## PacifiCorp's Planned Changes to Home Energy Savings Program in Washington Effective for 2016 - 2017

PacifiCorp (Company) is planning to make modifications to the Washington Home Energy Savings program (Program), which offers incentives and services for residential energy efficiency projects. The changes are designed to align with the Company's 2016 – 2017 Business Plan and to align measures and incentive values with current industry standards.

Consistent with the approved change process for the Program, after receiving and addressing feedback from the Company's Washington Demand-side Management Advisory Group the proposed changes will be posted on the program website 45 days prior to becoming effective and implemented. The changes will be effective January 1, 2016.

#### **Background**

The Program, which is offered through Schedule 118, was approved by the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission (Commission) and began operating in September 2006. The Company filed the program for approval with the Commission on August 11, 2006, and the Program became effective on September 14, 2006 (refer to Docket No. UE-061297). The change process for the Program is described in advice letter 06-004, through which the program was introduced. Language describing the program change process is found on page 3 of Advice No. 06-004, which is copied below.

"...the Company would present information on proposed changes to its Advisory Group and seek comments prior to making changes. Changes in equipment specifications or incentive levels would be clearly posted on the Web site and emailed to the appropriate Commission staff person with at least 45 days advance notice."

The Program change process is also described in provision of service no. 5 in the program tariff (Schedule 118). Provision of service no. 5 states:

"All changes will occur with a minimum of 45 days-notice, be prominently displayed as a change, include a minimum 45 day grace period for processing prior offers (except for manufacturer buy-down incentive delivery) and be communicated at least once to retailers who have participated within the last year."

Annual Program reports are available on-line at: www.pacificorp.com/es/dsm/washington.html.

## **Description of Planned Home Energy Savings Changes**

The planned changes align the program offers with the Company's 2016 – 2017 Business Plan, updated Regional Technical Forum (RTF) information, current industry standards and best available market and technology information.

These changes were provided to the Washington DSM Advisory Group on October 14, 2015 Consistent with the current biennial period, the program will use the same unit energy savings for the 2016-2017 biennial period.

Proposed Program changes are summarized in Tables 1-4.

#### **Exhibits Provided**

Exhibit 1 - Washington HES Incentive Tables - Planned

Exhibit 2 - Washington HES Incentive Tables – Red-lined

Exhibit 3 - Washington HES Cost Effectiveness Analysis

Exhibit 4 - Washington Measure Savings Detail

### **Definitions**

**British Thermal Unit (Btu):** It is approximately the amount of energy needed to heat 1 pound of water from 39° to 40° Fahrenheit.

Compact Fluorescent Lamp (CFL): Light bulbs that produce light much more efficiently than traditional incandescent light bulbs.

Consortium for Energy Efficiency (CEE): CEE is a consortium of US and Canadian gas and electric efficiency program administrators. Members work to unify program approaches across jurisdictions to increase the success of efficiency in markets. CEE members define one or more tiers of energy performance for a particular product or service. A specification is an advanced level of energy performance, higher than is normal in a market, for a residential, commercial, or industrial product or service.

Cubic Feet per Minute (CFM): A measurement of the velocity at which air flows into or out of a space.

**Customer:** Any party who has applied for, been accepted and receives service at the real property, or is the electricity user at the real property.

**Direct Install:** Installation of an Energy Efficiency Measure directly by the Company, Program, or a Program-approved contractor or other 3<sup>rd</sup> party.

**Downstream**: Payment of incentive made by the Company to a customer, owner, contractor or other approved third party for the purchase or installation of an Energy Efficiency Measure pursuant to an approved energy efficiency incentive application.

**Energy Efficiency Incentive:** Payments of money made by Company to Owner or Customer or other approved party for installation of an Energy Efficiency Measure pursuant to an approved Energy Efficiency Incentive Application.

**Energy Efficiency Measure (EEM):** A permanently installed measure which can improve the efficiency of the Customer's electric energy use.

**Energy Efficiency Ratio (EER):** The ratio of the cooling capacity Btu per hour to the power input (in watts). The higher the EER rating, the more efficient the air conditioner.

**Energy Factor** (**EF**): Indicates a water heater's overall energy efficiency based on the amount of hot water produced per unit of fuel consumed over a typical day. The higher the energy factor, the more efficient the water heater.

**Heating Seasonal Performance Factor** (HSPF): The efficiency of heat pumps measured by the ratio of Btu heat output over the heating season to watt-hours of electricity used. The higher the number, the greater the efficiency.

Heating, Ventilation and Air Conditioning (HVAC): Refers to technology of indoor environmental comfort.

**Integrated Modified Energy Factor:** Calculated as the clothes container capacity in cubic feet divided by the sum, expressed in kilowatt hours (kWh), of: (1) the total weighted per-cycle hot water energy consumption; (2) the total weighted per-cycle machine electrical energy consumption; (3) the per-cycle energy consumption for removing moisture from a test load; and (4) the per-cycle standby and off mode energy consumption.

**Light-emitting Diode (LED):** A semiconductor light source.

**Mail by Request:** Refers to the delivery method by which customers order the measure through a third party contractor.

**Manual J:** Manual J, "Residential Load Calculation," published by the Air Conditioning Contractors of America (ACCA), is the recommended method for sizing heating and cooling systems for use in the United States.

**Manufactured Homes (mobile homes):** A type of prefabricated housing that is largely assembled in factories and transported to the site of use. Units are at least 320 square feet and installed with a permanent chassis to assure the initial and continued transportability of the home.

**Mid-Market:** An approved third party (typically a contractor, retailer or manufacturer) who installs Energy Efficiency Measures at the real property or sells Energy Efficiency Measures to a Customer.

**New Home:** A newly constructed residence.

**Owner:** The person who has both legal and beneficial title to the real property, and is the mortgager under a duly recorded mortgage of real property, the trustor under a duly recorded deed of trust.

**Prescriptive incentives:** Per unit incentives are listed in the program incentive tables for specific EEMs. Incentives are subject to change.

### **RTF: Regional Technical Forum**

**R-Value:** Indicates insulation's resistance to heat flow. The higher the R-value, the greater the insulating effectiveness.

**Seasonal Energy Efficiency Ratio** (SEER): The efficiency of air conditioners, measured by the cooling output in Btu during a typical cooling-season divided by the total electric energy input in watt-hours during the same period. The higher the unit's SEER rating, the more energy efficient it is.

**U-Factor:** Measures the rate of heat transfer and indicates how well the window insulates. U-factor values generally range from 0.25 to 1.25 and are measured in Btu/h·ft²·°F. The lower the U-factor, the better the window insulates.

**Upstream**: Payment of incentive made by the Company directly to a manufacturer, retailer, or other pre-approved vendor to apply a pre-purchase discount for customers.

#### General Notes

- Incentive cannot exceed total price of product or service
- All work must be installed per local, state, and federal building codes and requirements

**Table 1 – Program Modifications (Lighting)** 

Measure Name	Description of Change	Measure Summary
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Measure Name	Description of Change	Measure Summary
CFLs	Type of Change: Adjust lumen bin categories and unit energy savings for general purpose and	Current Qualifications (unchanged): ENERGY STAR
	specialty CFLs.	Current Maximum Incentive Amount (unchanged):
	Reason for Change: Aligns lumen bins and unit energy savings with latest RTF values.	General Purpose: \$1.50 Specialty: \$3.00
		Current Delivery Methods (unchanged): Upstream
LEDs	Type of Change:	Mail by Request Direct Install Current Qualifications (unchanged):
	Adjust lumen bin categories and unit energy savings for LEDs.	ENERGY STAR
	December Change	Current Maximum Incentive Amount: General Purpose: \$10.00
	Reason for Change: Aligns lumen bins and unit energy savings with latest RTF values.	Specialty: \$10.00  Revised Maximum Incentive Amount:
		General Purpose: \$5.00 Specialty: \$5.00
		Current Delivery Methods (unchanged): Upstream
		Mail by Request Direct Install
LED Light Fixtures	Type of Change: Modify delivery method	Current Qualifications (unchanged): ENERGY STAR
	Reason for Change: Shifting delivery models to upstream only will reduce additional	Current Incentive Amount (unchanged): Up to \$10.00
	administrative costs incurred in downstream delivery.	Current Delivery Methods: Upstream Downstream
		Revised Delivery Methods: Upstream
		Notes: Torchiere and portable products are not qualified.

Table 2 – Program Modifications (Non-Lighting)

Measure Name	Description of Change	Measure Summary
Low-Flow	Type of change:	Current Qualifications (unchanged):
Showerheads	Modify incentive for the retail channel	ENERGY STAR
	only.  Reason for change:	Current Incentive Amount: Up to \$15
	Incremental costs have dropped making the measure less expensive to residential customers at retail.	Revised Maximum Incentive Amount: Up to \$4
		Current Delivery Methods: Upstream Mail by Request
		Direct Install
		Note: Incentive change applies to Upstream only.
Low-Flow Aerators	Type of change: Modify incentive for the retail channel only.	Current Qualifications (unchanged): ENERGY STAR
	only.	Current Incentive Amount:
	Reason for change:	Up to \$5
	Incremental costs have dropped making	
	the measure less expensive to residential customers at retail.	Revised Maximum Incentive Amount: Up to \$1
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		Current Delivery Methods:
		Upstream Meiller Property
		Mail by Request Direct Install
		Direct filstall
		Note: Incentive change applies to Upstream only.
Advanced Power	Type of change:	Planned Qualification:
Strips	Add a new RTF measure	Power strip must have infrared sensor,
	Description of massyrus	occupancy sensor, or load sensor and
	Description of measure: Power strips shut off	automatically shut off the plug loads when no motion or reduced load is detected for a
	power to controlled devices when no	period of time.
	activity is detected for a set period of	
	time.	Planned Incentive Amount:
		Up to \$60
		Planned Delivery Methods:
		Downstream
		Direct Install
		Mail by Request

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Measure Name	Description of Change	Measure Summary
Smart Thermostat	2	·
Smart Thermostat	Type of change: Add a new measure	Planned Qualification: Wi-Fi enabled, programmable, online
	Add a new measure	dashboard and/or mobile device app,
	Description of measure:	occupancy sensor
	Wi-Fi enabled, programmable climate	occupancy sensor
	control device that allows the user to	Planned Incentive Amount:
	customize a schedule to control the	\$50
	temperature of their home throughout	450
	the day	Planned Delivery Methods:
		Downstream
		Notes:
		Occupancy sensing units must be enabled
		grandy someting units must be endoted
		Only electrically heated homes are eligible for
		an incentive.
		Customers may self-install unit. Contractor
		not required.
Hybrid Heat Pump	Type of change:	Planned Qualification:
Clothes Dryer	Add a new measure	Northwest Energy Efficiency Alliance
		(NEEA) Specification
	Description of measure:	
	Clothes dryer that utilizes energy-	Planned Incentive Amount:
	efficient heat pump technology which	\$150
	captures that hot air, removes the	
	moisture from it, then reuses the	Planned Delivery Methods:
	already-hot air to dry more clothing.	Downstream
Heat Pump Clothes	Type of change:	Planned Qualification:
Dryer	Add a new measure	Northwest Energy Efficiency Alliance
		(NEEA) Specification
	Description of measure:	DI II di A
	Clothes dryer that rely solely on energy-	Planned Incentive Amount:
	efficient heat pump technology which	\$300
	captures that hot air, removes the	
	moisture from it, then reuses the	Planned Delivery Methods:
	already-hot air to dry more clothing.	Downstream

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Measure Name	Description of Change	Measure Summary
Refrigerator	Type of Change:	Measure Retirement:
Aciligeratul	Remove an existing measure	The measure was removed from the program
	Remove an existing measure	due to the low energy savings available
	Reason for Change:	beyond the new federal standards.
	On September 15, 2014, the federal	
	standard for refrigerators and freezers	
	were increased for equipment. As result	
	very few models which exceed the new	
	standards are available and the	
	incremental savings above the new	
	baseline is very small.	
Freezers	Type of Change:	Measure Retirement:
	Remove an existing measure	The measure was removed from the program
		due to the low energy savings available
	Reason for Change:	beyond the new federal standards
	On September 15, 2014, the federal	
	standard for refrigerators and freezers	
	were increased for equipment. As a	
	result, very few models which exceed	
	the new standards are available and the	
	incremental savings above the new	
	baseline is very small.	
Clothes Washers	Type of Change:	Current Qualifications:
	Revise qualifications	$MEF \ge 3.2$
	Paggan for the Change	Pavisad Qualifications:
	Reason for the Change: Align with new efficiency metrics	Revised Qualifications:  IMEF > 2.75
	outlined in current federal standards as	See program website for the CEE qualified
	well as the RTF.	products list.
	well as the KTT.	products list.
	On March 7, 2015 the ENERGY STAR	Current Incentive Amount (unchanged):
	specification changed from modified	\$50 (customer)
	energy factor (MEF) for quantifying	(Customer)
	energy used by clothes washers to an	Notes:
	integrated modified energy factor	Only homes equipped with electric gas
	(IMEF), which includes the low-power	domestic water heating and/or an electric
	mode energy consumption.	dryer are eligible for incentives.
Clothes Washer	Type of Change:	Measure Retirement:
Recycling	Remove existing measure	Incentives will be provided only for units
, 3		recycled on or before the tariff effective date.
	Reason for Change:	-
	Given the measure has experienced no	
	participation to date and reliable unit	
	energy savings values are not readily	
	available the measure will be removed	
	for the biennial period.	

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Measure Name	Description of Change	Measure Summary
Electric Water	Type of Change:	Measure Retirement:
Heaters	Remove an existing measure	Measure had a sunset on April 16, 2015 under the current program.
	Reason for Change:	
	On April 16, 2015 the federal standard	
	for electric storage tank water heaters	
	was increased for all equipment sizes	
	between 20 and 100 gallons, requiring units above 55 gallons to have an EF of	
	1.92 or higher, and requiring units 55	
	gallons or smaller to achieve an EF 0.94	
	or higher. Increasingly stringent federal	
	standards have resulted in lower savings	
	for electric storage tanks.	
Heat Pump Water	Type of Change:	Current Qualifications (unchanged):
Heaters	Revised qualifications and incentives.	NEEA Northern Climate Specification
	D C CI	See program website for qualified products
	Reason for Change:	list.
	To align qualification with the NEEA Northern Climate Specification and the	Current Incentive Amount (unchanged):
	revised federal standard for electric	Up to \$600 (customer)
	storage tank water heaters	\$200 (contractor)
		Incentive may vary by tier qualification.
Room Air	Type of Change:	Measure Retirement:
Conditioners	Remove existing measure	Incentives will be provided only for units
		purchased or installed on or before January 1,
	Reason for Change:	2016.
	Low participation and savings.	

Notes on Heat Pump Water Heater:

- 1. Units that do not meet the newfederal standard will not be eligible for incentives after the tariff effective date.
- 2. See program website for specification for the location of unit in home.
- 3. Customers who perform self-installs are only eligible for the customer incentive.

Table 2 – Program Modifications (Non-Lighting)

Measure Name	Description of Change	Measure Summary
Windows	Type of change:	Current Qualifications:
	Revise qualifications and incentives	Tier 1: U-factor $\leq 0.30$
		(electrically heated home only)
	Reason for change:	Tier 2: U-factor $\leq 0.22$
	To align savings and measure	
	qualifications with RTF values. Adjust	Revised Qualifications:
	incentives based on available savings	U-factor $\leq$ 0.22 (electrically heated homes
	and updated incremental cost information.	only)
	information.	Current Incentive Amount:
		Tier 1: \$0.25/sf
		(electrically heated homes only)
		Tier 2: \$1.50/sf
		(electrically heated homes)
		Tier 2: \$0.50/sf
		(electrically cooled homes)
		Revised Incentive Amount:
		\$1.50/sf
		(electrically heated homes only)
		Notes:
		Customer may self-install windows.
		Incentive is paid based on area of windows installed.
		Electrically cooled homes do not qualify for the incentive.
Central Air	Type of Change:	Measure Retirement:
Conditioner	Remove existing measure	The measure will be revised to require proper
	-	installation and sizing. Incentives for this
	Reason for change:	measure will be provided only for units that
	Measure yielded minimal savings which	are purchased or installed on or before
	did not support incentive.	January 1, 2016.

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Measure Name	Description of Change	Measure Summary
Central Air Conditioner Best Practices Installation & Sizing	Type of Change: Revise qualifications  Reason for change: To expand measure to achieve more savings.	Current Qualifications:  ≥ 13 SEER  Meet airflow/refrigerant requirements 350 CFM/ton of airflow Refrigerant charge within +/- 3 degrees of target subcooling Equipment properly sized per program requirements  Revised Qualifications: ≥ 15 SEER with Best Practices Install and Sizing  Current Incentive Amount (unchanged): \$50 (customer) \$75 (contractor)
Ductless Heat Pump	Type of Change: Revise qualifications  Reason for change: To align with current RTF values as well as other regional utilities.	Current Qualifications: Single or multi-head units ≥ 10 HSPF  Revised Qualifications: Single or multi-head units ≥ 9.0 HSPF  Current Incentive Amount (unchanged): \$1,000 (customer) \$300 (contractor)
Heat Pump Upgrade with Best Practices for Install and Sizing	Type of Change: Revise qualifications  Reason for change: To align with current RTF values as well as other regional utilities.	Current Qualifications:  ≥ 9.5 HSPF  Revised Qualifications:  ≥ 9.0 HSPF with Best Practices Installation and Sizing  Current Incentive Amount:  \$150 (customer)  \$100 (contractor)

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Measure Name	Description of Change	Measure Summary
Heat Pump	Type of Change:	Current Qualifications:
Conversion with	Revise qualifications	≥ 9.5 HSPF
<b>Best Practices for</b>		
Install and Sizing	Reason for change:	Revised Qualifications:
	To align with current RTF values as	≥ 9.0 HSPF with Best Practices Installation
	well as other regional utilities.	and Sizing
		Current Incentive Amount (unchanged): \$1,250 (customer) \$500 (contractor)
<b>Duct Sealing</b>	Type of Change:	Current Qualifications:
2 4400 % 0 44444.	Revise qualifications and incentives	Must have ducted electric heating or cooling
	1	system serving at least 80% of the home's
	Reason for change:	floor area. Existing insulation should only be
	Low savings from electrically cooled	removed if it is being replaced.
	homes to support the incentive.	Installation completed by contractor
		Revised Qualifications:  Must have ducted electric heating system serving at least 80% of the home's floor area.  Existing insulation should only be removed if it is being replaced.  Installation completed by contractor.
		Current Incentive Amount: Electrically heated homes: \$300 (customer) Electrically cooled homes: \$100 (customer)
		Revised Incentive Amount:
		\$300 (customer)
		Electrically heated homes only

**Table 2 – Program Modifications (Non-Lighting)** 

Measure Name	Description of Change	Measure Summary
Whole-home Upgrade Package	Type of change: Revised qualifications  Reason for Change: Low savings from wall insulation and the additional costs driven by the requirement has proven to be a participation barrier when included in the prescriptive checklist.  Description of Bonus: Customers who install several measures together are eligible for a bonus incentive. Each element of the combined measure must meet the qualifications of the individual measure.	Current Qualifications: Install all of the following per Program requirements:  • Heat Pump or Ductless Heat Pump • Whole-home Attic Insulation • Whole-home Wall Insulation • Duct Sealing & Insulation if main heat or cooling source is ducted • Air Sealing  Revised Qualifications: Install all of the following per Program requirements:  • Heat Pump or Ductless Heat Pump • Whole-home Attic Insulation • Duct Sealing & Insulation if main heat or cooling source is ducted • Air Sealing  Current Incentive Amount (unchanged): \$1,000 bonus per home

Table 3 – Program Modifications (Non-Lighting, New Homes)

Measure	Measure	Measure
Name	Name	Name
New Homes	Type of Change:	Measure Retirement:
Refrigerator	Remove an existing measure	The measure was removed from the program due to the low energy savings available
	Reason for Change:	beyond the new federal standards.
	On September 15, 2014, the federal	
	standard for refrigerators and freezers	
	were increased for equipment. As a	
	result, very few models which exceed	
	the new standards are available and the	
	incremental savings above the new	
	baseline is very small.	
New Homes Heat	Type of Change:	Current Qualifications:
Pumps	Revise qualifications	≥ 9.5 HSPF
	Reason for change:	Revised Qualifications:
	To expand measure to achieve more	> 9.0 HSPF
	savings and align qualifications with the	
	RTF as well as other regional utilities.	Current Incentive Amount (unchanged):
		\$250 (customer or builder)
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New Homes	Type of Change:	Current Qualifications:
<b>Ductless Heat</b>	Revise qualifications	Single or multi-head units
Pumps	-	$\geq 10$ HSPF
	Reason for Change:	
	To align qualifications with RTF	Revised Qualifications:
		Single or multi-head units
		$\geq$ 9.0 HSPF
		Current Incentive Amount (unchanged):
		\$1,300 (customer or builder)
New Home Central	Type of change:	Current Qualifications:
Air Conditioner	Revise qualifications	≥ 18 SEER
with Best Practices	<u> </u>	-
Install and Sizing	Reason for Change:	Revised Qualifications:
3	To expand measure to achieve more	> 15 SEER with Best Practices Installation
	savings and align with RTF and align	and Sizing
	qualifications with the RTF	-
		Current Incentive Amount (unchanged):
		\$100 (customer or builder)

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Measure	Measure	Measure
Name	Name	Name
New Home Heat	Type of Change:	Current Qualifications (unchanged):
Pump Water	Revised qualifications and incentives.	NEEA Northern Climate Specification
Heater		See program website for qualified products
	Reason for Change:	list.
	To align qualification with the NEEA	
	Northern Climate Specification and the	Current Incentive (unchanged):
	revised federal standard for electric	Up to \$800 (customer or builder)
	storage tank water heaters	Incentive may vary by tier qualification.

## Notes on New Homes Heat Pump Water Heater:

- 1. Units that do not meet the new federal standard will not be eligible for incentives after the tariff effective date.
- 2. See program website for specification for the location of unit in home.
- 3. Customers who perform self-installs are only eligible for the customer incentive.

Table 4 – Program Modifications (Non-Lighting, Manufactured Homes)

Measure Name	Description of Change	Measure Summary
Manufactured	Type of Change:	Planned Qualifications:
<b>Homes Ductless Heat</b>	Add a new measure to expand	≥ 9.0 HSPF
Pumps	delivery methods for existing	
	measures.	Planned Incentive Amount:
		\$1,000 (customer)
		\$300 (contractor)
		Planned Delivery Methods:
		Downstream
Manufactured	Type of Change:	Planned Qualifications:
Homes Heat Pump	Add a new measure to expand	$\geq$ 9.0 HSPF/14 SEER
Upgrade	delivery methods for existing	
	measures.	Planned Incentive Amount:
		\$150 (customer)
		\$100 (contractor)
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		Planned Delivery Methods: Downstream
Manufactured	Type of Change	
	Type of Change:	Planned Qualifications:
Homes Heat Pump Conversion	Add a new measure to expand	≥ 9.0 HSPF/14 SEER
Conversion	delivery methods for existing	Dlannad Inconting Amounts
	measures.	Planned Incentive Amount: \$1,250 (customer)
		\$500 (contractor)
		Planned Delivery Methods:
		Downstream
		Downstrain

Table 4 – Program Modifications (Non-Lighting, Manufactured Homes)

Description of Change	Measure Summary
Type of change: Expand delivery methods to allow for flexibility to implement the new manufactured homes channel effectively.	Current Qualifications (unchanged): Home must meet NEEA specifications and receive High Performance certification by incorporating energy-efficient enclosure design and construction, HVAC systems, water heating, lighting, and appliances.  Current Incentive Amount: \$2,000 (manufacturer)  Revised Incentive Amount: \$2,000 (customer, or manufacturer, or dealer)
Type of Change	Current Delivery Method: Midstream  Revised Delivery Method(s): Midstream Downstream
Type of Change: Expand delivery methods to allow for flexibility to implement the new manufactured homes channel effectively.	Current Qualifications (unchanged): Home must receive ENERGY STAR certification by incorporating an energy- efficient building enclosure design, air- distribution system, and equipment.  Current Incentive Amount: \$1,000 (manufacturer)  Revised Incentive Amount: \$1,000 (customer, or manufacturer, or dealer)  Current Delivery Method: Midstream  Revised Delivery Method(s): Midstream
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Measure Name	Description of Change	Measure Summary
New Manufactured	Type of Change:	Current Qualifications (unchanged):
Homes Eco-rated	Expand delivery methods to allow for	Home must receive Eco-rated certification by
Homes	flexibility to implement the new manufactured homes channel effectively.	achieving efficiency metrics in energy, material, water, construction practice, and indoor air quality.
		Current Incentive Amount: \$1,250 (manufacturer)
		Revised Incentive Amount: \$1,250 (customer, or manufacturer, or dealer)
		Current Delivery Method: Midstream
		Revised Delivery Method(s): Midstream Downstream

# Regional Technical Forum (RTF) alignment

Unit energy savings values used for the Home Energy Savings program and their source, including alignment with RTF can be found in the WA\_HES\_Measure Savings\_Details 10-12-1015Final xlsx file.

### **Cost-Effectiveness**

Cost-effectiveness analysis of the program with the planned changes incorporated is included in the 2016-2017 Biennial Conservation Plan filing dated October 30, 2015. The program overall is forecasted to pass 4 of the 5 cost-effectiveness tests<sup>1</sup>. The cost-effectiveness analysis of the program and by measure group and is included in this program change package – see PacifiCorp Benefit-Cost Memo \_WA Home Energy Savings Program\_092915.docx file. The measure group cost effectiveness results include an allocated portion of total program administrative costs.

The appliance category which includes heat pump dryers is not forecasted to be cost effective, though the addition of non-energy benefits improves the category results. The limited savings above recent standards changes also contribute to sub-optimal results. Overall savings and costs for the category are small when compared to the same metrics for the two year program. The opportunity to help the region move the dryer market

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The programdoes not pass the Ratepayer Impact Test (RIM).

toward heat pump technology and continue to focus consumers on high efficiency washing machines, especially outside the western Washington markets provides support for program offers for these appliances.

The electronics category includes smart plug strips and is not currently forecast to be cost effective. Savings and costs are low compared to the overall tow year program and if administrative costs were not directly allocated, results would improve. The market smart plug strips continues to evolve and it is likely the cost of the measure will decline which will improve results over time. Improved control of connected loads is an area of emerging opportunity as the connected loads themselves become more efficient through codes, standards and innovation. The electronics offer, specifically plug strips, is a programmatic feature to engage and influence this important area.

The HVAC category, before the addition of non-energy benefits is marginally cost effective. These results are influenced by measure cost information and the decision to allocate administration costs. Since purchases for HVAC measures typically occur when existing equipment fails or no longer meets customer requirements, the opportunity to influence the customer purchase is limited (and potentially lost if missed), the Company believes it is appropriate to offer these incentives for HVAC measures.

The weatherization category is a comparatively small part of the program, but a key feature to drive comprehensiveness and the installation of long life shell measures. The sub-optimal results are influenced by the measure costs which are challenging to allocate specifically to electric energy savings.