

HOW TO PREPARE FOR ERIP

1. Plan to do a retrofit and participate in increasing electricity efficiency through new measures or technologies.
2. Identify areas or specific equipment you are going to look toward for savings.
3. Complete the Prescriptive Project Application Form by checking the list of predefined technologies.
4. Complete the Custom Project Application Form if your retrofit does not fall within the list of predefined technologies.

HOW THE PROCESS WILL TAKE PLACE:

1. Complete the necessary application and submit it to your local electric utility.
2. You will be notified when the project is approved.
3. Complete the retrofit within the prescribed timeframe.
4. When the work is complete, forward all the purchase documentation to the utility.
5. The utility will verify project completion, and then issue payment.
6. The measurement and verification process may require that some participants receive an on-site audit that will be carried out by a third party on behalf of the OPA.



ELECTRICITY RETROFIT INCENTIVE PROGRAM

THE ONTARIO POWER AUTHORITY (OPA), in conjunction with partners from across the province, has developed the Electricity Retrofit Incentive Program (ERIP) for businesses in Ontario. Our long-term goal is to reduce electricity use by offering incentives for sustainable, measurable and verifiable retrofits that result in peak demand savings and annual energy savings.

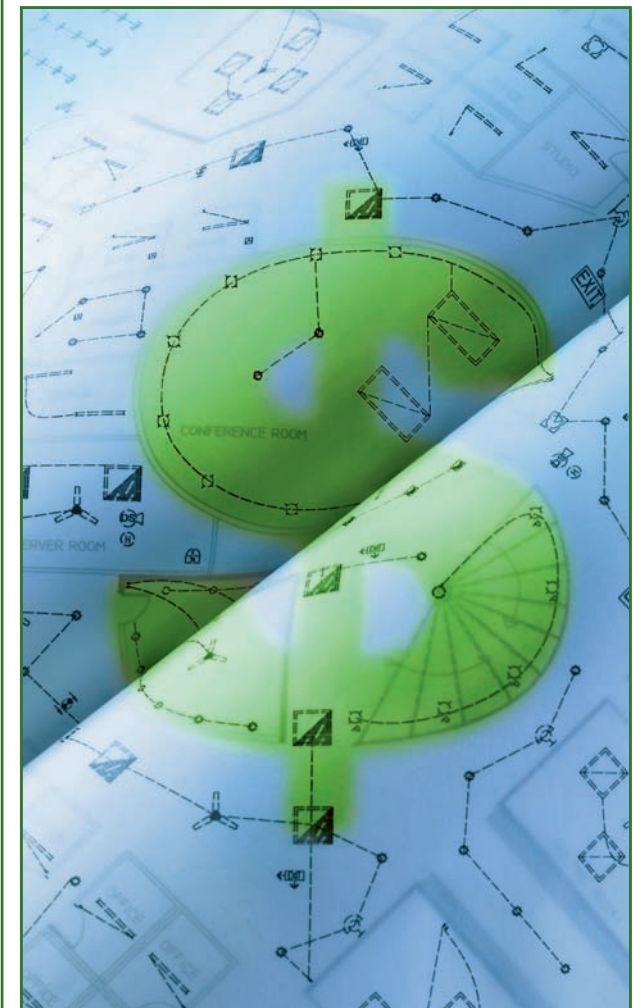
Everyone can help reduce energy consumption in Ontario. Through the Electricity Retrofit Incentive Program, your business can contribute to a cleaner environment and benefit from incentives and lowered operating costs.



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Planning electrical retrofits
to your building?

Plan on
ERIP

A MORE EFFICIENT BUSINESS

When it's time to retrofit your business, why not choose equipment that will save you money?

With all the financial and timing considerations, energy-efficient options may not be the first thing on your mind. So we've made it easy for you. The Electricity Retrofit Incentive Program (ERIP) gives you the most energy-efficient solutions to improve your bottom line.

To participate, simply submit a project application for approval to your local electric utility. Contact your local electric utility for key dates and deadlines applicable to this program.



CHANGES THAT SAVE

The Electricity Retrofit Incentive Program (ERIP) focuses on lighting, motors, heating, ventilation and air conditioning and overall electricity systems.

Examples of predefined technologies approved for use in the program are:

LIGHTING

- FLUORESCENT LIGHTING SYSTEMS (T8, T5, CFL)
- METAL HALIDE LIGHTING SYSTEMS
- LED "EXIT" SIGNS
- OCCUPANCY SENSORS

MOTORS

- THREE-PHASE PREMIUM-EFFICIENCY MOTORS 1-200 HP

COOLING EQUIPMENT

- UNITARY A/C UNITS UP TO 25 TONS THAT ARE ENERGY STAR® QUALIFIED OR CEE COMPLIANT

AGRICULTURE

- 24" VENTILATION FANS
- SWINE CREEP HEAT AND CONTROLS
- LIVESTOCK WATERERS

This list may change over time, so please check www.everykilowattcounts.com/erip for updates.

TWO WAYS TO CONSERVE

ERIP is made up of two tracks:

PRESCRIPTIVE TRACK

This track has predefined technologies with corresponding per-unit or performance-basis savings measures. These projects will tend to involve replacements and upgrades to existing systems. The incentive is based on what is installed.

CUSTOM TRACK

This track is for businesses using a more specific solution to electricity efficiency retrofitting. For these projects, all technology equipment and systems are evaluated on the basis of their power and energy performance improvement. The incentive offered is based specifically on the level of improvement.

The incentives are based on the results of calculations from each track's specific worksheet.

