47-e.html](http://www.cra-arc.gc.ca/E/pub/et/etsl47/etsl47-e.html)

The Excise Tax Exemption aims to encourage the development and marketing of ethanol and methanol made from biomass through the exemption from the excise tax for ethanol and methanol when it is blended with gasoline or diesel fuel.

Canada Revenue Agency, Excise Taxes and Special Levies

(613) 941-1933

Every Kilowatt Counts (EKC) Provincial

<http://www.everykilowattcounts.ca>

Every Kilowatt Counts offers Ontario residents and businesses a variety of energy conservation

programs and services aimed at achieving greater energy efficiency in homes and businesses. Ontario Power Authority (OPA), Conservation Bureau

1-877-797-9473

FCM Green Municipal Fund (GMF) National

<http://sustainablecommunities.fcm.ca/GMF/>

The GMF offers grants and loans for studies and plans including feasibility studies, field tests and sustainable community plans and capital projects through a competitive Request for Proposals (RFP) process. Project focus changes in each round of funding.

Federation of Canadian Municipalities

(613) 241-5221 x246

athomas@fcm.ca

Go Solar Ontario Provincial

[www.gosolarontario.ca](http://www.gosolarontario.ca)

Go Solar Ontario offers Ontario residents with a one-stop shop for information on solar energy.

Ontario residents and businesses can call a toll-free number or use the website to find information on solar technologies, certified manufacturers, installation tips, financial options, promotional events, and other relevant resources.

Clean Air Foundation

(416) 922-9038 X 258

Government Programs for Business website Provincial

[http://www.2ontario.com/software/government\\_programs.asp](http://www.2ontario.com/software/government_programs.asp)

This website offers businesses with a summary and links to government funding programs.

Ontario Ministry of Small Business and Consumer Services

1-800-889-9768

Green Streets Canada National

[http://www.treecanada.ca/programs/greenstreets\\_2007-2008\\_pre/](http://www.treecanada.ca/programs/greenstreets_2007-2008_pre/)

Green Streets Canada offers municipalities and First Nations and Métis communities matching grants for projects that adopt innovative best management practices and policies in municipal forest management. Green Streets Canada provides matching funds to a minimum of 50%.

Tree Canada Foundation

(613) 567-5545

Green T biz GTA

[www.toronto-bia.com](http://www.toronto-bia.com)

Green T biz offers a variety of advisory services to Toronto businesses to help encourage members to undertake energy efficient retrofits. Green T biz projects have included LED pedestrian and exit lighting, PV solar panels and decorative light exchange programs.

Toronto Association of Business Improvement Areas (TABIA)

(416) 889-4111

[info@toronto-bia.com](mailto:info@toronto-bia.com)

Higher Efficiency Boiler Program Enbridge Gas Customers

<https://portalplumprod.cgc.enbridge.com/portal/server.pt?open=512&objID=329&PageID=0&cached=true&mode=2&userID=2&ProfileID=&control=SetCommunity>

The Higher Efficiency Boiler Program offers financial incentives to encourage upgrades to higher

efficiency heating and domestic hot water boilers. The Program also provides information, energy management and monitoring, research and development, training, and technical assistances. To be eligible, boiler upgrades must be 84% combustion efficient and condensing boilers must be 90% combustion efficient.

Enbridge

(416) 495-5263

#### HVAC Program Enbridge Gas Customers

<https://portalplumprod.cgc.enbridge.com/portal/server.pt?open=512&objID=329&PageID=0&cached=true&mode=2&userID=2&ProfileID=&control=SetCommunity>

The HVAC Program is an information and rebate program for Enbridge customers in the business and ICI sectors. The program will provide an inspection and report for medium and large steam plants' components. The report will provide details of estimated annual energy use and heat loss, costs to insulate, and potential savings on operating costs.

Enbridge, Energy Solutions

(416) 495-5298

#### ICI & Multi-unit Residential Toilet Replacement GTA

[http://www.toronto.ca/watereff/multi\\_flush/index.htm](http://www.toronto.ca/watereff/multi_flush/index.htm)

The ICI & Multi-unit Residential Toilet Replacement program offers property owners and managers rebates between \$60-\$150 to replace inefficient toilets with a City selected 6 liter efficient model.

City of Toronto, Water Efficiency Program

(416) 392-7000

[savewater@toronto.ca](mailto:savewater@toronto.ca)

## Industrial HVAC Audit Program Enbridge Gas Customers

<https://portalplumprod.>

[cgc.enbridge.com/portal/server.pt?space=CommunityPage&control=SetCommunity&CommunityID=750](https://cgc.enbridge.com/portal/server.pt?space=CommunityPage&control=SetCommunity&CommunityID=750)

The Industrial HVAC Audit Program will provide up to half of the cost of an HVAC audit, up to \$5,000 for Enbridge business customers. Installed retrofits that result in natural gas savings (because of the audit) may also be eligible for a \$0.05/m<sup>3</sup> of energy saved.

Enbridge, Business Markets

(416) 495-5796

## Industrial Research Assistance Program (IRAP) - Industrial Technology Advisors National

[http://irap-pari.nrc-cnrc.gc.ca/itas\\_e.html](http://irap-pari.nrc-cnrc.gc.ca/itas_e.html)

The IRAP-ITA Program offers business advisory services and occasional financial support to small and medium sized enterprises. The IRAP Program supports innovative research and development and helps businesses become commercialization-ready with new products and services.

National Research Council, Industrial Research Assistance Program

1-877-994-4727

## Industrial Research Assistance Program (IRAP) - Technology Partnerships National

[http://irap-pari.nrc-cnrc.gc.ca/main\\_e.html](http://irap-pari.nrc-cnrc.gc.ca/main_e.html)

The IRAP-TPC Program offers grants and assistance to companies for projects that improve their technological

competitiveness. The Environmental Technologies component of the program promotes the development of sustainable alternatives including energy, water, and nonrenewable resource conservation.

National Research Council, Industrial Research Assistance Program

1-877-994-4727

Industrial Steam Saver Program Enbridge Gas Customers

<https://portalplumprod.cgc.enbridge.com/portal/server.pt?open=512&objID=329&PageID=0&cached=true&mode=2&userID=2&ProfileID=&control=SetCommunity>

The Industrial Steam Saver Program offers Enbridge customers assistance and rebates for audits and surveys as well as assistance to implement energy-efficiency measures. The Program encourages energy savings through steam plant tests, audits, steam trap surveys, insulation surveys, and retrofits.

Enbridge, Business Markets

(416) 495-5796

Infrastructure Ontario Loan Program Provincial

<http://www.infrastructureontario.ca/en/loan/index.asp>

Infrastructure Ontario offers low-interest loans to public sector organizations for most capital expenditures. Eligible organizations include hospices; housing providers; local service boards; not-for-profit long term care homes; municipal corporations; municipalities; and not-for-profit professional arts training institutions, universities, and colleges.

Infrastructure Ontario, Loan Operations Group

1-800-230-0937