

# CONSERVE & \$AVE™

## GREEN EFFICIENCY MEASURES REBATE APPLICATION

### SECTION A. CUSTOMER INFORMATION (please print)

#### Step 1:

Customer Name (as it appears on your utility bill)	Account Number		
Installation Address	City	State	Zip Code
		MN	
Mailing Address (if different from installation address)	City	State	Zip Code
<input type="checkbox"/> Home <input type="checkbox"/> Cell <input type="checkbox"/> Other:	Contact Phone Number (with area code)		
	E-mail Address		

#### Step 2:

Please apply rebate to my account.       Please send me a rebate check.

**Rebates \$75 and under will be applied to your account. If a box is not checked a bill credit will automatically be issued.**

#### Step 3:

**How did you hear about CONSERVE & \$AVE? (pick one)**

Billboard     Chamber of Commerce     Contractor     Newspaper     Radio  
 Retailer/Vendor     Social Media     TV     Utility Newsletter     Utility Representative     Utility Web Site     Other \_\_\_\_\_

#### Step 4:

<b>I am a:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Residential Customer <input type="checkbox"/> Commercial Customer	<b>My building type is:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Single Family <input type="checkbox"/> Multi-Family <i>buildings with 2 or more units</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Commercial	<b>I am a:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Owner/Occupant <input type="checkbox"/> Owner/Non-Occupant <input type="checkbox"/> Renter	<b>My home/business is heated by:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Electric <input type="checkbox"/> Gas <input type="checkbox"/> Don't Know	<b>My water heating is:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Electric <input type="checkbox"/> Gas <input type="checkbox"/> Don't Know
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**SIGNATURE:** By typing my first and last names in the CUSTOMER SIGNATURE box below, I am signing this document and certify:

I have completely filled out Sections A  
 I have read, understand, and agree to the terms and conditions – Section B, #1  
 I have attached all support materials – Section B, #3  
 All equipment has been purchased by myself, the customer listed in Section A

CUSTOMER SIGNATURE \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Allow 6-8 weeks for processing.  
Missing or incorrect information will increase the processing time.

**TEAMING UP TO SAVE YOU MONEY**



**AUSTIN UTILITIES**  
Connection for Better Living™



**OWATONNA PUBLIC UTILITIES**

CONSERVE & \$AVE™

**OFFICE USE ONLY**     Gas     Electric     Water

Date Received \_\_\_\_\_ Date Processed \_\_\_\_\_

Appliance/Equipment \_\_\_\_\_

ID \_\_\_\_\_ Verified By \_\_\_\_\_ FILE NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

**Total Rebate Amount:**

\$

## SECTION B. REBATE APPLICATION CHECKLIST

Use this checklist to complete the steps to receive your rebates:

1. Read the following terms and conditions to determine if you are eligible for a rebate:
  - Only one service address per application.
  - Rebates are intended for customers, not contractors or builders.
  - The Utility reserves the right to apply rebates to past due accounts. Rebates \$75 and under will be applied to your account. Rebates will not exceed the purchase price.
  - Battery-powered lawn equipment must be charged where the electric service is supplied by Austin Utilities or Owatonna Public Utilities and is subject to inspection.
  - Purchase **NEW** products that meet the eligibility requirements stated in this application. Reconditioned, refurbished, or second-hand equipment is not eligible for a rebate. Products replaced under warranty or provided through a repair/replacement service agreement are not eligible for a rebate.
  - Equipment must meet our Minimum Efficiency/Eligibility Requirements to qualify for a rebate.
  - Due to limited funding, this rebate offer can be withdrawn at any time without notice. Applications will be processed on a first-come, first-served basis. All applications from the current year's purchases must be received by March 31 of the following year.
  - Rebates can only be offered on equipment that is purchased while funding is in effect. In the event our program is discontinued due to depleted funds, we will not provide a rebate for items purchased between the discontinued date and the end of that year.
  - In no case will the rebate paid by the Utility exceed 50% of the purchase price of the equipment. The maximum rebate amount may be limited.
2. Complete the application, making sure to fill out all required sections in detail. Allow 6-8 weeks for processing. Missing or incorrect information will increase the processing time.
3. Customer must submit original receipts/invoices showing the make, model, quantity, and price of all equipment purchased, and the date purchased.
4. Sign the application.
5. Information contained in this rebate application may be shared with the Minnesota Department of Commerce and Utility partners.
6. Submit completed forms and required documentation to your utility provider:

### Austin Utilities

**Apply by Mail:** Attn: Rebate Processing  
1908 14th St NE  
Austin, MN 55912-4904  
507-433-8886

**Apply Online:** [www.austinutilities.com](http://www.austinutilities.com)

**Apply by Email:** [rebates@austinutilities.com](mailto:rebates@austinutilities.com)

### Owatonna Public Utilities

**Apply by Mail:** Attn: Rebate Processing  
PO Box 800  
Owatonna, MN 55060-0800  
507-451-2480

**Apply Online:** [www.owatonnautilities.com](http://www.owatonnautilities.com)

**Apply by Email:** [rebates@owatonnautilities.com](mailto:rebates@owatonnautilities.com)

### **Thank you for purchasing new, efficient appliances and equipment and for applying for a CONSERVE & SAVE™ rebate!**

When purchasing new items, continue to look for the ENERGY STAR®, ENERGY STAR® Most Efficient, and WaterSense® labels. By doing so, you will save energy, water, and money while ensuring product performance. Austin Utilities and Owatonna Public Utilities may also offer a CONSERVE & SAVE™ rebate on your purchase! For a complete list of available rebates, amounts, and to download rebate applications with minimum efficiency requirements and complete terms and conditions, visit your utility's website:

[www.austinutilities.com](http://www.austinutilities.com) • [www.owatonnautilities.com](http://www.owatonnautilities.com)



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## SECTION C. REBATE INFORMATION – BATTERY-POWERED LAWN EQUIPMENT

- Eligibility:**
1. All equipment must be new and battery-powered to qualify.
  2. Mowers must have a battery voltage of at least 36 volts to qualify.
  3. Corded equipment and robotic mowers do not qualify for a rebate.
  4. Rebates are limited to 50% of the equipment cost.
  5. Rebate quantities are limited to two (2) riding mowers and five (5) push lawn mowers, blowers, trimmers, and chainsaws annually.
  6. Purchase date on invoice/receipt must be between January 1 and December 31 of the current year.

Equipment Code (see below)	Mower Battery Voltage <sup>1</sup>	Quantity	Manufacturer	Model	Date Purchased	Cost	Rebate (see Table 1)
<b>COMMERCIAL CUSTOMERS: PLEASE USE OUR COMMERCIAL BATTERY-POWERED LAWN EQUIPMENT REBATE APPLICATION</b>							
1							
2							
3							
4							
5							
<b>TOTAL REBATE:</b>							

<sup>1</sup>Lawn mowers must have a battery voltage of at least 36 volts to qualify.

**Table 1 – Rebates + Equipment Codes**

Equipment Code	Description	Rebate
<b>A</b>	Battery-powered <b>chainsaw</b>	\$10
<b>B</b>	Battery-powered <b>lawn trimmer</b>	\$10
<b>C</b>	Battery-powered <b>leaf blower</b>	\$10
<b>D</b>	Battery-powered <b>push/walk-behind lawn mower</b>	\$50
<b>E</b>	Battery-powered <b>riding lawn mower</b>	\$100

## SECTION D. REBATE INFORMATION – E-BIKES

- Eligibility:**
1. Eligible electric-assisted bicycles (e-Bikes) must be new and have a battery, an electric motor, a seat, and functional pedals.
  2. Used, resold, rebuilt, received from warranty or insurance claims, or e-Bikes won as a prize are not eligible for a rebate.
  3. Electric bicycle conversion kits are not eligible for a rebate.
  4. Purchase date on invoice/receipt must be between January 1 and December 31 of the current year.

**REBATE = \$150 per e-Bike (not to exceed 50% of cost)**

1	Manufacturer	Model	Date Purchased	e-Bike Cost	Rebate per e-Bike
1					<b>\$150</b>
2					<b>\$150</b>
3					<b>\$150</b>
<b>TOTAL REBATE:</b>					

- \*Include:**
- A.** A copy of your receipt/invoice for new e-Bike.
  - B.** A photo of bicycle serial number.
  - C.** A copy of the e-Bike manufacturer’s published specifications showing the performance and other technical characteristic of the bicycle (used to verify that it meets the rebate qualifications).

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## SECTION E. CONTRACTOR/RETAILER INFORMATION FOR VARIABLE SPEED POOL PUMPS (please print)

Contractor's/Retailer's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Contact Person \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number (with area code) \_\_\_\_\_ Installer's Name (write **SELF** if customer installed) \_\_\_\_\_

## SECTION F. REBATE INFORMATION – VARIABLE SPEED DRIVE POOL PUMPS

#	Project Type (check one)	Pool Type (check one)	Pool Volume (gallons)	Weighted Energy Factor (WEF)	Motor Qty.	Hydraulic Horsepower (HHP)	Manufacturer Name	Model Number	Estimated Annual Days of Operation (use Table 2 if unknown)	Date of Installation	Equipment Cost	Rebate \$100 (not to exceed 50% of cost)
1	<input type="checkbox"/> New Installation <input type="checkbox"/> Retrofit	<input type="checkbox"/> Indoor <input type="checkbox"/> Outdoor										
2	<input type="checkbox"/> New Installation <input type="checkbox"/> Retrofit	<input type="checkbox"/> Indoor <input type="checkbox"/> Outdoor										
3	<input type="checkbox"/> New Installation <input type="checkbox"/> Retrofit	<input type="checkbox"/> Indoor <input type="checkbox"/> Outdoor										
4	<input type="checkbox"/> New Installation <input type="checkbox"/> Retrofit	<input type="checkbox"/> Indoor <input type="checkbox"/> Outdoor										
5	<input type="checkbox"/> New Installation <input type="checkbox"/> Retrofit	<input type="checkbox"/> Indoor <input type="checkbox"/> Outdoor										
6	<input type="checkbox"/> New Installation <input type="checkbox"/> Retrofit	<input type="checkbox"/> Indoor <input type="checkbox"/> Outdoor										
7	<input type="checkbox"/> New Installation <input type="checkbox"/> Retrofit	<input type="checkbox"/> Indoor <input type="checkbox"/> Outdoor										
8	<input type="checkbox"/> New Installation <input type="checkbox"/> Retrofit	<input type="checkbox"/> Indoor <input type="checkbox"/> Outdoor										
9	<input type="checkbox"/> New Installation <input type="checkbox"/> Retrofit	<input type="checkbox"/> Indoor <input type="checkbox"/> Outdoor										
<b>TOTAL REBATE:</b>												

**Table 2 – Annual Days of Operation**

Pool Type	Hours
Commercial Indoor	365
Commercial Outdoor	122
Residential Indoor	365
Residential Outdoor	122

**Eligibility:**

1. Pool pump must be ENERGY STAR® certified.
2. Multi-speed pumps or staged pumps do not qualify.