



The Energy Cooperative
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**Cool Returns (Air Conditioner)
Rebate: \$100.00**

Effective January 01, 2009, The Energy Cooperative, Inc., would like to write you a check for \$100.00. Why? We want you to become part of our Load Management Team and help us to help you save money by reducing the demand for power during peak conditions. When you replace your existing central air conditioner/heat pump or add central air conditioner to your home, you may be eligible for a \$100.00 rebate from The Energy Cooperative.

This rebate is intended for residing electric members who will permit the installation and operation of a radio controlled switch (RCS) on their new air conditioner/heat pump or air conditioner/heat pump installed within the last seven years*. In doing so, it is understood that the RCS will be operated during peak demand times. These times are typically 2:00 P.M. to 6:00 P.M. The radio-controlled "smart" switches are not operated on a daily basis; they are operated only during peak times when the demand for electricity is very high. Once the "smart" switch is on, it automatically cycles the compressor during peak summer times. These peak demand times are temperature dependant, as the weather becomes very hot, the demand for electricity peaks. Most of the time the radio controlled switches are operated for a few hours and may only raise the temperature in the home a few degrees. The switch does not affect performance of the air conditioner/heat pump or cause wear and tear because the switch acts like a thermostat.

Cool Returns Rebate:

Qualifications:

1. Must be a new central air conditioning/heat pump installed by a qualified HVAC representative OR a central air conditioning/heat pump installed within the last seven years.
2. Window air conditioners are not eligible.
3. For residing electric members of The Energy Cooperative only.
4. Radio Controlled Switch (RCS) must be installed by the member's HVAC installation contractor and remain operational for no less than five (5) years.
5. Application for rebate must be made within nine months of the purchase of the air conditioner/heat pump..
6. Not valid with any other Energy Cooperative rebate.
7. The Energy Cooperative reserves the right to deem an air conditioner/heat pump installed within the last seven years unfit for the Cool Returns rebate if the unit is functioning poorly or lacks maintenance.