BPA Energy Efficiency Weekly Announcements November 2, 2023

General

Comfort Ready Home: Greener Water Heater promotion

The Comfort Ready Home Greener Water Heater promotion is starting soon! Reward your contractors with \$500 for every qualifying heat pump water heater (HPWH) installation Nov 1, 2023 – Sept 30, 2024. This promotion does not impact program EEI dollars...More

BEETS Update: Activity Reports

To improve user experience, BEETS users will now be able to pull Activity Reports within BEETS rather than logging into the separate BEETS Report Portal (Microsoft SSRS). Simply follow these <u>instructions</u>. Conversely, the Invoice Detail Report – previously available only within BEETS – can now be found in Microsoft SSRS (in the Utility Reports folder). If you have any questions, please contact your EER.

Residential HVAC: Federal minimum efficiency standards reference table now available

At the start of the new 2024-2025 rate period, all residential ductless, air source and variable speed heat pumps need to meet or exceed the current federal minimum efficiency standards for heating seasonal performance factor 2, or HSPF2 and seasonal energy efficiency ratio, or SEER2, to qualify for BPA incentives. The implementation manual does not specify the current standards as standards are subject to change. BPA has received multiple utility requests to provide the current federal minimum efficiency standards for HSPF2 and SEER2, and their equivalent HSPF and SEER values. For ease of equipment verification during the incentive qualification process, BPA has created a reference document for the current ratings and it is now available under "Residential" and "Additional HVAC Reference Information" in the BPA Document Library.

