# 2026 BUSINESS OFFERINGS **SCHOOLS & GOVERNMENT UTILITY BILL VERIFIED SAVINGS OFFERING**



# **HOW TO APPLY**

#### NEED HELP? CALL 800.762.7077

FOCUS ON ENERGY® encourages school and government customers to participate in the Utility Bill Verified Savings offering in 2026. This offering is available to select customers seeking financial support to reduce energy usage in their buildings throughout the calendar year. Energy reduction cannot be attributed to installing new capital equipment eligible for standard rebates and incentives. Instead, participants can achieve energy reduction through other methods, such as:

- Hiring an Energy Manager.
- Applying analytics software for energy reduction.
- Utilizing a real-time energy monitoring device.
- Training staff.
- Implementing behavioral initiatives.

Enrollment is competitive. Focus on Energy will choose applicants based on their plans to save energy from January 1 through December 31, 2026.

#### WHY PARTICIPATE?

Besides saving energy in your facilities, Focus on Energy will support you throughout the process with regular checkins, training support, and strategies for energy savings. You will also receive an incentive for the energy you save.

Incentives will be determined by submitting utility bills through for December 2026. Your savings for the year are calculated and weather-normalized through ENERGY STAR® Portfolio Manager®.

Incentive = \$0.006 x Building Square Footage x Energy Use Intensity Savings.

# example 1 BUILDING DETAILS:

Site: 300,000 ft.2 High School

Reduced EUI: 5.7 points

(72.3 kBTU/ft.2 Year 1 - 66.6 kBTU/ft.2 Year 2)

**Incentive** =  $$0.006 \times 300,000 \times 5.7 = $10,260$ 

Energy Savings: 500,000 kWh\*

Reduced Costs: \$50,000 during the year\*\*

# example 2 BUILDING DETAILS:

Site: 80,000 ft.2 Elementary School

Reduced EUI: 4.2 points

(59.8 kBTU/ft.2 Year 1 - 55.6 kBTU/ft.2 Year 2)

**Incentive** =  $$0.006 \times 80,000 \times 4.2 = $2,016$ 

Energy Savings: 98,500 kWh\*

**Reduced Costs:** \$9,850 during the year\*\*

\*Assuming 100% electric savings.

#### IS YOUR BUILDING A GOOD FIT?

High performing buildings with energy use lower than the thresholds listed in the table below may not achieve significant energy savings.

Building Type	Therms/ft <sup>2</sup>	kWh/ft²
Elementary School	0.35	3.5
Middle/High School	0.4	4.0
Geothermal (Any Size)	N/A	6.0

#### **ENERGY USE INTENSITY (EUI)**

ENERGY STAR Portfolio Manager expresses EUI as energy per square foot per year. To calculate EUI, divide the total energy consumed by the building in one year (measured in kBTU) by the facility's gross square footage. Focus on Energy is using ENERGY STAR Weather Normalized Site Energy Usage Index, which is reported by calendar year.

<sup>\*\*</sup>Utility rates are estimated at \$0.10/kWh. Utility rates will vary, and additional charges may cause these savings not to be realized.

#### **UTILITY BILL VERIFIED SAVINGS REQUIREMENTS**

# section 1 BEFORE YOU APPLY

- Confirm your gas and/or electric utility participates in Focus on Energy at focusonenergy.com/utilities.
- Contact your Focus on Energy Advisor for assistance. If you do not know who your Energy Advisor is, visit focusonenergy.com/ea-map.

# section 2 WHAT YOU'LL NEED

- O Utility Bill Verified Savings enrollment application.
- O Identified Energy Champion.
  - Energy Champion Individual responsible for the success of this offering at the facility. This individual is responsible for coordinating with their Focus on Energy team and ensuring ENERGY STAR Portfolio Manager is updated.
- Plan to achieve energy savings throughout the year.

# section 3 TIMELINE AND EXPECTATIONS

- Customer is expected to enter historical building data into ENERGY STAR Portfolio Manager by January 31, 2026, and share the account information with Focus on Energy.
- O Energy Advisor will meet with the customer and energy teams (if applicable) monthly.
- Energy Advisor will share non-weather normalized EUI progress reports with customer quarterly to evaluate progress.
- After calculating the difference in Weather Normalized Site EUI by ENERGY STAR Portfolio Manager, an incentive will be determined and Completion Notice (CN) sent to the customer with the official incentive amount.
- O Upon receipt of signed CN, incentive is processed and paid within six to eight weeks.

Submit your completed enrollment application to **business@focusonenergy.com** or to your Energy Advisor.



# UTILITY BILL VERIFIED SAVINGS ENROLLMENT APPLICATION



Enrollment is competitive and limited to customers with the best plan to save energy for the year. Complete all sections. Incomplete applications cannot be processed and will delay payment of incentives. Applications must be submitted no later than **January 15**, **2026**. Applicants will receive approval to participate by **January 20**, **2026**.

### later than January 15, 2026. Applicants will receive approval to participate by January 20, 2026. section 1 **ACCOUNT AND CUSTOMER INFORMATION Tax Identification Number** FEIN TAX CLASSIFICATION OF CUSTOMER (Check one. Required for all businesses, including non-profits.) lacktriangle Sole Proprietorship lacktriangle S Corporation lacktriangle Partnership ☐ C Corporation ☐ LLC - S Corp ☐ LLC - Partnership ☐ LLC - C Corp ☐ Single-Member LLC ☐ Other \_ COMPANY NAME LEGAL ADDRESS (AS SHOWN ON COMPANY W-9) CITY STATE 7IP WHO DID YOU WORK WITH FROM FOCUS ON ENERGY? (CONTACT NAME) section 2 PARTICIPATING SITE INFORMATION (Refer to your utility bills for account numbers below.) PARTICIPATING SITE BUSINESS NAME PARTICIPATING SITE ADDRESS CITY STATE 7IP ELECTRIC UTILITY AT JOB SITE ELECTRIC ACCOUNT # GAS UTILITY AT JOB SITE lacksquare Participating site address is same as legal address ☐ PARTICIPATING SITE ADDRESS IS DIFFERENT (COMPLETE BELOW) OTHER ENERGY USED APPROXIMATE ANNUAL KWH

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# section 3 CUSTOMER CONTACT INFORMATION

NAME	TITLE	
PRIMARY PHONE #	EMAIL ADDRESS	
Are you the Energy Cha	mpion? 🗖 Yes 🗖 No (lis	st name below)
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CUSTOMER SIGNATURE		
NAME (PRINT)		DATE

# PARTICIPATION REQUIREMENTS

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Use the eligibility requirements below to see if your business qualifies for program rebates or incentives. You can also visit **focusonenergy.com** to find savings opportunities specific to your business.

#### **INFORMATION AND REQUIREMENTS**

Before you start your project, make sure you are familiar with participation requirements, program information, and Terms and Conditions.

#### **General Terms and Conditions**

Review the Focus on Energy Terms and Conditions at focusonenergy.com/terms or call 800.762.7077 to request a copy.

#### Rebate and Incentive Limits

Rebates and incentives are limited to \$300,000 per project and \$400,000 per customer per calendar year for all Focus on Energy rebates (standard and custom). Depending on the business tax classification of the payee, the entity receiving the rebate or incentive payment may receive IRS form 1099 for incentives totaling over \$600 in a calendar year.

Reminder: Rebates and incentives are capped at 100% of equipment cost unless otherwise noted. Equipment cost is the amount paid by the customer for qualifying equipment, excluding any Focus on Energy rebate or incentive credit, shipping, and sales tax. Like-for-like equipment replacement due to recall, warranty replacement, etc. is not eligible for a rebate or incentive.





