



# Energy Efficiency Improvements for Manufactured Homes

Vermont Gas Systems (VGS) is offering a turnkey program to help homeowners reduce their energy costs for manufactured homes. These energy efficiency upgrades include duct sealing and adding roof & belly insulation. These improvements will meet or exceed the minimums required as outlined in the Vermont TEC Manual 2020 for Mobile Homes.

Our program rebates are:

<b><u>Efficiency Upgrade</u></b>	<b><u>VGS Rebate</u></b>
<b>Duct Sealing + Roof &amp; Belly Insulation</b>	<b>75% of cost up to \$4,875</b>
<b>Duct Sealing + Belly Insulation</b>	<b>75% of cost up to \$2,850</b>
<b>Duct Sealing + Roof Insulation</b>	<b>75% of cost up to \$2,850</b>

### Typical upgrades may include:

- ⇒ *Comprehensive air sealing in the attics/roof shall include the sealing of all wall to ceiling sheet rock joints.*
- ⇒ *Attic insulation shall be upgraded to R40+ with open-blown fiberglass or as space permits after all air sealing or other repairs in the attics have been completed.*
- ⇒ *Insulating the belly or floor system using R19 chopped fiberglass. The blown insulation shall not be dense-packed.*

### Upon completion of the improvements:

- VGS may have an energy auditor visit your home to inspect the completed work at no cost to you
- VGS will pay the above rebate for approved work completed before 12/31/2023.

**If you are interested in exploring these efficiency upgrades please complete a Energy Assessment Request:**

**[www.vgsvt.com/energy-audit](http://www.vgsvt.com/energy-audit) or call 802-951-0321**



# 2023 Efficient Residential Equipment Rebates

Eligible Equipment (Must be purchased new)	Required Efficiency * (As listed in AHRI or ENERGY STAR)	Rebate	Income † Bonus
Hot Air Furnace	95-96% AFUE	\$500	\$200
	97%+ AFUE	\$800	
Direct Vent Space Heater	80%+ AFUE	\$300	\$50
Water Heater (40/50 gal)	<a href="#">Energy Star Certified</a>	\$100	\$50
	.70+ UEF	\$300	
Tankless Water Heater	.82-.89 EUF	\$400	\$50
	.90-.94 UEF	\$600	\$50
	.95+ UEF	\$800	\$50
Smart Thermostat	Go to: <a href="https://efficiencyvermont.com/rebates/list/smart-thermostats">efficiencyvermont.com/rebates/list/smart-thermostats</a>	\$100	

- A higher AFUE (Annual Fuel Utilization Efficiency) and UEF (Uniform Energy Factor) indicates more energy efficient equipment and can be found at [ahridirectory.org](http://ahridirectory.org) or [energystar.gov/products](http://energystar.gov/products).
  - **All Equipment must be Mobile Home Approved**
- † Bonus incentive is for income-qualified households earning less than 120 percent of area median income.

## Interested in equipment financing?

In lieu of a cash rebate you can finance your equipment at 0% or take your rebate and finance at 5.99%. Loans are offered through our financing partner, **Green Mountain Credit Union (GMCU)**. All loans are subject to approval by GMCU. To apply complete the form at: [vermontgas.com/wp-content/uploads/2022/01/2022-VGS-Residential-Equipment-Loan-Project-Application.pdf](https://vermontgas.com/wp-content/uploads/2022/01/2022-VGS-Residential-Equipment-Loan-Project-Application.pdf)

## VGS Assistance Programs:

For assistance paying your VGS bill please visit: <https://vgsvt.com/savings/assistance-programs/>