



NHsaves 
Your Source for Energy Efficiency

Commercial New Construction or Major Renovation - Commercial Pathways Energy Efficiency Solutions

Choose Your Path to Generate Energy Savings

If you are beginning a new construction or major renovation project, consider the energy-saving solutions available to you and your project team from the New Hampshire Electric & Natural Gas Utilities. With the intent of reducing operating expenses and helping you reach your building energy efficiency objectives, we have developed offerings suited for a variety of building types and a range of energy efficiency strategies and technologies.

The earlier you engage, the deeper the energy savings potential

Connect with The New Hampshire Utilities early on in your project to unlock more opportunities for cost savings, technical support and optimal energy efficiency. Both building owner and design team incentives are available to help cover the incremental construction and design service costs associated with the inclusion of energy-efficient equipment and systems. By working with us from the project's feasibility or conceptual design phase, your project team can achieve deep energy savings, and even zero net energy status, to minimize future energy use.



There is a pathway for every project

Receive deeper incentives and technical assistance for pursuing the greatest energy-saving opportunities in building design and construction.

Path 1. Zero Net Energy (ZNE)/Deep Energy Savings

Receive technical assistance and enhanced financial incentives for your ZNE, ZNE Ready, very low energy use intensity (EUI), and Passive House projects.

Path 2. Whole Building Energy Use Intensity (EUI) Reduction

On larger building projects, receive technical assistance and financial incentives for meeting EUI reduction goals.

Path 3. Whole Building Streamlined

For small-to medium-sized, non-energy intensive building projects, receive technical assistance and financial incentives for implementing energy-efficient technology and equipment.

Path 4. Systems

For very small projects, or projects involving only a portion of a building, receive incentives for incorporating energy-efficient equipment and systems into your project.

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SUMMARY OF PATH INCENTIVES

Path 1: ZNE/Deep Energy Savings

| Customer Incentives | |
|---|---------------------------|
| Construction Incentive | \$1.00/sf |
| Post Occupancy Incentive | \$1.00/sf |
| ZNE or PH Certification Incentive | \$3,000 |
| Technical Assistance for ZNE Services | Up to \$10,000 |
| Verification Incentive | 50% of fee up to \$10,000 |
| Design Team Incentives | |
| Up to \$15,000 but no less than \$8,000 | |

Path 2: Whole Building EUI Reduction

| Customer Incentives | |
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| 25% and greater EUI reduction | \$1.00/sf |
| 10% - 24.9% EUI Reduction | \$.30 - \$.070/sf |
| Technical Assistance | Up to 75% cost share (capped at \$20,000) |
| Design Team Incentives | |
| Up to \$12,500 | |

Path 3: Whole Building Streamlined

| Customer Incentives | |
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| Custom: Envelop, HVAC, energy recovery, water fixtures and other custom measures | \$0.30kWh \$2.00/therm |
| Prescriptive: Lighting, HVAC, envelope, DHW, network lighting controls, etc. | Current program rate |
| Design Team Incentives | |
| Up to \$5,000 | |

Path 4: Systems

| Customer Incentives |
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| Support provided for prescriptive and custom energy efficient equipment. Incentive rates for custom technology equipment offered by the New Hampshire Utilities. |

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