



## Enhanced EnergyWise incentives for RI gas-heated homes

Comprehensive weatherization upgrades  
are now more affordable than ever.

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Higher efficiency incentives are now available for comprehensive home weatherization improvements, thanks to recent enhancements in EnergyWise program services offered to National Grid's residential gas heating customers in Rhode Island.

National Grid will now cover up to 50% or more of the cost of high-impact energy measures for 1-4 family gas-heated homes, including reducing air leakage, installing attic and wall insulation, and duct leakage sealing. A no-cost EnergyWise assessment provided by RISE Engineering is the required first step to identify eligible upgrades.

For homeowners who contract for at least 500 square feet of insulation, National Grid will also cover the full cost (up to \$750 per home) for blower-door directed air sealing. "Air sealing is often the single most cost-effective step that a homeowner can take in order to make a home more efficient, comfortable, and affordable," said Steve Hines, director of residential services for RISE Engineering. "Performed in conjunction with additional insulation, this comprehensive treatment will most certainly result in significant energy savings year-round," Hines noted.

In addition to providing the free EnergyWise home audit, RISE Engineering is an approved National Grid contractor who can install the requested improvements. The deadline for completing improvements and requesting an incentive is November 30, 2009.

To take advantage of the required upfront EnergyWise assessment and the one-stop services offered by RISE Engineering on behalf of National Grid, call the EnergyWise toll-free number at 1-888-633-7947 or click on our [online contact form](#).

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