Choose A Path Toward Total Energy Efficiency For Your Home BOTH PATHS BOTH PATHS You perform recommended energy Evaluator visits your house and The evaluator returns to performs a FREE eScore energy efficiency improvements, using VEC-Additional recommended inspect the improvements efficiency rating (1-10) before any qualified contractors. improvements that are Use PATH #1 if you are not sure when the score reaches 10. work is done. made by qualified what improvements your home contractors are needs. PATH #1 documented on your PATH #1 PATH #1 Congratulations! home's eScore account Register on the eScore A score of 10 indicates and the rating is updated. link at www.vec.org and choose that vour home has Rebates are provided for "Request an Evaluation". reached its highest level qualifying improvements. After this first improvement is complete, the evaluator visits your home to perform an of energy efficiency. eScore energy efficiency rating (1-10) and Use PATH #2 if you have already decided to make a specific inspect the work. improvement. **Both** PATH #2 PATH #2 Register on the eScore link at www.vec.org and choose "Find a Contractor". Perform recommended energy

Choose a FREE Evaluation (Path #1) OR FREE Inspection (Path #2)

Path #1 - Free eScore Evaluation

A trained energy evaluator will perform a walk-through audit and provide you with an eScore (energy efficiency rating from 1 - 10) for your home. You will receive a customized report of suggested energy efficiency measures, a list of approved contractors, and a list of incentives available.

Path #2 - Free Inspection of Installed Improvements

efficiency improvements, using a VEC-qualified contractor.

Inspections occur after the first measure is installed in your house. The energy evaluator will inspect the improvements to ensure you are on the right path toward energy efficiency and perform an evaluation that will suggest other measures that could make your home more energy efficient.

eScore of 10? FREE Inspection!

A final inspection will be scheduled once your house reaches an eScore of 10.

Heat Pump Financing Available

Heat Pump Loans

Manageable simple-interest and payments, 10-year term

\$12,500 maximum

Rebates are not available for financed heat pumps



Cash Rebates for Non-Financed Improvements Attic Insulation ½ of the amount spent, up One incentive/home to **\$250**/home ½ of the amount spent, up One incentive/home Air Sealing to **\$200/**home ½ of the amount spent, up **Duct System Improvements** One incentive/system to \$200/system ½ of the amount spent, up No limit/home Non-Financed Heat Pump - Ducted, to \$250 rebate/system Non-Ducted, or Dual Fuel ½ of the amount spent, up No limit/home **Heat Pump Water Heater** to \$200/unit ½ of the amount spent, up No limit/home **Geothermal Heat Pump** to \$500/unit One incentive/system/year Heat Pump and/or Air Conditioning \$15 rebate **Central Air Conditioning** \$150 /unit No Limit/Home Replacement Primary Heat Source From Non-Electric to Electric—Non-Financed **Conventional Electric Water Heater** \$500/system No Limit \$400/system No Limit Mini-Split No Limit \$500/system **Dual Fuel Heat Pump** \$1,000/system No Limit Air Source Heat Pump

All improvements made and equipment installed must meet current ENERGY STAR® standards, eScore program requirements, and be installed/performed by VEC- and TVA-approved QCN contractors. Program requirements and details are subject to change. Call VEC (423-334-7053) for the most up-to-date information.





Frequently Asked Questions

Why does my electric provider offer a program that helps me reduce the amount of energy that I use?

The Tennessee Valley Authority (TVA) and Volunteer Energy Cooperative (VEC) are partnering to deliver this program because each kilowatt hour saved represents less energy that has to be generated. This helps to stabilize rates for VEC member-owners and for distributors of TVA power.

What is an eScore?

eScore is an evaluation system that calculates the energy efficiency of existing homes and produces a rating for each home between 1 and 10. (The average initial eScore rating for existing homes is 4.7) The rating is based on existing HVAC systems, insulation, ductwork, and other items. A homeowner can improve their eScore by upgrading items, with an ultimate goal of achieving an eScore of 10.

Who performs the recommended work?

In order to qualify for incentives and rebates, the improvements must be performed by a VEC and TVA-qualified contractor. A list of these contractors is available from the evaluator, VEC, or on the eScore web site (www.vec.org).

Is there a charge for an eScore?

VEC does not charge for the eScore evaluation or an inspection within program guidelines.

How are the improvements documented?

Your home's eScore information is stored on your eScore online account, which you can view or update anytime. As energy efficiency improvements are made, information is entered in this account and your eScore is updated. This account also contains your home's initial eScore report, additional information to help you make informed decisions concerning energy efficiency, and a customer feedback loop to help us improve the program.

To schedule your eScore or find out more information...

call 423-334-7053 or visit www.vec.org



Has Your House Been Scored?

Get a FREE eScore and begin the journey to a more energy efficient home

