Business Rebates Program

empowering businesses to meet energy efficiency goals.

The Business Rebates Program helps commercial and industrial customers earn cash rebates for making energy-saving improvements to their existing facilities or building new facilities above state building code. It also offers rebates to help offset a portion of energy audit costs.

Features and Benefits

Cash rebates are available to **existing buildings** in the following categories:

- Chillers
- Custom Projects
- Energy Audit
- LEED Major Renovations
- Lighting
- Motors
- Pumps
- VFDs

Cash rebates are available to **new buildings** in the following categories:

- LEED New Construction
- New Construction

Eligibility

Louisville Gas and Electric and Kentucky Utilities commercial and industrial customers may participate in this program. The requirements are:

- Non-residential customers, who have been, or start paying, into the DSM mechanism are eligible.
- Participants have 365 days to complete a project after submitting your application (pre-installation application form).
- Invoices cannot be dated prior to the date the customer began paying into the DSM mechanism.
- Invoices must be submitted and dated within 90 days of installation.



Custom Projects

Equipment or energy efficient improvements that are not a one-for-one replacement, and not available through another incentive option, will be paid via a custom application at a rate of \$0.03 per kWh saved for the first-year savings plus \$100 per kW of peak demand reduced. Incentive amount cannot exceed 75% of the material cost.

This list gives examples of projects that may be considered for a custom application, but other projects are equally likely to qualify. **All Custom energy efficiency projects require you to submit a preliminary application before equipment is purchased and installed.** We are here to help you along the journey from technical guidance to energy savings calculations to completing the application form.

Controls—Example Applications and Concepts	Electric Heating and Cooling Concepts
Compressed air systems	Eliminate simultaneous heating & cooling
Energy recovery	Improved chilled water flow
HVAC controls	Minimize supply and return fan amps
Energy Management System (EMS)	Optimize operation during periods of low occupancy
Reduce equipment operational hours	Restore or improve economizer function
Match system operation to occupancy or line speed	Optimize supply air temperature and relative humidity

For more information, please contact your LG&E and KU representative or visit **Ige-ku.com/bizrebates**. We look forward to partnering with you to meet your energy efficiency goals.

